

## LYNCH HILL ENTERPRISE ACADEMY

Week 2 25<sup>th</sup> April 2022

## **LHEA Weekly Parent Newsletter**

Thank you all for your support in what has been a challenging term for the school. The impacts of Covid cannot be underestimated, both as a result of staff and student absence and also the knock-on effects of that absence increasing the workload on those staff in school. I hope that all of our school community can enjoy a well-earned rest and one that is hopefully free from illness and return with renewed vigour and focus for the summer term.

We are saying farewell to several members of staff today. Mr George is moving to a more senior role in another Slough school while Ms Cuthbert is relocating to a different part of the country. We wish them both well and thank them for their contributions to the school which I know have made a significant difference to many of our students. In addition, Ms Josling is leaving our kitchen staff. She has been a great presence in that team and her astonishing ability to remember the names of so many of our children will be missed by all.

#### Standards update

This will continue when we return. The standard of uniform is much improved but there are still students who choose to challenge in this area. In addition to the standards of uniform, there will be a strong focus on the standards of both teaching and behaviour for learning and students who persistently stop others from learning will be sanctioned accordingly.

Chris Thomas Headteacher



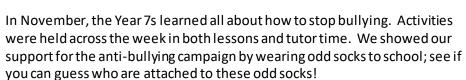
## Year 7 at LHEA

The Year 7s have been incredibly busy since they joined us in September; making new friends, trying new subjects and getting used to life as a student in secondary school. With so many great events and experiences, we thought now would be a good time to reflect on some of our key moments so far this year.



Our first event was held in October, and a very popular one with our families, was our Life Skills and Citizenship Challenge. Year 7s were challenged to make a bed, polish their shoes, sew a button on a shirt, iron a shirt and quote the British values. Staff judged their efforts and awarded them with points. Students were then given a bronze, silver or gold award based on how many points they achieved. Well done to Julia P for being the only student to achieve full points for all activities.

















Following our reshuffle of the tutor groups in October, we took the Year 7s on a team building trip to Lee Valley Waterpark. Whilst the weather was typical of a British winter, the Year 7s were full of excitement and enthusiasm to show off their orienteering skills.

After just a 20 minute briefing, the students were sent off around Lee Valley park in small groups, charged with finding the different letters hidden throughout the grounds. It was fantastic to see the students out of the school setting and we are very proud of how well they did despite the blustery weather.







Our next key event was the Year 7 spelling bee. Year 7s had been competing within their English classes to get into the spelling bee final. The students were able to practise playing their part as a respectful audience and 12 finalists competed live for the title of "Year 7 Spelling Bee Champ 2021". It was an incredibly close competition with some tricky words to spell. All competitors received prizes for taking part. A special mention to Abdullah Qazi for coming 3<sup>rd</sup>, Thrisha Patel for coming second and Deschanel Gallimore for winning the competition. Well done all.

I would like to congratulate the following students for having 100% attendance, no lates, the highest achievement points and no behaviour points since they started in September. Well done to Harjot Singh, Deschanel Gallimore and Thrisha Patel





We are looking forward to our next Year 7 event, dining hall etiquette, which will take place before the May half term. Year 7s will be practising the correct use of cutlery over the Easter holidays.

## **Highest Conduct Points**

Achievement points are awarded to students for a number of positive activities and attitudes. Behaviour points are issued when students have broken one of our three behaviour rules. Conduct points are calculated by taking the behaviour points away from the achievement points. Each term, the tutor group with the best conduct points will a pizza afternoon. At the end of the year the tutor group with the best conduct points will win a trip to Thorpe Park.

#### Tutor Group with best conduct

3 <sup>rd</sup>	Jobs	4442
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Da Vinci	4884
1 <sup>st</sup>	Turing	6146



### **Attendance**

At the end of each half term, the tutor group with the best attendance wins a celebratory breakfast.

