

LYNCH HILL ENTERPRISE ACADEMY

Monday 12th October
Week 1

LHEA Parent Newsletter

Welcome to this week's newsletter,

This next week will be a notable week as we move ahead with the introduction of the YONDR phone pouches. I am asking for your support in ensuring that these are a successful addition to the school experience of your children. I was overwhelmed by the testaments from other headteachers who had established their use. They have had such a significant impact on the culture in those schools, significantly reducing bullying, improving students' focus in class and also their mental health.

As parents, it is important that you reassure your children that you will still be able to pass on any urgent messages via the main school line in the way that we all once did!

I look forward to looking back in a year's time and reflecting on how much things have improved!

Chris Thomas
Headteacher

Key dates & Information

- Thursday 15th October –Year 7 Tutor Evening 4-6pm
- Friday 16th October –Y10 Theatre Trip (Drama)
- **Monday 26th October to Friday 6th November –Half Term**
- Wednesday 11th November- Y7 (Davinci, Einstein & Tesla) Black Park Trip
- Wednesday 18th November – Y7 (Curie, Jobs & Turing) Black Park Trip

Achievement points

We are pleased to report that an impressive **85%** of behaviour points this week were positive, with a total of **3,235** achievement points awarded.

Congratulations to our top achievers: **Aarav A** for Key Stage 3 and **Rayyan S** for Key Stage 4.

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

Lynch Hill Enterprise Academy
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Why Attendance Matters

Every day a student misses school, they miss out on valuable learning, which can never be fully recovered.

Evidence shows that students with high attendance:

- Achieve better academic results
- Build stronger relationships with peers and staff
- Are better prepared for college, university, apprenticeships, or employment.

Put simply, every school day matters.

Let's Work Together

We want every student at Lynch Hill Enterprise Academy to thrive.
Excellent attendance is a shared responsibility between school, student, and home. With your support, we can ensure your child is in school, learning and on the path to achieving their full potential. If you have any concerns or need support regarding your child's attendance, please do not hesitate to contact our Attendance Officer.

Give Your Child an Adventure to Remember!

Encourage your child to take on new challenges, develop valuable life skills, build confidence and make lasting memories by joining the Duke of Edinburgh's Award. Spaces are currently available for both **Bronze and Silver**, offering a fantastic opportunity for young people to grow, make new friends and enjoy exciting experiences. Sign your child up today and help them begin their DofE journey!



Discover Our After-School Clubs

Please make your children aware of the clubs that we offer and encourage them to sign up.

Day	Club	Day/Time	Who
Monday	Christian Fellowship Group in T13	3.15-3.45pm	Ms Thomas
	Stressless Art Club in T9 (Y11 GCSE Art students only)	3-4pm	Ms Javed
	Miniature Wargaming Club in M3	3-4pm	Mr Ameen
	Music Club in T11	3-4pm	Mr Martin
	MFL Club in G11	3.30-4.15pm	Ms Matthews
Wednesday	Drama Club in Drama studio	3-4pm	Ms Walsh
	Chess Club in T15	3-4pm	Mr King
	Duke of Edinburgh in M3 (Bronze Week 1 & Silver Week 2)	3.15-4.30pm	Mr Ameen & Mr McLeish
	Board Games Club in T13	3.10-4.30pm	Ms Thomas
	Mathematics Club in M3	3-4pm	Ms Cobourne-Small
Thursday	Computing Club in G11	3-3.30pm	Mrs Johnson-Brown
Friday	Manga Club in Library	2.30-4pm	Ms Khan
Mon-Fri	Library Assistance Club in Library	3-4pm	Ms Khan

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Term Dates/Events

Term Dates 2026-27	
Thursday 15th October	Y7 Tutor Evening 4-6pm
Friday 16th October	Y10 Drama Theatre Trip
Monday 26th October – Friday 6th November	**HALF TERM**
Wednesday 11th November	Year 7 Black Park Trip (Davinci, Einstein & Tesla)
Wednesday 18th November	Year 7 Black Park Trip (Curie, Jobs & Turing)
Thursday 10th December	Year 8 Parent's Evening 4-7pm
Wednesday 16th December	Christmas Showcase
Friday 18th December	End of term –1pm finish
Monday 21st to Friday 1st January	**Christmas Holidays**
Monday 4th January	Students return
Thursday 7th January	Year 11 Parent's Evening 4-7pm
Friday 12th February	**INSET Day (school closed)**
Monday 15th – Friday 19th February	**HALF TERM**
Thursday 25th February	Year 9 Parent's Evening
Thursday 4th March	World Book Day
	Year 9 Options Evening
Thursday 25th March	End of term –1pm finish

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Term Dates 2026-27	
Friday 26th March- Friday 9th April	**EASTER HOLIDAYS**
Monday 3rd May	Bank Holiday (school closed)
Monday 10th May- Friday 18th June	GCSE Exams
Thursday 20th May	Year 10 Parent's Evening 4-7pm
Monday 31st May – Friday 4th June	**HALF TERM**
Thursday 17th June	Year 7 Parent's Evening 4-7pm
Tuesday 6th July	Y6 Induction Day
Monday 12th July	Awards Evening 5.30-7.45pm
Wednesday 14th July	Whole school activities day
Friday 23rd July	End of term-1pm finish


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OCTOBER
HALF TERM
CAMP!
FOOTBALL + MULTI-SPORTS CAMP
A fun, active and exciting holiday camp for boys and girls of all abilities!
Football & Multi-Sports every day
Different sports, skills & games each day
Friday = Halloween Fancy Dress Disco!
Fun, learning & making friends
Prizes & awards to be won!
BOOK NOW!
FRIDAY
HALLOWEEN
FANCY DRESS
DISCO AFTERNOON!
JW COACHING
LIMITED SPACES BOOK NOW!
COMPETITION DAY EVERY FRIDAY!
PRIZES & AWARDS TO BE WON!
HALLOWEEN DISCO AFTERNOON ON FRIDAY!
DATES
26 OCTOBER – 30 OCTOBER
(HALF TERM WEEK)
TIME
10:00AM – 3:00PM
EARLY DROP OFF
9:00AM START
extra £5 per day
LOCATION
Datchet St Mary's Primary School
SL3 9EJ
PRICES
EARLY BIRD £18.50 PER DAY
UNTIL 7 SEPTEMBER
NORMAL PRICE £25 PER DAY
BOOK ONLINE
https://jw-coaching.classforkids.io
Jw_Coaching@outlook.com
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VIRTUAL GEMS

Autism & ADHD Support Service East Berkshire

COFFEE MORNING

soluna by Kooth

TUESDAY 1ST DECEMBER

12:30 TO 13:00 PM

25 SPACES



Kooth is an online platform to help young people with their mental health and wellbeing. It's a welcoming space for your child to safely explore their feelings. They can anonymously talk to other people their own age on moderated discussion forums, and chat to mental health professionals via messaging.

Theyare a BACP-accredited digital mental health service, and provide free services through the NHS. Their team of professionals are trained to offer clinically-safe advice while lending a supportive ear for whatever your child's facing.

Available for families who reside in or have a registered GP in East Berkshire with a child who is Autistic/ADHD (suspected/pathway/diagnosed)

SIGN UP TODAY!

TO BOOK YOUR PLACE CONTACT GEMS:

Gems.4Health@nhs.net

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