



## Parent/Carer E-Bulletin

W/C Monday 24<sup>th</sup> January 2022

### Assembly Topic

The theme for this week's assembly is the Holocaust.

### Personal, Social and Education (PSE) Lessons

**Year 7** - What are my dreams and goals?

**Year 8** - Your goals – long term

**Year 9** - My personal strengths

**Year 10** - Equality in the workplace

**Year 11** - Relaxation and managing stress

### Face Masks

We will expect Rhosnesni students to wear appropriate face masks when inside the building. With the notable exception of those children who are medically exempt, students who arrive without a face mask will be sent home after parents have been contacted. Thank you for your ongoing support in this matter.

### Free Sanitary Products Available in School.

At Rhosnesni High School we are committed to reducing 'Period Poverty' in accordance with Welsh Government guidelines. Therefore, we have a range of free sanitary products available for our students. In order to support our work in this area, please can you click into the below link to access a short survey we would like you to complete. Parents/Carers and students can separately return their own individual survey. Thank you in advance for your support. <https://forms.gle/KfgwmPL1rEHZnNATA>

### Attendance & Reporting Absence

At RHS we have been working hard to try to raise attendance levels and to reduce instances of lateness. Your continued support in this matter is absolutely crucial. We recognise that children can be ill from time to time and politely request that if your child is unable to attend school the following process is followed:

**All absences should be reported to the school on morning of every day of absence before 9.05 am and provide a valid reason for absence either by:**

1. Email - [attendance@rhosnesni-high.wrexham.sch.uk](mailto:attendance@rhosnesni-high.wrexham.sch.uk)
2. Telephone - 01978 340947
3. Free text – 07786 200444.

**Failure to report your child's absence from school creates a safeguarding issue.**

### Punctuality

Students need to be on the school site by no later than 8.40am. Latecomers will be placed on detention and parents/carers will be informed as a matter of courtesy via a text message.

If you have an attendance issue or wish to report a LFT/ PCR result please use the following methods: **Email: [Attendance@rhosnesni-high.wrexham.sch.uk](mailto:Attendance@rhosnesni-high.wrexham.sch.uk) or telephone: 01978 340947.** Evidence of all PCR/LFT test results must be reported/presented to the school.

### Year 9 Virtual Parents' Evening

Year 9 parents evening will be held virtually on Thursday 3rd February 2022 from 4.00pm to 7.00pm. Parents/Carers of Year 9 students will receive information regarding this shortly.

### Mental Health and Wellbeing Ideas for the family

This Calendar has 30 suggested actions to help families look after their wellbeing together in challenging times. Have fun! Please see the calendar attached.

### Gratitude Jars

Why not encourage your child to keep a gratitude jar. Each day they write one thing they are thankful for. This can be something simple such as a nice cup of coffee or a sunny day or can be for an act of kindness or the actions of a friend. These gratitude notes can be shared at the end of each month to reflect on the things we can find thanks for.

### **Parenting Support**

Wrexham Family Information Service offers a range of parenting sessions covering the following topics: Emotional Health & Wellbeing of Young People, Challenging Behaviour, left to their own Devices and Drug Proof your Kid.

### **Uniform Recycling**

We welcome donations of second-hand clean uniform in good condition. Please bring items to the main reception area.

### **Extra-Curricular Activities**

Lunchtime and afterschool sports clubs have resumed for this term. Please see the separate sheet attached for further details.

### **Contacting School**

**Telephone:** 01978 340840    **Email:** [Mailbox@rhosnesni-high.wrexham.sch.uk](mailto:Mailbox@rhosnesni-high.wrexham.sch.uk)

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