



Windsor High School and Sixth Form

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Newsletter

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REMINDER: Monday 25th June is an INSET day, school is closed to students

Next week we are issuing our General Consent Form which is completed by parents/carers in respect of every student on entry to the school and annually for all students.

As you are aware, we sometimes take images of our students and we really value the use of these images to be able to showcase what our students do and to show what life is like at Windsor! The General consent form gives you information on how to access our new data protection privacy notices to comply with GDPR.

Please read and complete the document carefully. It is important that forms should be returned to school by Friday 29th June.

Thank you for your support

Vacancy at Windsor!

Facilities Maintenance Operative - 37 hours per week, all year round. Scale 4 points 18 – 21 (£18,398 - £20,499) dependent upon experience (pay award pending).

We require a Facilities Maintenance Operative with a flexible approach to work and a “can-do” and friendly attitude to join our established, experienced Estates team. Applicants should possess a high level of all round maintenance ability along with excellent problem solving, time-management and customer service skills.

Reporting to the Site Manager, you will have day to day responsibility for security of premises, maintenance (internal/external), compliance, facility preparation and the general operational requirements of school and Trust related activities. You must have a full clean driving licence and be willing to work flexibly. You will be a key holder and required to participate in emergency on-call duties. You will also form part of a rotational, 4 way working shift pattern operating between 5.15am – 9.00pm to include sequenced Saturday working.

In addition, and where necessary you will deliver maintenance and operational support to other schools within our Trust. An additional allowance for qualified specialist skills (i.e. Electrician) is also available.

For an application pack and full details of the role please visit our website, www.windsor.windsoracademytrust.org.uk or contact Sue Cooper, Personnel Administrator on 0121 550 1452.

Closing date for applications: Monday 2nd July 2018 at 12.30 pm

Windsor High School and Sixth Form is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. This post is subject to an enhanced DBS.

A Magnificent Mountaineer

On Monday 19th June Matt Dickinson, author, film-maker and adventurer gave Windsor students a fascinating yet funny talk about his journeys to the summit of the spine-chilling Mount Everest.

As well as climbing mountains, Matt also produces films for companies like the BBC. He spoke about how on his journeys he experienced strange sights that he based his trilogy *The Everest Files* on.

They are about the dark side of nature, with a thrilling plot, an amazing setting and a young adventurer protagonist. Matt taught everyone lots about the deadly summit and the determination needed to achieve any life goal.



Thea Lowe Year 7



Year	German	Spanish
7	Thomas James Duaa Yahyah	Ali Ahmed
8	Kieran Bowater Katy Hawkins	
9	Chloe Lovatt Nabila Ali	Katie Skinner
10	Liam Totney Imogen Edmonds	Maggie Mae Tibbetts

**Congratulations to this week's
'Artist of the Week' from Mrs Sterry, Miss Dovey
and the Art Department**



Year 7

Mariah Thomas and **Louis Bisseker** for their neat application of tempera paint

Year 8

Lauren Jai Cole and **Safyan Shahzad** for making noticeable improvements to their cubist pieces after feedback

Year 9

Ethan Littlehales and **Katie Smith** for their continued focus and efforts with each task

Year 10

Emily Hackett for showing initiative when teaching herself Photoshop

Gracie Suri for her artist investigation

Year 11

Stevie Lowe for volunteering to help Mrs Sterry with Year 7 in her last ever year 11 lesson!

GL Tests - Year 7, 8 and Year 9 Students

Next week Y7, Y8 and 9 students will continue their end of year GL assessments.

If your child has their own personal headphones, please remind them to bring them into school. These headphones will allow students to access information when completing the computerised GL English, Maths and Science assessment.

School headphones are available, but for your child's comfort we advise bringing your own if possible.

Thank you

Music Lesson Information for Parents/Carers.

Is your child interested in learning a music instrument or having singing lessons? I would like to draw your attention to a great opportunity at Windsor for your child to have music lessons from Dudley Performing Arts (DPA).

If you would like an information pack about the instrumental / vocal music lessons we are offering from September 2018, please click the link below and complete the form. We will then send you the necessary information by post for you to complete and return.

<https://goo.gl/forms/k6yOFniUfGLG3q0N2>

I look forward to receiving your response.

Mrs M Lowndes-Ford
Curriculum Leader of Music



Windsor High School and Sixth Form,
in association with WHSA' presents
'Year 7 and Year 8 Summer Disco'
Wednesday 18th July 2018

5.00 pm - 6.30 pm

Venue: Main School Hall

Tickets cost £2.00 each

They can be purchased from Mrs Sketchley
(office by main school registers)

Drinks, sweets, crisps and glow sticks will be available to purchase at the disco.

A face painter will also be in attendance.

This will be a fun evening to spend with friends!

Windsor Summer Fair

Friday 6th July 2018

4.30 pm - 7.00 pm

Our PTA, staff and students are working hard to make this the best Fair ever!

We look forward to seeing you there!

Stalls are available @ £10.00 per stall. Please contact Ms R Dunne by email:

racheldunne@gmail.com or call 07896 020137

Are you able to donate any unwanted gifts such as chocolates, toiletries etc for our Summer Fair? If you would like to donate any items, please send these into school with your son/daughter for the attention of Mrs Sketchley.





Leadership Academy Tour of Local Primary Schools

Group 3 of the Leadership Academy delivered a cricket session to Year 4 at Huntingtree primary last week. The session was well planned and the children didn't want it to end! Three of our students were mentioned as being 'exceptional' by the Huntingtree staff.



