

4 March 2024 (Week 2)

HEAD OF HOUSE ASSEMBLY: National Careers Week

THEME OF THE WEEK: "Should the gender of your role models matter?"

THIS WEEK'S QUIZ: Attached in PPT Format

HOUSE CHALLENGE: Uniform



WE ARE READING:

Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Year 11
Northern Lights	A Monster Calls	The Hate U Give	I Must Betray You	The Perks of Being a Wallflower

MESSAGE FROM.....MR READ, ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL



Year 11 - PPE2 and Upcoming Assessments

Last Friday marked the end of the second - and final - PPE window for Year 11. Students have shown excellent commitment to their examinations, turning up early to school to get the final revision and information from their teachers, before conducting themselves perfectly in the exam rooms. We look forward to sharing the results with students and parents/carers at the upcoming Parents' Evening on **Tuesday, 26 March**.

Year 11 should now focus on keeping up this positive momentum through to the actual examinations, the most important things you can do is:

- attend school;
- engage in lessons;
- and take responsibility for their independent learning and homework.

Over the coming weeks, Year 11 will also be starting final practical assessments for their vocational subjects. This begins with Photography and Hospitality & Catering this week. **All staff would like to wish students the best of luck and remind them that staff are available to support with any issues.**

Year 9 Options

It has been an exciting time for Year 9 over the last term as they considered which subjects they would take through to Year 10 and 11. I was really impressed by the number of students stopping to chat with me about their choices and asking for additional advice. I was also delighted to see that nearly all responses were in by the deadline! This has allowed us to move forward with starting to build the curriculum around your preferences.

Year 8 Parents' Evening

Thank you to our Year 8 students who attended our Year 8 Parents' Evening last night, we were delighted to see so many of you in attendance.

POLITE REMINDER

We are a 'Nut Free School' this means we do not sell food containing nuts from our school canteen. We do have both students and staff within our school that have allergies to nuts. We would really appreciate your support in refraining from bring food items containing nuts on to school site. If you have any concerns, please contact Mrs Fox our Medical Needs Co-ordinator at the school.



