Year 10

Achievement for All Evening 2

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Thursday 23rd January 2020



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AN UPDATE ON FORTHCOMING ACTIVITES AND EVENTS FOR YEAR 10

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Performance Director: Year 10



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KEY DATES FOR YEAR 10 PARENTS AND STUDENTS



Parental Communication:

- KS4 Parent Info Evening 1 Thursday 19th September 2019
- Report 1 Thursday 21st November 2019
- Learning Review Day 27th/28th November 2019
- KS4 Parents Info Evening 2 (Study Skills) Thursday 23rd January 2020
- Report 2 Thursday 5th March 2020
- Parent Teacher Consultation Wednesday 18th March 2020
- Report 3 Thursday 16th July 2020

Dates specific to Year 10s only:

- DofE Bronze Information Evening Thursday 2nd April 2020
- Year 10 Trial Exams begin 20th April 2020
- DofE Bronze Practice 15th 16th May 2020
- DofE Bronze Qualifying 12th 13th June 2020
- Work Experience Monday 15th Friday 19th June 2020
- Year 10 Prizegiving Tuesday 14th July 2020

Dates for trips that Year 10s may be on:

- French Exchange 3rd 10th October 2019
- Spanish Exchange 16th 23rd October 2019
- Ski Trip (Austria) 14th 22nd February 2020
- Sport Tour (Barcelona) 5th 11th April 2020
- Computer Science Trip (Silicon Valley) 10th 17th April 2020

Dates of some other key whole school activities:

- Whole School Show Thursday 21st Saturday 23rd November 2019
- Winter Music Concert Wednesday 4th December 2019
- Gym Show Wednesday 29th January 2020
- 'Velocity' Dance Show Thursday 6th Saturday 8th February 2020
- Spring Music Concert Monday 30th March 2020
- Sports Day Wednesday 8th July 2020
- Charity Run Friday 10th July 2020

DUKE OF EDINBURGH AWARD: BRONZE



KEY DATES

- Thursday 2nd April, 6.30pm Expedition Information Evening
- Wednesday 6th May, 3.15-6pm Practical Navigation Training Walk
- Friday 15th Saturday 16th May Practice Expedition
- Friday 12th Saturday 13th June Qualifying Expedition

More details to follow on these activities after Half Term

KEY MESSAGES

- Expedition Training will take place in after school slots next half term. Students and Parents will be emailed dates in the next few weeks. Training is COMPULSORY.
- Students should be working independently towards the other 3 sections of their Award and the details of their activities should be registered on their eDofE accounts so that activities can be approved.
- Once they have completed an activity an assessor report should be uploaded. These MUST either be written in the participant booklet and scanned or photographed and uploaded or uploaded via www.dofe.org/assessor. The assessor will need the participant ID number which is found on their eDofE account. Assessor reports uploaded in any other format will be rejected.





WORK EXPERIENCE



All Year 10 students will complete a week's Work Experience placement, starting on MONDAY 15th JUNE.

The process has been launched to students and log-in details for Link2+ have been shared with students.

The formal letter and paperwork has been given out as a paper copy. It can also be found on our website:

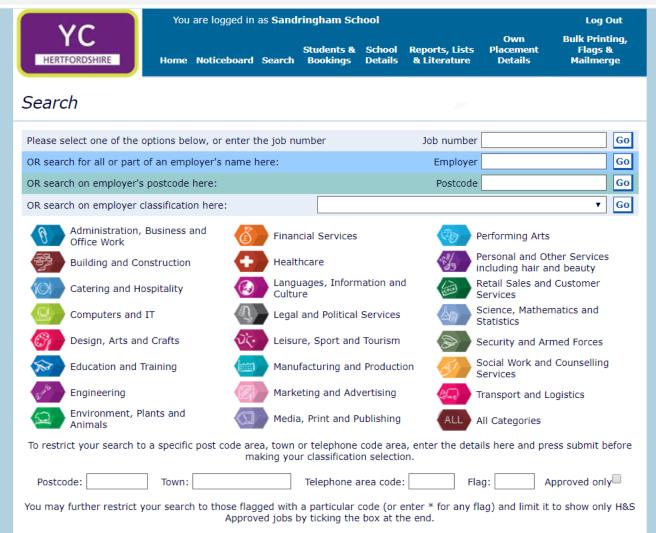
www.sandringham.herts.sch.uk/student-experience/careers/work-experience/

The deadline for all choices on Link2+ AND all paperwork returns is TUESDAY 25th FEBRUARY 2020 (the 2nd day back after half term!)

Ms Tang is Sandringham's
Careers advisor and coordinator. She co-ordinates and
does all administration for Work
Experience.



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YEAR 10: BECOMING A PREFECT



We are due to launch the process for applying to become a prefect to all Year 10 students next week.

We intend to follow this provisional timeline:

Thursday 30th Jan: Assembly to all Year 10 students

Friday 31st Jan: 'Passport to Prefect' cards given out to students

Monday 24th Feb: Application deadline

Early March: Prefect Interviews

Mid March: Prefect Training

Late March: Shadow current prefects and start role formally after Trial Exams

Application Process:

- Students are expected to meet certain criteria in terms of attendance and behaviour
- Students complete a 'Passport to Prefect' card, giving examples and evidence of how they are developing their 'Character Traits' in and out of lessons.
- Students write a letter of application.

Waves of applications:

This is the first 'wave' of applications.

There will be a second opportunity to apply later in Year 10 and early in Year 11.

YEAR 10 TRIAL EXAMS



These take place straight after the Easter holidays.

We will be sharing timetables and logistical information after Half Term.

We will review strategies for preparation with students in LL. Students will be given subject-specific guidance about the expectations of their exam in lessons.

MONDAY 20th APRIL - TUESDAY 28th APRIL

YEAR 10 ELD 4: UNIVERSITY VISITS



The next Extended Learning Day is on WEDNESDAY 4th MARCH 2020.

For Year 10 students, there will be the opportunity for all students to visit a University or College.

More information will follow soon, allowing students the opportunity to express their preferences in terms of the trip.

SUPPORT STRUCTURES AT SCHOOL



THE YEAR 10 TUTOR TEAM





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