## Tutor group with best attendance

3 <sup>rd</sup>	Jobs	92.2%
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Tesla	92.5%
1 <sup>st</sup>	Turing	6146

### **Individual Success**

## Shining stars of Year 7

At the end of each term, form tutors nominate one student who they feel has been the shining star of the tutor group. This is the student who best role models our three behaviour expectations of be respectful, be ready, be responsible, in progress and in attainment.

Tutor group	Student
Curie	Maryam H
Da Vinci	Olivia T
Einstein	Sara G
Jobs	Essa S
Tesla	Henry V
Turing	Jasleen K

## Rising stars of Year 7

Tutors also nominate one student who they feel has been a rising starthroughout the term. This is the student who best role models improvement in our three behaviour expectations, in progress or attainment

Tutor group	Student
Curie	Pritpal Singh S
Da Vinci	Talha I
Einstein	Bien Mathias M
Jobs	Muha I
Tesla	Kieran R
Turing	Jaison J



## Year 8 LTW Slough Land Enterprise Event took place on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> April

All the Year 8 pupils were outstanding throughout the day in a programme that was run through Learning to Work.

The Learning to Work team and volunteers from different industries that were present for the event were truly amazed by the level of dedication and hard work the young people displayed. Year 8 showed outstanding teamwork and building skills, which they displayed in the hall and breakout rooms when completing their presentation tasks to individual business leaders who were assigned to each group.

Well done to all Year 8 pupils for conducting themselves to a very high standard and representing the school at an exceptional level.

The Year 8 Slough Land Enterprise event was absolutely brilliant, and the pupils enjoyed the business side of it.

The winners of the LTW Slough Land Enterprise Event:

- Shayimaa-Y-Hillal
- Ann Dafalla
- Awa Senghore
- Laura Bernadyn
- Abdullah Khan



They presented their pitch to the whole of Year 8 and to the Learning to Work business visitors, who were extremely impressed with the concept they came up with. They were awarded a prize and certificate.





All pupils were a true asset to LHEA and the Learning to Work team could not speak highly of them enough.



## **Prince's Trust Regional Final**

Congratulations and well done to Mohammed Hassan Abbas, Muhammad Tayyib Ali and Yaser Chadli in Year 9 for reaching and participating in the Prince's Trust Enterprise Challenge. Out of 600 students across the Berkshire region, the above three students were placed within the top 25 students and competed in the Regional Finals on the  $7^{th}$  April.

The Final took place at the Marriott Hotel Heathrow, where students were introduced to the Judges. For the final, students needed to design a Social Enterprise idea which will benefit our school and the wider community. Students also had to proof that their idea was profitable. The final stage was to pitch their idea to the judges.

Hassan, Tayyib and Yaser showed great enterprise skills such as communication, public speaking, resilience, creative thinking, decision making and team work. Unfortunately, we did not end up as the eventual winners but reaching the Regional Finals was a great achievement and a valuable experience for them. Well

done.









## **Academic Achievement**

Each Year Group has attended an end of term Rewards Ceremony where academic certificates were presented in recognition of effort, progress and attainment in each subject. We are delighted to see our students flourish and it was an uplifting end to the term with so many students receiving certificates.



Roll of Honour for Spring Term:

Subject	Effort	Progress	Attainment
Art	Filip A	Nevaeh-Saphia J	Sathana N
Computer Science	Qadar S	Daniel B	Raheel N
Drama	Younes B	Sakina K	Joseph Ogbonda-O
DT	HarjotS	Divine C	Thrisha P
English	HarjotS	Julian B	Julia P
Food	Andrei S	DivineC	Aleeyah M
German	Younes B	MalikB	Hanifa H
Geography	Dani G	Engalpreet A	Shedelle Smith-H
History	Daniel B	Katty J	Adrian M
Maths	Ahmad I	Melodie S	Hanifa H
Music	Andrei S	Zyad H	Ahad B
PE	AlfieS	Kayla A	Ayman Z
PSHE	Manveer S	Nevaeh-Saphia J	Kaden A
RE	Amy-Louise G	Sathana N	Ahad B
Science	Henry V	David Ogbonda-O	Engalpreet A
Lynch Hill Learner	Dani G	Charlie W	Adrian M
Enterprise Studies	Thrisha P	Ryan R	Zyad H



