

# PARENT WEEKLY BULLETIN

*Weekly news from the Haggerston School Community*



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## Safeguarding

If you have a safeguarding concern please call the school Reception in the first instance and ask for a member of the Designated Safeguarding Team Ms Ray-Choudhuri, Ms Ramsey or Ms Codling. If it is out of school hours please contact the safeguarding email address

[haggerstonsafeguarding@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk](mailto:haggerstonsafeguarding@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk)

Regular communication with parents/carers is important to us at Haggerston School. It is vital that the school office holds updated and current contact information in order that you can receive important messages from school or in case of a medical and/or emergency situation.

Please contact the school office to verify your contact details  
P: 020 7739 7324 E: [haggerstonschool@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk](mailto:haggerstonschool@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk)

## SPORTS FIXTURES & RESULTS



## STUDENT OF THE WEEK

**FOOD: ELSIE BAIRD**

CONTINUOUSLY WORKING HARD IN FOOD AND BEING A GREAT CHAMPION FOR THE SCHOOL ON OUR FIRST SESSION WITH THE CHEFS AT SHOREDITCH TRUST

WATCH THIS SPACE FOR  
OUR UP COMING GAMES  
AND FIXTURE RESULTS

**MATHS: HARLEY HOFT**



FOR THE FANTASTIC QUALITY OF WRITTEN WORK IN HIS BOOK THIS WEEK AND THE AMOUNT OF EFFORT PUT IN DURING THE LESSONS

# MESSAGE FROM THE CO-HEADTEACHERS

*Ms Moran and Ms Turbet*

Dear Parents/Carers,

As we arrive at the final week of the year, we write with arrangements for next week. This will be the final parent bulletin of this academic year but we will write to parents with an end of term letter next week, which will include information about teachers who are leaving and joining our school and all of the specific details about the start of the new academic year.

## **Final Week Arrangements:**

Monday 15th July: Normal Day with mock results event for Y10/12

Tuesday 16th July: Normal Day

Wednesday 17th July: Reward Trips - please refer to direct communication on arrangements for your child. Please encourage your child to wear clothes appropriate for the weather and to bring a full water bottle and packed lunch (unless eligible for free school meals)

Thursday 18th July: Celebration Assemblies begin

Friday 18th July: The school day will end at 12.45pm with a staggered dismissal beginning at approximately 12.20pm.

## **We would particularly like to thank:**

Mr Rowe for organising the year 12 EPQ fair. This was an extremely successful event where students got to showcase the projects that they had written for their EPQ qualification. Students from other year groups were able to come down to see the different displays and to talk to the students about their research and the qualification itself.

Ms Forbes who organised a really informative CV writing day with volunteers from Lloyds Private Bank. Students in Y10 and Y12 were able to learn from all members of the team about their CV and interview experiences, and learn how to sell themselves better.

Mr Ritchie, Ms Haynes and Ms Khan for organising and running the "Haggerston Hello". We have never done this before but this was another opportunity for Y6 students to come into school before the summer holidays and experience more about life at Haggerston. It was a pleasure to meet so many lovely students at this event.

Have a lovely weekend

Ms Moran and Ms Turbet, Co-Headteachers



# Attendance Matters

Every student. Every day.



## ATTENDANCE STARS

YEAR 7

YEAR 8

YEAR 9

YEAR 10

YEAR 11

6TH FORM

BEATRIZ

BLESSING

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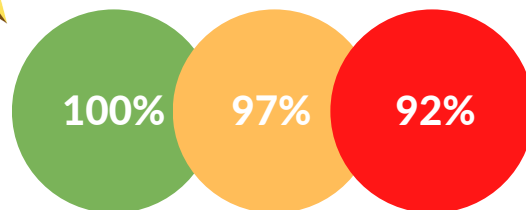
### THIS WEEK'S TOP 3 FORMS!

YEAR 70:  
100%

YEAR 7S:  
98.5%

YEAR 8G:  
96.9%

We want to share and celebrate excellent attendance and punctuality, and recognise students who make improvements. We are trialling a new rewards policy. Students with 100% attendance in a half term and a minimum of 96% or above over the year will be shared in assembly, receive citations and be entered for a weekly £5 prize draw. There will also be two attendance stars every week, who you will see above. At the end of term, students with 100% attendance will get an attendance pin for their blazer, a prize, certificate, letter home and a celebratory lunch with their year leads.



