



# NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents and Carers,

It feels a little more like spring is in the air this week. Students in Year 11 have been busy preparing for their mock examinations which will take place next week and we extend our best wishes and good luck to them all.

On Tuesday, it was International Women's Day and students have been learning about the achievements of women across the world. The Equalities Group have been hard at work in the promotion of this. At Woodside, we are passionate about empowering young women through education and giving them a meaningful voice. We extend pride and celebration to the work they do every day.

Over 60 students in Year 10 enjoyed a trip to the Globe Theatre to see An Inspector Calls earlier this week. Students were so impeccably behaved that the school has been selected to return for a workshop.

Finally we are wishing to hold an International Evening to celebrate the diversity and mutual respect of our diverse community in Woodside. This will be an after school event on Monday 28th March and we would welcome any families who would like to be involved. If you are interested, please email: [alfie.chan@woodsidehighschool.co.uk](mailto:alfie.chan@woodsidehighschool.co.uk).

We look forward to seeing you there.

## A MESSAGE FROM THE MET POLICE - WALK & TALK INITIATIVE

This is an initiative that was launched earlier this week in Haringey as part of their violence against women and girls action plan. This is an important piece of work where we will be inviting women and girls to tell us what they think needs to change and how they feel we can improve safety in Haringey.

The Walk and Talk initiative involves female officers buddying up with women from their communities to go out on patrol in open spaces so that they can hear first-hand their experiences, concerns and reflections. The aim of the walkabout is to start a conversation between the public and officers about their safety concerns and what police can do, working with partners, to address them.

The initiative was first piloted in Southwark, where it was very well received. For those interested, please register via the link below. An officer will then make contact and arrange a time and date that suits.

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/metropolitan-police-in-haringey-borough-42690545523>

All the best for the weekend.

Angela Wallace  
Headteacher

## PRAISE POINTS WINNERS

Samad ABDUS 7E  
Samarah AHMED 8T  
Clara MACKS 9Q, Khadidiatou  
THIAM 9E  
Tuana KOM 10U, Damyanka  
RANGELOVA 10Q  
Aayah ABUBAKAR 11Q

**School Winner:**  
Samarah AHMED 8T

## SOCIAL MEDIA



@woodsidehighsch

## RSHE FOCUS

The impact of stereotyping, prejudice and discrimination on individuals and relationships.

## KEY DATES

**International Evening**  
Monday 28th March

**Year 6 Easter School**  
Wednesday 6th April

**Year 7 Parents and Carers' Evening**  
Thursday 21st April

**Year 11 Helping my son/daughter prepare for their exams and mock examination results evening**  
Wednesday 27th April

## 100% ATTENDANCE (06/09/2021 TO 04/03/2022)

Congratulations to the following students who have achieved 100% attendance since September. Attendance is a significant determining factor to attainment outcomes and GCSE grades. Students with no absences are 2.2 times more likely to achieve 5+ GCSEs 9 - 4 or equivalent.\*

