



Dear Parents/Carers

It has been an exceptionally busy week this week with a number of events across the school. We began the week with the Year 12 students attending the Safe Drive Stay Alive event which taught the students how to be responsible drivers, something I am sure we all agree is extremely important.

The Year 8/9 and Year 10/12 students went on a visit to Parliament on Tuesday which they all enjoyed immensely. Some even got to see Boris Johnson debating! Thank you to all the staff who gave up their time to accompany them on this trip.

Also on Tuesday we had the Year 7 Information evening. Parents of our new year 7s attended to hear key details from Mr Gibson, Ms Baveystock and Mr Cooper, about the curriculum and the support on offer as well as the new House system outlined by Mr Duffy.

Wednesday evening was our Sixth Form open evening and this proved to be an exceptionally popular event. It was lovely to see so many Year 11 students focussed on their future and really interested in finding out what is available to them at Brakenhale for their Post 16 studies. I felt extremely proud hearing staff talk about our exceptional results last year and what they are able to offer students moving forward into next year. Both the teaching and support staff worked incredibly hard to put on this evening and I am extremely lucky to have such a committed team supporting students.

Finally, on Thursday evening we had our Year 8 PTA Disco. The students and staff alike thoroughly enjoyed the event and it was a great success, particularly the dancing skills of Mr Beukes! Thank you again to all those who made this possible including parent supporters from the PTA.

I am really pleased to report that I have met with Ms Douse this week and she is looking incredibly well after her surgery and she will be returning to us next week in a part time capacity and hopefully the following week back full time, we have really missed her!

I am also pleased to feedback on some impressive student achievements. Fabian and Kristian Maka took part in the UK Championship Ballroom and Latin dancing competition and Fabian won, how amazing! A huge well done to both Fabian and Kristian.

This week has seen the results of the House Captain selection published. A big well done to all of those who applied and of course to the winners. Please see the House News page for more details.

Best wishes

Jane Coley, Headteacher

What's on next week

Thursday 16th November

Year 10 Parents' Evening

Friday 17th November

Non Uniform Day for Children in Need

Current Vacancies

We have the following exciting opportunities at Brakenhale.

Please see the website for more details.

<http://brakenhale.co.uk/about/vacancies/>

- Science Teacher & Second in Science
- PE Teacher with Specialism in Science
- Assistant Caretaker

EAL (English as an Additional Language)

The EAL department is looking for a Romanian-speaking volunteer to support students within the department. Please contact Miss Cmok at the school if you are able to help or would like more information.



Miss I Cmok, EAL Coordinator

Christmas Jumper Day

We are delighted to be supporting the Save the Children charity Christmas Jumper Day on:

Friday 15th December

For a donation of £1 students can wear their Christmas jumpers over normal school uniform. Please note that all other uniform must be worn as usual.



Save the Children
CHRISTMAS
JUMPER DAY

Brakenhale School Ski Trip 2018

We will be running our school ski trip at Easter 2018 to Sestriere, Italy between 31st March and April 7th 2018. There have been a couple of spaces become available at short notice on a first come, first served basis. Places are open to current Year 7, 8 or 9 students.

The trip will cost £1100, which includes flights, coach transfers, 3* Hotel (including all meals) and full ski hire (not clothing).

If you would like to secure one of these last minute places on our 2018 trip please email Mr Yeates on wyates@brakenhale.co.uk in the first instance. Deposits will be needed as soon as possible to guarantee a place.

Will Yeates, Head of PE, Tel: 01344 465056



Dance News



The cast continue to impress staff with their effort and talent!

Rehearsals for our whole school Music, Dance and Drama extravaganza 'School of Rock' are on Wednesdays and Thursdays after school, from 3.05pm to 4.30pm.

Mrs Raby, Teacher of Dance and Drama

Dance Enrichment

We have had a few changes to our dance enrichment timetable, please can you share with your tutor groups and feel free to print off an updated version.