#### Why is attendance and punctuality important?

For children to achieve to the best of their ability, they must attend school every day and be punctual. Most children who meet these expectations will make very pleasing rates of progress during their time at Haggerston School. Our wish for all of the children here is that they make the most of everything that the school has to offer (academically, socially and more holistically with regards extra curricular opportunities and enrichment). That is only possible if children are here every day, on site by 8.30am ready for line-up/lesson one and are ready to learn/engage with the opportunities available.

#### HIGH ATTENDERS, HIGH ACHIEVERS WHERE WILL YOU BE?



Attendance %	Average Grade at GCSE
99 – 100	7
97 – 99	6
95 – 97	5
93 – 95	4
90 – 93	3
Under 90	3-

# Key Notices

## Free School Meals vouchers for Summer 2024

The FSM vouchers for the summer break have been ordered via Edenred. The amount is £60 for eligible FSM students. The delivery date will be Friday 19th July 2024. The email with the voucher will come from [noreply@edenred.com](mailto:noreply@edenred.com), so please ensure that you have added this email address to your Safe Sender/ Trusted Contacts List.

Please ensure that you redeem the vouchers on time, as they will expire after 3 months and you will not be eligible for a replacement voucher.



### Useful links:

- [Redeem your Select Grocery eCode](#)
- [Download the eCode and eGift card user guide](#)
- [Read the parent/carer FAQs](#)
- [I've been sent an eCode but it hasn't arrived](#)
- [I've redeemed my eCode but my eGift card hasn't arrived](#)

# FREE SCHOOL MEAL VOUCHERS SUMMER 2024

## DfE and NHS Guidance on Attendance

In response to the DfE's concerns about attendance nationally, the Chief Medical Officer has written an open letter to schools. The full letter can be found here: <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/letter-to-school-leaders-on-mild-illness-and-school-attendance/letter-to-school-leaders-on-mild-illness-and-school-attendance>

The NHS have also published guidance about when children should be kept off school and when they shouldn't.

This can be found here: <https://www.nhs.uk/live-well/is-my-child-too-ill-for-school/>.

You might find this guidance helpful when deciding whether your child is well enough to attend school.

## Accelerated Reader

### YEAR - 8 Word Millionaires

- ★ Niya Guled
- ★ Olivia Gavriloea
- ★ Sabine Talerman
- ★ Adem Tagoulmimt
- ★ Alfred Geoffroy
- ★ Edoardo Passerotti
- ★ John Findlater



## Accelerated Reader

### YEAR - 7 Word Millionaires

- ★ Tomas O'Sullivan
- ★ Albert Painter
- ★ Zohra Polletta
- ★ Alexandra Cilibanov
- ★ Mattia Castelli
- ★ Matthieu Toscani Mertens
- ★ Isabella Connolly
- ★ Amron Ensermu
- ★ Mabli, Ap Garth
- ★ Rayyan Hasan
- ★ Theo Rudolph
- ★ Cayce Day



#WakeUpWednesday



# Introducing Olive Dining

Haggerston's new catering provider from September



Take a look at the Autumn Menu which will start in September 2024



## Meal Deal

1

HOT MAIN OR SANDWICH OR WRAP OR BAGUETTE

2

HOT DESSERT OR SMALL FRUIT POT OR PIECE OF FRUIT

LOOK OUT FOR THE PURPLE LABELS

2 items for  
£2.75

For further information you can view [www.olivedining.co.uk](http://www.olivedining.co.uk) or visit their Instagram or twitter pages

### Catering Tariffs to increase in September 2024

Dear Parents/ Carers,

From the 1st of September 2024, Olive Dining will be our new Catering provider. The Students' meal deal (both for hot and cold) will increase from £2.61 to £2.75. This is in line with our contractual obligation with our new Catering provider.

We regularly benchmark the catering tariffs with other local Schools and it is on par and much lower priced than the high street. However, it is important that we implement this increase in the current tariffs.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE:** From September, FSM allowance's can only be used during lunch time. This means that if a student wishes to purchase a breaktime snack, this will need to be paid for via a student's top-up account.

