

Etonbury Academy Weekly Update – 7 October 2016, Updated Version

All Years

- **Nut allergies** - We have a number of students with a severe nut allergy, please can you avoid sending your child in with foods containing nuts eg Nutella.
- **Lunch Menu** - Next week's lunch menu is WEEK 2. Please [click here](#).
- **Homes required for Guinea pigs** – As you may be aware our Guinea Pigs have recently given birth. If you feel you could offer a home to our Guinea Pigs please contact Mrs Goldsmith via email on kgoldsmith@bemat.org.uk
- **After-School Karate Club** – We are delighted to announce that Sensei Gabriel Tan, who many of you may know as a result of his successful clubs at local lower schools, will be opening the Etonbury Academy Karate Club here at school from Wednesday 2nd November. Please [click here](#) to see the flyer and contact him directly for further information and to enrol.
- **After- School Gardening Club** – The school is running a Gardening Club on a Thursday after school. If your child is interested in joining please [click here](#)
- **Blazers** – We have had a further meeting with our suppliers and the manufacturer regarding the faulty braiding on the blazers. The machine fault will now be corrected and all our students will have their blazer replaced shortly after half term. The manufacturer assured us that this is an unprecedented fault and have put the corrective measures in place to avoid a recurrence. You do not need to contact the supplier or the school to arrange a replacement and will let you know after half term should you need to do anything.
- **Old School Uniform** – If you would like to donate any items of the old school uniform you might have, please could you ensure they are washed and put in a bag. They can be brought to school with your child and taken to Student Services.
- **Fundraising Non Uniform Day (Fri 21 Oct)** – We will be raising money for 2 different charities via Ben Kane, Author. Please [click here](#) for details.
- **Arlesey Festival (Choir) (Sat 8th Oct)** - Pupils to arrive at St Peters at 1:15pm for a rehearsal with performance at 3:00pm. I look forward to seeing you then. Miss Barnett
- **Drama/LAMDA/Dance** - Students who have been selected to perform at The Arlesey Arts Festival on Sunday 16th October, must return your slips to etaconsent@bemat.org.uk , they are overdue. We need consent for you to take part. Also it has now been confirmed that parents will need to stay with students at the Arlesey Village Hall, watch the performance then take their child home. Any problems please email jlimb@bemat.org.uk All parents will need to reserve tickets at www.arts.arlesey.org.uk Please [click here](#) for the letter.
- **Arts Mark** - As you may be aware we are an Arts Mark school and one of our targets is looking to develop links with parents who are involved in the creative industry, please can you contact Mrs J Limb for more information via email jlimb@bemat.org.uk

Year 5

- **Roald Dahl WOW Week (commencing 17 Oct)** – Please [click here](#) for more details about what is happening during the week.
- **Roald Dahl Celebration Afternoon (Thurs 20 Oct)** – Please [click here](#) for more information.
- **Curriculum Evening Presentation** – Please [click here](#).
- **Dr Bike (Tues 8 Nov)** - KS2 only. More information to follow.

Year 6

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Year 7

- **Dr Bike (Tues 15 Nov)** - KS3 & 4 only. More information to follow.
- **Emirates Cable Car and Theatre Trip (Weds 30 Nov)**- Please [click here](#). All Y7 students are invited to come and experience the Emirates Cable Cars and then watch a matinee of Charlie and the Chocolate Factory. £35 payment by **Monday 10th October**.

Year 8

- **Dr Bike (Tues 15 Nov)** - KS3 & 4 only. More information to follow.
- **Progression Evening (Weds 12 October)** - starts at 6.30 pm. [Click here](#).

Year 9

- **Dr Bike – (Tues 15 Nov)** - KS3 & 4 only. More information to follow.

Other Items of Interest

- **Arlesey Music and Arts Festival (8 - 23 October)** - A variety of performances and exhibitions including items from the dance, drama, art and music departments at Etonbury. Go to www.arts.arlesey.org.uk for more information and to book tickets.
- **Etonbury Vacancies** – Please let your family friends know that we are currently recruiting for a Teaching Assistant (30hrs) post.
- **BEST Vacancies** – Please [click here](#) for details.
- **Stotfold, Arlesey and Fairfield Park Development Group Vacancy** – KS2 Leader. [Click here](#) for information.

Diary Dates

Wednesday 12 October – Yr 8 Progression Evening, 6.30pm

Thursday 20th October – Yr 5 Roald Dahl WOW afternoon

Friday 21 October – Non Uniform Day Fundraiser

Let us know what you think about these emails. Have you got any suggestions? Please email etaoffice@bemat.org.uk