Group 6 lead their session at Colley Lane Primary on Monday. Their confidence grew as the session progressed. Well done to you all.

Mrs K Jones

Congratulations to Corran Brown who represented Great Britain at the World Karate Championships held in Dundee, Scotland last week.

Corran did exceptionally well coming back home with a Bronze medal in Kumite category (fighting). This competition is one of the biggest Karate competitions in the World with over 2400 children and adults competing from over 46 different countries such as America, Argentina, Brazil, Japan and South Africa.

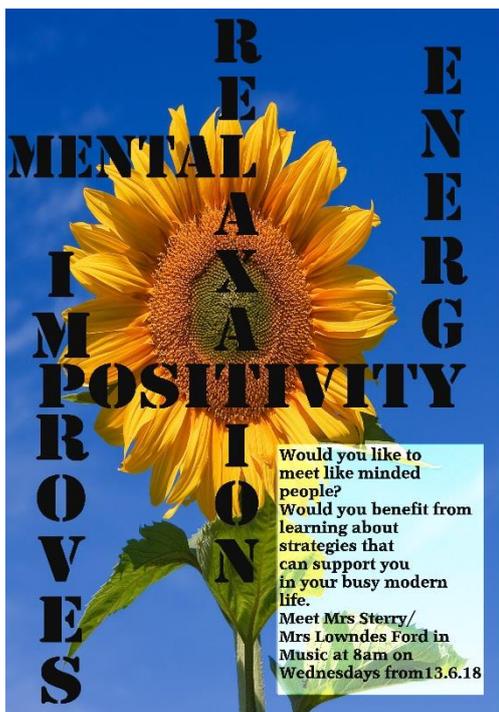
Corran has achieved this by extremely hard work and dedication, keep up the good work Corran!

Osama Mohammed in 9L2 recently went to the European Boxing Championships in Bulgaria representing England. Osama won one bout and made it to the quarter finals of this competition.

Osama was chosen by the selection committee to represent England and hopes to be chosen again next year to compete in the same competition.

Osama's long term goal is to represent England at the Olympics in 2024.

I am sure we have a bright boxing star in the making and we are very proud of Osama's achievements and his gracious and positive attitude.



Gymnastics

Congratulations to the Gymnastics team, representing Dudley at the Black Country school games last Friday after winning their group to qualify.

They then came 6th out of 12 schools in the finals!

Well done!!



As the warmer weather approaches please make sure your child brings a drink of water to school. If they drink it all they may fill it up with water from the cool water dispensers around school. Thank you for your support.

U12 Cricket v Holly Hall

Won by 9 wickets

Holly Hall 57 for 8

Windsor 60 for 1



Special points of interest:

- **WHSA** – for information about joining phone Rachel Dunne on 0121 550 1452 or 07896 020137.
- **Lost Property** is kept for two weeks. Students are notified of items via the daily message sheet.
- **Sale of Uniform** – Parents or students wishing to purchase items of uniform can do so from school each morning from 8.30 – 9.15 am **only**. If you have any queries please contact Mrs Goodman.



STOP Anti-Bullying Strategy

To further develop our very effective Anti-Bullying stance we are introducing the STOP policy. STOP stands for **S**everal **T**imes **O**n **P**urpose and we believe that this further strand to our existing policy will continue to make Windsor High School an extremely enjoyable place to learn and develop. The **STOP** policy will be available to view on the website and if you have any questions please contact your child's Head of House.

Level	Description	Aggressor	Recipient	Response	
Joking	Where two or more students think actions are funny. This normally happens between friends and it is seen as a joke by everyone.	Amused	Amused	None	None
Teasing	Where one student or a group of students makes a comment to another which isn't found funny or upsetting.	Amused	Harmless	Warning to ensure that other student is 'happy' with the teasing and avoid it getting worse.	Confirmation that the student considers this teasing and isn't upset.
The Limit	This is where the actions taken by one student or a group of students hurt another student without knowing. The other student doesn't find the actions funny and is hurt or upset.	Amused/ Harmless	Hurt and upset	STOP Warning issued to student and parent. Discussion and support to the student who has reached the limit.	To work with student who is upset or hurt and highlight the importance of not retaliating.
Bullying	Bullying is where one student or a group of students deliberately hurt or upset another student numerous times. If a student has already received a STOP warning and they hurt or upset the student again it is classed as bullying.	Hurtful, upsetting & repeated	Hurt and upset	Sanction – Minimum 1 day refocus Repeat Offender – Minimum 2 day refocus Restorative Justice session – Meeting with student to stop this from happening again. Conversation with parents. Notes of bullying action in file Relationship building between students if appropriate.	To work with student who is upset or hurt and highlight the importance of not retaliating.
Assault	Assault is where to action taken by one student that is intended to hurt. This could be verbal, physical, emotional or social but must be an isolated incident (otherwise it would be bullying).	Hurtful	Hurt and upset	Sanction – Minimum 1 day refocus. Restorative Justice session – Meeting with student to stop this from happening again.	To work with student who is upset or hurt and highlight the importance of not retaliating.
Retaliation	Retaliation is where someone who has been assaulted or bullied deliberately hurts the person who bullied or assaulted them. This is different to Self Defence where a student is preventing immediate hurt or upset.	Hurtful	Hurt	N/A	Sanction in line with School policy Restorative Justice session – Meeting to educate student about the importance of walking away. STOP warning issued if needed