

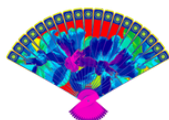
**Friday 15th  
November**

**Dear parents/carers and students,**

Many thanks to those of you who have already completed the quick form to express interest in joining our PTA (Friends of Angmering School - FaNS for short). The PTA exists to support fundraising for the school, which can provide additional resources and opportunities for our children.

If you did not see the message last week and would like to volunteer your support please follow the link below and complete the very quick form. No contribution is too small to make a difference!

[Expression of interest \(FaNS\)](#)



### A message for parents/carers from the National College

11th November marks the beginning of Anti-Bullying Week, and this year's theme is "Choose Respect".

Statistics from the Anti-Bullying Alliance reveal that 40% of children in the UK have suffered some form of bullying within the last year, with the most common experience being name-calling and verbal abuse. While it can have several causes, this kind of behaviour is commonly seen when a disagreement between two youngsters gets out of hand and emotions take over.

Many children are still learning how to conduct themselves, and it can be difficult for them to know how to act when faced with someone who disagrees with them, or otherwise find themselves in conflict with another person. It can also be tricky for parents/carers and educators to teach them how to resolve disputes in a mature and healthy manner. By teaming up with the ABA for Anti-Bullying Week, we (the National College) are bringing you expert advice on encouraging children to choose respect.

Please listen to the podcast (free to access on Spotify) for advice and guidance on supporting your child to choose respect at times of potential conflict.

### [Top Tips for Encouraging Children to Choose Respect](#)

### Please drive and park considerately when dropping off or picking up children

We have had a number of concerned residents contacting us since the start of term to ask that we remind parents/carers about the need to drive and park considerately when dropping off and picking up children. In particular we would ask that you avoid blocking driveways, which may prevent residents from entering or leaving their homes. It has also been noticed that parents/carers are not observing the Keep Clear markings at the main entrance; the area is therefore being patrolled by Arun Parking Enforcement Team because of their concern for pedestrian safety. Many thanks for your consideration.

### Year 11 Mock Exams - 11th to 22nd November

All Year 11 students will be taking a series of Mock Exams between 11th and 22nd November. These will all be within normal school hours and there will be no 'study leave' for these exams. Students will attend their normal timetabled lessons when they are not in exams. The exams are a vital part of their preparations for GCSE and BTEC exams next Summer as they will provide students and staff with a clear idea of where their knowledge is secure and where additional support may be required.

Please support your child by ensuring that they are fully equipped for the exams. They will need:

- At least 2 black ball point pens
- At least 2 pencils and a pencil sharpener
- A ruler
- A scientific calculator
- A protractor and set of compasses
- A clear plastic bag or pencil case to hold their equipment for exams

All students have been provided with a personalised timetable for the mock exams. If there are any issues with their timetable please contact the Exams Officer, Mrs Brown, via [dbrown@theangmeringschool.co.uk](mailto:dbrown@theangmeringschool.co.uk)

## Walking, Talking Mocks (Year 11)

The English, maths and science teams have started to offer an excellent opportunity to Year 11 students after lessons. They are running 'Walk, Talking Mocks' in the main hall. This involves a teacher talking through an exam paper and providing model answers and associated notes. Students follow the teacher (with their own copy of the paper) and can leave with a fully completed 'perfect' paper, alongside their own comments. These are open to all Year 11 students and the schedule has been shared with them all (and can be seen below). Please encourage your children to attend. They are really powerful sessions.

REMAINING YEAR 11 WALKING TALKING MOCK SCHEDULE 2024-25

|         |           |             |  |         |           |          |
|---------|-----------|-------------|--|---------|-----------|----------|
| MATHS   | THURSDAY  | 28 NOVEMBER |  | ENGLISH | WEDNESDAY | 5 MARCH  |
| ENGLISH | WEDNESDAY | 4 DECEMBER  |  | SCIENCE | MONDAY    | 10 MARCH |
| SCIENCE | MONDAY    | 9 DECEMBER  |  | MATHS   | THURSDAY  | 20 MARCH |
| MATHS   | THURSDAY  | 19 DECEMBER |  | ENGLISH | WEDNESDAY | 26 MARCH |
| ENGLISH | WEDNESDAY | 8 JANUARY   |  | SCIENCE | MONDAY    | 31 MARCH |
| MATHS   | THURSDAY  | 16 JANUARY  |  | MATHS   | THURSDAY  | 25 APRIL |
| SCIENCE | MONDAY    | 20 JANUARY  |  | SCIENCE | MONDAY    | 28 APRIL |
| ENGLISH | WEDNESDAY | 29 JANUARY  |  | ENGLISH | WEDNESDAY | 7 MAY    |
| MATHS   | THURSDAY  | 27 FEBRUARY |  |         |           |          |

