



# NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Happy Friday, I hope this week's newsletter finds you all well.

It's been a busy week for students and staff. On Friday students marked Remembrance Day with a two minute silence, students have also been exploring and remembering through assemblies and lesson. Our thoughts are with those who have experienced conflict in the past and continue to experience conflict today.

On Thursday, a selection of Year 8 students went on a trip to develop their language skills by visiting the Spanish Film Festival in Stratford.

Next week is Anti-Bullying Week, we will be looking as a school at our systems and structures ; students will be looking at the role of bystanders, a return to our Hands Off policy and how to report concerns. There will be surveys, focus groups, surveys, competitions and assemblies and tutor times to support.

Although it is only November, please see below for our program for the Christmas period with lots to look forward to including our Winter Concert, tickets are free but please do book online. We will also be starting our own Food Bank appeal.

Count down to mocks - one week. Please remember that there are Saturday revision sessions for students in Year 11, please speak to your HOY for details. The library is open at lunch and before school and there are a host of lunch sessions as well as period 6. Please encourage and support your KS4 students in their revision TT.

Have a great weekend.

**Angela Wallace**  
Headteacher

## ANTI-BULLYING WORKING PARTY

We have been working on our Anti-Bullying Policy this month and we would like to invite parents and carers to join our working party. If you are interested, please email: [alfie.chan@woodsidehighschool.co.uk](mailto:alfie.chan@woodsidehighschool.co.uk)

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**School Photo - Year 7 and 10**  
14/11/2022

**SEN Coffee Morning**  
07/12/2022

**Year 9 Parents and Carers' Evening**  
07/12/2022

## PRAISE POINTS WINNERS

Kyrie MORRIS 7E  
Keriman SALIM 8T  
Deniz OSMAN 9T  
Nerida SIGCHA GARCIA 10Y  
Bradley PEMBELE 11I

**School Winner:**  
Nerida SIGCHA GARCIA 10Y

## NEXT WEEK IS WEEK 2

## SOCIAL MEDIA



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## MY ED APP

If you haven't got the MyEd app, you can scan the QR code below to download the app.



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HIGH SCHOOL

# Winter Celebration

Food Bank Appeal - 2nd December  
Equalities Group Bake Sale - 5th - 16th December  
Christmas Jumper Day - 9th December  
Winter Celebration Evening - 13th December  
Christmas Dinner - 15th December  
Christmas Dinner Baskets with Basket Brigade UK  
- 23rd December





## PIXL EDGE FOR YEAR 7 AND 8

This half term we are introducing Pixl Edge to the Year 7 and 8 tutorial curriculum.

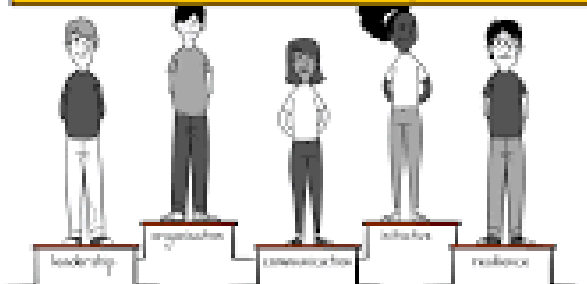
Each half term students will work to complete and evidence 2 tasks relating to their character curriculum focus for that unit: leadership, organisation, resilience, initiative and communication (LORIC). These attributes have been identified as desirable qualities for the workplace in addition to developing attributes essential for success in and out of school, now and forever.

Students will identify tasks which most appeal to them and complete during school. For instance, in order to complete accreditation of the Leadership unit, a student may undertake the role of library assistant or set up and conduct an experiment in a science lesson.

The aim of introducing this at Woodside is to further develop pupils as 'whole' students whilst providing them with a well recognised accreditation.

Ms Pryor

### Supporting your child with the PiXL Edge



**INTELLIGENCE PLUS CHARACTER- THAT IS THE GOAL OF TRUE EDUCATION.**  
-Martin Luther King, Jr.

**Challenge yourself...**  
Get rewarded!

**Join the lunchtime CHOIR in C006 every Wednesday!**



## MathsWatch

### LUNCH TIME B112 MATHSWATCH CLUB

Do you need help with your Mathswatch homework or somewhere quiet to work? Come to B112 on the following days.

