











Diss High School Weekly Bulletin

Week Beginning:		9 th December 2024		Week: 02	
Duty Team Leaders		Events		Time	
Monday Miss Johnson Mr Lea	09/12/2024	 Charity Week organised by Sixth Form Students Raising Money for EACH			
		Year 11 GCSE Hospitality and Catering Practical Exams this Week			
Tuesday Miss Pittman Mr Somers	10/12/2024	 Breaktime outside Library		11am	
		Year 11 Parent Evening Bookings Go Live		4pm	
		Charity Auction in the Library 		6:30pm	
Teacher Football Game has been postponed until the Spring No Cooking Club in December due to Year 11 Mock Exams					
Wednesday Miss Pittman Mr Adamson	11/12/2024	Year 8 Additional Studies – Room 77 – Ms Nicholls		8am	
		 Breaktime outside Library		11am	
Spicy Food Competition lunchtime in Hall 		1:20pm			
Thursday Mr Adamson Miss Johnson	12/12/2024	Year 9 Additional Studies – Room 64 – Mrs Adlam		8am	
		 Lunchtime in Hall		1:20pm	
 In Hall		6:30pm			
Friday Mr Somers Mr Lea	13/12/2024	Non-School Uniform Day Festive Jumpers welcome in exchange for £1 cash donation 			
		 Breaktime outside Library		11am	
Staff Karaoke – Lunchtime in Hall 		1:20pm			

General Information

Assemblies in the Hall

Speaker: Mr S Stopps

Topic: The Meaning of Christmas

Monday 2nd December – Year 11

Tuesday 3rd December – Year 10

Wednesday 4th December – Year 9

Thursday 5th December – Year 8

Friday 6th December – Year 7

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

**MOMENTS
MATTER,
ATTENDANCE
COUNTS.**

Lunchtime Menu

Week 3 – Please see menu on Diss High School Website.

Christmas Treats in the canteen from Monday 9th December



Try our festive flavours to
make your day a
little cooler

On behalf of Aspens

Year 11 Hospitality and Catering Practical Exams

These will be from 3rd - 13th December. All students have a completed time plan and should bring this to the lesson. They should be prepared with their ingredients ready. We will begin as soon as the students come to school in room 22. Please make sure the students have containers to take home what they have made. We wish them the best of luck and thank you for your continued support with the course,

Many thanks, Mrs Alice Malloy – Food Technology Teacher



**Charity Week Festive Fundraiser Events happening in School
on Monday 9th December – Friday 13th December**

Students remember to bring in cash for Festive Fundraiser Week.
£1 entry fee per event. all proceeds raised will be donated to EACH.
Please see Poster attached.



Many thanks – Sixth form Charity Committee

Charity Auction Monday 9th December and Quiz Night Thursday 12th December

Year 13 Business BTEC students are working on their Event Unit this term. This is part of their final coursework.

One group have organised a Charity Auction. This will take place on Monday 9th December from 6.30pm in the school library, all welcome to attend and will be hosted by an auctioneer from Gaze's Auction House.

Online bidding closed at 12pm today.

You may view the catalogue using the following link:

<https://sites.google.com/nsix.org.uk/disshighcharityauction/home>

The other group are hosting a **Quiz Night on Thursday 12th December at 6.30pm**. Students, parents, carers, and staff are all invited to attend. Tickets can be purchased online through Iris ParentMail, via the students at lunchtimes or on the night. There will also be a raffle and refreshments.

Both events will be raising money for EACH.

Please see posters attached We would very much appreciate your support.



[Diss High School](https://sites.google.com/nsix.org.uk/disshighcharityauction/home)

Welcome

sites.google.com

Many thanks Mrs S Budds – Head of Business and Computing



Non School Uniform Day Friday 13th December

Whole school non-uniform day. Festive Jumpers welcome, recommendation of £1 cash donation to be handed in at tutor time, all monies raised will go to EACH charity as part of the festive fundraiser week.

On behalf of sixth form Charity Committee

Year 11 Parent and Student Evening takes place on Thursday 23rd January

We shall continue to use Schoolcloud to help organise our appointments, but this will be a face-to-face parents' evening and will take place at the school between 4pm - 7pm. **Bookings will become available on Monday 9th December at 4pm.** I have attached a guide that will walk you through each step of the process for logging onto our booking system and making your appointments. I would advise setting a reminder and logging on promptly at 4pm to get all the appointments you would like within a time frame that suits your household.

If you have any problems logging onto the system, or with making the bookings themselves, please do not hesitate to contact me at billyadamson@disshigh.co.uk

Many thanks, Mrs B Adamson – Assistant Headteacher

Christmas Concert 14th December

Students from Diss High will be taking part please come along if you can, Tickets can be purchased by following the link or scan the QR code on the poster.

www.ticketsource.co.uk



Many thanks Miss D Dunsmore – Teacher of Music

Art Department Request for Newspapers

Thank you to everyone who has supported the Art Department this year donating items we have requested, very much appreciated, please continue to save newspapers, and bring along to room 77 or leave at reception.

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

Lost Property

We have several coats, school jumpers, jewellery, water bottles pencil cases and lunchboxes held at reception if your son/daughter is missing any of these items, please ask them to check at reception and take items home.

Any items not collected by end of term will be donated to charity or disposed of.

Many thanks, School Office

Advance Notices

Festive Lunch Wednesday 18th December

Please see menu attached, two course lunch £3.50 In the canteen.

On behalf of Aspens



Last Day of Term Friday 20th December Early Finish

Students will finish at 1:30pm on the last day of term Friday 20th December, School Buses will collect at this time, Students who receive free school meals, these will be available from the canteen at breaktime.

Many thanks Mr D Somers – Assistant Headteacher