

Week A

Old Buckenham High School

STUDENT Bulletin

Week Beginning 30th November 2020

Be the best we can be

Year 7 Nasal Flu Immunisations

On Tuesday 1st December the School Nursing Team will be in School for the Year 7 Flu Immunisation Programme. This will only apply to the students whose Parents / Carers have already given consent on the Portal.

If you wish to speak to the School Nursing Team they can be contacted on 0300 555 5055.

After School Revision Clubs

There will be no Year 11 after school revision clubs until after Christmas.

Year 10 Virtual Progress Evening - Online Appointment Booking

The Year 10 Progress Evening is being held on Thursday 10th December 2020 between 4:30 – 7:00 pm.

The school is following Government advice closely and therefore the evening will take place online via video using the Schoolcloud system.

Appointments can be made from Wednesday 25th November 2020 at 6:00pm and will close on Wednesday 9th December 2020 at 4:00pm.

Please visit <https://oldbuckenhamhigh.schoolcloud.co.uk/>.

Christmas Hampers

Unfortunately, we will not be holding our Christmas Hamper Competition this year for St Martins but the Charity will be collecting items of non-perishable food on Christmas Eve in Old Buckenham Church Rooms if you would still like to make a donation.

World AIDS Day Tuesday 1st December

We will be marking World AIDS Day by students either wearing a home made red ribbon or a single item of red clothing e.g. a red jumper. Please note this is not a non-uniform day. There will be an opportunity for students to make a donation.

Food and Nutrition

In the Food and Nutrition Department we are looking for nice food presentation plates and crockery for the Year 11's to use for their NEA's. We ideally want plates, bowls, crockery, serving dishes that are white or minimal in colour, that are in good condition and would look impressive when presenting the pupils final food creations. Thank you

Star of the Week

- Y7 Mason F 7T – After missing two weeks of school (isolating) he has returned super focused and positive and has made great progress catching up on missed work. Also, all his work on G4S was completed during isolation.
- Y8 Alexander C 8CR – For the most positive points this week.
- Y9 Bethany W 9B – For achieving her platinum award. An exceptional achievement.
- Y10 Taylor F 10CR – For showing a positive attitude in all lessons.
- Y11 Billy T 11F and Ben J 11B – For both showing resilience with their mock exams.

Attendance

Whole School Weekly 95.07% Cumulative 94.39%

Norfolk County Council

New tools for supporting and managing SEND provision in Norfolk

Virtual School SEND (VS SEND) at Norfolk County Council have produced two new tools that are freely available to all mainstream settings to support their provision for children and young people with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND).

The new tools are:

1. Identification of needs descriptors in educational settings (INDES)
2. An Inclusion and Provision Self-Evaluation Framework (IPSEF)

Why have we produced these tools?

The vast majority of children and young people can have their needs met in their local school and be part of the community alongside their peers. These tools aim to help settings to give children and young people the support they need.

We are confident that these tools will help both settings and individuals, by enabling settings to:

- clearly, confidently, and quickly assess needs at an early stage
- identify strengths and areas for development
- access appropriate support and funding

What are the benefits of these tools?

The INDES and IPSEF will help us to plan the services we provide to support settings to enable them to meet the needs of their children and young people.