## Year 8

Subject	Effort	Progress	Attainment
Art	Julia W	Denise R	Ruby M
Computer			
Science	Aliyat D	Talisha K	Jency P
Drama	Wictoria O	Lena P	Elieza Sagabaen A
DT	Emaan Chiragh-P	GurveerS	Havissh S
English	Safa M	Azeem F	Abdul M
Food	Mujeeb R	Ai-Noor Jumshaid A	Jency P
French	Alishba M	Sameer Adnan-B	Wictoria O
German	Halima K	Mu'Awiyah Y	Shaheim Jones-F
Geography	Mateusz G	Aidan H	Wictoria O
History	Alishba M	Manar A	Zariya I
Maths	Tanisha K	Zariya I	Abdul M
Music	Farhan F	Kymani H	Christian A
PE	Julia P	Adrian S	Charlie B
PSHE	Unique O	Halima K	AwaS
RE	Elieza Sagabaen A	GurveerS	Havissh S
Science	Rocky A	Emmanuel C	Sammy B

Subject	Effort	Progress	Attainment
Art	MollyS	Fahad A	Leona L
Business			
Studies	Rania O	Aliya A	Falesyia Van K
Computer			
Science	Eesha P	Tia P	Toby U
Drama	Toby U	Zakria M	Grace A
DT	Levi C	Aisha B	Manraj M
English	Megan S	Leona L	Ella J
Food	Zofia P	Fassi S	Aisha B
French	Aisha B	Callum B	Zakria M
Geography	Emilia A	Zofia P	Manraj M
German	Rania O	Leona L	Sheharyar A
History	Haleema K	Shania B	Kevin N
Maths	Poppy G	Haleema K	Saalim J
Music	Abdallah B	Emilia A	Ula S
PE	TaimurK	Vanessa A	Kevin N
PSHE	Levi C	Aisha B	Faleysia Van K
RE	Hamida B	HaiderK	Eesah P
Science	Aisha B	Vicky B	Fahad A

Subject	Effort	Progress	Attainment
Art & Design	Benjamin B	EwelinaS	Saira K
Biology	Jamil A	Musa I	Candice A
Business			
Studies	Grace K	Mustapha A	Daniel Van K
Chemistry	Alina D	Joban S	Hashim I
Computer			
science	Halima M	Aariz W	Aza A
Design			
Technology	Joban S	Antonella Q	Mustapha A
Drama	Tanaya Carty-A	Maisy H	Shayla-M'Ray L
English			
Language	Wojciech P	Sariyah K	Yara Cardoso F
Food &			
Nutrition	Kacper Sp	Yara Cardoso F	Jessica S
French	Abel A	Anthea Gayle P	Candice A
Geography	Musa I	Zainab B	Younes D
German	Saida J	Marcel L	Zainab B
History	BaljinderS	Kadie M	Nasra K
Mathematics	Denisa V	Aariz W	Aza A
Music	Antonella Q	Melany Fortes R	Adam M
Physical			
Education	Aarav N	Ayaan A	Nasra K
Physics	Mateusz K	Isaac T	Munsukh S
PSHE	Alina D	Daniel Van K	Naomi A
RE	Zainab B	Joban S	Qaisar J
Science-			
combined	Mary-Mae P	Tanaya Carty-A	Tinuga G



Subject	Effort	Progress	Attainment
Art & Design	Kiaharna Carty-A	Chenai C	Gursimar C
Biology	Hashim M	Feisal A	Mohammad C
Business Studies	Sami Z	Ibraheem M	Vansh S
Chemistry	Shahmir N	Hadi S	Aliyha S
Computer science	Muneeb Ur R	Rania C	Esther A
Design	Widileed Of K	Nama C	LSUICI A
Technology	Leyan I	Kirandeep J	Gabrijela J
Drama	Bethany G	Hannah G	Robert M
English Language	Jack E	Jason O	Esther A
English			
Literature	Alyx P	Suma yya A	Sehajpreet S
Food & Nutrition	Hassan-Mujtaba A	Carmen A	Gurkiran V
French	Ysabella S	Eden M	Muneeb R
Geography	Morgan C	Marcus G	Feisal A
History	QasimZ	Kalonji O	Sumayya A
Mathematics	Mutinta N	Hassan-Mujtaba A	Abishiek K
Music	Jamie G	Tiera R	Marcus M
Physical			
Education	Aliyha S	Jason O	Keisha R
Physics	Babar A	Oliwer P	Harunrashid J
PSHE	GabrijelaJ	Zaib K	Aliyha S
RE	Keisha R	Abdul-Wahaab S	Leyan I
Science- combined	Kabeer A	Marcus Evarn M	Malaika B



