



House of Commons Visit

On Thursday 14th March, 10 students in Year 12 were given the opportunity to visit the Houses of Commons and Lords. Students were lucky enough to be taken on a guided tour by our Local MP, John McDonnell. Students were taught the history of Westminster Hall and learned that the hall was previously used for trials as well as being where the Late Queen Elizabeth II was laid in state for the public to pay their respects. Shortly afterwards, the students went on to the House of Lords public gallery, where they saw the lords discussing matters of climate change. Students were truly appreciative of the opportunity they were given and found the visit to be a valuable insight into their educational futures.



End of Term

The Spring term ends on Thursday 28th March 2024. All students will be expected to attend college at the normal time of 8:45am, but there will be an early phased dismissal as follows:

Year 10: 12:45pm

Year 9: 1:00pm

Year 11: 1:15pm

Academic Tutoring Meetings

Academic Tutoring appointments are currently being organised for students in Key Stages 3, 4 and Post 16 on Monday 15th and Tuesday 16th April 2024. A separate communication to confirm these appointments will be sent out to parents, guardians and carers in due course. If you have any concerns in regard to your appointment, please contact your child's form tutor via the College reception.

Enrichment Week

Please be reminded that Tuesday 2nd through to Friday 5th is Enrichment Week. Students in Years 9, 10 and 11 will be invited to attend if they need to catch up on their coursework. Letters will be sent home to parents, guardians and carers, informing them of what the week will entail, from intervention classes to exciting activities to catch-up sessions. If you have any questions or require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact the College on 020 3819 3421.

Mobile Telephones

Whilst the College accepts that some parents, guardians and carers wish their child to carry a mobile telephone for reasons of personal safety as they travel to and from college, they must remain switched off and kept out of sight during the College Day. It is the policy of the College for all Key Stage 3 students to hand their mobile telephones to their form tutors at the beginning of each day. The telephones are then securely stored until the end of the day when they are returned to the students. Please note that the College will not accept liability for the safe keeping of a mobile phone; it will remain the responsibility of the student at all times. Use of a mobile phone during college hours will lead to sanctions being imposed, up to and including confiscation.


Student Welfare - Health Care Plans

If your child has a condition, allergy or illness that requires regular long-term medication/care or requires staff to take urgent action when certain conditions apply, please make immediate contact with your child's Alliance Director. Arrangements will then be put in place as a matter of priority for a Health Care Plan to be agreed with you and put in place. The plan will detail the level of support that is needed for your child whilst at college.

 Week Commencing: Monday 15th April MENU 3		
WEDNESDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Lamb Koftas with Rice and a Yogurt and Cucumber Dip	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Barbecue Grilled Chicken Breast with Rice	Halal
Meal Choice 3	Barbecue Grilled Chicken Breast with Rice	Non Halal
Meal Choice 4	Chickpea and Lentil Curry	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 5	Barbecue Grilled Chicken Breast with Rice	Gluten/Dairy Free
Vegetables	French Beans and Sweetcorn	
Dessert Choice	Apple Crumble	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
THURSDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Cajun Chicken in a Ciabatta Roll with Oven Cooked Potato Slices and Tomato Salsa	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Cajun Chicken in a Ciabatta Roll with Oven Cooked Potato Slices and Tomato Salsa	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Roast Mediterranean Vegetables in Pitta Bread with Oven Cooked Potato Slices and Tomato Salsa	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Cajun Chicken with Oven Cooked Potato Slices and Tomato Salsa	Gluten/Dairy Free
Vegetables	Baby Carrots and Peas	
Dessert Choice	Vanilla Sponge with a Pineapple Ring and a Cherry	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
FRIDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Fish Fingers with Oven Baked Potato Wedges	
Meal Choice 2	Salmon and Dill Fishcakes with Potato Wedges	
Meal Choice 3	Chicken Fillet with Potato Wedges	Halal
Meal Choice 4	Gluten free Fish Fingers with Gluten free Potato Wedges and Beans	Gluten/Dairy Free
Vegetables	Broccoli and Mushy Peas	
Dessert Choice	Chocolate Brownie Tray Bake	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
Please note that all main meals are served with Fresh Vegetables of the Day. Homemade Soup of the Day and Baked Jacket Potato with Filling, are available daily		

E-Safety

The internet is an amazing resource, which enables students to connect, communicate and be creative in a number of different ways on a range of devices. However, students need constant advice and protection when it comes to managing their time online. They need strict guidance to positively and safely access information on the internet, communicate via social networks, use applications and play games. At college, students' online activity is monitored very closely and strict software security programmes are installed to prevent students accessing inappropriate content. We advise parents, guardians and carers to reinforce the important message of staying safe online when they are at home. Please ensure your children understand the rules you put in place to keep them safe. Talk to them on a regular basis about what they are looking at online and ensure that you install appropriate software to support and manage your child's safe use of the internet. Keep your child safe online!

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Thursday 21st	All Day	Post 16 Law Trip
Monday 25th	All Day	Year 11 Trip to House of Commons
Thursday 28th	Selected Times	End of Term