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SOUTH SHROPSHIRE ACADEMY

Edition 3 27th September 2019



Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been another busy week, which ended with our annual Open Evening and Open Morning. You will remember viewing secondary schools yourselves, as parents and carers, when making the choice of school for your own child / children. As a parent myself, I know that it is not an easy decision, but the true ambassadors of our school, the students, made our evening and morning a really pleasurable experience for visitors. Thank you, therefore, to students who assisted on Open Evening and during Open Morning. Your welcoming manner, openness in conversation and maturity was noted in the feedback from prospective parents.

Next week we look forward to welcoming parents and carers to the Year 7 Review meeting with their son / daughter's Form Tutor. Starting in a new school is always a time of angst, along with excitement for students and parents alike, therefore we hope the opportunity to share initial 'settling in' thoughts with tutors will be useful. It may even have enabled parents and carers to find out the answer to the often asked but briefly answered question of "What did you do today in school?"

We also hope to enjoy our sponsored walk later next week, however at the time of writing, the weather forecast is not looking like it will be a very pleasant day. We will make a decision during next week whether we will continue as planned or postpone the event, letting you know of course at the earliest opportunity.

Best wishes for a lovely weekend

Mr. J. Parr

Headteacher



We are pleased to announce we have maintained our school Food Hygiene Rating of '5 – Very Good' after an inspection this week. Well done to the restaurant staff!

Nut Free School

We aim to be a nut free school. If your child brings packed lunches or snacks in from home please ensure (even if your child is not allergic) that they do not contain nuts or nut-products, in order to protect those in school with severe allergies. Our kitchen doesn't knowingly use nuts, however nut traces can be found in many products especially when manufactured in a factory alongside nut products.

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE SCHOOL TARGET = 96%
WHOLE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE
SINCE SEPTEMBER 96.4%
16th September - 20th September 2019

Caradoc 96.5% Hazler 96.8% Lawley 93.9% Ragleth 96.5%

Students' Dietary Requirements, including allergies

Please let the school know of any dietary requirements/allergies that your child has using the special Dietary Request form which can be found on the school website, www.churchstretton.shropshire.sch.uk under the Parent tab, and School Meals.

Please complete the Dietary Request form and return to the school office as soon as possible. You will also be required to provide a document of support for your child's file. This can be from GP or another supporting practitioner e.g. nutritionist, dietician.



ACCELERATED READER



LOOK HOW WELL OUR PUPILS ARE DOING

Congratulations to all the students listed below for meeting or beating their target

Year 7

Sophie Allison Poppy Cumberlidge

Ella McFarlane

Year 8

Ben Holdsworth Merve Ozsevgec

Finlay Walker





When:

Monday 12:20pm until 1:00pm Thursday until 3:10pm until 4:10pm

Where:

B8

Mr Overton will be there to help

What's your plan this evening, Xbox? Hanging out with friends? Well that pesky homework gets in the way of it all! Wish you didn't have to do this at home? Well now you don't! If you have parents who have to collect you late or you just want to get it out of the way, then homework club is for you!

You can: talk to fellow students, do homework, do revision for tests, and you can go on the computers if you finished.

Weekly Kahoot quiz with prizes!

Oh, and if that doesn't make you want to go, we have free biscuits and printing!

Homework Timetable 2019-20

	Mon A	Tue A	Wed A	Thu A	FriA	Mon B	Tue 8	Wed 8	Thu 5	Fri B	
7x1	MATHS	ENGUSH	GEOGRAPHY	ART BIOLOGY	RE MUSIC	DT	CHEMISTRY	FRENCH PHYSICS	HISTORY COMP SC	DRAMA	7x1
7x2	FRENCH PHYSICS	ENGLISH	ART	MUSIC	RE GEOGRAPHY	COMP SC DT	MATHS	CHEMISTRY	DRAMA	HISTORY	7x2
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SHREWSBURY COLLEGES GROUP

Hello!

As you are about to enter Year 11 we want to ensure you make an informed decision about what happens when you leave school. The choices available include full-time education, apprenticeships and employment. The range of education and training is vast and, as well as choosing subjects, possible careers and university routes, you also need to understand the levels and types of qualifications.

To help you navigate your many options we are delighted to present a choice of three one-stop opportunities to explore your options (including travel and financial information) which have been consistently rated Very or Extremely useful by 75% of attendees, over the last three years.