## Children in Need 2024

Our students went above and beyond by rocking their best "spotty" outfits, showcasing their creativity and spirit for a great cause! Additionally, our bake sale was a massive success, raising an incredible total of £165! Together, we've made a positive impact and helped raise awareness for this important charity. Every little bit counts, and we couldn't be prouder of our wonderful school community!



Thanks for your continued support,



Simon Liley, Headteacher

# Student and Community News

## Year 7 Girls Basketball

A massive congratulations to our Year 7 girls basketball team for an incredible performance in their first league game on November 13th against St Andrews!

After a challenging start where we went three baskets down, the girls quickly turned things around, showing amazing teamwork, skill, and determination. They fought hard and secured a fantastic win with a final score of 38-20! I couldn't be prouder of each and every one of you!

A special shoutout to our Player of the Match, Bella C, as voted by the opposing team. Well done, Bella!

If you're interested in joining the fun, Year 7 girls basketball club meets every Monday from 3:15 to 4:15 PM at the changing rooms. Don't forget, KS3 girls basketball is on Wednesday lunchtimes in the sportshall. We'd love to see more of you there!



## Student Bulletin

Every Monday we send the students a newsletter which includes important weekly events and notices, sports clubs, and celebrates their achievements. Please click here to see this weeks Bulletin.

[Link to The Student Bulletin](#)

## Vacancies

- **No Current Vacancies**

## Diary Dates

- 28/11/2024 LNC Xmas Market
- **29/11/2024 INSET day**
- 04/12/2024 Danceathon
- 10/12/2024 Y7 - 11 Nasal Flu Vaccinations
- 13/12/2024 Christmas Lunch
- **20/12/2024 - 06/01/2025 Christmas Break**
- 09/01/2025 Y11 Consultation Evening
- 22/01/2025 Y9 Consultation Evening
- **27/1/2025 INSET Day**
- 29/01/2025 Y9 Options Evening
- 3/02/2025 - 15/02/2025 Y11 Mock Exams

# Key Contacts for parents/carers

| Key Contact  | Email Addresses  | Phone Numbers                     |
|--|--|-----------------------------------|
| <b>Year 7 Key Contacts</b>                                   |  |                                   |
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# Key Contacts for parents/carers

## Sixth Form Key Contacts

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|------------|---|--|--|
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Absence Reporting Via Text Messaging - 07860054571

[Should my child go to School today?](#)




## Should I keep my child off school?

### Yes

|  | Until...   |
|--|--|
| Chickenpox                                     | at least 5 days from the onset of the rash and until all blisters have crusted over  |
| Diarrhoea and Vomiting                         | 48 hours after their last episode  |
| Cold and Flu-like illness (including COVID-19) | they no longer have a high temperature and feel well enough to attend. Follow the national guidance if they've tested positive for COVID-19. |
| Impetigo                                       | their sores have crusted and healed, or 48 hours after they started antibiotics  |
| Measles  | 4 days after the rash first appeared   |
| Mumps  | 5 days after the swelling started  |
| Scabies  | they've had their first treatment  |
| Scarlet Fever                                  | 24 hours after they started taking antibiotics   |
| Whooping Cough                                 | 48 hours after they started taking antibiotics   |

### No

but make sure you let their school or nursery know about...

|                      |                 |
|----------------------|-----------------|
| Hand, foot and mouth | Glandular fever |
| Head lice            | Tonsillitis     |
| Threadworms          | Slapped cheek   |





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# LNC Christmas Market

Thursday 28th November

4pm - 7pm

Come and join us - Raffle,  
Tombola, Crafts, Jewellery,  
Plants, Sweet Treats, and  
much more!

Refreshments  
available  
including Mulled  
Wine and Hot  
Chocolate

All welcome - cards  
and cash accepted

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