

Good Afternoon Mr Salberg



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Sustainability 1

Look out for our new green Recycling Bins appearing around the school – to be used for Plastic bottles, Paper, Card, and Cans. Let's go Green!



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Next Week - Week A

Bursary Fund 2

You can get help with education related costs if you are aged 16 to 19 and attending The Wren Sixth Form. This can help with clothing, books & other equipment for your course. As well as transport and lunch on days you study. For details on how to apply, please speak to Mr Hollands.

New Praise System 3

We have a fantastic new praise system to reward and motivate our students whose effort or performance is excellent. Our student voice team have been at the centre of changing and improving the way that they receive praise to make it more meaningful and involve the student and the family more effectively. Class Charts will no longer be used for praise and has been replaced by more effective, immediate praise including regular verbal praise, postcards and communication home. **See the attached document** to see further details of how your child will be praised for efforts that are over and above.

Virtual National Apprenticeship Show 5

Registration is now open for the virtual National Apprenticeship Show – South happening on 18th November 2021. This educational event highlights apprenticeship opportunities and offers information from the region's top employers and training providers!

Watch **LIVE** and pre-recorded interactive workshops alongside LIVE Q&A as well as the chance to have **LIVE** 1-2-1 conversations with employers and training providers.

[Click here to register now!](#)

Lockers 4

All student lockers were emptied over the summer holidays and the contents are currently in Student Reception. If your child had a locker last academic year, please ensure they collect their items, otherwise all uncollected items will be sent to charity on Friday 24th September.

Year 11 Globe Players Visit 6

On Monday 20th September, the Globe Players will be coming to school to provide a day of theatre for our Year 11 students to help them revise their GCSE literature texts. Although students will not follow their normal timetable that day, they should bring all their normal equipment and dress in school uniform. Year 11s might want to bring in a packed lunch to avoid excessive queuing, as their break and lunch will be at KS3 time. Students should speak to their English teacher if they have any questions.

Winter is Coming 8

The weather is changing and we are now reminding our students to wear a coat in the morning. Please ensure that these coats are labelled. Our gates to the outside areas open at **8am** in the morning. Staff are on duty from **8.20am** and this is when, on rainy days, our doors to the indoor site are opened. On very wet days we send students straight to tutor groups instead of lining up. Coats should not to be worn inside or in lessons.

London Irish Rugby 7

Free rugby session delivered by a London Irish Rugby Coach

Who? – This club is for everyone

When? – Every Monday after school

How to get involved – bring your PE Kit and football boots to school

There is no need to sign up, just turn up!

Attendance Matters 9

What is your child's attendance like so far this term? Have they been in every day? It is so important for both academic progress and social development that every child is in school every day. Students whose attendance is above 96% will make better progress. If your child's attendance is below 96% at the end of term 1, you will receive communication from our Attendance Officer with an attendance action plan put in place. If you have any attendance concerns please contact your child's Progress leader.

SEND Guide for Parents 10

BfC and its partners have produced a SEND Guide for parents which aims to help families access information on local SEND services and direct them to where they can find help and support. The guide answers frequently asked questions covering topics such as childcare, help at home, and support at school, benefits eligibility and assistance for parent/carers. It is available to view and [download here](#).