## **Burton Borough School Family Weekly Bulletin**

Week beginning: 13th March 2023

**Dates for your Diary** 



Event Date and Time	Event	Who is it for?	Location
Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> April 2023 6.00pm – 7.30pm	KS4 Celebration Evening	Year 10 & Year 11 Students/Parents/Carers	New Hall
Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> June 2023 5.30pm – 6.30pm	KS3 Celebration Evening	Year 7, Year 8 & Year 9 Students/Parents/Carers	New Hall
Tuesday 13 <sup>th</sup> June 2023. 5.30pm – 6.30pm	Year 11 Induction Evening (for Year 10 students)	Year 10 Students/Parents/Carers	New Hall

## News – for photos and daily updates, please check out our Instagram and Twitter accounts @BurtonBorough MFL

Many thanks to all who completed the student voice. It really helps us to focus on key areas for development. Any feedback is always appreciated. We are looking for Student Language Leaders who will be part of our journey. They will champion Languages and support the Department. They will have the opportunity to work with local primaries and businesses, attend open days and much more. If your child is interested in applying, please ask them to contact us in person, or message us via Teams – TEAM MFL





## **Reception Opening Hours**

We would like to remind you that our reception opening hours are as follows:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday: 8.15am – 4.00pm

Wednesday: 8.15am - 2.30pm

Please note: The telephones are not manned outside of these hours. We do have a voicemail facility, so please leave a message if you call outside of these hours; ensuring that you include your child's name and small school or year group. Alternatively, you may wish to email school, which you can do via the contact tab on our school website. You will find the contact page here: https://www.burtonborough.org.uk/contact

### **Spanish Student Exchange**

We have welcomed back Spanish students from Madrid this week. They have buddied up with our students and lived with local families. They have also been supporting our GCSE groups to improve their speaking skills - TEAM MFL

#### **Chetwynd Bronze Status**

Chetwynd students were awarded bronze status this week by the KS3 takeover day Head of Chetwynd!

### **KS3 Take Over Day**

On Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> March, as part of National Careers Week, we held our Key Stage 3 Takeover day where students in KS3 took on staff job roles for the day. We had a full senior leadership team, including the Principal, who held a full SLT meeting, we had students teaching lessons, manning reception, covering support roles and working in the school kitchen. This was covered by BBC Midlands Today, Shropshire Radio (The Adam Green show on both Tuesday & Wednesday Morning) and the Shropshire Star.



https://www.shropshirestar.com/news/education/schoolevents/2023/03/08/move-over-sir--im-in-charge-of-schooltoday/

Feedback from students was excellent and we really enjoyed the day. A copy of the Midlands today report and links to radio interviews have been shared on our social media.



#### **International Debating!**

These students were involved in International Debates this week which were conducted virtually. We now await to see if they are through to the next round!



## PE Fixtures – Dates for your Diary

Monday 13th

- Girls U13 National Cup Football @ BBS 3:15pm KO
- Y8 Boys Football V Mary Webb School (Away)

Tuesday 14th

- U12 County Netball @ Wrekin College 1pm start
- Y11 V Idsall School Boys Football @ BBS

Wednesday 15th

- Y9/10/11 Girls Football @ BBS 2:50pm KO

Thursday 16th March

- Netball and Boys Football GCSE PE skills filming

Friday 17th March

- Girls Football GCSE PE Skills Filming
- Y7 Boys Football V Ludlow School

### **Notices For All Year Groups**

#### **Bullying Prevention Working Group**

The Bullying Prevention Working Group consists of teachers, students, parents, governors and support staff. We meet every half-term and are committed to ensuring BBS is a caring, friendly and safe environment for all of our pupils so they can learn in a relaxed and secure atmosphere. We would like more parents to join this group. If you are interested, please contact Kim Stephens, Vice Principal for Inclusion <a href="mailto:kim.stephens@taw.org.uk">kim.stephens@taw.org.uk</a>

#### **SEND Working Party**

The SEND Working Party meets on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> March at 930am. The group comprises students, parents, teachers, governors and support staff. We are committed to providing an exemplary level of support for students with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities. If you would like to influence BBS SEND policy by joining this group, please contact Kim Stephens, Vice Principal for Inclusion <a href="mailto:kim.stephens@taw.org.uk">kim.stephens@taw.org.uk</a>

## Young Carers Action Day – 15 March 2023

#### "Make time for Carers"

The young adult carers need support as they continue to balance their caring role with the difficult transition into early adulthood.

Being a young carer can be tough. You have extra chores, worries and responsibilities – and can struggle to keep up at school, often missing out on a social life, and feeling isolated and stressed.

Young carers can feel overwhelmed, and with additional support in schools, access to finance and counselling would help them cope with the difficult physical and emotional situation they find themselves in.

For further information on how you can support the young carers that attend you school please visit the links below:

Telford & Wrekin Young Carers

#### **Year 8 Notices**

The School Aged Immunisation Service (SAIS) are preparing to deliver the Gender Neutral HPV Vaccine to Year 8 pupils on 27<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> March. Please complete and return the consent form which will be distributed early next week.

#### **Year 11 Notices**



The deadline for ordering Year 11 Leavers Hoodies is 27th March 2023. Please order them direct through the website.

## **Wellbeing Message**



## Year 11 Intervention Timetable:

# (These Intervention sessions are open to all Year 10 and Year 11 students) White Week = Core Subjects

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
English	Maths		Science	GCSE PE

## Blue Week = Option Subjects

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Geography /	Q Option		P Option	GCSE PE
History	Subject		Subject	

## Year 10 Intervention Timetable:

## Blue Week = Core Subjects

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
English	Maths		Science	GCSE PE

## White Week = Option Subjects

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Geography /	Q Option		P Option	GCSE PE
History	Subject		Subject	

#### PE Extra-Curricular Timetable:

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	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
		Badminton Club SWI			Social Sports EMP
	Girls Football (Field) JDA	Boys Football JDA/EMP		Dodgeball/Benchball Club (JDA/ZGO)	
		Netball MRO	Period X Sport Activities		
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