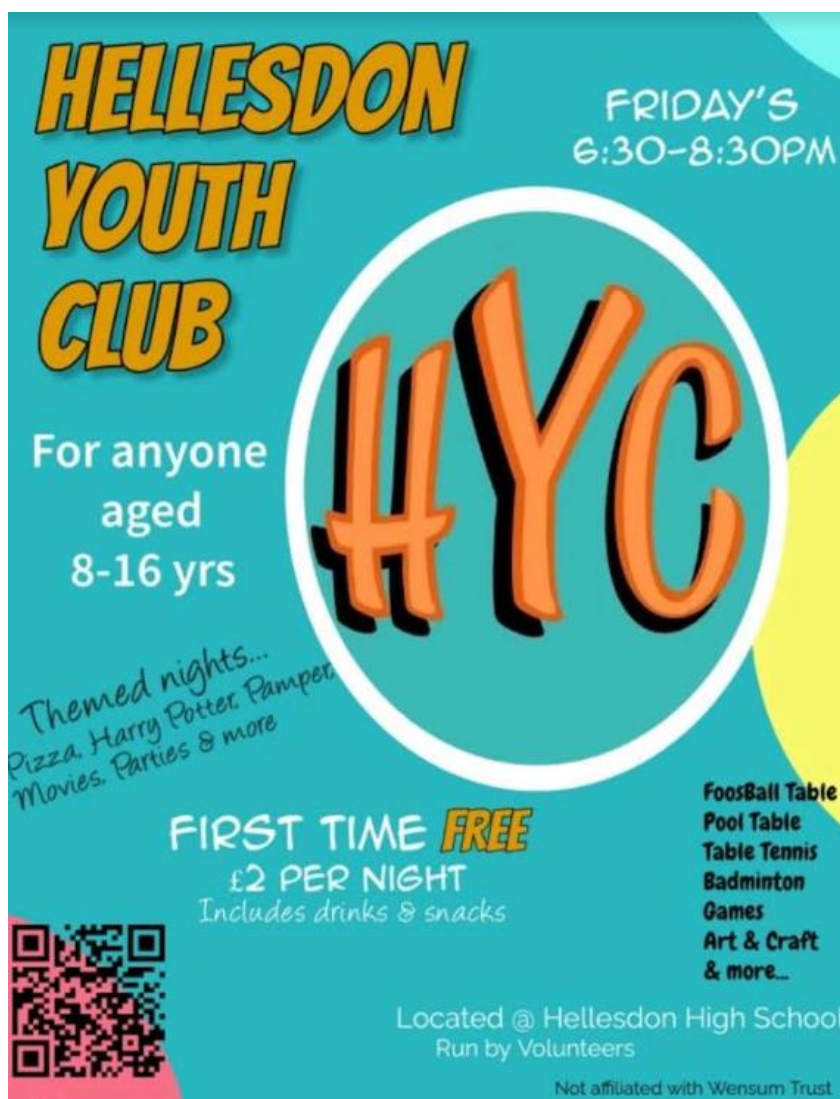
DATES TO REMEMBER

- **7 March** – Year 11 and Sixth Form – Panoramic Photos, Period 1 - Y11, Period 2 - Sixth Form (Main Hall)
- **14 March** – Year 10 Journey to Excellence Evening, 6.30pm – 8.00pm
- **26 March** – Year 11 Parents Evening/Journey to Excellence, 4.00pm – 7.00pm

GENERAL NOTICES

Community 5k Fun Run/Walk for SADS UK Charity – Jo Hill (widower of our ex-student Ian Hill) is organising a Fun Run/Walk for SADS UK Charity in Hellesdon to find out more and get involved click [fun run information](#).

Medical Cards – Students will now be given a key at reception to the multi-use toilet in C block. Please return the key to reception after use. If the key is not there when you arrive at reception you will have to wait for it to return.



**HELLESDON
YOUTH
CLUB**

FRIDAY'S
6:30-8:30PM

For anyone
aged
8-16 yrs

HYC


Themed nights...
Pizza, Harry Potter, Pampers,
Movies, Parties & more

FIRST TIME FREE
£2 PER NIGHT
Includes drinks & snacks

Football Table
Pool Table
Table Tennis
Badminton
Games
Art & Craft
& more...

Located @ Hellesdon High School
Run by Volunteers

Not affiliated with Wensum Trust



SUNDAY 14TH APRIL
**5K COMMUNITY
CHARITY FUN
RUN/WALK FOR
SADSUK**

**WE ARE MEETING AT
9AM**

**CARDS N THINGS
HELLESDON
COME WEARING YOUR
BEST NEON ATTIRE
DOGS, CHILDREN,
PUSHCHAIRS WELCOME**

£5 ENTRY

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World Book Day Activities – Thursday 7th March

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World Book Day is an annual celebration of authors, illustrators, books and the joy of reading!
The aim is to encourage reading for pleasure around the world.



Tokens for free books!

Every HHS student will receive a token to get a brand new book for free! You can spend your token on any World Book Day book in most book shops and supermarkets (including Asda, Tesco, Waterstones and WHSmith). The World Book Day books include 'Creepy Creations' and 'The Doomsday Date'. You can also use your token to receive £1 off any other book. Your English teacher will give you your token; this must be spent by the end of March.



The Masked Reader Competition

There will be a tutor time competition to guess the masked readers from around our school. The tutor group which is most successful in guessing who is behind the books will win a prize! Entries must be submitted by Friday 8th to be in with a chance of winning.

Book Swap Shop

There will be a school book swap shop open in the library during break and lunch time. If you have an old book that you no longer read, bring it in and swap it for something new!



2024 Chapter Challenge

In your lessons throughout the day, you will get to preview the opening chapters of three exciting new books. As your teacher reads to you, complete your Chapter Challenge booklet to be in with a chance of winning your favourite book from the day and a sweet treat to enjoy whilst you read it!

