

Toynbee



15 October 2021

Dear Parents and Carers

Our Pupil Leadership Team, along with other pupils from years 10 and 11, have once again showed how brilliant they are and have hosted three open mornings this week at school for prospective parents and children for next year's intake. The open events have been a great success and I couldn't be more proud of them.



Year 7 Photography Club-Workshop 4

What a week it has been with delightful autumnal weather, perfect for our budding photographers! Year 7 Art Workshops this term have been a great success and it has been so nice to see students from different Art classes socialising. The Art Department are now planning Year 8 workshops which will start after Half Term, dates to be confirmed.

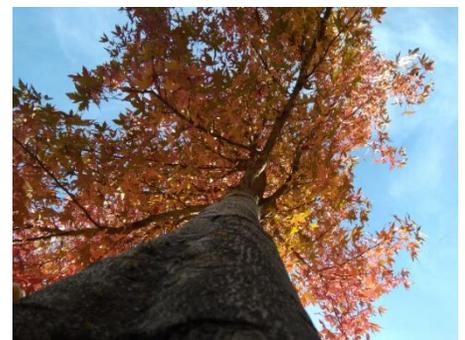
Harry F



Ben W



Kayla S



Charlotte A

Toynbee



Parent Governor Vacancy

We are looking for a new Parent Governor to join our dynamic and experienced team. We would welcome expertise from a parent from a business background but would consider any applications if you feel that this is something that you can contribute to, and would like to support the school on its progress going forward. For an informal conversation about this role please email z.marson@toynbee.hants.sch.uk to arrange a time.

Mobile phones

This week tutors have spoken to pupils about using mobile phones to text parents when they are feeling unwell during class and asking to be collected from school. Please can you remind pupils that if they are feeling unwell, they should go to the medical room during break or lunchtime, and we will call and ask parents to collect them if required. Pupils should not be arranging to be collected from school whilst in their lessons.

Vaccinations

As you are aware, children between the ages of 12 and 15 are being offered a Covid vaccination at school. We have now had confirmation that this will happen at Toynbee on November 4th. Consent forms have been sent home with pupils. If you have not received a consent form please email admin@toynbee.hants.sch.uk

If your child is 12 years old or over, and you want them to have this vaccine, you **must** give consent for this to happen by filling in **both pages** of the consent form. These must be returned to the box in the Learning Resource Centre at school by **Monday 1st November** at the very latest. If we do not receive your consent form your child will not be having the vaccine.

If you do not wish for your child to have the vaccine, please tick the appropriate box on the consent form, and return the form to school.

If your child is under 12 years of age on November 4th, please do not fill in or return the form.

We will issue a timetable for year groups closer to the date.

LFT tests

We are in the process of sending home LFT test's with all pupils. Please can you check the tests that have been sent home as some pupils have been given the newer tests that only require them to swab their nostrils. Please can you check the instruction booklet inside the box to ensure that your child is following the correct steps for the test that they have received.

Covid cases in school

We will not be routinely informing of individual cases as they occur, as this is no longer an expectation. This is because, in line with Government guidelines, we will not be restricting the attendance of close contacts who are under 18 and 6 months or double vaccinated, only those individuals who have

symptoms and/or who have tested positive or close contacts over 18 years 6 months who are not double vaccinated. If your child is identified as a close contact of the confirmed case, you may be contacted by NHS Test and Trace who will advise you on what to do next.

However, we are continuing to monitor the situation and will work closely with Public Health England if the number of cases escalates to meet the thresholds for considering further steps. If this occurs, then further measures could be introduced but at this stage this is not deemed necessary. The setting remains open, and your child should continue to attend as normal if they remain well. As a precaution we have made the decision to suspend year group assemblies and will deliver themes virtually. As part of our ongoing monitoring we will continue to look at all possible precautions which may include wearing a face covering in communal spaces.