Thank you for your understanding.

# Upcoming Events: week beginning 15 July (Week 2)

Assembly Theme: Reward Trips

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Year 10 Art Trip	Career Interviews	Gold DofE Expedition	Gold DofE Expedition	End of Academic Year 12.45pm Early student dismissal
Gold DofE Expedition	Gold DofE Expedition	Rewards Trip Day - all students	Y10 Parents SEND Coffee Morning	
Cross Trust Summer Sharing		Inclusion Y6 Transition Event		

## Lost property



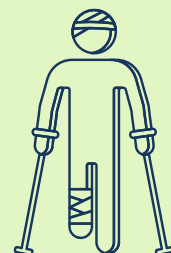
Dear Parents/Carers,

If your child has lost something during the school day, please ask them to visit student services where lost property is kept.

Please remember to label any belongings so they can quickly and easily be returned to their owner.

## Students with short term mobility issues

If your child experiences a short term mobility issue, e.g. an injury such as spraining an ankle that requires crutches, could we please ask you to let their head of year know. We need this information in case we have to write an individual action plan to support a fire evacuation.



## Music Lessons

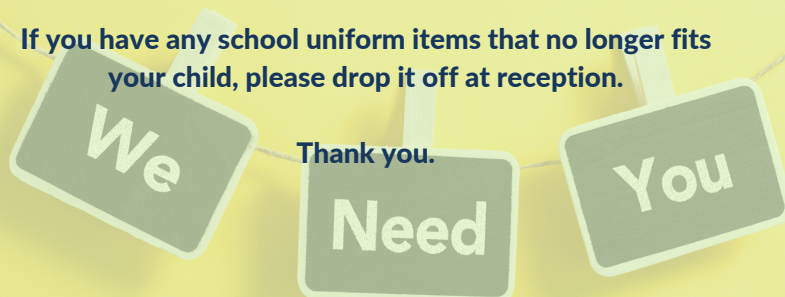
Individual and paired music lessons start next week. If your child is taking these you will receive an email with a timetable of your child's lessons and further information.

If your child is interested in taking individual/ paired music lessons at school in the future, please get them to fill in the Music Survey form on the DPR.

Thank you, Mr Woods, Peripatetic Lead  
[joseph.woods@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk](mailto:joseph.woods@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk)

## Got any old school uniforms?

If you have any school uniform items that no longer fits your child, please drop it off at reception.

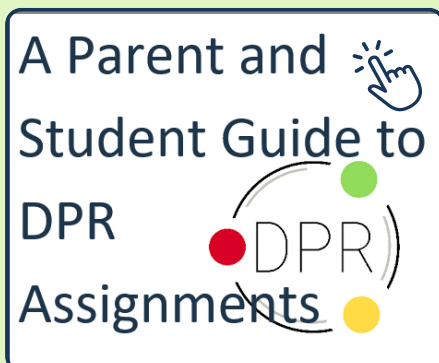


## HEADS OF YEAR CONTACT DETAILS

Year 7  
Year 8  
Year 9  
Year 10  
Year 11  
Sixth Form

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[rokayah.abdulmajed@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk](mailto:rokayah.abdulmajed@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk)  
[cherelle.yiminyi@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk](mailto:cherelle.yiminyi@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk)  
[jonathan.wadsworth@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk](mailto:jonathan.wadsworth@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk)  
[tom.ritchie@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk](mailto:tom.ritchie@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk)  
[charlotte.clarke@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk](mailto:charlotte.clarke@haggerston.hackney.sch.uk)

PLEASE CONTACT YOUR CHILD'S HEAD OF YEAR IF YOU HAVE CONCERNS ABOUT THEIR SCHOOL WORK OR WELLBEING.