Year 7 now have a cheer club Monday lunchtimes - they must sign up for this, we have about 10 spaces left, the sign-up sheet is on the movement studio doors

Please can we push for Year 7 and 8 students to get involved in the Disney Show project - this is student led after school on Thursdays and is for charity

Only Year 10 - 13 have use of the space on Tuesday and Friday break, Year 11 only on Friday lunch

Enrichment Dance Timetable

Starting from Monday the 2nd of October

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Break time 11:00 - 11:25	CLOSED	Year 10 - 13 rehearsals	Open for rehearsals	Open for rehearsals	Year 10 - 13 rehearsals
Lunch time 1:25 – 1:55	Cheer club (MS) Kiera Hopkins Signup sheet in dance	DARK MATTER (MS) Dance Company Associates/invites only	Stretch & Flex (MS) Fay Beesley Open to all	Street Dance (MS) Tiegan & Charlie Open to all	Year 11 GCSE/ BTEC Support (MS) Miss Raby & Miss Haley
After School 3:05 onwards	AURORA Dance Company (MS) Miss Haley & Kiera Hopkins Open to Year 8 & 9 girls 3:05 until 4:15 Year 10 – 13 Rehearsal Space (JNS)	FREE FALL Dance Company (MS) Miss Ovens Invitation only DARK MATTER Dance Company (JNS) Miss Haley Auditioned company only 3:05 until 4:05	School of Rock Dance Rehearsals (MS) Miss Haley Dance chorus rehearsals 3:05 until 4:30 Year 10 – 13 Rehearsal Space (JNS)	TERRANOVA Dance Company (MS) Kieran West Invitation only 3:05 until 4:30 Disney Show Rehearsals (JNS) Alex Elsey For Year 7 & 8 students	The Mini's (MS) Chloe Johnson & Fay Beesley Open to Year 7 girls 3:05 until 4:05 Year 10 – 13 Rehearsal Space (JNS)

Miss Haley, Head of Drama and Dance

Bronze Arts Award

Huge congratulations to the students listed below for successfully completing their Bronze Arts Award in Drama and Dance:

Emily C, Jodie C, Lester D, Samuel G, Zoe J, Tegan R, Jemma T, Shannon H, Emma W, Lauren W, Jerry S, William C, Chloe J, Jade A, Kiera H, Jessica P, Fay B, Kieran W and Jade C

The Bronze Arts Award is a nationally recognised arts qualification accredited by Trinity Laban. The students had to participate in the arts, review a live performance, teach a skill and research their art inspiration. The Moderator who came to look at the work said that he was really impressed with the opportunities given to our students to participate in the arts.



Mrs Raby, Teacher of Drama and Dance

PTA Update

Thank you to everyone who joined us on Tuesday for our AGM and PTA meeting. We are always after more volunteers so if you feel you could join our friendly PTA in any capacity, or even just help out at the occasional event, please do let us know. Please see our PTA page on the [website for more information](#) or contact us via the school.

Thank you too for all those who helped out on Thursday evening for the dance-tastic Year 8 Disco. Everyone had a really fantastic evening and it was lovely to see all the students enjoying themselves, dancing and joining in with their favourite songs.

We now have the Clothes Recycling Initiative running until the 23rd November:

Clothes Recycling Initiative

We are once again collecting your unwanted clothes, shoes, accessories and other household items for recycling. Please see our flyer for more details of items that are collected.

We will be offering bags to students to take home, or you can put your items in an ordinary bin liner or other plastic bag.

Please bring all bags to main reception. We will be collecting until Thursday 23rd November. The more bags you bring in, the more money we can make, so have a good clear-out before Christmas and help us raise as much as possible.

We are also currently working towards the next exciting event which is our annual Christmas Market on Thursday 30th November.

PTA Christmas Market



Christmas Market – Thursday 30th November

We will once again be holding our annual Christmas Market on Thursday 30th November from 7pm to 9pm. This is a wonderfully festive occasion and we look forward to seeing many of you there.

