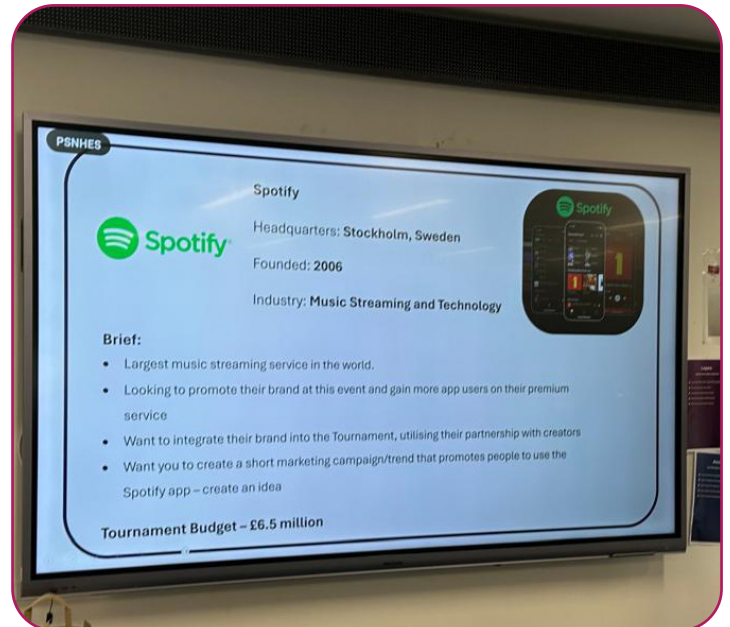
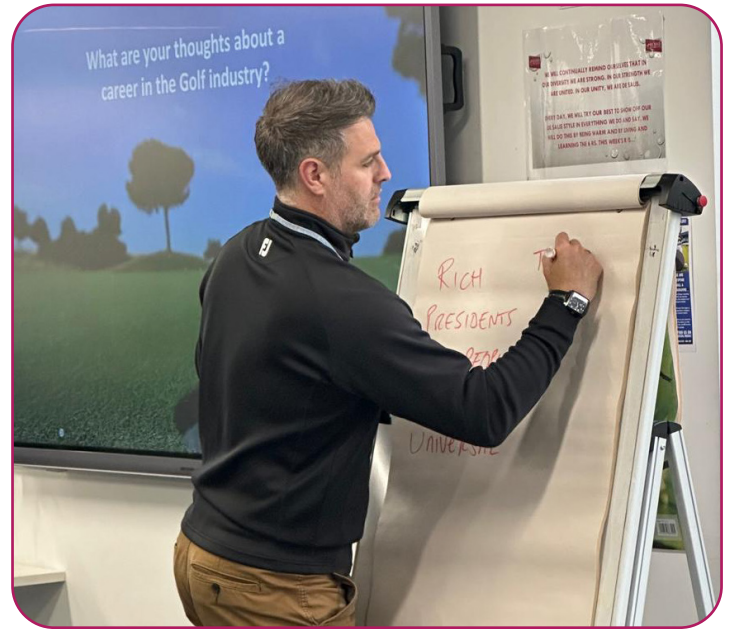


## Careers in Golf

Our Year 9 and 10 students recently welcomed representatives from England Golf to the College for an engaging session exploring careers within the golf industry.

The visit encouraged students to think beyond golf as a sport, highlighting the wide range of career pathways linked to the industry, including business, finance, marketing, events, hospitality and operations.



As part of the programme, students will be participating in a competition based on a partnership between a golf course and Spotify. Working in teams, they will be challenged to create a budget for a proposed event, considering costs, planning decisions and how to make the project commercially successful.

The competition will provide students with the opportunity to apply practical business and financial planning skills in a real-world context, while developing teamwork, communication and problem-solving abilities. The project reflects the College's commitment to providing students with meaningful employer engagement and hands-on learning experiences that prepare them for future careers.

### Automated College Gates and Parking Changes

To further strengthen safeguarding, site security and health and safety across the Hewens Campus, we will soon be introducing automated drive-in gates. As part of this change, parents, guardians and carers will no longer be permitted to park on the college site. This measure is being introduced to improve the safety of students, staff and visitors, reduce congestion during busy periods and support safe access around the college grounds. We kindly ask all families to make alternative parking arrangements and to park considerately within the local area. We appreciate your continued support and cooperation in helping us maintain a safe environment for our Trust community.

### Absence Reporting

In the event of your child being unable to attend college, please contact the main reception on number before time. In order for the College to ensure that all students are properly safeguarded, it is important for you to follow this procedure for every day your child is absent. The only exception to this is for extended periods of illness where the period of absence is explained in a note from your child's doctor or hospital. The College is required to account for all absences so please ensure your child brings a letter that verifies the reasons for their absence on their return to college.

### Enrichment Week - May Half Term

The next Enrichment Week will take place from Tuesday 26th May through to Thursday 28th May. Students in Years 9, 10, 11 and Post-16 will be invited to attend sessions to support them in catching up with their learning. Letters will be sent home to parents, guardians and carers with full details of the intervention classes, activities and catch-up sessions. If you have any questions or require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact the College.

### Support Available for Families During the Half Term Holiday

With the half-term holiday approaching, we would like to make parents, guardians, and carers aware of the support available for families who may be experiencing financial difficulties.

The Government's Crisis and Resilience Fund provides targeted support to residents facing financial hardship. In line with national guidance, this fund is not intended to offer universal holiday meal vouchers. Instead, support is provided on an individual basis through an application process, allowing families to share information about their specific circumstances. This ensures that assistance is directed to those most in need. Families who feel they may benefit from this support can apply directly, and any enquiries can be sent to [CrisisandResilience@Hillingdon.gov.uk](mailto:CrisisandResilience@Hillingdon.gov.uk).

We would also like to remind families about the Holiday Activities and Food (HAF) Programme, which is available for children from Reception to Year 11 who are eligible for benefits-related free

school meals. The programme runs during the Easter, summer, and winter holidays and offers a range of enriching activities alongside nutritious meals. The HAF programme is funded by the Department for Education (DfE). Further information, including eligibility details, can be found on the Hillingdon Council website. <https://www.therosedalehewensacademytrust.co.uk/support-available-for-families-during-the-half-term-holiday>



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### Quote of The Week

"Always work hard and have fun in what you do because I think that's when you're more successful. You have to choose to do it." - Simone Biles

### Dates for the Diary



May and June 2026

#### MAY

Tuesday 26th | Enrichment Week commences

#### JUNE

Monday 1st | Students return to College