

LYNCH HILL ENTERPRISE ACADEMY

Monday 6th July
Week 1

LHEA Parent Newsletter

Welcome to this week's newsletter,

It would appear that we are heading into a hot week again but at this point in time, we will continue with the uniform as it currently is. Should we receive official weather warnings, I will be in contact regarding any changes to that. Please do ensure that your child has a drinking bottle, however.

Next week we are holding our sports days – on site this year so far less complicated for all than visiting the Thames Valley Athletic Centre. Our Silver Duke of Edinburgh expedition is underway with the students spending two nights under cover in between navigating their way around some unseen areas of the countryside.

Finally, can I ask that you support our admin team by returning all correspondence relating to the upcoming Activities day on 15th July.

Chris Thomas
Headteacher

Key information & Events

- Tuesday 7th July- Y6 Induction Day
- Thursday 9th July- Y8 Sports Day
- Friday 10th July- Y9 Sports Day
- Monday 13th July- Y10 Sports Day & Rewards Evening 6-7.45pm
- Tuesday 14th July- Y7 Sports Day
- Wednesday 15th July- Whole School Activities Day

Achievement points

We are pleased to report that an impressive **81%** of behaviour points this week were **positive**, with a total of **1,943** achievement points awarded.

Congratulations to our top achievers: **Abdulwahab Z** or **Key Stage 3** and **Suraj S R** for **Key Stage 4**.

Well done to all students for their positive contributions to school life.

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Culture Curriculum at Lynch Hill Enterprise Academy

Next week we will focus on students being good active listeners, an aspects of the culture curriculum which directly links in with students learning more. Next week out staff training will focus on how to best introduce and teach new skills. For this to be most affective it is vitally important that our students are excellent active listeners in order to take on new knowledge.

Active listening expectation for all students are to:

- Sit up straight in their chair
- Turn their body to directly face the speaker and look at the speaker if possible
- Put pens and any equipment on the table so they are not distracted
- Remain silent while the speaker is speaking and allow the speaker to finish speaking
- Ask questions to the speaker after they have finished speaking. This is to clarify some information.

Questioning methods used will mean the teacher asking a question and:

- giving students thinking time before selecting a student to answer the question
- giving students the opportunity to discuss the question and answer before selecting a student to share their discussion and answer
- giving the students time to think or discuss and then ask all students to write their answer on a mini-white board and show the teacher

As families of our students, we would like you to support us in teaching and reinforcing excellent routines with your children and discuss the above with them

PE Kit Reminder

As we come to the end of the school year, please take the opportunity over the summer holidays to check that your child's PE kit still fits and purchase any replacement items ready for September.

Please refer to the PE kit image below for details of the required uniform. Arriving with the correct PE kit ensures students are ready to take part safely and confidently from the first lesson of the new term.

Thank you for your continued support. We wish you a wonderful summer break and look forward to welcoming everyone back in September.



Silver Games Mark

Recently we have been awarded the Silver School Games Mark for the first time ever at LHEA and this is an improvement on our Bronze School Games Mark which we achieved last year.

The criteria for this is:

- Working to providing every student with the opportunity for at least 60 Active minutes
- Working to provide inclusive competitions in school and as part of the wider school games competitions
- Supports student transition from year 6 to year 7
- Physical literacy and positive experiences in PE and School Games
- Support student leadership within lessons and in the wider school games competitions

Congratulations and a huge thank you to everyone involved in achieving this whether it be in PE, school competitions and wider competitions within Slough.

Success at the Maidenhead Boys and Girls Football Tournament

It was a busy and successful weekend at the Maidenhead Boys and Girls Football Tournament, with several of our students impressing both on and off the pitch.

Congratulations to **Anamika (Year 10)**, who scored two penalties to help her team win the **Under 15 Girls' Trophy**. **Yussif (Year 9)** scored in the quarter-final to send his Burnham team through to the semi-finals, where they were narrowly beaten by the eventual runners-up in the Under 15 competition. **Hamoodi (Year 7)** also enjoyed a fantastic tournament with Slough Town FC, whose team reached the knockout stages.

A special thank you also goes to our Year 10 volunteers – **Yusayrah, Absa, Katie and Gabi** – who gave up their time to support the event. They helped with litter picking, organising the trophies for each age group and, with their enthusiasm and energy, brought plenty of smiles to everyone visiting the refreshment tent.

Well done to all of our students for representing themselves and our community so positively!

After school clubs

Date	Club
Monday	Chess Club 3-4pm with Mr King in T15
	Christian Fellowship Group 3.15-4.15pm with Miss Thomas in T13
	Art Attack 3-4pm with Miss Javed in T9
Tuesday	Allotment Club 3-4pm with Ms Martins
Wednesday	Drama club 3-4pm with Miss Walsh in the Drama studio
	Duke of Edinburgh 3.15-4.30pm with Mr Ameen & Mr McLeish in M3 Week 1 (Bronze) Week 2 (Silver)
	Board games club 3.10-4.30pm with Miss Thomas in T13
Friday	Anime Club – Library from 3pm-4pm
Mon-Friday	Library Assistance Club 3-4pm with Ms Khan in the Library

Sports clubs update

After the half term break, the basketball and dance clubs will not be running.

Badminton will resume once the GCSE exams have finished and the football clubs will start again from September.

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Term Dates/Events

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Friday 10th July	Year 9 Sports Day
Monday 13th July	Year 10 Sports Day
	Rewards Evening (6pm-7.45pm)
Tuesday 14th July	Year 7 Sports Day
Wednesday 15th July	Whole School Activities Day
Thursday 23rd July	End of term –1pm finish


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