

Diss High School Weekly Bulletin

Week Beginning: 12 th September 2022		Week: 02	
		Events	Time
Monday Miss Pittman	12/09/2022		
Tuesday Mr Adamson	13/09/2022		
Wednesday Mr Lea	14/09/2022	Additional Studies - Year 8 - Room 26 – Mr Somers	8am
Thursday Miss Johnson	15/09/2022	Additional Studies – Year 9 - Room 20 – Mrs Adams More2life Lunchtime Club – Room 35 – bring your lunch 🌸🥕🌾 School Allotment Club 🌸🥕🌾 planting, seeding and harvesting - bring your lunch	8am 1:20pm-2pm 1:15pm
Friday Mr Somers	16/09/2022		

General Information

Assemblies:

Welcome Assembly – Dr Hunt

Monday 12th September - Year 11
Tuesday 13th September - Year 7
Wednesday 14th September - Year 10
Thursday 15th September - Year 9
Friday 16th September - Year 8

General notices for parents/students:

Queen Elizabeth II

It is with great sadness that we learnt of the death of Her Majesty The Queen. We have now entered a period of national mourning that will continue until the end of the State Funeral. Once details of the funeral are confirmed by the Royal Household, we will write to you with further guidance and information.

Many thanks, Dr Hunt - Headteacher

Stopping 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 Wilby Avenue. Parking, stopping or entering at the main entrance to Diss High School on Walcot Road is not permitted.

Lost Property

Please ensure students' uniform, PE kit and personal property is clearly marked with their name so we can issue back to students if misplaced around the school site. If your child is missing anything, please ask them to visit Reception at break or lunchtime where lost property is kept.

Many thanks - School Office

Water Bottles

Please send students to school each day with a named re-useable water bottle not a glass bottle. They can be refilled at the water fountain at break & lunchtime.

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

Many thanks, P Turrell – Attendance Officer

Lunchtime Menu

Week 2 – Please see Menu on Diss High School Website.

More2Life Club

This club starts again on Thursday 15th September from 1.20-2pm in room 35 or outside on the grass area between Languages and Business, if the weather is good.

Join us for games, challenges, discussions and more.

All year groups are welcome.

Bring your lunch.

Many thanks, C Miles – Head of Modern Foreign Languages

Catering Assistant

Please see advert attached for more details

Many thanks – Aspens

Individual music lessons for Years 8-13 start this week. Please visit the music department on Monday to collect your lesson card, which will be on Dr Butler's desk. Remember that it is your responsibility to check your lesson time each week.

Year 7s and other pupils who wish to begin individual music lessons should speak to Dr Butler or email alisonbutler@disshigh.co.uk .

Vocal workshop - see poster. This takes place on Tuesday 13th and you must sign up by Monday 12th at 3.15 PM. All welcome, regardless of age or singing experience.

Many thanks, A Butler – Head of Music

Sail France 2023

The 4th stage payment of £110 for students going on the Sail France trip is due by 30th September. Please make payment via www.pay360educationpayments.com

Many thanks - D Somers, Assistant Headteacher

Newspaper Request Art Department

The Art department would be very grateful if you could please save newspapers and magazines and bring to room 77.

Many thanks, S Nicholls – Art Department

Confidential

Monday 12th September

No More Marking assessments in lessons this week

Management Forum - 3.30pm, Library

Tuesday 13th September

Roald Dahl Day

Period 3-5 – Music Vocal Workshop – Mrs Collier, Dr Butler

New Staff Induction session 3.30pm - Library

Wednesday 14th September

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Thursday 15th September

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Friday 16th September

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HOY Detentions Every Week

These will take place in the hall from 1.15 - 1.45:

Monday - Year 9 Miss Kelly

Tuesday - Year 7 Mrs Barrett/Mrs Bensley

Wednesday- Year 11 Mr Cole

Thursday - Year 10 Mr Widdeson

Friday - Year 8 Dr Busby

Staff Well-being

Just to let you all know, that when you login to Teams, you should automatically become a member of the Staff well-being Teams station. On here, we share lots of mindfulness suggestions, advertise activities to get involved in and also share links to any external agencies that you may need to know about.

A few of us get together once a term for a staff book club. If you would like to join this group and have any book suggestions for this term's read, please do let me know so that I can get this up and running as soon as possible. I also hear that staff football might be making a come-back...

We hope that the first week back has been a positive one for everyone!

CPD tip of the week:

Many thanks to Jess Read who has contributed the following linked to establishing expectations and rewards in her classroom:

Make it clear in the first few weeks of term what equals a positive/reward, such as reading aloud, helping with classroom jobs, giving a thoughtful or insightful answer, using previous knowledge etc. This not only helps to establish expectations, but also encourages participation.

Suzie Johnson - Assistant Headteacher