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Parent/Carer E-Bulletin

W/C Monday 15th January 2024

Assembly Topic

The theme for this week's assembly is Standards and Expectations.

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
- 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. Late comers 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 please use the following methods: **Email**: Attendance@rhosnesnihigh.wrexham.sch.uk or telephone: 01978 340947.

Uniform Standards

Please can you ensure that your child is wearing the full, correct Rhosnesni uniform. Skinny trousers, knee high/over the knee socks and trainer style socks are **not permitted**. Skirts must **knee length**. Synthetic nails, gels and false lashes are **not appropriate** for school, and pose a health and safety risk. The following items are **not permitted**: facial piercings, necklaces, rings, bracelets or heavy makeup or nail varnish.

Year 9

A reminder that the advice evenings for Year 9 students interested in collaborative options commencing September 2024 will take place this week:

Yale, Grove Park Road - Tuesday 16th January from 5.00 pm to 7.00pm

Bersham Road - Wednesday 17th January from 5.00 pm to 7.00 pm.

The flyer is attached.

Year 9 Exams

Thanks to Year 9 parents/carers for your support in ensuring your child was prepared fully for the practice exams last week. They all did exceptionally well working in the Hall. All students now have a good understanding of exam protocols and procedure in readiness for the start of some GCSEs in Year 10.

Parents Evening

A reminder that Year 9 parents evening will take place on School Cloud on Thursday 1st February from 4pm-7pm. Further details will follow.

Reports

Please see the schedule to see when your child is due a report. There will be 3 reports issued throughout the academic year. It is important to note that reports will no longer be sent home in paper format and will be issued online through the 'Go 4 Schools' app. Information regarding how to log on and create a parents account has already been emailed home. Any queries relating to this then please contact the school.

Year	Interim Report 1 (Week ending)	Interim Report 2 (Week ending)	Full Report
11	27 th October 2023	9 th February 2024	22 nd March 2024
10	27 th October 2023	9 th February 2024	24 th May 2024
9	21st December 2023	9 th February 2024	24 th May 2024
8	21st December 2023	22 nd March 2024	12 th July 2024
7	21st December 2023	22 nd March 2024	12 th July 2024

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.

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 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's.

Thank you in advance for your support. https://forms.gle/3EDLGrPJxC5wK8WB7

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.

RHS School Council GCSEPod Sessions

A new GCSEPod session hosted by the RHS School Council in LH14 on Tuesday and Thursday breaktimes, is aimed at helping and supporting students and answering any queries they may have regarding GCSEPod.

Contacting School

Telephone: 01978 340840 Email: Mailbox@rhosnesni-high.wrexham.sch.uk

Diolch yn fawr, Team Rhosnesni.