

Glebe School NEWSLETTER

Autumn Term #2 - 27/9/24



Tuesday 15th Oct
Year 7 / New Starter Evening
3.30 - 6.30pm

A chance for you to meet staff and speak to your child's Form Tutors and Head of Year.

This event is in person at school, more information will be given closer to the time.

Friday 18th Oct - End of Half Term 1

School will finish at the usual time of 3.15pm

**IMPORTANT
INFORMATION**

➤ Thank you to those who were able to attend our Coffee Morning on Thursday, we hope it was informative.

If you could not make it, you can find the presentation available on our website

[HERE](#), or under the **Parent > Virtual Coffee Mornings** tab.

Please take some time to look through this as it contains useful information and updates.



➤ **Some useful links to help you and your child continue their learning at home!**

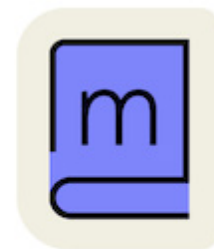
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PLAY A GAME! EXPRESSION CHARADES

- Continuing to look at expression when reading, try playing Expression Charades
- Write a couple of simple sentences on a piece of paper. Then, make a list of emotions. Cut these so each emotion is on a small strip of paper.
- Ask your child to randomly pick an emotion. Challenge them to read each sentence aloud, using the emotion they drew.
- When they've finished reading, you must guess what emotion they used. Then, switch roles so that your child has the chance to listen and guess.
- Once your child learns how reading with expression sounds, they'll never want to go back to reading in a monotone voice. Mastering this skill makes reading less boring and improves your child's understanding of what they have read.



➤ Last term we celebrated our London Youth Games competitors whose efforts contributed to Bromley winning the overall London Youth Games 2024, and earning the Jubilee Trophy!

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This week, they attended the promised Celebration Evening, hosted by MyTime Active at the Pavillion in Bromley. The students had a wonderful time with lots of activities to enjoy, including bowling, a photo booth and a rowing challenge. Alex H won the rowing challenge, winning a free month's membership to MyTime Active.

Throughout the evening students also had the opportunity to have their photo taken with Olympic medalist, Sam Reardon, as well as the Mayor of Bromley. It was a fantastic evening, and once again, our students were a real credit to not just the school, but the borough too.



YEAR 7

Year 7 students are now independent in their transitions between lessons. They have also completed their English, Maths and Science assessments and are now working in sets for these subjects.

All students have shown fantastic engagement in their weekly transition sessions with the Pastoral Team. Well done everyone!

YEAR 8

The positive start continues and students are responding well to their routines and strategies. In PSHCE, the Palace for Life Foundation are supporting a range of lessons, which will culminate in a visit to Selhurst Park later in the year.

Football Beyond Borders has also begun working with some students on Fridays and this has already proved very popular and engaging.

A reminder please that on PE days, students should be wearing their school uniform and will change into their kit during the lesson. They should not come to school in their PE kit. As always, please do contact us if you have any questions or concerns.

YEAR 9

It was very pleasing to see so many Year 9s at last weeks' New Choices evening. We do hope that you found it helpful. If you didn't manage to attend please do not worry as we it will be held again next academic year, where pupils can attend in Year 10.

Many of year 9 took part in the London Youth Games last year and enjoyed great success. Mia, Aleah and Kenneth were able to attend the Awards Celebration earlier this week, and had an amazing time.

Congratulations to Frankie and Tilly who won Student of the Week last week and the week before.

YEAR 11

Year 11 have had an eventful couple of weeks! Additional revision sessions are now underway and students are fully engaged in these, keen to reach their potential.

We had almost half the year group volunteer to be peer mentors for the younger students, and this is great to see. Students will now prepare a presentation as to why they feel they would be suitable for the role and the final mentors will be chosen. They will then be trained and briefed on how they can fulfil their roles.

Students have settled really well into their Friday college placement and they are relishing the experience of stepping up to their new educational setting in readiness for when they leave Glebe.

YEAR 10

Year 10 have been busy settling into their option subjects. They have all been shown fantastic independence skills engaging with their lessons and are starting to gain the necessary skills to succeed in their courses.

It has been fantastic seeing so many students getting involved with the various clubs available at lunchtime. It is a great example of positive involvement in the Glebe community and being a good role model to younger students.

This week a group of students attended the first Year 10 slot for the Woodlodge residential trip. They enjoyed spending time together taking part in various self-care activities and reflecting on the importance of their own wellbeing.

Congratulations to Tolu A and Harry D, the winners of the Year 10 Student of The Week!

PROVISION

KS5 King's Trust have been busy working on their Sustainability unit this month. We came up with three project ideas; the first project we made a sensory tree using natural resources. We made mini ones for our folders and a big class display. The final outcome was amazing and we are very proud.

Miss Monk's KS5 English set have just finished studying The Highwayman by Alfred Noyes. They were inspired by this classic everlasting love story to write their own love letters from the perspective of Bess, as she waits for her highwayman to return.