Book Themed Snacks

The catering team will be celebrating World Book Day too. Head to the canteen for book themed cakes and treats.



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Design a Book Cover/ Character

There will be lots of creative activities running in the library at break and lunch time. One of these is the chance to design your own book cover or your own book character. Eat your lunch and then come along – everyone is welcome!

Make a Book Hedgehog

There is the opportunity to make a book hedgehog any day of the week of World Book Day. Workshops are free and take place at lunch time. Please sign-up in the library to take part.

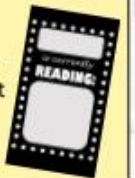


'Sixteen Books to Read Before You're Sixteen'

Looking for some inspiration on what to read? Have a look on the screens around school, in the library and on Oliver for a list of 16 books to read before you're 16 as recommended by our school staff. Read and review five or more of these throughout the year to win a prize.

Spot what your teachers are reading!

Have a look at the 'I'm currently reading...' posters which will appear on each teacher's door. Also, look out for what your teachers are reading on duty throughout the day. Talk to them about what they love to read and why!



Book Bingo Launch!

Book Bingo will launch on World Book Day. Read a book from one of the squares to earn a stamp. Get a line and win a book; get a full house and win a £10 book voucher. There's sweet treats to be won too. See your English teacher or Mrs Oz in the library for more details.

New Library Displays

Several new library displays will be launched this week. Come and have a look for some reading inspiration!



If you have any questions about our World Book Day activities, please ask Miss Beardmore, Mrs Percival or Mrs Oz. Happy Reading! 😊

TUTOR BULLETIN



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HOUSE ATTENDANCE REPORTS: Last Weeks Attendance

Everest	Fuji	Nevis	Olympus	Snowdon
7RDR 94.7% 🏆	7SC 87.6%	7MU 82%	7JCO 86.5%	7RA 89.6%
7BWN 91.1%	7RNS 88.8%	7GD 84.2%	7HRN 85.2%	🏆 7DA 94.7% 🏆
8BK 95.2%	8HIL 88.2%	8DV 90%	🏆 8BAR 96.4% 🏆	8PO 85.7%
8BRK 88.7%	8WES 95.1%	8HV 92.2%	8KA 87.6%	8HA 94.3%
9RE 86.6%	🏆 9HFM 95.7%	9ESC 88.5%	9EPI 80.5%	9TH 79.3%
🏆 9TM 97.3% 🏆	9TMA 89.4%	9MA 89.9%	9THM 87.4%	9WY 74.2%
10RD 87.5%	10BNG 80.3%	10SH 86.9%	10LE 83.4%	10LG 94.5%
10TAB 73.8%	10HVV 84.8%	🏆 10HWD 95.6% 🏆	10LF 85%	10RO 79.2%
11BEA 72.7%	11DO 80.5%	11GDN 78.1%	11PS 87%	11CU 78.8%
11BY 81.7%	11GL 77.8%	11DAV 87.4% 🏆	11FRK 84.9%	11BE 74.3%



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Everest	Fuji	Nevis	Olympus	Snowdon
7RDR 96%	7SC 96%	7MU 90%	7JCO 91%	7RA 97%
7BWN 98% 	7RNS 97%	7GD 97%	7HRN 94%	 7DA 100% 
 8BK 98% 	8HIL 89%	8DV 97%	8BAR 89%	8PO 93%
8BRK 86%	8WES 97%	8HV 86%	8KA 93%	8HA 94%
9RE 97%	9HFM 96%	9ESC 94%	9EPI 95% 	9TH 97%
9TM 95%	9TMA 98% 	 9MA 99% 	9THM 94%	9WV 92%
10RD 91%	10BNG 95%	 10SH 98%	10LE 84%	10LG 96%
10TAB 97%	10HVY 90%	10HWD 93%	10LF 85%	10RO 88%
11BEA 89%	11DO 79%	11GDN 80%	11PS 73%	 11CU 95%
11BY 86%	11GL 91%	11DAV 87%	11FRK 81%	11BE 93%



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