CLICK THE TILES TO FIND OUT MORE

Library timings  
8h30am to 4h30pm

# Learning Resource Centre



**LIBRARY**  
VISTING DAYS  
**YEAR 7, 8 & 9**  
TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS  
**YEAR 10 & 11**  
WEDNESDAYS & FRIDAYS  
LIBRARY PASS ENTRY  
**MONDAYS**

AFTER SCHOOL THE  
LIBRARY IS OPEN TO  
ALL YEAR GROUPS TO:  
WORK QUIETLY  
BORROW/RETURN BOOKS  
USE COMPUTERS  
**REMEMBER**  
**NO** FOOD  
DRINKS  
CELL PHONE  
NO FOOD, DRINKS & PHONE IN THE LIBRARY

### MOST POPULAR BOOKS OF 2024 AT HAGGERSTON

Book covers displayed: LIE, MURDER MOST UNLADYLIKE, ONE OF US IS LYING, SUCH A GOOD LIAR, A Good Girl's Guide to Murder, MESSI, Eleanor & Park, Drama, Ghosts, Guts, Happy Birthday.

## LITERACY TIP OF THE WEEK

**Schedule a time for reading!** To make sure that your kids read every day, you need to schedule reading into their day. You could set reading time in the morning during breakfast or during the commute, before going to sleep or 20 minutes just before dinner. Scheduling a time for reading can really help to encourage your child to read.

## BOOK OF THE WEEK



The Final Year by  
Matt Goodfellow

## NUMERACY TIP OF THE WEEK

On YouTube, search 'Chris Moyles maths' for some fun maths challenges set by musicians like JLS and One Direction.

## CAREERS BULLETIN

THE OFFICIAL HAGGERSTON CAREERS BULLETIN OFFERING CAREER OPPORTUNITIES TO ALL HAGGERSTON STUDENTS

**[CLICK HERE FOR MORE INFORMATION ON OUR CAREERS OFFER AND TO REVIEW OUR CAREERS BULLETINS.](#)**



### The National Careers Service

Provides information, advice and guidance to help make decisions on learning, training and work. The website includes over 800 different job profiles <https://nationalcareers.service.gov.uk/>

### UCAS

Explore your options, apply to university, and more <https://www.ucas.com/>

### Find an apprenticeship

This government run service allows you to browse through and apply to available apprenticeships <https://www.gov.uk/apply-apprenticeship>

### icould

Real-life career videos, advice and information to inspire your career <https://icould.com/>

### Careermap

To view the latest issues of Careermap's Careermap for school leavers, click [here](#)

To receive a copy of future Careermap for School Leavers, follow this link: <https://careermap.co.uk/subscribe-to-careermag/>



# Wellbeing and SEND



## SilverCloud Online Programme: Supporting An Anxious Child

Dear Parents /Carers  
Support with your young persons wellbeing

The digitised SilverCloud anxiety intervention for parents of young people can now be used without a supporter/practitioner. Clients can sign up using the Self Sign Up Link Pathway link and have access to the below content: This is part of our WAMHs offer.

For more information on this programme, [please click this link here](#)

Ms Ray -Choudhuri, Senior Assistant Headteacher and Mental Health Lead

Dear parents, HiP is a voluntary group of Hackney parents with SEND children, trying to be heard & listened to, to improve services, and to develop awareness, understanding & acceptance of SEND in our communities. Please see the following fliers that you hopefully find useful.



### STARTING FROM 6TH JUNE 2024

#### The BIG Transition - preparing for the summer holidays

Weekly Parent Empowerment Groups - Delivered by the Family Coach Service

We'll be exploring what your best hopes for the summer holidays are, feeling confident about the summer holidays, your wellbeing, creating a plan, preparing for change and returning to school



For families with children that have special educational needs (SEN).  
In any of the 4 areas of SEN.  
No formal diagnosis or EHCP required.



TUESDAYS 10AM - 11.30AM  
STARTING 11TH JUNE

**Ickburgh School\***  
exclusively for parents of SEND children in an ARP or SEND provision

WEDNESDAYS 9.30-10.30AM  
STARTING 12TH JUNE

**Berger Primary School**  
Anderson Rd  
E9 6HB

THURSDAY 2PM - 3PM  
STARTING 6TH JUNE

**The Olive School**  
32 St John's  
Church Rd, London  
E9 6EJ

10 spaces available. Please send us an email to book your place today [familycoach@hackney.gov.uk](mailto:familycoach@hackney.gov.uk)





# Other Notices

## Foyle Young Poets Award

The Foyle Young Poets of the Year Award 2024 is open!