**Week 1**  
Wednesday Lunch - Mr Asaffo

**Week 2**  
Thursday Lunch - Mr Twumasi

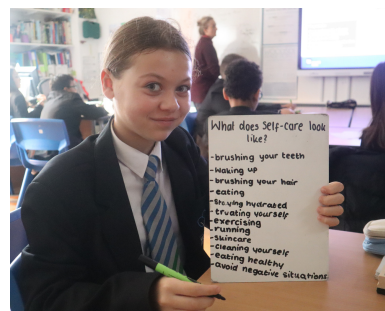
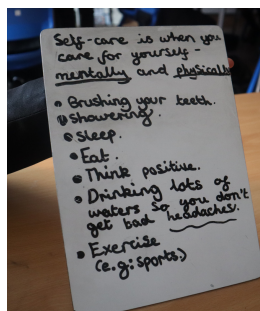


## PRAISE BREAKFAST

Well done to everyone who joined Ms Wallace for PRAISE Breakfast this morning.

Keep up the good work!

Mr Chan



## WHAT IS SELF-CARE?

This week, Year 7 students have been learning about self-care during form time.

Self-care is something we should practice every day, by doing so, we are able to work towards improved overall health and wellness, something that is vital in this day and age.

Students were also taught how to create a self-care journal to encourage daily practice.

Mr Chan



## GIRLS FOOTBALL - WOODSIDE VS HEARTLANDS

On Tuesday evening, Woodside girls from Year 7 and 8 went head-to-head in an epic football match against Heartlands, which ended in a 1-1 draw.

Throughout the game, our skillful goalkeeper Selena managed to block some difficult shots with the help of some consummate defenders and was awarded player of the match!

Despite being behind for most of the game, we kept going and managed to score a goal in the last few minutes of the game thanks to Kiara Thanj.

Overall, everyone that participated showed great determination and effort that any footballer would exhibit.

Although Heartlands were power hungry for the ball and demonstrated exceptional courage, our team showed strength in their ability to control and manage the ball as well as supporting each other.

Overall, everyone that took part in the game should be extremely proud of what we have achieved! Well done girls!

Girls who participated were:

Anaya 8	Kiara 8
Destiny 8	Mawada 8
Havin 8	Kiara 8
Selena 8	Kaliyah 8
Sana 8	Eda 7
Keanna 8	Taylor 7

**Destiny B (8Y)**

## THANK YOU TO RESTORE THE MUSIC UK!

The Music Elective have been learning new skills on the Guitar thanks to the funding from Restore The Music UK. Our new guitar teacher Mr J. Armer and Mrs Danso has launched a beginner Guitar programme for our Year 9 Elective musicians. They are currently learning how to play a range of genres from Reggae to Blues music as an ensemble every Monday after school.

Also we would like to welcome another new Guitar teacher - Mr D. Ibarra to the Woodside team.



We have also launched African Drumming with Mr James every Tuesday lunchtime.



Here is a quote from Polly Moore (CEO of RTM UK) "MUSIC IS A SUPER POWER. OUR JOB IS TO MAKE THAT POWER ACCESSIBLE BY EVERY CHILD ACROSS THE UK."

So remember - take part in our music clubs at Woodside!

Monday - Music Technology Club (C006)

Tuesday - African Drumming (C006) and Steel Pans (on the stage in the main hall)

Wednesday - Choir (C007)

Thursday - School Band (C006)