There is space still left if any parents/family or friends of parents/colleagues etc. with craft or gift businesses or services are interested in taking a table at our school Christmas Market.

Last year's event was a huge success with stallholders making excellent profits and raising their profiles within the local community.

Tables (provided by the school) cost £10 for 1, £20 for 2 and £25 for 3.

You can download a stall booking form from our website [here](#).

Alternatively, please contact Sarah Hartley at the school, or email shartley@brakenhale.co.uk.



Celebrating Sixth Form

On Wednesday we held our Sixth Form Open Evening for all the Year 11 students who will be studying A Levels from September 2018. All the subject stalls looked colourful and informative and the whole evening had a bubbly and enthusiastic atmosphere.



Mr Hartley, Ms Coley, Mr Dale and a selection of current Sixth Form students gave motivating speeches to a packed hall and the subject stalls were presented by knowledgeable and inspiring staff, supported by Sixth Form students currently studying the subjects.



We have also recently installed our new Sixth Form Honours Board, celebrating the achievements and futures of our Sixth Form students.

With a generous donation from the PTA we have been able to purchase this impressive wooden presentation board, on which we have mounted plaques featuring our Head Boys and Head Girls, together with the university destinations of our last 2 cohorts of Sixth Form students.

The board will be updated annually as the years progress. This is a fantastic way of both celebrating achievement, engaging students in their future and inspiring them to Aim High.

Mr Hartley, Deputy Headteacher

School Christmas Card Competition

We are delighted to once again be running our Christmas card competition for students.

Students who wish to take part should design a corporate Christmas card and Ms Coley will judge the competition and the winning entry will be sent out as the Brakenhale Christmas card this year.

If students are interested in submitting an entry, they will need to draw their design on an A4/A5 blank piece of paper and put in an envelope with their name and class which can be handed in to Main Reception. The design will be scanned in so needs to be a flat image otherwise we will be unable to use it.

The deadline for entries will be Friday 24th November in order for us to select and print the designs.



Last Year's Winning Entry

Year 9 Shoe Box Appeal

A final thank you for all the gifts you have contributed over the past few days to add to the boxes - they are finally wrapped and ready to go!

Miss O'Brien, Assistant Head of Year 9




Exams Update

Year 9 Pre Public Exams

Please find attached the timetable for the Year 9 Pre Public Exams (PPEs) that they will be sitting in November.

Hard copies have been given out to students.

 **Brakenhale School Year 9 Pre Public Exams (PPEs) – November 2017**

	Monday 20 th November	Tuesday 21 st November	Wednesday 22 nd November	Thursday 23 rd November	Friday 24 th November
Period 1 & 2	English 1 Hour 45 min	Maths 1 Hour Geography 1 Hour	French 1 Hour 15 min Spanish 1 Hour 15 min Religious Studies 30 min	Normal Lessons	
Period 3 & 4	Maths 1 Hour Science 1 Hour	Normal Lessons	History 1 Hour		
Period 5	Normal Lessons		Normal Lessons		

Year 10 Pre Public Religious Studies Exam – Change of Date

Please note that we have changed the date of the Religious Studies Exam for Year 10. This will now be taking place on Wednesday 29th November at 11.25am in the Main Hall. The Exam will be one hour long and will be taken under exam conditions.


This exam is in preparation for their GCSE Religious Studies Exam that they will be completing in May 2018.

The exam will be on Islam and revision material for this can be found on Show my Homework.


Please do not hesitate to contact the Exam Team if you have any further questions.

Year 11 Pre Public Exams

Please find attached the timetable for the Year 11 Pre Public Exams (PPEs) that they will be sitting in November and December.