Enter your poems by 31 July 2024 at [foyleyoungpoets.org](http://foyleyoungpoets.org)

For more details check with Ms Samy or Ms Roberts



## The Great Hackney Libraries Quest

Summer 2024 Carnival!  
20 July - 15 Sep

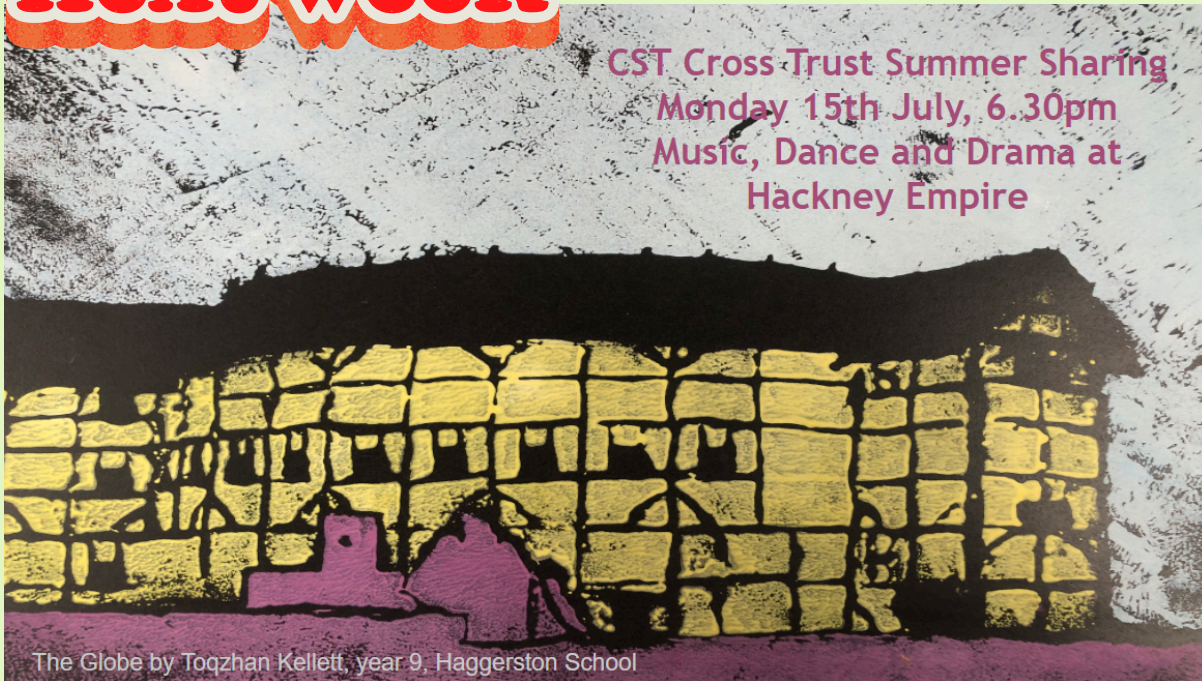
At all Hackney libraries

Join the Quest!  
Read books and take part in fun activities to collect stamps, receive certificates and win prizes.

A new celebration of our libraries for all ages!

Find out all our about Quest activities at [lovehackney.uk/great-hackney-libraries-quest](http://lovehackney.uk/great-hackney-libraries-quest)  
See our carnival themed book lists at [lovehackney.uk/reading-lists](http://lovehackney.uk/reading-lists)

## next week



CST Cross Trust Summer Sharing  
Monday 15th July, 6.30pm  
Music, Dance and Drama at  
Hackney Empire

