

## Diss High School Weekly Bulletin

Week Beginning:		18 <sup>th</sup> September 2023		Week: 01	
			Events	Time	
Monday Miss Johnson	18/09/2023	Year 13 UCAS & University Presentation Assembly in Library		8:55am-9:55am	
		Homework Club after school in Learning Support		3:15pm-4:15pm	
Tuesday Miss Pittman	19/09/2023	Young Geographers meeting - Room 44 - Mrs Nolan		1:15pm	
Wednesday Mr Lea	20/09/2023	Additional Studies – Year 8 Group 1 Room 26 - Mr Somers Group 2 Room 76 – Mrs Marshall / Miss Smith		8am	
		Year 13 Assembly – Library		8:55am	
Thursday Mr Adamson	21/09/2023	<b>International Day of Peace</b>			
		Additional Studies – Year 9 Room 64 – Mrs Adlam		8am	
		Creative Writing Club Room 60 - All welcome!		1:20pm	
		🌸🥕🌾 School Allotment Club 🌾🥕🌸 Planting, seeding, and harvesting - bring your lunch		1:20pm	
		More2life Lunchtime Club - Room 35 Bring your lunch.		1:20pm	
Friday Mr Somers	22/09/2023	Warhammer Club – Room 18		1:20pm	
		<b>Year 7, 11, Sibling, Portrait and Year Group School Photos take place today</b>		From 9am	

## General Information

### Assemblies:

Speaker: Mr J Hurley (Monday)                      Topic: Sixth Form is Great!  
                  Mr B Lea (Tuesday – Friday)                      Peace & Democracy

Monday 18<sup>th</sup> September – Year 11  
Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> September - Year 10  
Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> September – Year 9  
Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> September – Year 8  
Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> September – Year 7

### General notices for parents/students:

#### **Stopping, turning, and parking at Main Entrance is not permitted**

Please be reminded that pupils should be dropped off and picked up at the pedestrian entrance on Willbye Avenue. Parking, stopping, or entering at the main entrance to Diss High School on Walcot Road is not permitted. Please be reminded also that the main entrance should not be used as a turning area, including for sixth form drivers.

#### **Lost Property**

Please ensure students' uniform, PE kit and personal property is clearly marked with their name so we can return back to students if misplaced around the school site.

If your child is missing anything, please ask them to check at Reception or in the PE Department.

#### ***Items left in school in the Summer Term***

There are several items of jewellery, Air pods, keys and watches held at Reception from the summer term. If your child is missing any of these items, please ask them to visit Reception. Any of these items not claimed by the end of Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> September will be disposed of.

*Many thanks - School Office*

#### **Student Absence**

Please can you report a student absence by calling the main line 01379 642424 and selecting option 1 before 08:30am. Alternatively, you can email [attendance@disshigh.co.uk](mailto:attendance@disshigh.co.uk)

*Many thanks, Mrs P Turrell – Attendance Officer*

#### **Water Bottles (in school every day)**

Please ensure students bring a named re-useable water bottle to school each day, not a glass bottle. They can be refilled at the water fountain at break & lunchtime. Students can also help themselves to free cups of water from the canteen at break and lunch if they forget their water bottle.

#### **Lunchtime Menu**

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

## **Lunchtime and After School Clubs and Activities**

Please note the list of after school clubs and activities is currently being updated; once this is complete, a new link will be uploaded on the Bulletin.

### **Misplaced/Lost Lunch Card**

If your student 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/](http://www.parentmail.co.uk/help/parenthelp/) or email [enquiries.parentmail@disshigh.co.uk](mailto:enquiries.parentmail@disshigh.co.uk)

### **Lunchtime Cooking Club**

Please find attached poster regarding my extra-curricular club this year. This will start on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> September with KS3 (Year7, 8 and 9), week 1.

*Many thanks, Mrs A Malloy - Food Technology Teacher*

### **Year 8 HPV vaccinations**

The Year 8 HPV vaccinations scheduled for 18<sup>th</sup> September on the school calendar have been cancelled; new dates will be released in the new year.

*Many thanks, Mrs P Turrell – Attendance Officer*

### **GCSE Art/A Level Art Students ONLY**

GCSE and A Level Art Students are invited to attend 'Open Studios' every Tuesday afterschool, 3.15-4.15pm in Room 76. This is to give students time, space and the opportunity to access materials and facilities if they would like to continue and/or complete practical work.

*Many thanks, Mrs D Marshall – Head of Art*

### **Year 7 and 11 School Photos: Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> September**

From 9am on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> September, individual portrait, year group and sibling photos of Year 7 and Year 11 Students will take place either in the school hall or outside (weather permitting). Students will be collected from lessons to have their photos taken. Please ensure your child/children arrives to school in the correct uniform, wearing or bringing along their school jumper.

*Many thanks, School Office*