Diss High School Weekly Bulletin

Week Beginning:		7 th October 2024 Week:	02
Duty Team Leaders		Events	Time
Monday	07/10/2024	DT Lunchtime Club – Room 74 - Mr Bilverstone	1:20pm
Miss Johnson Mr Lea		Homework Club after school – LSC	3:10pm- 4:10pm
		Life After Year 11 Day for Year 11 Students	
Tuesday Miss Pittman Mr Somers	08/10/2024	British Sign Language lunchtime club Year 7-9 – Room 46	1:20pm
		Cooking Club – Room 21 – Mrs Malloy	1:20pm
		Maths Revision and Homework Support - Room 11	1:20pm
Wednesday		Geography Lunchtime Club - Room 44 Students can bring their lunch!	1:20pm
Miss Pittman Mr Adamson	09/10/2024	Youth Theatre Lunchtime Club in Drama Studios – Mrs J Oliver	1:30pm
		GCSE Art Afterschool - Room 76	3:10pm- 4:15pm
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Thursday		people's mental health	
Mr Adamson Miss Johnson	10/10/2024	M&S YOUNGMINDS	
		No Lunchtime or after school clubs today	
		School Closes at 1:20pm to all Students in preparation for open evening Buses will arrive at this time to take students home	
		Year 6 Open Evening	5:30pm- 7:30pm
Friday	11/10/2024	Warhammer Lunchtime Club – Room 8 – Mr Archer	1:20pm
Mr Somers Mr Lea			

General Information

Assemblies in the Hall

Speaker: Mr B Lea

Monday 7th October – Year 10 Tuesday 8th October – Life after Year 11 – Mrs R Adams Wednesday 9th October – Year 9 Thursday 10th October – Year 8 Friday 11th October – Year 7



Topic: Healthy Minds

General notices for parents/students:

Student Absence

Please can you report a student absence by calling 01379 642424 and selecting option 1 before 08:30am. Alternatively, you can email attendance@disshigh.co.uk

Many thanks, Mrs P Turrell – Attendance Officer



Lunchtime Menu

Week 3 – Please see new menu and price list attached these are also on Diss High School Website.

On behalf of Aspens

Sport Fixtures

Tuesday 8th October Y8/9 Girls Football (Home) vs Framlingham Earl Kick off 4pm finish by 5pm Tuesday 8th October U12 and U15 Netball V Long Stratton (Away) leave 3:10pm return @ 5pm Wednesday 9th October Year 8 Football (Away) at ASHS leave 3:10pm return @5:30pm Friday 11th October Year 7 Rugby Festival at Wymondham RUFC leave 9:15am return by 3:10pm

For sports fixtures and results please visit instagram and ask to join disshighpe

Many thanks, Mr J Kemp – Head of PE

Year 7 Bake Off

A reminder to Year 7 pupils that the bake-off competition is on Thursday 10th October when you need to bring your cakes into school. See your Spanish/French teacher for more details and the poster attached.

Many thanks, Mrs C Miles – Head of Languages

Year 11 French and Spanish Revision Sessions

Language revision sessions will start the week beginning 7th October and will take place on the following lunchtimes:

Week 1 Wednesday - Spanish in rooms 30, 34, 35 Week 2 Friday - French in room 31

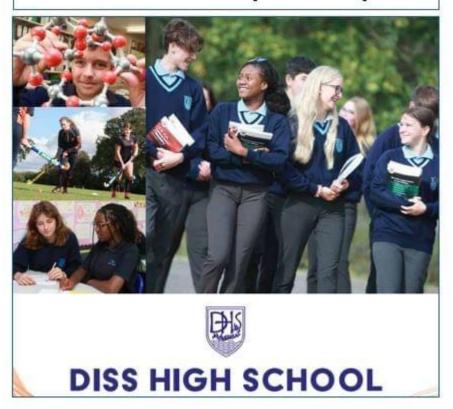
Weds 9th October - focus on writing skills (Foundation in room 35 - 80–90-word task, Higher in room 30 - 130–150-word task)

Many thanks, Mrs C Miles – Head of Languages

Year 6 (New Year 7 starting September 2025) Open Evening 10th October

Feeder Schools have been notified, however if you know any Year 6 students in the catchment area, please pass the following information on to them.

Year 6/7 Open Evening 10th October 5.30pm – 7.30pm



Sixth Form Open Evening Thursday 17th October

Will take place from 5:30pm - 7:30pm open to all Year 11 Students to look around.





World Space Week 4th - 10th October

Why not try stargazing at Seething Observatory tonight 4th October '100 hours of Astronomy' evening 6pm-10pm. They have activities suitable for children from 5 to 15. Join them to learn more about the night sky. Please visit their webpage for further details and other upcoming events https://norwichastro.org.uk/events/category/public/

Or try the public evenings the last Friday of every month at Breckland Astronomic Observatory near Attleborough.

Many thanks, Mrs E Hartley – Teacher of Science

Young Minds Hello Yellow Thursday 10th October

Lots of young people struggle with their mental health at some point. Next Thursday 10th October we are supporting the awareness of Hello Yellow / Young Minds on World Mental Health Day, please see poster attached. Students can wear something yellow (**but will still need to wear normal school uniform**) – suggestions are yellow hair tie, yellow socks, a yellow belt, or yellow shoelaces.



We are not setting up a school fundraising page as this is more for awareness, however if you would like to donate please follow the link via the Young Minds website https://www.youngminds.org.uk/

Many thanks, Miss K O'Neill - Senior Pastoral Leader Designated Safeguarding Lead

Young Artist Award Exhibition 2024 at The Bank Arts Centre in Eye

We were lucky enough to have eight students selected for the Young Artist Award in the Summer Term. Their work alongside other young artists are being exhibited at The Bank Arts Centre in Eye. The exhibition is open from 2nd October - 2nd November. All welcome to visit, please see poster attached with further details.

Many thank Mrs D Marshall – Head of Art

Lost Property

There is a huge amount of lost property at reception, coats, Jumpers, water bottles, Jewellery, Air pods, keys, watches, and glasses, please ask students to collect missing items and ensure school uniform, PE Kits and any other items brought into school are named so items can be returned to their owner if found.

Many thanks, School Office

Art Department Large Yoghurt Pots & Empty Cereal Box Request

Please if you can save large yoghurt pots, cereal boxes, thin smooth card, and newspapers and bring along to room 77 or leave at reception for our Art Department that would be much appreciated.

Many thanks, MS S Nicholls - Teacher of Art

Lunchtime and After School Clubs and Activities Please follow the link below with a list of after school clubs and activities on each day.

https://www.disshigh.norfolk.sch.uk/home/parents/clubs-and-activities/

Misplaced/Lost Lunch Card

If your Son/Daughter has misplaced their lunch card, firstly check with Reception to see if it has been handed in. If not there, please order a replacement card via https://pmx.parentmail.co.uk/ or via Iris ParentMail App - Shop - Fees - Replacement cashless card.

Students who receive free school meals and have misplaced their card must report to the school office to order a replacement card.

If you are having trouble logging on to Iris ParentMail, please use the help site www.parentmail.co.uk/help/parenthelp/ or email enquiries.parentmail@disshigh.co.uk