Oswestry: Saturday 28 September 10.00am-1.00pm

Shrewsbury: Monday 30 September 3.30-7.30pm (originally Tuesday 24 Sep)

Telford: Saturday 5 October 10.00am-1.00pm

To see exhibitor lists and book your place visit www.futurestudy.co.uk and follow the links.

You and a guest are invited to book a suitable time slot to secure your place which are available on a first come basis through the booking system. (These are very popular events and to ensure as many school leavers can access it as possible we do restrict guest numbers to one per pupil. If there is a specific reason you need a further space please get in touch.)

At the events you will be able to get a wide variety of information and speak to local colleges, sixth forms, and training providers - please keep checking the booking page for the updated lists.

In addition to these events, teams from Shrewsbury Colleges Group will be visiting schools throughout Year 11, providing information and support, and dates of College Advice Events and Taster activities.

I hope you will be able to join us. Please book your space by

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using the links listed above or email events@shrewsbury.ac.uk for assistance. Please do book early as they are busy events!

I look forward to welcoming you.

Yours sincerely.

Catherine Armstrong, Group Vice Principal, Curriculum Support & Business Development

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College Open Days 2019-20

(Shrewsbury 6th Form and Shrewsbury College)

Need to book via website. No cost.

Shrewsbury 6th Form College

English and Welsh Bridge Campuses

Tuesday 15th October 2019 5:00pm – 8:00pm Wednesday 23rd October 2019 5:00pm– 8:00pm

Shrewsbury College

London Road Campus

Thursday 7th November 2019 5:00pm-8:00pm

Hereford 6th Form College

Wednesday 23rd October 2019 5:00pm – 8:00pm

Saturday 8th February 2020 9:30am - 12:30pm Thursday 30th April 2020 5:30pm -7:30pm

Ludlow College

Thursday 3rd October 2019 5:00pm - 8:00pm Tuesday 14th January 2020 5:00pm- 8:00pm Saturday 7th March 2020 10:00am - 12:00pm

North Shropshire College

Oswestry Campus

Wednesday 23rd October 2019 5pm – 7pm Wednesday 12th February 2020 5pm -7pm Wednesday 17th June 2020 5:00pm – 7pm

Walford Campus (Animal Care)

Saturday 19th October 2020 10am- 12pm Saturday 8th February 2020 10am- 12pm Saturday 20th June 2020 10am - 12pm

Reaseheath College- Cheshire (Agriculture)

Saturday 19th October 2019 10:30am start

<u>Hartpury – Gloucestershire</u> (Agricultural)

Saturday 14th September 2019 Saturday 12th October 2019 Saturday 9th November 2019

Hereford School of Art

Saturday 12th October 10:00am Monday 11th November 2019 6:00pm Tuesday 3rd December 2019 6:00pm Wednesday 8th January 2020 6:00pm Thursday 13th February 2020 6:00pm Thursday 12th March 2020 6:00pm

Herefordshire College

Hereford Campus

Tuesday 12th November 2019 4:30pm -7:30pm Wednesday 22th January 2020 4:30pm -7:30pm

Thursday 12th March 2020 4:30pm -7:00pm

Holme Lacy Campus (Agricultural)

Saturday 9th November 2019 10am-12pm Saturday 25th November 2019 10am – 12pm



THE ROYAL OPERA'S THRILLING VERSION OF A MOZART CLASSIC

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Showing of the live performance

Church Stretton School Theatre

Sung in Italian with English subtitles.

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Sexual intrigue, jealousy, wit, anger... and retribution! The new Royal Opera Season begins with Mozart's engaging masterpiece, which follows Don Giovanni, the women he serially seduces, and the vengeance that finally catches up with him. The opera is renowned for its ever-shifting portrayals of complex characters, fast-moving action and mix of the comic and the heartfelt. A cast of international singers – both familiar and making Royal Opera debuts – under conductor Hartmut Haenchen perform the glorious arias and ensembles of this opera favourite.

Theatre only prices £12 and £8 (under 18) pay on the door or pre-book

Enquiries and pre-bookings 01694 722209

FLICKS

Online sales at <u>www.artsalive.co.uk</u> www.churchstretton.shropshire.sch.uk



Church Stretton School Annual Christmas



Sat 16 November

Freshly cooked food available
ALL DAY!

freeentry

Church Stretton School Shrewsbury Rd Church Stretton SY6 6EX Organised by the PTA to raise funds for:



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