

# Bulletin

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15<sup>th</sup> December 2025



OLD BUCKENHAM  
HIGH SCHOOL

## STUDENT

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Assembly	Year 11 Christmas Celebrations	Year 8 Christmas Celebrations	Year 9 Christmas Celebrations	Year 7 Christmas Celebrations	Year 10 Christmas Celebrations
Lunchtime Clubs	KS3 Art Club Rm 3  Battle of the Bands Rm 30  Language Film Club Rm 36  Allotment Club  Culture Club Library  All Yrs Social Netball <b>Cancelled</b> MUGA  Inter House Rehearsals Yellow Tie Rm 35  Y11 History Exam Booster Sessions Week A Rm 11 Week B Rm 10	LGBTQ+ Allies Rm 6  Games Club <b>Cancelled</b> Rm 22  Ukulele Club Rm 30  KS4 English Revision Library  Yr 7 Football MUGA	A Quiet Space Rm 8  Craft Club Rm 24  Choir Rm 30  Yr 8 Football MUGA  Y7 and 8 Mathswatch Homework Club Rm 20  Inter House Rehearsals Red and Blue Tie Rm 35	KS4 Art Students Rm 3  DofE Drop in/sessions Rm 6  Year 11 Science Revision Rm 21  Empower Half Hour Library  Yr 9 Football MUGA  Inter House Rehearsals Green Tie Rm 35	KS4 Art Students Rm 3  A Quiet Space Rm 8  Quiz Club Rm 9  Rock Club Practice Rm  Yr 10 Football MUGA  Dungeons and Dragons Club Rm 19
After School Clubs		Y11 Additional English Lesson Rm 14 3.15 – 4.15	Y10 and 11 GCSE PE Self Study Session Rm 20 4.15 Finish	All Yrs Competitive Netball MUGA <b>Cancelled</b> 4.15 Finish  Y11 French Revision Rm 37 4.30 Finish  Y11 Additional Foundation Maths Lesson Rm 7 / Hall 3.15 – 4.15	Clay Club Rm 27 <b>Cancelled</b> 5.00 Finish
Events	Year 11 Visit to Attleborough Academy Sixth Form (Invited students only)	Christmas Concert <b>Cancelled</b>	Christmas Lunch ( <b>Pre-ordered only</b> )  Christmas Jumper Day	Zero Heros Celebration  Year 11 Visit to Yalm (Invited students only)	Chapel Green Week A 1.35pm Week B 2.00pm

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## **Christmas Appeal:**

Thank you so much for your kind donations for St Martins charity. Please remember, all donations will need to be with the school no later than Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> December.

## **Important Notice - Christmas Lunch Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> December:**

Just a reminder that students who have not ordered a Christmas lunch will need to bring in a packed lunch that day as there will be no other meal option available that lunchtime.

Students who receive free school meals, can request a packed lunch from the canteen during breaktime.

## **Christmas Holiday:**

The school closes on Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December at 3.15 and reopens to students on Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> January.

## **Year 9 Options Evening:**

There was an error on the parent calendar, the Year 9 Options Evening is on Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> March not 15<sup>th</sup> January.

## **Lunch Cards:**

Please could students be reminded to bring their lunch cards with them every day to assist with the smooth running of the Canteen queue.

Students who have forgotten their cards are still able to purchase lunch but will be asked to wait at the back of the queue as transactions take longer to process without the cards.

Replacement cards can be purchased on School Gateway and students who received free school meals can get replacement cards free of charge from Main Reception. Thank you.

## **Plea from Food Tech:**

Once again, we are asking for any spare tubs for food tech, and a reminder that all students need to bring their own suitable container for practical lessons and if they do borrow a container, please can this be returned. Thank you.

## **PE and Sports Studies Sweatshirts:**

GCSE PE and Sports Studies students can order sweatshirts to wear for PE lessons on the following link: <https://www.4sportsgroup.com/Old-Buckenham-High-School>.

## **Norfolk Immunisation Team:**

Respiratory and flu-like cases are rapidly on the rise. We urge you to ensure your child receives the flu vaccination. **You have a choice between the quick and painless nasal spray or the Injection which is porcine & gelatine free.** This not only protects your children against being seriously but also protects vulnerable members of your family and community.

We have several community catch-up clinics available. Please use the link <https://eastanglia.schoolvaccination.uk/flu/2025/book> to book an appointment.

If you previously declined consent for your child when we visited the school, you **CAN CHANGE** your consent. Please call our office on 01603 576320, and we will book a clinic appointment for you.

