

Etonbury Academy Weekly Update - 18 October 2019

Week commencing Tues 29 Oct - Timetable B

All/Mixed Years

- **ETA Newsletter** - [Click here](#) to view.
- **New Guidance for Attendance** - [Click here](#) to view important information. If you have any questions, please email mcraddock@bestacademies.org.uk
- **Luna Animal Rescue Farm Open Day (Fri 25 Oct) - 11.00am - 3.00pm** - Go and see their plans for development, meet the existing animals and indulge in some coffee and cake!
- **Lunch Menu** - Week 2. [Click here](#) to view menu. [Click here](#) to view prices.
- **Music tour to Lake Garda, Italy (12-18 July 2020)**. There are TWO spaces that have become available on the music tour next summer.
This will be a rewarding educational experience for the students who will be performing to live audiences in a variety of settings as well as enjoying a number of cultural experiences. The cost of this trip is **£690** per pupil and covers the cost of an executive coach for travel, full board accommodation for 4 nights at Hotel Centro Turistico, a boat tour of Lake Garda, entrance to Gardaland theme park, travel insurance and a tour t-shirt to be used as concert uniform. Students will all require their own passport. To be eligible for the tour students will need to be a regular member of an extra-curricular music club at Etonbury. The tour is open to students of years 7-11. If you are interested please contact Mrs Hardy by email at ehardy@bestacademies.org.uk
- **Etonbury Christmas Concert (Weds 18 Dec 7-9pm)** - performers to arrive at 6:30 pm. There will be more information to follow along with parental permission forms for those involved. The concert includes all students who are members of extra-curricular music groups.
- **Christmas Drama Production –Christmas Carol (rehearsals every Tuesday, 3.30pm - 4.30pm)** - A great chance for all students (Yrs 5 -11) to take part. [Click here](#) for details. jbrahmacharilimb@bestacademies.org.uk
- **LAMDA** - These are the amended dates for LAMDA. Please can you take note of the changes.
October - 30th
November - 6th, 13th, 20th, 27th
December - 4th, 11th
- **Term Dates 20/21** - [Click here](#)

Etonbury Juniors

Year 7

Year 8

Year 9

- **History Trip to the Western Front (6-8 July 2020)** – The history department is running a residential trip to France and Belgium for students to experience the Western Front in the First World War. For those students who are considering taking history as a GCSE, this would provide excellent understanding for the medicine through time topic. The trip is provisionally

booked for the 6 - 8 July 2020 and the estimated cost is approximately £280. To register an interest, please complete the Google form before the 29 October 2019. Thank you.

<https://forms.gle/epoyfQmCMA5SdQLeA>

Year 10

- **Etonbury Careers Fair (Weds 30 Oct)**- Parents/ carers are welcome to join their child from 3.30 - 4.30 to meet various people from local 6th Forms, colleges, apprenticeship schemes and other training providers. There will also be local businesses attending along with youth support services and local job market information
- **Marshall Taster Days** - Marshall events are aimed at students, year 10 or above, who are interested in STEM subjects and would like to find out more about what it's like to work at Marshall who are a world-leading applied engineering service and technology company. They are offering 3 different taster days at their Cambridge (CB5 8AA) site on Tue 23rd, Wed 24th & Tue 29th October. These are popular events and you can book here: <https://www.eventbrite.com/d/united-kingdom--cambridgeshire/marshall-taster-day/> You need to provide your own transport.

Year 11

- **CANCELLED - GCSE Photography Intervention Day (Invite only) and Ceramic Booster Lesson – (Thurs 24 Oct)** - We have just received notification of an enforced power cut on the day that these were planned unfortunately this means that both sessions are now cancelled. We apologise in advance for any inconvenience this may cause and wish all our students a restful break instead! Many thanks Mrs Parsons and Mrs Hammond.
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- **GCSE Maths Revision - Mathswatch** – [Click here](#) for important information.
- **GCSE Drama - Blood Brothers Trip (Wed 20 Nov)** - [Click here](#) for trip details. The trip has been booked and is on Wed 20th November.
- **Key GCSE Exam Dates and Mock Exam Timetable** - [Click here](#) to view the GCSE Exam Dates letter for this academic year. [Click here](#) for the GCSE Mocks

Timetable for November 2019. Please note that History Paper 3 will be 1 hour 20 minutes **NOT** 1 hour 10 minutes as previously stated.

- **Post 16 Assembly** - [Click here](#) to view information for parents and students. Please email Mrs Gant on tgant@bestacademies.org.uk if you have any questions.
- **GCSE History mock revision sessions** - Mrs Young will be running sessions every Tuesday after school, 3.30pm - 4.00pm. [Click here](#) to view the schedule.
- **GCSE Geography mock revision sessions** - Mrs Hume will be running sessions every Tuesday after school, 3.30pm - 4.00pm.
- **Pilot Careers Live Exhibition** - The first step towards a professional pilot career to be held at Heathrow Airport - Sat 2 Nov 2019. [Click here](#) for more information and to book tickets.
- **Careers Bulletin** - [Click here](#) to view important School and College open days coming up.

Etonbury Vacancies

- Head of Music (maternity cover), Second in Science. [Click here](#) for more information.

Vacancies

- **BEST Vacancies** - Teacher of Religious Studies. [Click here](#) for more information.

Dates for your Diary

Mon 21 Oct - Fri 21 Oct - Half Term

Mon 28 Oct - Staff Training Day

Tue 29 Oct - Students return to school

Wed 30 Oct - Careers Fair 2019 for Years 7-11 (parents welcome 3.30- 4.30pm)

Mon 4 Nov - Fri 15 Nov - Year 11 Mock Exams (all subjects)

Wed 20 Nov - Year 11 GCSE Drama - Blood Brothers Trip

Fri 22 Nov - Year 11 The World Skills Show

Fri 6 Dec - Christmas Concert 7pm, held at SWA.

Wed 11 Dec - Fri 13 Dec - BEST Performing Arts Performances - Aladdin

Wed 18 Dec - Etonbury Christmas Concert

Mon 23 Dec - Fri 3 Jan 2020 - Christmas Holidays

Mon 6 Jan - Staff Training Day

Tue 7 Jan - Return to School for start of Spring Term

Fri 7 Feb 2020 - Young Voices

ETA Way - Everyone is respectful - Together we care - Always aim Higher