**Ms Danso**



## Year 11 November 2022 Exam timetable

Week 1 beginning Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> November 2022			
Date	Morning examinations (8.40am)	Mid-Morning examinations (11.30am)	Afternoon examinations (2.10pm)
Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> November	Maths paper 1 (229) 1hr 30m	French Listening and reading (42) F: Listening 35m / Reading 45m H: Listening 45m / Reading 1hr	Spanish Listening and reading (37) F: Listening 35m / Reading 45m H: Listening 45m / Reading 1hr
Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> November	English Language (229) 1hr 45m		Religious Studies (33) 1hr 45m Sports Hall Statistics paper 1 (6) Sports Hall GCSE Music listening (11) 1hr 30m A112
Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> November	Combined Science Biology (211) 1hr 10m Separate Science Biology (18) 1hr 45m		Sociology (60) 1hr 45m Film Studies paper 1 (12) 1hr 30m Portuguese writing (2) 1hr 20m
Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> November	English Literature (229) 1hr 45m	History paper 1 Crime (121) 1hr 15m	Geography (106) 1hr 20m
Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> November	Combined Science Chemistry (211) 1hr 10m Separate Science Chemistry (18) 1hr 45m		Design Technology (63) and Further Maths paper 1 (3) 1hr 45m Statistics paper 2 (6) 1hr 30m
Week 2 beginning Monday 28 <sup>th</sup> November 2022			
	Morning examinations (8.40am)		Afternoon examinations (2.10pm)
Monday 28 <sup>th</sup> November	Maths paper 2 (229) 1hr 30m		Computer Science paper 1 (52) 1hr 30m Turkish (31), Mandarin (3), Urdu (1), Arabic (2) writing 1hr 25m
Tuesday 29 <sup>th</sup> November	Combined Science Physics (211) 1hr 10m Separate Science Physics (18) 1hr 45m		Drama written paper (8) and Film Studies paper 2 (12) 1hr 30m Food and Nutrition (21) Further Maths paper 2 (3) 1hr 45m
Wednesday 30 <sup>th</sup> November	Maths paper 3 (229) 1hr 30m		French and Spanish writing (85) Foundation: 1hr 15m French, Spanish, Polish and Panjabi writing Higher: 1hr 20m Persian (2) and Greek (1) writing higher: 1hr 25m
		11.30am – 3.10pm BTEC Music (12)/GCSE Music (4) solo performance	
Thursday 1 <sup>st</sup> December	Citizenship 1hour 45minutes (54)		Business (114) and Enterprise (17) 1hr 30m
Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> December	Computer Science paper 2 (52) 1hour 30minutes		History paper 2 Germany (121) 1hr 20m

## Year 11 November 2022 Exam timetable

Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> December Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> December	French Speaking	Invigilator: Ms Stevens Examiner: Ms Thom/Ms <u>Ogunseitan</u> Room:
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> December Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> December	Spanish Speaking	Invigilator: Ms Stevens Examiner: Ms Thom/Mr Miranda Room:

### Notes

- Morning exams start at 8.40am. Mid-morning exams start at 11.30am. Afternoon exams start at 2.10pm
- You **MUST** be on time for all your exams. If you are late the awarding body will be notified and they may not accept your work for marking
- If you are sick on the day of an exam, you **MUST** contact the school as soon as possible
- You **MUST** be in **FULL SCHOOL UNIFORM** for ALL your exams
- Mobile phones, watches earpods are to be handed to an invigilator **before** students enter the exam room
- Water may be brought in, however labels **MUST BE REMOVED** and given to an invigilator. Food and fizzy drinks are not permitted
- Paper/notes etc must be removed from pockets and placed in bags or on the floor
- Refer to the exam noticeboard for up-to-date exam information and familiarise yourself with the **notice to candidate's poster** displayed in the cedar link area.
- Failure to follow the rules of the exam room can lead to **DISQUALIFICATION!**

# Bishop Douglass Sixth Form



Join us for our Sixth Form  
Open Event: Wednesday  
16th November,  
4.30pm.



Broadening horizons, shaping futures

Step into the next stage of your educational  
journey at Bishop Douglass Sixth Form



Scan here to  
see our full  
subject offer

### A unique Sixth Form experience

Follow your passions and interests with invaluable experiences for personal growth, cultural enhancement, community involvement and leadership development. With learning experiences that extend beyond the classroom, here are some examples of what we have on offer:

### Preparing students for the world of work

You will receive exemplary careers and higher education advice through a dedicated careers advisor who will arrange workshops, seminars, speakers, Careers Week and events for you and your parents.

### University pathway

We offer personalised support in selecting degree programmes, at the broadest range of UK universities, and completing your UCAS application. In addition, we have various visits, day experiences, including university visits and guest speakers from institutions held at Bishop Douglass, and summer placements on offer alongside interview and exam preparation for those wishing to apply to Oxbridge or Medicine.