 **Brakenhale School Year 11 Pre Public Exams (PPEs) – November/December 2017**

	Monday 27 th November	Tuesday 28 th November	Wednesday 29 th November	Thursday 30 th November	Friday 1 st December
Period 1 & 2	Maths Non Calculator 1 Hour 30	English 1 Hour 45	Maths Calculator 1 Hour 30	English 1 Hour 45	Sixth Form Taster Day
Period 3 & 4	P3 Business BTEC 1 Hour All other students normal lessons P3 and P4	Normal Lessons		Maths Calculator 1 Hour 30	
Period 5	Science Biology 1 Hour	Science Chemistry 1 Hour	Science Physics 1 Hour	Normal Lessons	

 **Brakenhale School Year 11 Pre Public Exams (PPEs) – November/December 2017**

	Monday 4 th December	Tuesday 5 th December	Wednesday 6 th December	Thursday 7 th December	Friday 8 th December
Period 1 & 2	Normal Lessons				Art all day Exam in A02 Photography all day Exam in B17 All other students in normal lessons
Period 3 & 4	OPTION A Art - All day Friday A02 Bus Studies 2 x 1 Hour Economics 2 x 1 Hour Geography 2 x 1 Hour History 1 Hour 15 plus 45 min Spanish 1 Hour 30 HSC Resit students 1 Hour Photography - All day Friday B17	OPTION B Bus Studies 2 x 1 Hour Engineering TBC French 1 Hour 30 Geography 2 x 1 Hour Graphics 2 Hours History 1 Hour 15 plus 45 min HSC Resit students 1 Hour BTEC Drama 2 Hour practical exam in L01	OPTION C BTEC Bus Studies 1 Hour Com Science 1 Hour Engineering TBC Food Nutrition 1 Hour 45 French 1 Hour 30 Geography 2 x 1 Hour History 1 Hour 15 plus 45 min Media No Exam Spanish 1 Hour 30 OCR National 1 Hour	OPTION D BTEC Sport 1 Hour Bus Studies 2 x 1 Hour RM 2 Hours Dance GCSE 2 hour practical exam in MS with ARA Geography 2 x 1 Hour ICT 1 Hour Music GCSE 1 Hour L51 GCSE PE 1 Hour Spanish 1 Hour 30 BTEC Dance 2 hour practical exam in JNS with CHL Music BTEC TBC	
Period 5	Normal Lessons				

Mrs Seymour, Exams Officer

News from our School Houses



Farley

FARLEY:



It's been another good week, Farley. I can't speak on behalf of the other teachers, but from what I've seen from you from my lessons and around school, I'm impressed. You're working hard and contributing to the success of the house!

Remember, if you haven't signed up for an extracurricular group or entered the Christmas card competition, it's a great way to earn some extra house points.

Well done to our new house captains and vice-captains! We had many great applications, and those who applied should be very proud of themselves.

House Captains and Vice Captains

- Year 7: Captain - Harrison C, Vice - Elsie R
- Year 8: Captain - Luke T, Vice - Brooke S
- Year 9: Captain - Shelley W, Vice - TBC
- Year 10: Captain - Miriam A, Vice - Martin C
- Year 11: Captain - Asha M, Vice - Kaitlyn B

Even if you're not a captain, I'd still like you to be involved. Come and see me, and I can tell you more information.

The leader board is very close!

The first person in Farley to achieve 50 house points is Tegan R in year 10! She'll receive a prize for this. The next benchmark is 100 points and there will be a bigger prize! Keep it up!

The Top 5 (amazing) Farley members are: Tegan R - Year 7, Liberty G - Year 7, Victoria T – Year 7, Lacie E-S – Year 10, Molly P – Year 9.

Mr Bell, Head of House

Jennetts

It's been another positive week for the house system, with celebrations of outstanding work points given out by departments to all year groups, and the appointment of house captains and vice house captains.

Various Jennetts students have been awarded 10 (yes 10!!) house points for outstanding work - there are too many to mention here but well done to you all!!

