



NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents and Carers,

As we enter into week four of the term, time seems to be quickly flying away; our Year 7 students feel like they have been with us forever and our Year 11 students are having their first assessments. These assessments will help inform our interventions and where we can support our students as much as possible for their final exams.

Our SEND Coffee Morning is an opportunity for families to find out about the range of support we provide at Woodside. Next week promises to be just as busy with both Year 7 and some Year 8 classes out at Tolmers Adventure Centre, for their team building days.

I am also hoping to meet many of you in person for the two key events: Meet the Headteacher and Senior Leadership Team on Wednesday and the Year 7 Meet the Tutors event on Thursday. Communication with families remains a priority for us which is why it was so great to meet with families again at the Year 7 Parent Afternoon Tea. Please see below for the lists of future events and lunchtime clubs

Wishing everyone a happy and safe weekend,

Headteacher
Ms. Wallace

YEAR 7 PARENTS KEY DATES

Dates	Event
Friday 24th September 10 a.m.	SEND Coffee Morning
Wednesday 29th September 5 p.m. - 6 p.m.	Meet the Headteacher and Senior Leadership Team - open to all
Thursday 30th September 8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. 4:30 p.m. - 6 p.m.	Meet the Tutor & Meet the Head

PRAISE POINTS WINNERS

Nihal Singh LOHIA 7T
Nicole MALGORZEWICZ 8T
Nour HASSOUN 9T
Melisa HAS 10Q
Luana CHAVES 11E

School Winner:
Luana CHAVES 11E

MEET THE HEADTEACHER & SENIOR LEADERSHIP TEAM

Wednesday 29th September
5 p.m. - 6 p.m.

YEAR 11 PARENT INFORMATION EVENING

Tuesday 5th October
3:30 p.m. - 5 p.m.

YEAR 6 OPEN EVENING

Wednesday 13th October
5 p.m. - 7 p.m.

YEAR 6 OPEN MORNINGS

Monday 18th October
9 a.m. - 10 a.m.

Tuesday 19th October
9 a.m. - 10 a.m.

Friday 22nd October
9 a.m. - 10 a.m.



MORE TO BE ANNOUNCED

LUNCHTIME

Monday BASKETBALL FOR BOYS (SPORTS HALL)
DRAMA (C008)
GARDENING (ALLOTMENT BEHIND BIRCH)

Monday - CHESS (B201)
Friday MUSIC STUDIO (BY APPOINTMENT ONLY)

Tuesday HISTORY (A103)
KEYBOARD (13:30 - 14:00) (C007)

Wednesday 3D DESIGN CLUB (KS3 ONLY) (A006)
"A QUIET PLACE" (READING/DRAWING) (B012)
ART (YEARS 7 & 8) (C109)
FILM (C004)

Wednesday MFL FILM CLUB (B001)
week 2

Thursday ART [GCSE] (YEAR 11)
CHOIR
BASKETBALL FOR GIRLS
POLICE CADETS KS3 (B110)
YEAR 7 AND YEAR 8 SCIENCE CLUB (B202)

Thursday YEAR 11 MATHS CATCH UP (B101)
week 2

Friday ART [GCSE] (YEAR 11) (C109)
ELECTRONICS (C105)
VE (VEGAN & VEGETARIAN)(C110)

Friday MFL FILM CLUB (B001)
Week 1

AFTERSCHOOL

HOMEWORK CLUB (A007)
TURKISH GCSE (B112)
BASKETBALL FOR GIRLS (SPORTS HALL)
JIU-JITSU FOR KS3 ONLY (SPORTS HALL)

HOMEWORK CLUB (A007)
FOOTBALL YEARS 8 & 9 BOYS (SPORTS HALL)
NETBALL
FOOTBALL YEAR 7 (SPORTS HALL)
TABLE TENNIS (SPORTS HALL)
TRAMPOLINE FOR KS3 (SPORTS HALL)

DJ CLUB (3.30 - 4.30) (THE LAUREL)
HOMEWORK CLUB (A007)
JIU-JITSU FOR KS4 ONLY (C004)
RUGBY FOR KS3 (SPORTS HALL)
DANCE (SPORTS HALL)

HOMEWORK CLUB - Y10 & Y11 (LIBRARY)
BASKETBALL FOR BOYS (SPORTS HALL)

FOOTBALL FOR GIRLS KS3 (SPORTS HALL)
FOOTBALL FOR BOYS KS4 (SPORTS HALL)

Bringing equality of educational experience to every student, enabling them to achieve their full potential.



OPEN EVENING

Wed 13th Oct 5 p.m. - 7 p.m.
No booking required

020 8889 6761
mail@woodsidehighschool.co.uk

White Hart Lane,
Wood Green, N22 5QJ



MEET THE HEAD & SENIOR LEADERSHIP TEAM

29TH SEPT
(5 P.M. - 6 P.M.)

LAE TOTTENHAM OUTREACH PROGRAMME, CHRYSALIS EAST

Careers Insight Evening | 29th September 6-8pm

London Academy of Excellence Tottenham and the Joshua Dorgu Foundation are putting on a virtual 'Careers Insight Evening'.

