

Brakenhale School

Year 8 News



Friday 19th January 2018

Dear Year 8 Students

We do hope you have had a happy and productive week, and are fully back into the swing of things!

We do understand that the weather has not been pleasant of late, and that there are many nasty bugs doing the rounds. However, Mrs Evans – our most diligent Attendance Officer – took her time to come and talk to you all about the importance of coming into school, even if you are feeling a bit 'under the weather' (pun intended). Just one day off in a week means your attendance would be 80% for that week: well under expectations, and damaging to your education. Please keep this in mind before asking mum/dad/carer to make that call!

Also, thank you to all those who pushed mum/dad/carer to attend Parents' Evening yesterday. It was truly buzzing with a palpable atmosphere of celebration. We were privileged to take part in so many positive conversations about your achievements, progress and goals, and we are proud to have you as a year group. Continue to twinkle, like the stars that you are!

Finally, congratulations again to those students who went to Aberdovey last week. The feedback from Mr Kingston and Ms Rushby was amazing and you are a real credit to the school. Well done, you – and we are sure you thanked your teachers for taking good care of you!

We wish you a peaceful weekend, and let's hope the weather starts to improve!

Regards

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Tutor Routine – w/c 22nd January 2018

	AM Tutor	PM Tutor
Monday	Tools for Learning/Planner Check	Learning Reflection
Tuesday	Tutor Independent Learning/Silent Reading	Learning Reflection
Wednesday	Sports Hall Assembly	Learning Reflection
Thursday	Main Hall Assembly	Learning Reflection
Friday	News Quiz	Learning Reflection Please note: Thursday Surgery is today!

Lunch-time and Period 6 detentions

Lunch-time detentions for lateness and uniform in M13
P6 in HoY office with Miss Douse/Mrs Howes from after school until 3:30pm

If you do not attend your lunchtime detention, there will be a message sent out via schoolcomms to your parents/carers and you will be expected to be in period 6 the following day.

Key Dates:

Date	Event
Wednesday 24 th January	PSHE P4
Saturday 27 th January	All Day School Show Rehearsals

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