Thank you to everyone that applied for a house captain role - it was really lovely to be able to interview you, and if you weren't successful this time don't panic; there will be other opportunities coming your way! Well done guys! The Jennetts house captains are;

House Captains and Vice Captains

- Year 7: Aleena H, Jakub G
- Year 8: Ethan V, Alice M
- Year 9: Kayleigh L, Skye R
- Year 10: Sarah A, Emily C
- Year 11: Claudia P

The Brakenhale Christmas Card Competition is in full swing as well - so we need as many entries as possible, please! All you need to do is put your design onto an A5 or A4 sheet of paper, put it in an envelope with your name and house on it, and hand it to main reception. Well done so far team - keep it up!!

Mr Duffy, Head of House

Swinley

Hello Swinley! This week has been a milestone week for each of the houses as House Captains and Vice Captains were appointed! In our house, the following students have been awarded with these positions;

House Captains and Vice Captains

- Year 7 - Bronwyne S
- Year 8 - Travis T (HC), Taimoor K (VC)
- Year 9 - Elissa F
- Year 10 - Lauren W (HC), Lester D (VC)
- Year 11 - Michael A (HC), Kloe W (VC)

All of these students submitted excellent applications and followed them up with outstanding interviews. Congratulations to each of you!

We do still have Vice Captain positions available for years 7 and 9 so if you still wish to apply the opportunity is still there.

In other news Christmas Card competition is being run in conjunction with the House System this year and I would love to have as many entries from Swinley as possible! Entries must be handed in to Main Reception by the 24th November.

Thank you to all of your efforts for our house so far this year! #TeamSwinley #TeamBrakenhale

Mr Jackson-Sankey, Head of House

Temple

What a fantastic first week back for Temple! House points are up and we are racing ahead - keep up the good work and let's push even more!

A big thank you to everyone who applied for House Captain roles, I really enjoyed interviewing you all and hearing your thoughts and enthusiasm. It was a very difficult decision. Congratulations to those who have been selected, I look forward to meeting with you soon.

Remember you can earn extra house points by submitting Christmas Card designs, these need to be handed in to main reception by the 30th November.

House Captains and Vice Captains

- Year 7 - Joel C and Katie H
- Year 8 - Zac B and Gracie W
- Year 9 - Victoria M and Callum H
- Year 10 - Alex E and Macey T
- Year 11 - Yousuf M and Danielle R

Miss Haley, Head of House

PE News

This week has been another busy week for the PE department with 4 netball fixtures and a football game.

We have two brand new clubs starting so GIRLS please can you make sure to come to these. We have Girls Football on Wednesdays after school and Girls Rugby after school on a Thursday. Both clubs will be finishing around 4.15pm. You do not need to sign up for these, just turn up, we look forward to seeing you!

Netball

Netball match reports from Olivia C and Amy P

On Tuesday 7th November we played a home game against Edgbarrow. The end score was 16-2 to them - sadly Brakenhale lost but we tried our hardest and it was a good game. Our captain of the team was Enya and the player of the match was Tegan R.

Then on Thursday 9th November we played an away match at Sandhurst. It was a very close game with lots of end-to-end action. The overall score was 13-13 and the captain for this match was Amy P and the player of the match was Ella HB.

Other results from this week:

- Year 11 Netball v Edgbarrow - 7-13
- Year 9 Netball v Sandhurst - 5-7

Young Ambassadors

This year's young Ambassadors are: Hannah F, Miriam A and Emily C. These three students all wrote amazing application forms for why they should be a Young Ambassador and over the next year they will attend meeting and organise an event for local schools alongside the other young ambassadors. This is a fantastic opportunity and they will gain a qualification at the end of the year. This is open to Year 10s only; so year 9 student - start thinking about your application to become a young ambassador!