ABDI, Adam Azdine	DONOGHUE, Avah	LUCENA, Helena	RAHMAN, Rafi
ABDULLAHI, Hannah	EMINOV, Atalay	MACKS, Clara	RAHMAN, Sheikh Mahir
ABOAGYE, Kieran	FANG, Selena	MALANCA, Mihaela	RASHID, Ibrahim
ADA EBANG, Marcos	FERDAUS, Zannatul	MALIQLI, Marsilda	REID, Cyrus
AFRIYIE, Charlize	FRANCIS, Aleiya	MATADI, Aliya	REKAJ, Alma
AGBOGBO, Tomisin	FREMPONG, Marvin	MAVROVA, Kristen	RIMINGTON, Finn
AHMED, Hanan	GEORGIU, Sasha	MBALA, Grace	ROBERTS, Jahmario
AHMED, Nadiira	GLOGOWSKA, Vanessa	MBUYAMBA, Dan	SAMUDA, Shannye
AKTAR, Rahela	GONPOT, Max	MEHTA, Rhea	SANCI, Asel Meva
AL-HAJ, Ayman	GORDON-GRAY, Juel	MEKAOWULU, Chikaodili	SANYANG, Jama
ALI, Ayanle	GUAN, Darren	MIAH, Imani	SATTARI, Waiss
ALI, Nadir	GUO, Una	MILOSIERNY, Dawid	SIMMS, Joel
ALI, Najah	HALLA, Salih	MIZANUR, Mohammad	SIOW, Nathan
ALLALOU, Yasmin	HAMILTON, Andre	MOHAMED, Abdulkadir	SOLEDAD, Erica Jane
AMINUR, Mohammad	HARRISON, Tamiyah	MOHAMED, Omar	SOUTO, Vitoria
ANNAN, Benjamin James	HASSAN, Ali	MOHAMED, Osman	SOW BA, Diara
BADEA, Alessia	IBRAHIM, Abdirahman	MOHAMED MOHINUDEEN, Mohamed Saad	STEVENSON, Jasmine
BALDI FIORELLO, Francesca	ILMI, Marwan	MOHAMMED, Zak	STEVENSON, Sapphire
BARA, Sofi	ISLAM, Yusuf	MONTEIRO, Clive-Maxwell	STIRLING, Jeanae
BEALING, Nico	JABBIE, Abdou	MORILLO CARBONELL, Ainhoa	STYLIANOU, Helen
BENAOUDA, Serine	JALLOH, Mimuna	MYUMYUN, Gyulnur	SULEYMAN, Corey
BENSON, Timothy	JARMON-JAMES, Pharrell	NAIR, Nandana	SYED, Zaheer
BODA, Jamie	JONES, Aaron	NANAJ, Orion	TASYURDU, Zilan
BORA, Euphraim	KABONGO, Abigail	NUTAJ, Erzana	THIAM, Khadidiatou
CARBONELL, Saul	KAHVECIOGLU, Selin	OSEI AFRIYIE, Tehillah	TILKIDAG, Arjin
CHARLERY, Noah	KAKANDE, Ambreen	OYENIYI-RAIMI, Ameerah	TSARKA, Christiana
CHEN, Berlin	KALAM, Mahee	OZKAYA, Dilara	WALLACE, Rokayla
CHEN, Zhi	KARDO, Ali	OZPOLAT, Arif	WALMSLEY, Tristan
CHIKRI, Sophia	KHAN, Aziza	PANCHAL, Aditya	WAPPLES, Ruben
CHRISTIE, Jada Lee	KHAN, Shafin	PATEL, Aryan	WEN, Yiliang
CIKU, Albi	KHANOM, Sadika	PATEL, Kishen	WILLIAMS, Nathan
CIRSTEA, Gabriel	KILINC, Baran	POKU, Muiiris	WILLIAMS AWONIYI, Cianna
CORPUZ, Kai	KIYAKOV, Boyko	POPOWICZ, Oliwia	WINT, Shaddai
DALE, Leona	KUNDURU, Havin	PROUT, Melodee	XU, Xiong Xin
DANISAN, Onur	LAURENCE, Charles	RAFIQ, Bana	ZBOROWSKI, Oliwier
DEMIRBAS, Nisa	LLESHI, Shuajb	RAHMAN, Ayman	ZENGI, Guler
DI NATALE, Elena	LLUPO, Eva	RAHMAN, Maliha	ZENGI, Ismail
DOBBS-NILES, Kyia	LUCENA, Gabriela		ZUMERIS, Freya

\*Department for Education - [The link between absence and attainment at KS2 and KS4 Research Report 2015](#)

### THE SITUATION IN UKRAINE

We continue to extend our thoughts and love to all those suffering in conflict around the world. If your child has questions about the recent issues in Ukraine, please see the link below on some useful tips.

<https://www.youngminds.org.uk/parent/blog/top-tips-for-talking-to-your-young-person-about-the-events-in-ukraine/>

Ms Wallace

### NEW YEAR 7S

If you have a child in Year 6 they will find out their school places next week. We really hope they are joining us at Woodside.

We will be holding an Easter Holiday Fun Day for these students for them to get their first taste of life at Woodside.

Ms Wallace

# Eedi

## FREE WEBINAR - TIPS AND TECHNIQUES FOR REDUCING STRESS AND PERFORMING AT YOUR BEST

In this interactive session, you'll learn how to make a revision plan, revision strategies, increase motivation and methods to reduce anxiety.

The session will be recorded so you can join in live and then share it with others at a later time.

The free webinar takes place on **Monday 14th March at 8pm.**

Sign up here:

[https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_2IAGm\\_ALRxKGMcxnM7cQLQ](https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_2IAGm_ALRxKGMcxnM7cQLQ)

Ms Begam

## DRAMA REWARD THEATRE

Please lookout for the following flyers in your young person's bags. If they have received one of these flyers it means they've been working really hard in drama, and have been invited to a viewing of theatre in the hall at school.

