



Hodge Hill Girls' School Weekly Parent Bulletin

29nd June 2018

Diary

Date	Information
w/c 2 nd July	Year 10 Work Experience Week
Wednesday 4 th July	Year 6 Induction Day
Tuesday 10 th July	Sports Day
Wednesday 11 th July	Reserve Sports Day
Monday 9 th July to Friday 3 rd August	Make Your Future Exhibition at Vittoria Street Gallery, School of Jewellery, Birmingham City University, 82-86 Vittoria Street, Birmingham, B1 3PA
Thursday 12 th July	Curriculum and Achievement Day
Friday 13 th July	Enigma Machine Coding Workshops

Notices

Working Together to Protect Young People - Hodge Hill Girls' School, West Midlands Police together with local secondary schools are working together to protect our young people from becoming victims of knife and weapon crime. However, we also need the help and support of parents, families and carers. Please read this important letter to ensure you are aware of the warning signs, the support available and what to do if you are concerned. [Click here to read the letter.](#)

Hot Weather - Please ensure that your daughter brings a bottle of water to school. This is especially important in the current the hot weather where there is an increased risk of dehydration. Some of the symptoms of dehydration include headaches, lack of concentration, dizziness or difficulties breathing. Please also ensure that if your daughter has an inhaler that this is available in school.

Prepared to Learn - It is important that your daughter brings the correct equipment to school for her lessons each day. All pupils are expected to participate fully in PE lessons, which are an essential part of the school curriculum. All pupils must have a PE kit in school for their lessons consisting of a blue polo shirt (with school badge embroidered on), black track suit bottoms and trainers or plimsolls.

Year 10 Work Experience - On Monday, our Year 10 pupils embark on a week of work experience. Pupils have worked hard to secure a variety of work placement. Please note that If a pupil is ill and will, therefore, be absent for a day from her Work Experience placement, parents should ensure that **BOTH** school and the work placement are informed.



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Year 6 Induction – We are welcoming all pupils starting in September at 8:35am on Wednesday 4th July. Year 6 pupils should be dressed in their own sensible clothes and ensure they have trainers or plimsolls, as there will be a variety of activities including sport. A snack at break and a hot meal at lunch will be provided. Pupils may bring their own healthy food if they wish. The day will finish at 3:20pm, when there will be an additional opportunity to purchase school uniform ready for joining our school in September.

Year 11– We wish our Year 11 pupils the best of luck as they prepare for the next adventures at various colleges, sixth forms, apprenticeships etc. Please note that the school will be open between 10:00 am and 12:00 noon on Thursday 23rd August for pupils to collect their results.

Make Your Future – 80 pupils from Years 7 to 9 have been involved in the Art Faculty's Jewellery Project, making necklaces and bracelets. You are invited to see their jewellery, which will be featured as part of the Make Your Future Exhibition at Vittoria Street Gallery, School of Jewellery, Birmingham City University, 82-86 Vittoria Street, Birmingham, B1 3PA. The exhibition is open to the public from 10am to 4pm, Monday to Friday, starting on 9th July and continuing until 3rd August and will also contain jewellery and metalwork from other local schools.



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