William Perkin Family Support e-bulletin

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WELCOME

We would like to welcome you to William Perkins half-termly Padlet.

You can expect to receive a new William Perkin Family Support E-bulletin Padlet once every half term which will amount to 6 for the school year of 2026-27.

As a reminder this half-termly bulletin is for all Parents and Carers of students at William Perkin CofE High School. Each issue brings you upcoming dates, resources and information to help you better support your children and families.

KEY TERM DATES

NOVEMBER
2 Staff Training (SCHOOL CLOSED TO STUDENTS)

NOVEMBER
16 Autumn Showcase Y7-13 (EARLY CLOSE)

NOVEMBER
20 Occasional Day (SCHOOL CLOSED)

NOVEMBER
27 Enterprise Day

DECEMBER
2 Start of Q2 Exams

DECEMBER
15 Christmas Lunch & Jumper Day

DECEMBER
15 Half Term Last Day Y11, Y12 & Y13

MONTH
16 Half Term Last Day Y7, Y8, Y9 & Y10

🎃 LITTLE CLUB ACTON HALLOWEEN ACTIVITIES🎃

Little Club Acton is running a range of exciting Halloween activities for children and young people during the October half-term break. Sessions provide fun, creativity and opportunities to make new friends in a safe and welcoming environment. Please share with families and see the flyer for full details:

Little Club Flyer - Click here to access

GAMING SUPPORT FOR FAMILIES

Ygam is an award-winning UK charity set up by parents and educators to prevent gaming and gambling harms. Their mission is to give parents, carers, and teachers the knowledge and tools they need to build digital resilience in children and safeguard them from online risks.

What do they offer for parents and carers?

- Free Online Workshops: Interactive, specialist-led sessions covering topics like the psychology of gaming, understanding in-game purchases, and spotting the early signs of harm.
- The Parent Hub: A dedicated online resource centre packed with practical tips, age-appropriate advice, and conversation starters to help you talk to your child about safe gaming.
- Actionable Advice: Simple guides on how to set up strict parental controls, manage screen time, and establish healthy digital boundaries at home.

Click the linkbelow to visit the Ygam Family Hub for more information and support on the WP Padlett.

Family Hub | Ygam

EARLY YEARS FUNDING SUPPORT FOR EALING FAMILIES

Families in Ealing may be eligible for a range of childcare funding and financial support from 9 months old through to school age.

Support available includes:

- **Working Parent Childcare Offer** – up to 30 hours funded childcare for eligible working families.
- **Early Learning for 2-Year-Olds** – 15 hours funded childcare for eligible 2-year-olds.
- **Nursery Education Grant (NEG)** – 15 universal funded hours for all 3 and 4-year-olds, with some families eligible for up to 30 hours.
- **Additional support** through the Early Years Pupil Premium (EYPP) and Disability Access Fund (DAF) for eligible children.
- **Help with childcare costs** through Tax-Free Childcare and Universal Credit Childcare Support.

For information about childcare funding, local childcare providers, SEND support and family services, contact the Ealing Family Information Service (FIS):
📧 children@ealing.gov.uk
☎️ 020 8825 5588
👉 Visit WP Padlet for funding information, eligibility criteria and useful resources: **EY funding Support Full List**

🧠THERAPY SUPPORT FOR CHILDREN, YOUNG PEOPLE AND FAMILIES

CYPS provides therapy and emotional wellbeing support for children and young people aged 5-25+, as well as the adults who support them. Services are available across West London and surrounding areas, including online appointments. Support is available for anxiety, stress, trauma, neurodiversity, life changes, relationships and more. Flexible appointments are offered around work, school and family life, with some reduced-fee and funded sessions available.

📱 Parents and carers can scan the QR code on the flyer to find out more and make an enquiry.
CYP_Services Flyer 2026

📚 GCSE REVISION SUPPORT @ THE HUB GREENFORD LIBRARY

Give students a confidence boost ahead of their GCSEs with free weekly English Literature revision support at The Hub, Greenford Library. Starting 15 October, these supportive sessions will help students strengthen their understanding of key GCSE Literature topics, including:

✅ GCSE set texts
✅ Essay writing and analysis skills
✅ Exploring themes, characters, and context
✅ Answers to questions they may be struggling with

Please share the flyer below with families so that young people can take advantage of this valuable free revision support:

📖 **GCSE Revision Support Flyer**

🌈 BECOME A PAID PEER RESEARCHER – MIDDLESEX PRIDE

Young Ealing Foundation and Middlesex Pride are recruiting young people aged 14–18 who live, work or study in Ealing to become paid peer researchers, exploring the experiences of LGBTQ+ young people and how to make Ealing more inclusive.

No experience is needed! The opportunity is open to all young people interested in promoting fairness, inclusion and respect.

📅Deadline: Sunday 18 October 2026
📧Contact: anna@youngealingfoundation.org.uk

Click Here: **See the flyer for further details and the application QR code.**