We will be watching Stunted Trees and Broken Bridges which is performed by a physical theatre group, called theatre of debate. the performance will last about an hour, and they should be out of school by 4:30 p.m.

Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs Birks (Head of Drama)



## INFORMATION SHARING SESSIONS FOR PARENTS OF CHILDREN WITH SEND IN MAINSTREAM SCHOOLS

Haringey SEND Parent Carer Forum and SENDIASS are holding information sharing sessions for parents of children with SEND in mainstream schools.

Come along and find out about new guidance for mainstream schools regarding meeting the needs of children with SEND, as well as learning about schools' duties and parents' rights.

The daytime and evening sessions will cover the same topics – you only need to book on to one of the sessions.

[Daytime session link](#)

[Evening session link](#)

**Ellika McAuley, SEND Adviser from Haringey Council** will talk about the new guidance for schools:

- SEND Core Standards – an online resource which sets out the expectations for the quality of provision for children with SEND in Mainstream schools
- SEND Support Guide – a document for class teachers and SENDCos to use as a quick reference for identifying and effectively meeting the needs of children and young people who are receiving SEND support.

**Sarah Miller and Harriet Lewis from SENDIASS** will talk about parents' and children's rights in relation to mainstream education

- The requirements of mainstream schools to provide SEN Support to children without an EHC Plan - what the SEND Code of Practice says
- The graduated approach, and the 'assess, plan, do, review' cycle, and how parents can engage in this
- The specifics of the law around parents' right to choose mainstream education, and the (limited) exceptions to this right
- What steps parents can take if the legal obligations described above are not being met

All parents/carers who attend will receive a voucher as a thank you.

SEN Department

## WORLD BOOK DAY BINGO

The winner of our World Book Day Bingo was randomly selected by Mr Whitehead and our winner is... Alfie L (9Y).

Well done to Alfie, I hope you enjoy your £20 Amazon voucher.

Ms Blackwell



# INTERNATIONAL MATHS DAY

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### MATHEMATICS UNITES PHOTO CHALLENGE



The theme for the 2022 International Day of Mathematics is Mathematics Unites. Let's connect through this year's challenge: **photos with mathematics!**

Take a picture of **yourself** (you can team up with your class, friends, family, pets, neighbors) with a **mathematical thing**:

- A mathematical object you built,
- ... or drew,
- ... or formed using people's bodies.
- Or maybe there's a very mathematical building or bridge in your city,
- ... or a statue of a famous mathematician.
- Mathematics is everywhere, but sometimes it's hiding, so you can also reveal it in some way.

Remember that **mathematics is much more than numbers!**

- Geometrical shapes,
- patterns or sequences,
- formulas,
- tessellations,
- fractals,
- and many other things!



**CELEBRATE INTERNATIONAL MATHS DAY BY  
COMING TO MATHEMATICAL CARD CLUB  
EVERY Wednesday Lunch Time  
1.25pm-2pm  
B106 with Mr Demir**

WE STAND WITH  
UKRAINE.

## UKRAINE SOLIDARITY CAMPAIGN

The award-winning Equality Group will be running a solidarity campaign for Ukraine over the next couple weeks to ensure Woodside is taking action to support those in need.

This will include:

1. Collecting supplies (sanitary products, cereal bars, dried food) that have been requested by Ukrainian groups that are delivering supplies into the country.
2. Sessions where students can write to MPs/councillors to ask them to support Ukrainian refugees.

Any support will make a huge difference to those in need.

**Equality Group**



**Bedrock Drop In**  
**B114**  
**Tuesday and Thursday**  
**Lunch times**

# Imperial College London

## YEAR 9 GIRLS ENGINEERING SUMMER SCHOOL

This non-residential summer school will go through a breadth of engineering disciplines through fun interactive projects and activities.

### What to expect

Students will work in groups within each engineering themed session as they explore some of the following engineering disciplines available at Imperial:

- Aeronautical Engineering
- Bio-engineering
- Chemical Engineering
- Civil Engineering
- Computing
- Design Engineering
- Earth Sciences Engineering
- Electrical and Electronic Engineering
- Materials Engineering
- Mechanical Engineering

The course is non-residential and will give students an insight into university life. Students will be part of a small cohort and will have the opportunity to build links with fellow participants through the summer school. At the end of the week there will be a showcase where each group will present an engineering concept they learned during the week to their peers, leaders, family, friends and invited guests.