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## Chapel Green Volunteers:

Chapel Green will be visiting the school on Friday afternoons.

## **Week A students are:**

Sonny F  
Coby R  
Bailey F  
Sophie A  
Priya P  
Harry W  
Olivia C

Meet in room 5 as soon as you have registered P3 and changed for PE (Year 9s).

## Chapel Green Volunteers 2

### **P3 Every other Friday Week B at 2:15pm.**

Register with your teacher first then come to room 5 at 2:15.

If a session has to be cancelled by CGS, I will email teachers on the day and the groups will be put back a week.

**Your next session will be displayed on the poster in room 5  
keep an eye on updates and changes to dates.**

Volunteer Leaders are Coby R (9) Sonny F (9)-they will be at every session

Group 1	Group 2	Group 3	Group 4	Group 5	Group 6	Group 7	Group 8
Oscar C (7)	Larrisa L (7)	Jade M (7)	Calvin S (8)	Willow (9)	Chantel (8)	Alex M (7)	Skye 8Y
James O (7)	Jess H (7)	Daisy-May H (7)	Alfie D (8)	Maisie (9)	Grace W (8)	Henry W (7)	Sophie H 8Y
Katelyn N (7)	Freya K (7)	Travis G (7)	Reuben DH (8)	Abeel (8)	Ebony F (8)	Leo H (7)	Emma D (8)
Danni P (7)	Jess K (9)	Sophia T (7)	Olly W (8)	Rufus (8)	Lilly-Mae (8)	Elliot P (8)	Phoenix J (9)
Daisy Jane P (7)	Amber HG (9)	Tahlia H (7)	Coen W (8)	Ava (8)	Michael A (8)	Alyssa (8)	Isis S (9)
Alice S (7)	Molly F (9)	Sienna H (7)	Hunter I (8)	Jacob (8)	Layla J (8)	Tom A (9)	Austin D (8)
Yasmina (7)	Romey S (9)	Summer-Rose G (7)	Owen P (8)	Jack S (8)	Jasmine C (8)	Finlay S (9)	Olivia (8)
Shannon L (7)	Kyria L (9)	Sienna G (7)	Luke C (8)	Arthur W (8)	Harry W (9)	India W (9)	Georgia (8)
Effie D (7)	Millie W (9)	Jasmin G (9)	Preston (8)	Sonny W (9)	Hunter G (9)	Sienna (9) Layla M (9)	Evalee (8)
Natalie C (9)	Erin W (9)	Tosia G (9)	Leo P (8)	Dexter (9)	Jake M (9)	Harrison (9)	Josh D (8)
Sam G (8)	Jimmy W (9)	Kiera C (7) Harry W (8)	Jackson (8)	Henry B (8)	Harry E (9)	Faatima (8)	Masen W (9)

## Attendance:

8.12.25	Whole School	Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Year 11
Cumulative	93.93%	95.21%	93.15%	94.83%	92.57%	94.19%
Weekly	91%	91.30%	93.13%	89.01%	89.64%	90.59%

## Weekly Attendance Raffle:

# Weekly Attendance Raffle Winners

Year 7	Neidas V 7Y Freya S 7B
Year 8	Isla C 8B Zack R 8R
Year 9	Autumn W 9B Jimmy W 9B
Year 10	Bradley F 10B Laura M 10Y
Year 11	Georgia L 11B Jago R 11B

# Respect



## **Star of the Week:**

Each week we identify a pupil in each year to be our star of the week. This is a simple way for us to recognise our pupils who are really representing our Old Buckenham High School values and making us incredibly proud.

Year 7	Henry W	7B	For an exceptional behaviour and attendance record.
Year 8	Leo P	8R	For the most positives in Year 8 this week.
Year 9	Poppy A	9G	For an outstanding number of positives this term.
Year 10	Austin M	10B	Highest positive points and great attitude around the school.
Year 11	Lewis A	11R	Highest positive points and good post mocks work ethic.

## **Other notices:**

### **Term Dates:**

#### **Spring Term:**

First day of term	7th Jan 2026
Half Term	16th Feb 2026 - 20th Feb 2026
Last day of term	27th Mar 2026
Easter Holidays	30th Mar 2026 - 10th Apr 2026

#### **Summer Term:**

First day of term	13th Apr 2026
Early May Bank Holiday	4th May 2026
Half Term	25th May 2026 - 29th May 2026
Last day of term	17th Jul 2026
Summer holidays	20th Jul 2026 - 3rd Sep 2026