## Student and Staff Equality and Diversity Group

Lynch Hill Enterprise Academy, is fully committed to promoting equality, diversity and an inclusive learning environment for all students, staff, parents and carers.

To improve on our practices and to develop our equality and diversity strategy, a working group of students and staff, has been formed. This will enable us, to better understand the issues of inequality and exclusion which may exist within our schools.

The Equality and Diversity Group will be fully committed to help:

- Challenge all forms of prejudice and discrimination
- Come up with creative and innovative approaches to promote an inclusive school environment
- Help to create an inclusive curriculum to improve the experience, skills and attainment of all students
- Consult with students when developing equality initiatives which work for our school community

The students will attend an 'Agents for Change programme' to educate them about the harms of identity-based bullying, particularly around race and ethnicity, sexual orientation, gender and disability.

Our school community would like to thank our 'Agents for Change Ambassadors' below, for committing to work with staff, to continue to create an environment where diversity is celebrated and everyone is treated fairly and equally.

Agents for Change Ambassadors				
Xasna S. (Y8) Awa S. (Y8)		Ann D. (Y8)		
Madison P. (Y8)	Wareesah A. (Y8)	Faith B. (Y8)		
Poppy G. (Y8)	Ramae B. (Y7)	Christian A. (Y8)		
Emmanuel C. (Y8)	Jency P. (Y8)	Noveen N. (Y9)		
Shayla L. (Y10)	Beverley O. (Y10)	Candice A. (Y10)		
Zara S. (Y10)				



#### **Parent Governor**

There is an are opportunity to become a governor at the school. If this is something that would be of interest to you, I would be delighted to have an informal discussion in the first instance as to what the role and level of commitment involves.

The role of the governors is more important than ever in ensuring that the school runs as effectively and safely as possible.

Please contact me on my school email address if you are interested. c.thomas@lhea.org.uk

## Reminders

### sQuid

Please ensure that your child has sufficient funds on their sQuid account to enable them to purchase a lunch from the Dining Hall. A few students are in minus or zero balance, so please do check and top us as necessary.

### Nut free school

A reminder that we are a nut free school, so please ensure that no items containing nuts are sent in with students.

## **Lost Property**

There are a number of items at Student Services which need to be collected. If your child is missing a particular item, please ask them to check with the Student Receptionist.



#### **Uniform reminder**

- Hoodies are not allowed at any point during the school day. This includes for PE lessons.
  They should be removed on arrival
- Coats are not allowed to be worn in the building
- Jumpers and blazers must be worn at all times

#### **PE Kit**

Wearing PE kit to school on PE days has been a huge success in extending teaching time for PE but too many students are choosing not to wear the correct PE kit.

The school has a set PE kit with plain black tracksuit trousers or sport leggings as the only alternative. Branded tracksuits are not permitted and any girl choosing to wear leggings must wear a pair of shorts or a skort over the top.

#### **Jewellery**

Jewellery guidelines are clear - Nose studs and nose rings are not allowed. Clear retainers can be worn instead and will be given to students as an alternative as may a plaster. The expectation is that the piercing will be removed or covered whilst in school

#### **Mobile Phones**

Students are not allowed to use their mobile phones at any point during the school day. Any contact with home should be through the school reception.

### Parking at the end of the day

Can I please request that you park in a considerate manner at the end of the school day. There is ample parking available next to the school in the football ground car park. Parking on the grass verges, pavements etc. creates a serious safety risk to the students as they leave school.