Next week we have the following fixtures:

- ⇒ Tuesday: Year 7A and B Netball v Egbarrow @ Home; Young Ambassador Meeting
- ⇒ Thursday: Year 7A and B Netball v Garth @ Garth
- ⇒ Friday: Schools Cross Country relay @ Southill Park (this requires 2 boys and 2 girls from Years 7, 8 and 9)

Miss L Willimott, Lead Coordinator of Girls PE and Teacher in Charge of Health and Social Care

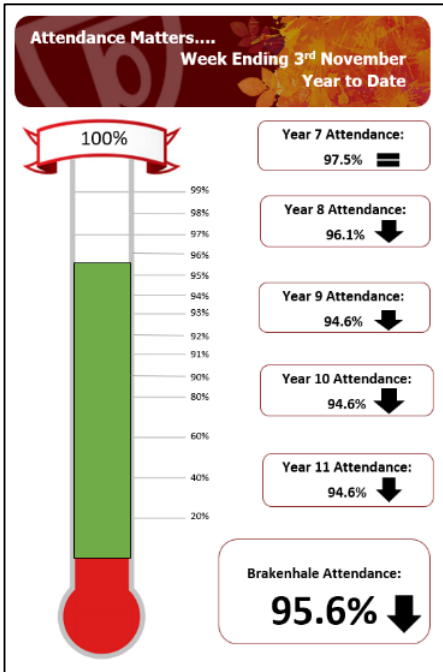
Year 11 Football Match Report - Mr Jackson-Sankey, PE Teacher

On the 8th November, the Year 11 football team faced John Hammond Grammar School from High Wycombe in the third round of the National Cup. This was the round in which the team was knocked out last season so the incentive to progress and better last year's cup run was there from the start.

The game didn't start in the greatest fashion, with Brakenhale falling behind after just 32 seconds! For the first 10 minutes Brakenhale looked rattled and nervous at the occasion. John Hammond looked to capitalise on this early on, playing some outstanding football. What followed truly showed the class and mental aptitude of this year group. Now they were settled and sticking to the game plan, Brakenhale started to dictate the game. They were able to start winning the ball higher up the pitch and creating chances of their own. I could ramble on for days, such was the quality of the action, but the keynotes through the 70+ minutes were that despite falling behind 4 times in the game, Brakenhale were able to equalise every time and force a penalty shootout! Tom N, Olly L, Clancy O and Joe O were the goal-scorers in normal time.

What came in the penalty shootout was the stuff of Hollywood! Following the new ABBA penalty system, Brakenhale took first shot. The quality of penalties was exceptional and after 5 each, the score was tied at 4-4. Sudden death! In the sixth round of penalties, Brakenhale missed their penalty presenting John Hammond with a chance to progress. Michael A had other plans however as he produced a marvellous save to keep the tie alive, on we went! We eventually reached the ninth round of penalties when we finally had our winner. The tension in the crowd was palpable as Michael A approached for Brakenhale's ninth penalty. He stepped up and smashed it through the keeper's legs! John Hammond had to score to keep the tie alive, however Michael A was the hero again in goal, diving low to his right to produce another fine save! The crowd erupted in the knowledge Brakenhale had reached the fourth round of the National Cup! Full Time: 4-4, 7-6 on penalties.
#TeamBrakenhale

Attendance



Our attendance this year so far was 95.6% at the end of last week, which is an improvement on last year's 94.4% and a fabulous result, so please keep up the hard work.

With regards to persistent absence, we still have over 100 students who have attendance below 90% so far this year so we will once again be running persistent absence assemblies over the next couple of weeks.

As always please get in touch if there is anything that we can do to support you by telephone on 01344 465050 or by email on schoolattendance@brakenhale.co.uk

Mrs Evans, Attendance Office

Brakenhale Canteen

Please see our new menu for after half term.