Close contacts who are not required to self-isolate

You are no longer required to self-isolate if you are notified you have had close contact with someone with COVID-19 and any of the following apply:

- you are fully vaccinated (meaning that you have been vaccinated with an MHRA approved [COVID-19 vaccine](#) in the UK, and at least 14 days have passed since you received the recommended doses of that vaccine.
- you are below the age of 18 years 6 months
- you have taken part in or are currently part of an approved COVID-19 vaccine trial
- you are not able to get vaccinated for medical reasons.

This means that students who are under the age of 18 years and 6 months or older students who are fully vaccinated can still attend the educational setting if identified as a close contact. However, it is recommended to get a PCR test if the child is over 5 years old and to avoid anyone who is extremely clinically vulnerable during the ten days following their last close contact with the case.

If you are a health or social care worker or student working in health and social care settings who has been identified as a household contact and are exempt from self-isolation, there is [additional guidance available](#) that you should follow to reduce the risk of spread of COVID-19 in these settings.

Regular asymptomatic testing

All parents are advised to continue with the routine twice weekly asymptomatic LFD COVID-19 testing for themselves and anyone aged 11 and above in their household. Further information about LFT home test kits is available here: [Home test kits | Health and social care | Hampshire County Council \(hants.gov.uk\)](#)

What to do if your child develops symptoms of coronavirus (COVID-19) or tests positive for COVID-19

Toynbee



If your child develops [symptoms of coronavirus \(COVID-19\)](#), they should get a PCR test and remain at home at least until the result is known. If negative, the child can end self-isolation; if positive, the child should isolate until at least 10 days after their symptoms appeared.

If your child has a positive LFD test result (for children aged 11 and above), they should get a PCR test and remain at home at least until the result is known.

If your child has a positive PCR test result but does not have [symptoms](#), they should stay at home and self-isolate for 10 days from the date the positive test was taken. This isolation period will be extended if they go on to develop symptoms by counting 10 full days from the day following their symptom onset. Anyone with symptoms will be eligible for a PCR test (the normally available test type) and this can be arranged via [Get a free PCR test to check if you have coronavirus \(COVID-19\) - GOV.UK \(www.gov.uk\)](#) or by calling 119.

For most people, coronavirus (COVID-19) will be a mild illness.

If your child does develop symptoms, you can seek advice from the nhs.uk website at <https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/check-if-you-have-coronavirus-symptoms/>. If you are concerned about your child's symptoms, or they are worsening you can seek advice from NHS 111 at <https://111.nhs.uk/> or by phoning 111. In an emergency dial 999.

Extra-Curricular PE



@ToynbeePE @teamtynbee



Toynbee PE Department

WC 18th Oct	Early Clubs Breakfast 7:45am	After School 3pm-4:30pm	Fixtures Full details on team notice boards Captains to check teams
Mon	BADMINTON 7,8 Recreational TU	RUGBY Boys 7,8 TU M DANCE 7,8 DG FOOTBALL Girls JRM CH early finish – Football match VOLLEYBALL All BT	Y9 BOYS FOOTBALL (H) FR TR
Tue	TRAMPOLINE £ Southampton TC coach Registered students	RUGBY Girls All TU DG BASKETBALL £ Boys 9,10,11 coach FR	Y7 BOYS FOOTBALL (H) JRP TR U15 GIRLS RUGBY (A) TU
We	BADMINTON All Competitive FR	FOOTBALL Boys 7,8 JRP early finish – Football match NETBALL Y7,8 HW MINDFULNESS £ pre-registered pupils RM	Y8 BOYS RUGBY (A) TU U14 GIRLS FOOTBALL (H) LG TR
Thu	BADMINTON 9,10,11 Recreational HW	NETBALL GCSE HW WD RUGBY Boys 9,10 M DANCE GCSE – Strength & Technique DG GYMNASTICS All BE RUNNING CLUB All CB	Y7 BOYS FOOTBALL (H) JRP Y8 BOYS FOOTBALL (H) FR
Fri	BASKETBALL 7,8 FR, JP	HOCKEY All FR – early finish – Football match HIGH VIS VI students & guests LD HS	Y11 BOYS FOOTBALL (H) FR