### Squid & Weduc

Squid is our online payment system and Weduc is how we send messages home. Please ensure that you have signed up for both. New passwords can be requested via reception.







## **SATURDAY**

Chalvey Can Grow Ragstone Allotments

3-5pm Power League





## Easter Y PROGRAMME

Basketball with Thames Valley Cavaliers Chalvey Rec

Yogi Bears 5-6pm Chalvey Hub

## TUESDAY 19-04-22

Basketball with Thames Valley Cavaliers 2-4pm **Chalvey Rec** 

Yogi Bears 5-6pm Chalvey Hub

## WEDNESDAY

Learn to play with The Bees Slough Ice Arena

Tennis with Thames Valley Tennis 5.30-6.30pm Salt Hill Park

Strength & Stretch 7-8pm Chalvey Hub

## WEDNESDAY 20-04-22

with The Bees 3.30-5pm Slough Ice Arena

Tennis with Thames Valley Tennis 5.30-6.30pm Salt Hill Park

Strength & Stretch



## THURSDAY 21-04-22

## FRIDAY 22-04-22

Basketball with Thames Valley Cavaliers 2-4pm

To book, email chalveycan@slough.gov.uk or call 01753 875177

Scan this code and complete a registration form to reserve your spot



## SATURDAY 16-04-22

\*Please note:

Families can book for

one hour of activity when

there is a two hour slot.

Power League



## SATURDAY 23-04-22

Chalvey Can Grow 10am-12noon Ragstone Allotment

3-5pm Power League



# Special Educational Needs Disabilities (SEND)

## **SEND-AID**

SEND Advice and Information Sessions

If your child has SEND and you need advice or information, please book a 1:1 appointment at SEND-AID.

We can answer your questions relating to local services, education, Disability Living Allowance and much more.

Wednesdays, 9 am - 12 pm

## **Upcoming dates**

13th, 27th April 2022

11<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup> May 2022

8<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2022

6<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup> July 2022

17th August 2022

Penn Road Children's Centre, Penn Road, Slough, SL2 1PG

To book a session, please contact:

EarlyHelp@sloughchildrenfirst.co.uk



## Friends in Need Wellbeing and Recovery Activities Timetable - April 2022







W/C	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
28th		10.15 – 11.15 Online Yoga with Kate			
Mar		@ Zoom			
		(contact your coordinator to book)			
4th		10.15 – 11.15 Online Yoga with Kate		13.00 - 14.00 Walk and Talk with a Cuppa with	
Apr		@ Zoom		Elouise @ South Hill Park	
		(contact your coordinator to book)		(meeting at the Atrium Bar,	
		_		SHP, Ringmead, Bracknell RG12 7PA)	
				16.00 - 17.00 Online Catch Up with Elouise,	
				Laura & Charlene @ Zoom	
11th		10.15 – 11.15 Online Yoga with Kate		13.00 - 14.00 Dessert & Catch up @ Creams with	Good Friday
Apr		@ Zoom		Charlene @ 2-8 Windsor Rd, Slough SL1 2EJ	Cocarnaay
		(contact your coordinator to book)			
18th	Easter Monday	10.15 – 11.15 Online Yoga with Kate			
Apr	,	@ Zoom			
		(contact your coordinator to book)			
25th		10.15 – 11.15 Online Yoga with Kate		After 13.00pm (Film TBC) - Cinema	11.00 - 12.00 Coffee catch
Apr		@ Zoom		with Elouise @ The Odeon, Bracknell	up with Laura @ Strawberry
		(contact your coordinator to book)		(The point, Skimped Hill Ln, Bracknell RG12 1EN)	Grove, Maidenhead



### Beehive Care CIC - Easter 2022 - Short Breaks

Contact number to call and book: O781 3566 795 (Tue-Thurs) or sandrapbeehive@gmail.com