### Essential skills

Nurturing your ambition, boosting resilience, developing leadership and team building skills will ensure that your personal development and wellbeing are a priority. We will concentrate on developing your self-confidence, community awareness, self-esteem and transferable skills as part of building your portfolio of work and personal life attributes.



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**Outstanding Curriculum**  
**Outstanding Support**  
**Outstanding Progress**

Alexandra Park



**Are you a student wanting to continue your studies in Sixth Form?**

## Open Evening

24th November 2022

6-8pm

**Further information, including a prospectus, course description booklet and application portal can be found at:**



### The Sixth Form has

- Specialist facilities in a stunning new building
- Outstanding staff
- Excellent study areas
- A structured and supportive learning environment
- High expectations & excellent results
- Strong partnership with parents
- Over 30 different A level or Vocational courses

### Outstanding Progress

- 42% of A levels at A\* / A
- 67% of A levels at A\*-B
- 88% of A levels at A\* / C
- 65% of students progress onto 'top-third' universities
- Rated consistently as being in the top 5% of Sixth Forms in the country

**"The sixth form is outstanding" (Ofsted Nov 2011)**

If you have any questions please contact the Sixth Form Office on 020 8826 4921 or email [jhunt@alexandrpark.school](mailto:jhunt@alexandrpark.school)



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**4th November-9th December '22**  
**FRIDAYS 11-14 YRS 4-6PM/15-18YRS 6-8PM**

# "Get Cheffing"



Learn new cooking & business skills

**YOUNG PEOPLE CAN SIGN UP TO THE OFFICIAL "GET CHEFFING" PROGRAM LEARNING COOKING AND CATERING BUSINESS SKILLS LEADING TO FOOD HYGIENE CERTIFICATE**

"Eat Wood Green" introduces local chef and entrepreneur

"Decibel" who will be cooking:

Week 1: *Stir fry veg noodles and Korean style hot wings*

**AT:**

**RISING GREEN YOUTH HUB**  
**UNIT 2 LYMINGTON AVENUE**  
**NOEL PARK, N22 6JA**

**FREE FOOD**  
**ZERO COST**

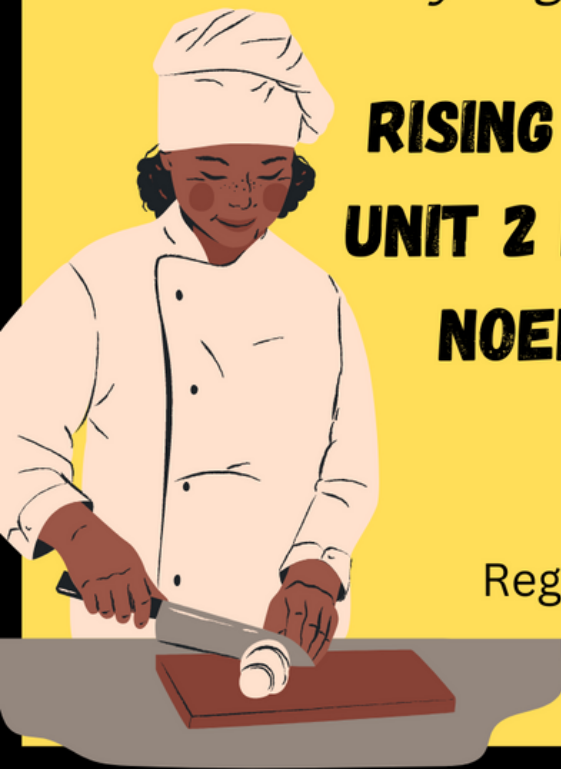
Everyone welcome 11-18yr olds

(Up to 25 SEN)

Register your interest or just turn up on the day

For more info contact Carl 07773 630 841 /

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## ***Fun & Fitness Thru Sport***

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Join our sessions and take part in exciting activities that will:

- Boost your confidence
- Improve your health
- Level up your sporting skills

### ***TERM TIME - EVERY FRIDAY***

Start Date: Fri 22 Apr 2022

End Date: Fri 23 Dec 2022

Time: 4:30pm - 6pm


Age: 8 - 16 yrs





New River Sports Centre  
White Hart Lane  
London, N22 5QW


*Please bring water to all sessions.*

*Career guidance and support will be available for young people aged 16 - 21.*

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