Find out more here: <https://www.imperial.ac.uk/be-inspired/schools-outreach/secondary-schools/summer-schools/girls-engineering-summer-school/>

**Careers Office**

# BOOK REVIEWS



## BEAST QUEST: FERNO THE FIRE DRAGON

**Review Author**

Rayyan C

**Rating**



**Review Body**

This book is about a boy named Tom that went on an adventure to try and find the emerald dragon egg. Tom had a lot of difficulties of getting it for example Tom had to get across the woods and the guard stopped him so he then tried to find another way of getting it. I would



## Forever geek

**Review Author**

Ameerah O

**Rating**



**Review Body**

The epic series finale of Holly Smale was definitely one of her best! The main character, Harriet Manners, goes on an epic journey of a lifetime and finds out that she does need to hold on to the people she loves to tightly because they always come back to you. She learns a valuable lesson which is one she will never forget. I would definitely recommend you read this book.



## THE HOUSE WITH CHICKEN LEGS

**Review Author**

Rana A

**Rating**



**Review Body**

This is a book with a good balance of positives and negatives. I like the overall story and the changes to some of the common fairy-tale elements in this story in comparison to the books with those same elements. And I do really like the moral of appreciating the life you have even with the negatives and no matter the size. However, there are times when I found the main character to grate on me slightly with how stubborn she can be. This is unfortunately a pretty major flaw and could really tarnish the enjoyment you'll have with this book, but I don't see why you shouldn't give it a chance. Make sure you read this book.

Dear Colleagues

10<sup>th</sup> March 2021

We would like to inform you that – as part of Haringey Council's exciting Holiday Activity and Food (HAF) Programme – children eligible to receive Free School Meals (FSMs) will be able to access several free holiday camps during the Easter school holiday.

We all know the value and benefits of providing enriching activities for our young people. It is an opportunity for them to learn and socialise but also an important source of childcare, and a point of contact for children and families during this holiday period.

To help families access these activities we have again partnered with Evouchers (on the Wonde platform) to generate and distribute HAF vouchers to all families eligible for free school meals, including children eligible for the extended Haringey FSM expansion programme.

We appreciate that school life is busy and do not mean to create extra work, however we ask for your help with distributing these HAF vouchers to all your families registered for FSM, including those identified by the FSM expansion policy. The HAF vouchers will go live on Monday 14<sup>th</sup> March, please note that spaces are limited therefore we encourage families to book a space asap.

## How it works

### **Option A: Schools currently using Evoucher by Wonde for their free school meal vouchers**

The HAF vouchers ordering process is like ordering FSM vouchers through the Wonder Evouchers platform.

- Sign into Evouchers
- Order HAF vouchers through the Evouchers platform
- When selecting the voucher type, please select **Haringey HAF Vouchers**
- At the checkout, select **Haringey HAF Vouchers** from the **who is paying for this invoice** dropdown
- Send vouchers as normal to eligible FSM parents
- HAF vouchers go live on Monday 14<sup>th</sup> March (ideally would like for all schools to send out HAF vouchers on the same day to make the booking process as fair as possible to families).

### **Option B: School not registered to Evouchers by Wonde**

- The Evouchers team will be in touch shortly to give further instructions to explain how to order HAF vouchers through the Evouchers platform
- HAF voucher will be sent to parent using your MIS data (or upload a .csv file)
- Then parents can book their children directly onto a HAF activity



*Example of the HAF voucher that will be sent to parents.*

Once vouchers have been received, parents can book their children on to activities for the Easter holiday.

If you have any questions, please contact the E-voucher support team, or access the help resources available:

Join a Webinar [here](#)

Email: [support@evouchers.com](mailto:support@evouchers.com)

Help centre: <https://help.evouchers.com>

Website: [www.evouchers.com](http://www.evouchers.com)

Thank you for your continued support with this programme. If you have any general queries regarding the HAF Programme or would like to arrange a direct referral for any key students that you feel would need a little more support in signing up. Then please do not hesitate to email: [hafprogramme@haringey.gov.uk](mailto:hafprogramme@haringey.gov.uk) or call 020 8489 4629.

Promotion leaflets will be sent out next week alongside the main holiday community booklet giving details on all activities available during the Easter holiday.

For more information on the HAF Programme and to book a place visit [www.haringey.gov.uk/haf](http://www.haringey.gov.uk/haf).

Yours sincerely,

Erica Owusu-Boateng  
Holiday Activity and Food Programme Manager

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