



## Parent/Carer E-Bulletin

**W/C Monday 29th January 2024**

### Assembly Topic

The theme for this week's assembly is LGBT+

### World Hijab Day, Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> February 2024

World Hijab Day is an annual event founded by Nazma Khan in 2013, taking place on 1st February each year in 140 countries worldwide.

### Parent Pay

We operate the online service 'Parent Pay' to manage all payment transactions between parents and school, including our school meals provision. If you are having difficulties with your account, please follow some useful links below:

- [Parent Pay](#)
- [Parent Support](#)
- [Parent Pay – Online Payment Service](#)
- [Parent Pay- How to activate your account](#)

**Note: If you need any further details or assistance regarding your Parent Pay account please contact [schoolmeals@wrexham.gov.uk](mailto:schoolmeals@wrexham.gov.uk) or telephone 01978 315644**

### Maths Department Updates

There will be mid-year assessments taking place for Year's 7 & 8 WB 5<sup>th</sup> February. These assessments are nothing to worry about. They are simply to inform their teachers about areas in which they are confident and any areas which may need to be addressed. Pupils will be given revision lists next week which detail more information about what they can do in order to prepare and which topics to look over.

Year's 9 & 10 Set 1 pupils have been entered for the UK Maths Challenge which will be taking place on Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> January. Pupils will be provided with more information from their maths teacher. Further information and a practice paper are available from the following link:

[Intermediate Mathematical Challenge 2024 - UKMT Competitions](#)

### Wellbeing Club

There will be a Wellbeing Club at break time which will commence in Mrs Crows room (LH14) week beginning 19th February. This is a club run by Student Council and open to Year's 7-9 Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday. There will be fantastic activities and a warm, friendly atmosphere for all!

### Attendance & Reporting Absence

All parents/carers will receive an attendance report detailing their child's overall percentage attendance and the number of school days missed in January. Regular attendance at school is important for your child's wellbeing and attainment.

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 and need to contact the school, please use one of the following methods:

**Email: [Attendance@rhosnesni-high.wrexham.sch.uk](mailto:Attendance@rhosnesni-high.wrexham.sch.uk) or telephone: 01978 340947.**

### **Year 11 Non Examined Assessments (NEAs)/Mock Exams.**

**English Language** - individual presentations (speaking and listening) will continue this week for those students who have yet to complete them.

**Digital Technology** - Year 11 students studying Digital Technology will be completing a mock examination on Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> January during lesson 1 and 2 in the IT department.

**Product Design** - Year 11 will be involved in this NEA on Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> February all day.

**Health & Social Care** - Year 11 students will be involved in this NEA on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> February all day.

### **Advance Notice**

There will be extra 'mock' exams taking place on the following days next week:

Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> February - Year 11 English Literature Exam

Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> February - Year 11 Maths Mock Unit 1 (College students will complete in the morning with the rest of the students in the afternoon)

Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> February - Year 11 Maths mock Unit 2

### **Year 9 Option Process**

Year 9 students were given an options talk on Friday and were shown how to fill in the options form. The options are now 'live' on the students Pastoral Classroom on HwB. The students have until **Monday 5<sup>th</sup> February** to complete their choices.

### **Year 9 Parents' Evening**

To support the options process there will be a Year 9 Parents Evening on Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> February from 4-7pm on SchoolCloud. If there are any queries please contact the school.

### **Year 10 Mock Exams: W/C 19<sup>th</sup> February 2024**

The schedule for the Year 10 exams will be sent out this week. The exams are scheduled for after the half term holiday.

### **Extra-Curricular Activities**

Please see the separate sheet attached for lunchtime and afterschool sports clubs.

### **Contacting School**

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

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