

8th June 2023

Dear Parents/Carers,

It's hard to believe that we are now in the final term of this academic year, there is so much to look forward to in the next seven weeks. Please see below just a selection of key highlights for the next two weeks, and we look forward to sharing the rest of your plans with you in our next edition.

Year Group Messages

Year 7 - Without a Trace Trip

A very exciting opportunity for our Y7 students that will participate in outdoor activities with Parks Trust, at Hazeley Woods, on the 27th of June. These activities will relate to reducing our carbon print allowing contact with nature and links to science curriculum. Students will be building dens, natural water filters, and learning how to light a fire.

Year 7 and 8 - 5Cs Passport

Years 7 and 8 have been working on their 5Cs Passport this year and the deadline for completion is Friday 16 June. The aim of the passport is to support our vision of the 5Cs, support life skills, careers, and build confidence and resilience. Students have been working on a range of different skills, volunteering and extra-curricular activities and have made great achievements in developing their holistic education. Please could you support your child in the final week, talk through any areas that they could complete at home and give praise for the amazing effort our students have been putting into their passports.

Year 8 - Vaccinations – Tuesday 27th June 2023

Year 8 students are invited to have their first HPV vaccination as part of their NHS childhood immunisation schedule. This vaccination protects against the HPV virus that can cause cervical cancer, some mouth & throat cancers as well as cancer of the anus and genital areas. Further information about the Human Papillomavirus is below: -

HPV

[The universal HPV immunisation programme \(publishing.service.gov.uk\)](https://publishing.service.gov.uk)

[Human papillomavirus \(HPV\) - NHS \(www.nhs.uk\)](https://www.nhs.uk)

[Join the fight against certain HPV cancers - MSD \(hpvwise.co.uk\)](https://hpvwise.co.uk)

All consent forms have been sent to parents/carers via Arbor and should be submitted online by 3pm on Wednesday 21st June 2023. The school immunisation team will be visiting us on Tuesday 27th June 2023 and will be supported by our Academy Matron and staff that your child will be familiar with.

If you have any further queries about these vaccinations, please call our school immunisation team on 0300 790 0594 (option 3).

Year 8 Imperial War Museum

Thank you to all who have signed up to the Imperial War Museums trip. We have had 202 students sign up so far! The trip is scheduled to take place on Thursday 15th June. We'll be taking the bus from Hazeley, so students will need to arrive at approximately 7.15am.

We'll provide more information on logistics closer to the time to help with preparations. If you have any enquiries in the meantime, you can direct them to the trip lead, Mr Laurie at alaurie@thehazeleyacademy.com.

Years 9 and 10 - Routes into STEM Experience

Is your child enjoying their Tech, Design, Maths or Science subjects? Would they like to know what exciting future these subjects could lead to? They can join EDT on their "Routes into STEM virtual experience" this summer and find

out all about **college, university, apprenticeships, and careers in STEM**. A variety of live sessions will give your child an opportunity to ask questions to the panels of experts, students, and apprentices. To find out more please visit <https://www.etrust.org.uk/routes-into-stem-read-more>

Year 10 Silver Duke of Edinburgh trip

31 students from Year 10 will be completing their Qualifying Silver DofE expedition from Sunday 11th June in the Chiltern Hills.

From the weather forecast it's looking to be glorious sunshine; the students will be challenging themselves and working hard as a team to complete the three-day expedition.

Staff and students are well prepared for the three-day expedition and students attending will be able to access kit and equipment they want to borrow this week in the afterschool session on Thursday.

A polite reminder to parents to ensure students have packed suncream, a decent sun hat and may even consider wearing long sleeves for walking clothing to keep contact with the sun at little as possible. Please contact egibbons@thehazeleyacademy.com with any questions

Year 12 UCAS Exams

Year 12 students have made an excellent start to their UCAS exams which continue next week. A reminder that A level lessons are not running during this time, and students can decide whether to study at home or at school. Health and Social Care, PE, IT, Finance and Business BTEC lessons will continue, and students are expected to attend all these lessons unless they are in an exam. When in school, students should be in the correct dress code and must continue to use the inventory system to sign in and out each day. A level lessons and form time resumes on Monday 19th June.

General messages

Our community

We have been asked to share that the SaferMK Community Safety Survey 23/24 is now live and can be accessed on the following link: <https://forms.office.com/e/VAbikysFb5>. The survey allows residents, employees, and visitors to provide feedback on anti-social behaviour and crime concerns across all of Milton Keynes to the SaferMK Partnership. The survey will close on 30th June 2023.

Medication

All medication that comes into the academy, whether it is prescribed by a doctor or an "over the counter" medication must be handed in to the Academy Matron (Miss Winkfield), Reception or Student Services which will then be passed to Miss Winkfield.

Prescribed medication must arrive in its original packaging with the student's name on the dispensary label and a **green form** must be signed by a parent giving us authorisation, instructions, and storage details for us to be able to administer the medication.

Medication that is purchased over the counter i.e., for hay fever or migraines, must be sent in its original packaging. A **pink form** must be signed by a parent giving us authorisation, instructions, and storage details for us to be able to administer the medication.

If these forms are not completed the student will not be permitted to have the medication.

No medication is to be carried on a students' person unless it is an inhaler, auto-injector, or diabetic medication, without prior authorisation. All medication brought into the Academy and passed to Miss Winkfield will be kept in individual medi-wallets personalised with the student's name, form and description of the meds and a copy of the permission to administer form and be kept in the medicine cabinet in the medical room.



Kind regards,

Miss T Whiteman
Head of School