The Brakenhale School					
WEEK COMMENCING :- 13 NOV, 4 DEC, 8 JAN, 29 JAN					
Week 3	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Hot Main Meal	British Farm Assured Sweet & Sour Pork	British Farm Assured Chicken Tikka	British Farm Assured Roast Pork	British Farm Assured Chicken & Leek Pie	MSC (Marine Stewardship Council) Baked Fish
Hot Vegetarian Meal	Chinese Spring Rolls	Veggie Curry	Chilli Bean Casserole	Cheese and Tomato Omelette	Veggie Pizza
Carbohydrate	Noodles	Rice	Roast Potatoes Rice	Crushed New Potatoes	Baked chips
Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Peas, Baked Beans or Salad
Hot Pudding	Citrus Cake served with Custard	Apple and Pear Crumble served with Custard	Bread and Butter Pudding	Strawberry Jam Sponge	Double Chocolate Muffin

We have available every day

- Yogurt bar for breakfast
- Salad bar where you build your own salad
- Homemade bread

We use locally sourced ingredients when available and in season

All our menus are nutritionally analysed to ensure they meet and in most cases exceed The School Food Standards

A meal deal costs £2.30, which includes a main meal and pudding.

If students prefer just to have the main meal, this costs £1.90.

Mrs Silvey, Catering & Enrichment Manager

School Lottery

Don't forget to join up and purchase your tickets to start helping our school. If you haven't signed up now would be the time. This is an easy way to help us to make money for the school and be in with a chance for winning. Thank you to all who have bought tickets and who continue to support the school.



Why not join today and not only will you be in with a chance of winning in the weekly prize draws but you will be helping to raise money for the school at the same time.

Click here to [Support the Brakenhale Lottery](#)

This term School Lottery are offering the chance to win a family ticket to Warner Brothers Harry Potter Studio Tour. You can find full details on their website.

Our School Lottery is a fun and effective way to raise money to help improve our school but we need your help to make it the best it can be.

Why not join now!

Easy Fundraising

With easyfundraising.org.uk you collect free donations to your selected cause every time you shop. You can make a big difference on everything from groceries to getaways and it doesn't cost you a penny!

When you shop the easyfundraising way with one of their 3083 shops and sites they give easyfundraising a commission for your purchase which is turned into a donation for your selected good cause.

When you visit the website easyfundraising.org.uk - simply search for the retailer you want to shop with and click out to them using the green 'Go Shopping' button. You will be taken straight to the retailer's website and your experience will be identical as if you had gone there directly but easyfundraising will be able to track your purchase to ensure a donation for your good cause.

You can also install their Donation Reminder - this means a box will appear if you are shopping with a retailer who participates in the Donation Reminder and you don't even need to visit the easyfundraising site! All you need to do is click Activate Donations and any eligible purchase will be recorded for you. Take a look at the Donation Reminder [here](#). The Donation Reminder is supported by Chrome, Firefox, Internet Explorer and Safari but can't work on mobile phones or tablets.

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Don't forget to shop through www.easyfundraising.org.uk to effortlessly help raise money for the school!



Future Diary Dates

Week beginning 20 th November	Year 9 PPE exams
Week beginning 27 th November	Year 11 PPE exams
Wednesday 29 th November	Year 10 Religious Studies exam
Thursday 30 th November	PTA Christmas Market
Friday 1 st December	Sixth Form Taster Day for Year 11

Term Dates

AUTUMN TERM 2017

*Inset Days: Friday 1st and Monday 4th September
Inset Days: Monday 18th and Tuesday 19th December*

Term dates for students:

Tuesday 5th September – Friday 15th December 2017

Autumn Half Term – Monday 23rd to Friday 27th October

Christmas Holiday for students – Monday 18th December to Tuesday 2nd January 2018

SPRING TERM 2018

Term dates for students:

Wednesday 3rd January – Thursday 29th March

Spring Half Term – Monday 12th to Friday 16th February

Easter Holiday – Friday 30th March to Friday 13th April

SUMMER TERM 2018

Term dates for students:

Monday 16th April – Friday 20th July

Inset Day: Monday 23rd July

Summer Half Term - Monday 28th May to Friday 1st June

Summer Holiday for students – Monday 23rd July to (date to be confirmed)

Bracknell Forest term dates can be found on their website:

<http://www.bracknell-forest.gov.uk/schooltermandholidaydates>

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