Results/Announcements

Results

- U14 girls Hampshire Cup football – L
- Y11 boys National Cup football – W
- Y7 girls district league football – W
- Y7 girls district league football – L
- Y7 boys National Cup football – L
- Y9 boys National Cup football – W
- Y7/8 girls National Cup xc – 14th team
- Medi – 25th individual
- Y7/8 boys National Cup xc – 12th team
- Ian – 18th place individual
- Y9/10 boys National Cup xc – 6th team
- Evan 3rd place individual

Announcements

- £ = club led by external coach and therefore involves a cost
- **TRAMPOLINE CLUB** – students interested should email joannajames101@hotmail.co.uk for a booking form.
- Y9,10,11 Basketball is led by a Solent Kestrels coach and is £2 per session.

Bodycoats Road, Chandlers Ford, Eastleigh, Hampshire SO53 2PL
Tel: 023 80269026 E-mail: admin@toynbee.hants.sch.uk
Headteacher: Matthew Longden B.Sc.(Hons), NPQH

Toynbee



Toynbee Extra-Curricular Music

A reminder that SHOWCASE CHOIR is on WED this week 3-3.45pm in MU2. SHOW CHORUS CHOIR is 8.15-9 on THURS in MU2 as usual.

Monday Lunchtime Year 7 & 8 Boomwhacker Club (Music 1).

An easy and fun music club using plastic tubes that you hit on chairs! All welcome.

Monday 3pm-4pm GCSE Music Drop In (Music 1).

For GCSE music students to come and use the macs for composition work, or to have extra support with theory.

Tuesday 8am–8:30am Ukulele Group (Music 1).

For all year groups, no experience necessary. School ukuleles available to use.

Tuesday 3pm–4pm Toynbee Band (Music 1).

For all year groups. Woodwind, brass, string, percussion players of any standard. We play a mix of genres including classical, pop, jazz and film music.

Tuesday 3pm-4pm Rock Band (Music 2).

For all year groups. Drum, guitar, bass guitar, keyboard/piano players and singers of any standard.

Tuesday 4pm-5pm Music Theory (Music 1).

For any pupils wanting to learn about music and take the Grade 5 Theory exam. Useful for GCSE music students. A fee is payable, and spaces are limited. See Miss Parrott or Ms Osborn for more information.

Thursday 8:15-9am Show Chorus (Music 2).

A choir for all year groups and abilities singing a variety of genres. No audition, just come along if you like singing!

Friday Lunchtime Year 7 & 8 Keyboard Club (Music 2).

For any year 7 and 8 pupils who want to come and use the mac computers out of class time to learn songs of their choice on the keyboard.

Toynbee



WEEK ONE MENU						
	MAIN MEALS	VEGGIE MAINS	GRAB N GO	SIDES	VEGETABLES	BAKERY
MONDAY	Mestballs in a tomato & basil sauce	Macaroni cheese	Stone baked pizza selection	Fusilli Garlic bread	Side salad	Jam doughnut Choc crunch
TUESDAY	Chicken curry	Spinach & chickpea dahl	Beef burger Vegetable burger	Long grain rice	Naan bread	Anzac Choc crunch
WEDNESDAY	Beef burrito	Quorn burrito	Jumbo hot dog Quorn hot dog	Potato wedges	Sweetcorn	Oats biscuit Choc crunch
THURSDAY	Stir fry pork	Vegetable chow mein	Oven baked chicken burger brioche bap	Egg noodles	Broccoli	Mixed fruit jam dodger Choc crunch
FRIDAY	Battered fish	Quorn nuggets	Oven baked popcorn chicken	Oven baked chips	Baked beans Garden peas	Iced cake of the day Gingerbread

SEASONAL KITCHEN

Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Butternut Squash	Blackberries	Parsnips	Forsythia Rhubarb

Food Allergies & Intolerance
 If you require information on allergens or suffer from a food intolerance please speak to a team member before you order your food or drinks.

I hope that you have a lovely weekend. One more week to go before half term!

Matthew.