Activity	Date and time of activity	Cost per session	Age range
Windsor Duck Tours and Park	11/04/2022 – 10.00am – 3.00pm	£10 — take a packed lunch and appropriate clothing	4 years (in school) — 19 years
Camp Mohawk	13/04/2022 - 10.00am - 3.00pm	£10 — take a packed lunch and appropriate clothing	4 years (in school) — 19 years
Thames Valley Adventure Playground	20/04/2022 – 10.00am – 3.00pm	£10 — take a packed lunch and appropriate clothing	4 years (in school) — 19 years
Cinema and Carvery/Pizza Hut	22/04/2022 – 10.00am – 3.00pm	\$10	4 years (in school) — 19 years

DROP OFF AND COLLECTION POINT IS EARL OF CORNWALL. NO REFUNDS WILL BE OFFERED UNLESS THE SPACE CAN BE RE-FILLED. IF RE-FILLED ANY REFUNDS WILL BE HELD AND USED ON ANOTHER DATE.

## March Wish List



#### FOOD

URGENT

Tinned fruit

Long-life fruit juice

Long-life milk

Long-life custard

Instant mash

Tinned meat (stewed steak, mince, chicken in sauce)

Coffee (small jars)

### ALWAYS REQUIRED

Tinned carrots/mixed veg

Pasta sauce

Long-life rice pudding

### TOILETRIES & BASIC ITEMS

URGENT

Shampoo

Deodorant

Washing up liquid

### ALWAYS REQUIRED

Razors

Toothpaste

Shaving foam/gel

Strong carrier bags

If you would like to provide toiletries we have created a wish list with Common

Good

(https://www.forcommongood.co.uk/apps/giftregist ry/registry/128413?rsid=1), which enables you

to buy online.

### Our warehouse is open for donations at the following times:

Mondays 1-3pm, Wednesdays and Fridays 10am - 12noon. 411 Montrose Avenue, Slough SL1 4TJ, UK

### Please only donate these items that we currently need.

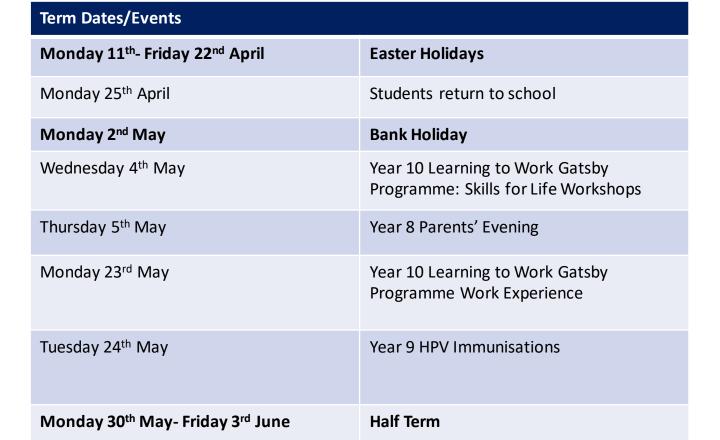
Due to generous donations, we are overstocked and have 12 months supply of pasta and baked beans and <u>DO NOT NEED THEM</u>.



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Tuesday 7th June

Friday 10th June



Year 10 Learning to Work Gatsby

Mufti day-Local charity

Programme: Work Experience De-brief

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Thursday 14th July

Tuesday 19th July



Thorpe Park Rewards Trip

Last day of term -1pm finish

Year 10 Tutor Evening

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Term Dates/Events	
Term Dates 2022-23	
Thursday 1st September	Staff Training Day
Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> September	Staff Training Day
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> September	Students start
Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> October to Friday 4 <sup>th</sup> November	Half Term
Monday 7 <sup>th</sup> November	Students return
Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> December	Term ends
Wednesday 4 <sup>th</sup> January 2023	Students return
Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> February 2023	Staff Training Day
Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> February to Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> February 2023	Half Term
Friday 31st March	Term ends
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> April to Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> April	Easter Holidays

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Term Dates/Events	
Term Dates 2022-23	
Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> April 2023	Students return
Monday 29 <sup>th</sup> May to Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June 2023	Half term
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> June 2023	Students return
Friday 21st July	Term ends