

11 November 2022

PS068/22-23

Dear parents/carers and students,

Remembrance and Armistice Day

In remembrance of all of those lost in wars and to mark Armistice Day we held a two minute silence across the school this morning. A small group of students and staff also took part in a wreath laying ceremony when poems were recited as a mark of remembrance and respect. Thank you to all of the staff and students who supported this important event.



Year 11 Mock Exams

We are now half way through the main Year 11 Mock Exams and I just wanted to say a huge well done to all of the students for their effort and behaviour during the first week of the mocks. The invigilation team and other staff have all commented on the impressive levels of maturity being displayed by the students. We will look forward to completing the mocks next week and then using the papers in lessons to support further progress.

If you have a child in Year 11 please support their revision and preparation at home. Most of the resources which they need will be on Google Classroom but if you feel that they need additional guidance please contact their class teachers via email, they will be happy to help.

Dropping off your children at school

As the weather worsens more parents might consider driving students to school. Please try to minimise these journeys to reduce congestion. If you do have to drive students to school please share lifts as much as possible. We are also concerned for our neighbours not only during the school day but also when there are evening events at the school. Please be considerate in not obstructing their drives or any of the nearby roads. Thank you.

Upcoming Charity Events

Children In Need Day will run on Friday 18th November and there will be a number of events running during the day in order to raise money for the charities. All students and staff are encouraged to donate £1 to 'Wear Something Spotty' along with their normal school uniform on this day. Due to exam regulations Y11 must be in uniform for exams but can add spotty additions after the exam is over.

School Photos

School photos are now in school and will be given out by tutors to students to bring home.

Benefit Related Free School Meals

A reminder that your child may be eligible for benefits related Free School Meals. Once an eligible child is signed up for 'benefits related Free School Meals', they will also receive other support such as Holiday Activity and Food (HAF) sessions. HAF sessions provide children with access to fun and engaging activities during the holidays and offer a free meal as part of the sessions. You can use the following [website](#) to check the eligibility criteria and apply for a benefit related free school meal. If you have queries you can email fsm@westsussex.gov.uk or Tel:0330 222 5555 . If you do receive Benefit Related Free School Meals then we will receive a pupil premium grant to support your child's education in school.

Closure of the turning circle during morning and afternoon arrival/departures

As you will already be aware the school site is now closed to vehicles (other than those with special permission) between 8:00 and 9:00 and again between 15:00 and 15:45 each school day. We very much appreciate your support with this. It is making a huge difference to the safety of students on site.

Thanks for your continued support,



Simon Liley,
Headteacher

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