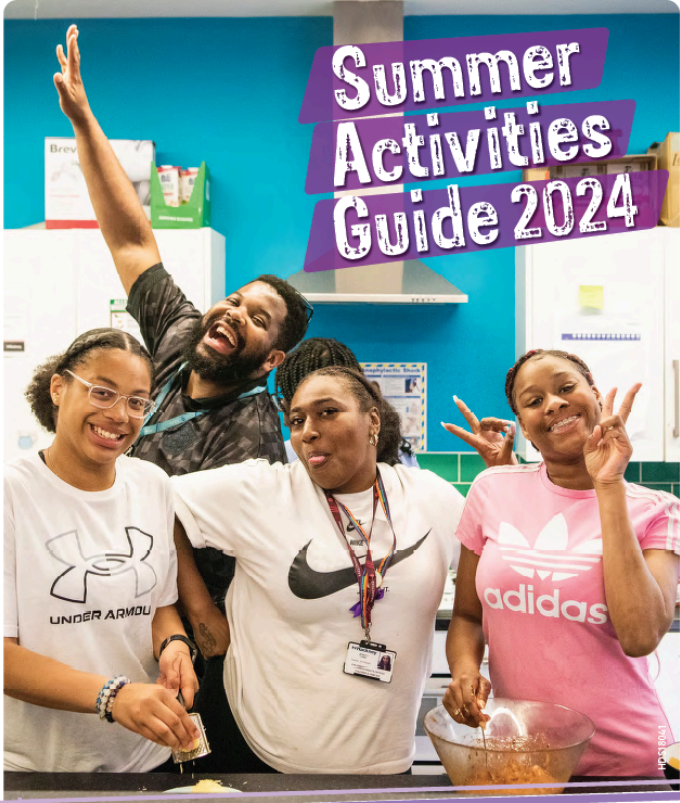
The Globe by Toqzhan Kellett, year 9, Haggerston School

This year's Summer Sharing will be a CST cross trust event involving performances of dance, drama and music from students at Haggerston School, Forest Gate, Cumberland, Waterside and Excelsior. This is an opportunity for students to share the beautiful work they have created in their Performing Arts lessons and clubs. The performance will be held on Monday 15 July 2024 at Hackney Empire. The performance will start at 6.30pm and will be approximately 2 hours long including an interval. There will be no late admittance.

Tickets are available to buy on Scopay. Each student who is performing can have 2 tickets initially and then, if there are spare tickets, Miss Powell will send an email out on Wednesday 10th July. The tickets are listed as separate payment options on Scopay: ticket 1 and ticket 2., Ms Powell and the Performing Arts team.



# Hackney Schools Bulletin



## Summer Activities Guide 2024

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HACKNEY SCHOOL OF FOOD

Come down for our...

# SUMMER OPEN DAY

20 JULY  
12-4PM

For families & our community

Hackney School of Food is hosting a community day in our gardens!

Join us for a day outdoors with home-grown and home-made food and drinks for the community.

**TICKETS:**  
£5 Adults  
£3 Children  
Free cake + drink with every ticket!

**WHAT'S ON**

- Live chef demos
- Food on the fire
- Plant sale
- Garden games & natural crafts
- Summer drinks

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## Fellows Court & Weymouth Court

Summer 2024

Hackney



Fellows Court



Weymouth Court

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GENUINELY AFFORDABLE COUNCIL HOMES  
PRIORITISED FOR LOCAL PEOPLE!

## Key Dates

# Term Dates 2024/25

## Autumn Term 2024

Start: Monday 02 September  
 End: Friday 13 December (Early dismissal 12.45pm)  
 Half Term: Monday 28 October - Friday 01 November  
 Inset Days: Monday 02 September  
 Monday 02 December

### Start of Term Arrangements

Monday 02 Sept: (Closed to Students) - Inset Day  
 Tuesday 03 Sept: Years 7 and 12 ONLY Induction Day  
 Wednesday 04 Sept : All Students Return  
 (8.30am arrival ready for line-up)

## Spring Term 2025

Start: Monday 06 January  
 End: Friday 04 April (Full school day)  
 Half Term: Monday 17 - Friday 21 February  
 Inset Days: Friday 21 March

## Summer Term 2024

Start: Tuesday 22 April  
 End: Friday 18 July (Early dismissal 12.45pm)  
 Half Term: Monday 26 - Friday 30 May

## Parent Evening Dates

Year 7: 05 November 2024  
 Year 8: 02 April 2025  
 Year 9 Parent & Options Evening: 25 February 2025

Year 10: 29 April 2025  
 Year 11: 21 January 2025  
 Year 12 & 13: 07 January 2025

## Exam Result Dates

A-Level : Thursday 14 August 2025

GCSE : Thursday 21 August 2025

## Other Key Dates

26 December Boxing Day	01 January New Years Day	18 April Good Friday	20 April Easter Sunday	21 April Easter Monday
31 March Eid al Fitr (tbc)	05 May Bank Holiday	26 May Spring Bank Holiday	06 June Eid al Adha	25 August Bank Holiday