

Windsor News and Information



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Reminder: Friday 30th September is an INSET day and school will be closed.

Dates for your diary

- Wednesday 5th October – Year 11 Parents Revision Evening
- Monday 10th October – Accelerated Reading Parents Evening
- Thursday 13th October – Sports Awards Evening
- Tuesday 18th October – Character Development Day

INSET Day: Notification of an INSET day change

Friday 2nd December will now be an INSET day (not Friday 9th December) as listed on the school calendar.

Year 7 End of Day Arrangements

Our Year 7 students have made a wonderful start to their Windsor journey and are ready to cease their early departure time as planned.

From Monday 3rd October, Year 7 will finish at the same time as the rest of the school. They will therefore be released from school at 3:10pm.

Online Safety

Please see the link below which will take you to the National Online Safety website where you can find some really helpful guides and information with regard to helping keep your child or children safe online.

<https://nationalonlinesafety.com/training/resources>

The information and guides available advise what parents and carers need to know about gaming, technology and social media. For example,

Snapchat - [Snapchat Guide](#)

Instagram - [Instagram Guide](#)

TikTok - [TikTok Guide](#)



We always recommend you discuss your child's online activity and these resources will help with this.

School meals

Don't forget students can top up their accounts by cash at the pay stations in school. Students in receipt of free school meals automatically have the funds topped up each day. If you think you may be eligible for free school meals and are not currently receiving them you can apply online through our website: <https://www.windsorhighschool.org.uk/school-life/essential-information/free-school-meals/>

Alternatively you can ask at reception for a form.



Special points of interest:

- **PTA** – for information about joining, contact Mr Andi Buckley on 0121 550 1452
- **Lost Property** is kept for two weeks. Students are notified of items via the daily message sheet.
- **Uniform:** Sales are now online: <https://www.swischoolwear.co.uk/>

Leadership Academy Graduation

45 students from Years 9, 10 & 11 have graduated as part of Windsor's Leadership Academy this year.

They volunteered to give up their time to attend Leadership training, planned and delivered sessions in their PE lessons and in local Primary schools. Each member has also helped lead at least two School Games events, and many were leaders at the Black Country Games.

I am so proud of their hard work, determination and how they displayed the ASPIRE character skills. Thank you to ALL Leadership Academy members.

Mrs K Jones



Keeping Children Safe in Education - Translations

At Windsor High School and Sixth Form, safeguarding is of paramount importance. We work tirelessly to ensure our students are safe, happy and supported in fulfilling their potential.

In line with this, you can read translated versions of the Department for Education's Keeping Children Safe in Education guidance [here](#).

The guidance available has been translated into 13 community languages:

- Arabic
- Bengali
- Chinese (Simpl.)
- Chinese (Trad.)
- Gujarati
- Polish
- Portuguese (Brazilian)
- Punjabi
- Romanian
- Somali
- Spanish
- Ukrainian
- Urdu

Can you please make sure your child brings a drink to school.

They should bring a full bottle which they may refill with water from the cool water dispensers around school during break times.

Thank you for your support.



We are now on Facebook!

As you are aware, we have a Twitter account which you can follow here: [@Windsor Tweets](#).

We also now have a Facebook page where you will be able to find useful information about upcoming events and student achievements at Windsor High School and Sixth Form.

You can find the page [here](#).

Please like, follow and share the page.

German Stars of the Week

Year 7 – Catrin J, Isaac S, Ruby R

Year 8 – Lucy H, Zachary E, Q'Ue P

Year 9 – Hollie T, Kainan S, Avery H

Year 10 – Deborah C, Freddie T, Tegan S, Devin C

Year 11 – All of Year 11 for their excellent effort in their KAT



Spanish Stars of the Week

Year 7 – Gethin G, Mona A

Year 8 – Oliver C, Elenia H, Logan B,
Amelia H

Year 9 – Zia W, Lily S, Mia H, Alifa B, Freya L,
Millie B, Malaikah M, Zaynab C

Year 11 - Rohan B, Ryan G, Georgina R, Kitty S,
Aman C, Jess S, Jake G, Lexie C



French Stars of the Week

Year 7 – Fadi G, Amrit K, Tyler K, Yasha S

Year 8 – Sara A, Millie M, Bella T, Sami A

Year 9 – Crina C, Rithvik S, Kiren S, Jun Xi C,
Liam R

Year 10 - Sabila B, Harvey L

Year 11 – Lily T, Ellie R, Isobel P



Windsor Golf Academy in Partnership with Hagley Golf Club

We are pleased to be able to offer places for students to participate in our continuing Windsor Golf Academy this year at Hagley Golf Club.

The cost of this programme is £50 for the Autumn Term for 11 x 1 hour sessions (1 hour coaching is usually £8.50 per session!). This includes free club and equipment hire, a one hour coaching session by a PGA professional, and a FootJoy Golf Polo Top (worth over £40!). The polo top will have the school logo on and students will wear this throughout the whole year for coaching, and to use when potentially looking at competing in golf tournaments and leagues. If required, a payment plan can be set up to split each term payment over three months of £16.70 per month.

The sessions take place on Monday evenings for KS3 Years 7-9 and Wednesday evenings KS4 Years 10-11 after school at Hagley Golf Club. Students will be taken by a staff member of Windsor to Hagley Golf Club by minibus which will leave school at 3.20pm. The sessions will finish at 4.40pm and we will return to school by 5.00pm. I ask that you arrange to collect your son/daughter from the school at this time after each session, otherwise permission will need to be given for your son/daughter to make their own way home. Students can either wear their school uniform or change into sports clothing. A pair of comfortable sports trainers or golf shoes is advised.

If your son/daughter is interested in this fantastic opportunity please ask them to speak to Miss Rock. There are a limited amount of spaces so this opportunity will be on a first come, first served basis.



Update of student details

Please remember to update us of any changes to: your emergency contact details, home address, and your child's medical needs.

Please send notes of any amendments to student reception via your child. Alternatively you can email info@windsor.windsoracademytrust.org.uk for the attention of Pastoral Administration.