Featuring a range of exciting speakers, the event is an opportunity to broaden your understanding of careers and career journeys. You will hear from professionals in industries including media, consulting, construction, marketing, engineering, and aviation.

This is a virtual event that year 10 and 11 students and their families are welcome to sign up for: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/careers-insight-evening-tickets-172208318717?aff=ebdsoporgprofile>

Academic programmes

Year 11 brain project for your top 6 biologists

7 week after school programme starts 3rd October, students need to come to LAET Please contact Pamela.tipchu@laetottenham.ac.uk to sign up your students

Two year 11 English projects in October for 6 weeks. One for students at grade 7-9 (at LAET), one for students at grade 5-6 (in your school).

PLUS: KS3 book clubs; Creativity Unleashed young writers platform; drama and theatre projects.

Please contact camilla.stanger@laetottenham to book student places or chat about English opportunities

For parents

Understanding adolescent mental health, hosted virtually by London Academy of Excellence, Tottenham, a really helpful talk by LAET's mental health lead and qualified psychotherapist, Paul Spraggs. Designed to help parents categorise the various mental concerns their child may face, with strategies for supporting with compassion and encouraging resilience.

This event is open to everyone in the Tottenham community.

https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/understanding-adolescent-mental-health-tickets-170172710157?keep_tld=1

Ms. Wallace

PRIMARY SCHOOL VISITS

This week, myself and the primary transition team had the privilege to visit some of our local primary schools: Devonshire, Belmont and Earlham, to talk about Woodside and our forthcoming Open Evening. We were incredibly impressed by the work of our primary colleagues and the maturity and great questions asked by the Year 6 students. If you have children in Year 6 of friends and family, do encourage them to join us on the 13th October at our Open Evening.

Ms. Wallace



CAREERS FAIR - 21ST OCT

Every year, our Careers Fair welcome a variety of schools and colleges, to give our Year 10s and 11s an opportunity to explore the different paths which they can take once they complete their journey with us.

This year, our Careers Fair will take place on Thursday 21st October between 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. We'd also like to invite parents and carers.

Our students will be able to speak with representatives and ambassadors from more than 30 local Sixth Form, Colleges, Universities and apprenticeship providers, allowing them to make an informed decision on what they want to do next.

For more information regarding this event, please email: nurcan.irencin@woodsidehighschool.co.uk

Ms. Irencin

WESTMINSTER CATHEDRAL VISIT

On Tuesday 21 September the Year 10 GCSE RE students visited Westminster Cathedral as part of their course. They sat and listened to a Catholic mass and then took a tour of the cathedral. The students found the trip very useful as part of their studies. The priest and church warden both commented how well the students behaved.

Mr. Davis

STEM AND MEDICINE CAREER EXPERIENCES

This term, Investin is offering students aged 12-18 immersive weekend experiences in 13 different STEM and Medicine-related careers. Learn from top doctors, engineers, psychologists, investment bankers and more. Students can attend in-person at UCL or online. Other options include the Universities of Bristol, Birmingham, Manchester and Edinburgh.

We expect to be fully-booked for many of these programmes by September 30th. Students can click on any career below to see full details and register now.

Medicine - <https://investin.org/pages/medicine>

Engineering - <https://investin.org/pages/engineering>

Psychology - <https://investin.org/pages/psychology>

Investment-banking

- <https://investin.org/pages/investment-banking>

All Stem - <https://investin.org/pages/choose-your-career?filter=stem>

BLACK HISTORY MONTH

We will be running a series of events and curriculum lessons to celebrate Black History Month. Assemblies, talks and an after school celebration event will run throughout the month, if you are interested or know someone who may be able to speak at an event, please could you email judy.barton@woodsidehighschool.co.uk

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BLACK HISTORY MONTH EVENTS IN THE AREA

Exhibition: Windrush Legends and Legacies - The Dyke and Dryden Story

Dates: please check with the museum

Venue: Bruce Castle Museum, Lordship Lane, N17 8NU

Exhibition: Changemakers

Dates: please check with the museum

Venue: Bruce Castle Museum, Lordship Lane, N17 8NU

Exhibition: We Have Always Been Here

Dates: please check with the museum

Venue: Bruce Castle Museum, Lordship Lane, N17 8NU

Booking is essential

Haringey Creates: Diversifying the Creative Curriculum

Date: Monday 13 September 2021, 4pm-5.30pm

Venue: Online via Zoom (external link)

To register your interest, please contact:

Navodha.jayawardena@haringeyeducationpartnership.co.uk

Ms. Wallace

PE CLUBS

All our clubs have started and we are delighted to see so many students take part. Here are some photos of them in action.

PE Department



BOOK REVIEWS



EAGLE STRIKE

Review Author

Marcu G

Rating



Review Body

The book is very good and full of lots of vocabulary, it is about a boy named Alex rider who is 14

and takes down a multi-billionaire and Russian Queen in the first 50 chapters



Running on empty

Review Author

Cianna K

Rating



Review Body

This book was amazing and always kept me interested. It included real life problems that many people and family's go through which could be comforting to other people.

On the other hand it was really captivating and was a fun book with challenges.



The curious incident of the dog in the night-time

Review Author

Carrice B

Rating



Review Body

It is very interesting, and you get to understand all about autism. I would really recommend this book to others.