

# Old Buckenham High School

## STUDENT Bulletin

Week Beginning 7<sup>th</sup> January 2019

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### HAPPY NEW YEAR

	MON 7 <sup>TH</sup> JAN	TUES 8 <sup>TH</sup> JAN	WED 9 <sup>TH</sup> JAN	THURS 10 <sup>TH</sup> JAN	FR1 11 <sup>TH</sup> JAN
AM					
Notes		Careers Interviews	Careers Interviews		
Assembly	Y11 Assembly Mr Fell	Y10 Assembly Mr Fell	Y9 Assembly Mr Fell	Y8 Assembly Mr Fell	Y7 Assembly Mr Fell
Lunchtime Sports				Y7/8 Basketball	
Lunchtime Groups		More2life Rm5	LGBT+Group Rm29  Creative Writing Club Room 7	Reading Club in the Library	OBHS Project Room 8
After School Clubs	GCSE Handball Club 3.15-4.15  All Yrs Table Tennis 3.15-4.15	All Yrs Cross Country 3.15-4.00	Y11 Handball Tournament at FEHS Leave 2.00 Pick-up 5.30		All Yrs Badminton 3.15-4.15
After School Revision	Please see the attached timetable				
Events				Y9 Options and Progress Evening	
Ambs	Liam F Riley F	Lisa L Maddi-Mae H	Poppy B Esther G	Finley B Curtis B	Darcy J Mia P

### Year 9 Options Evening

Please note this evening will run slightly differently. There will be a talk at 4.45-5.00 and repeated at 6.30-6.45 by Mr Fell in the Hall where parents will be given information regarding the options process. Please note that appointments must not be made during this time.

### Christmas Fund Raising

Congratulations to everyone who took part in the Christmas Jumper Day and the Friends Festive Friday on 14<sup>th</sup> December. £104.30 was raised for Save the Children and £268 for the Friends of Old Buckenham High School.

## **Homework:**

Dear all,

Your teachers have been working on developing a bank of homework resources which can be used to support your learning. Some subjects have produced knowledge maps to share the important information clearly with you, other subjects have designed a series of tasks linked to the knowledge and skills important for you to make progress in the unit.

While your homework will continue to be set on Go4Schools, staff and student absence can sometimes mean that homework is missed. The resources are now all saved on the school website and can be used in addition to/ alongside any homework set by your classroom teacher. We will continue to create and upload resources this year, so you will find that new resources appear on the website as the term continues.

Please follow the instructions below if you are not sure how to access the resources on the website.



# Homework Resources

**In order to support you in your learning, a range of homework resources are now available for you to access on the school website. These resources will be added to throughout the school year.**

- Some subjects have created 1 handout which contains essential knowledge and/or tasks for the whole half term. These may be set by your classroom teacher on Go4Schools, but will also be available to download from the website too.
- Other subjects have chosen to create additional homework tasks which you can choose to complete on top of homework set by your classroom teacher if you would like the extra challenge.

*The instructions on the next slide will walk you through where to find the information about homework on the new school website. Please take a few minutes to have a look at what is available.*

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1. Select **students** from the bar along the top of the home page.

[www.obhs.co.uk](http://www.obhs.co.uk)

5. You will find downloadable resources in the section called **student homework resources**



**The importance of Homework**

In the OBHS (OBHS) school of mind, our view of OBHS is to encourage students, staff and the learning partners.

**Homework is essential to learning because:**

- offers a valuable opportunity to extend or practice for new learning
- offers a opportunity to go to the OBHS school to class
- enables you to manage, write and consolidate learning
- allows your teacher spend what the lesson teaching
- promotes an independent approach to learning which is key to you achieving well
- develops your effective time management and good organisational skills
- offers you additional responsibilities to control and keep work
- helps to the value of studying and doing learning
- To support students in organising their learning you have been issued with an OBHS Homework High School Planner.

In addition to all homework being set on GoStudy, you are expected to take a copy of your homework and hand it in to your planner.

Please show your parents/career your planner regularly so that you can keep up to date with the homework you have been set and communicate with the school.

Homework - By year group:

- Homework - Year 7 (Open)
- Homework - Year 8 (Open)
- Homework - Year 9 (Open)
- Homework - Year 10 (Open)
- Homework - Year 11 (Open)
- Homework - Year 12 (Open)

2. Scroll down and select **homework** from the menu bar on the left hand side of the page.

3. Once you are on the **student homework** page, it will look like this

4. All of the grey bars open up further pages in this section – have a look!

6. Once in the section called **student homework resources**, you can then select the term and your year group to access the resources you will need.

- Autumn 1
- Autumn 2
- Spring 1
- Spring 2
- Summer 1
- Summer 2

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How are you, Students?

**STUDENTS**

- Curriculum
- Careers Advice
- Curriculum
- Educational Visits
- E-Safety
- Exams and GCSEs
- Extra-curricular Activities
- Further Education
- Houses
- Key Stage 3
- Key Stage 4
- Literacy and Reading
- Master of the
- OBHS Award
- Options
- Staff Director's 2024/25
- Student Leadership and Responsibilities
- Uniform
- Useful Websites
- Homework

## Year 11 Revision Sessions:

Our programme of lunchtime and after-school revision and catch-up sessions starts on Monday (7<sup>th</sup> January). All students will receive a paper copy of the timetable for the whole term next week and it will be available electronically on the school website. A link will be sent to parents once it is uploaded. Up until February half term, teachers are inviting students to attend all sessions which they feel are appropriate to them and which they feel would be supportive in preparing them for their GCSEs.

After February half term, all students will be written to with a personalised invite to attend the sessions which we feel are the most important for them. Revision loyalty cards will be handed out during form times next week – it is important that students get it signed and dated at the end of each session. Once the loyalty cards are completed, they can be traded in for a reward.

Day	Lunchtime	After School			
Monday	<b>History</b> (Grades 1-4) <b>Room 10</b>	<b>Science:</b> Chemistry - Atoms and the periodic table. <b>Room 22</b>		<b>Geography:</b> Extended writing for landform and processes questions-Coastal landform-Spits. <b>Room 27</b>	
Tuesday		<b>English:</b> Approaches to reading unseen Language Paper texts. Grades 1-4. <b>Room 7</b>	<b>Geography:</b> Extended writing for case study questions - The River Dee. <b>Room 27</b>	<b>Maths:</b> Higher Tier Revision: Grades 4-6 <b>Room 13</b> ; Grades 7-9 <b>Room 15</b>	PE: Lifestyle Choices. <b>Room 28</b>
Wednesday					
Thursday		<b>Art:</b> Unit 1 Catch-Up for All. 3.15pm - 5.15pm. <b>Room 17</b>	<b>Music:</b> Component 2 composition coursework catch-up session. 3.15 - 5.00pm. <b>Room 30</b>	<b>Geography:</b> River processes and landscapes. <b>Room 26</b>	<b>Drama:</b> Component 2 scripted pieces. <b>Room 35</b>
Friday	<b>French:</b> Speaking & Writing. <b>Room 36.</b>	<b>German:</b> Speaking & Writing. <b>Room 37</b>	<b>Lunchtime Maths:</b> Grades 3 – 5. <b>Room 14.</b>		