

Old Buckenham High School

STUDENT Bulletin

Week Beginning 9th October 2023

Week B

	Mon 9 th Oct	Tues 10 th Oct	Weds 11 th Oct	Thurs 12 th Oct	Fri 13 th Oct
Assembly	Year 11	Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10 and 11
Events	Year 10 and 11 Football Fixture v Hobart (Home) Pick up 4.45pm	Access Arrangements Information Meeting 5pm Main Hall (Invitation Only)	Year 10 and 11 Post 16 Careers Evening 5.00-7.00pm		Year 10 and 11 English Literature Trip

World Mental Health Day:



Assemblies will be held for students next week to highlight Mental Health Day. The aim of the assembly is to signpost students to different support that they can access if required. The assembly will be sent to all students with the links to the different organisations of support attached.

Star of the Week:

- Year 7 Erin W 7Y – For an outstanding effort, engagement and creativity in Science.
Jessica K 7G – For being an excellent role model: punctual, smart, polite and willing to help out.
- Year 8 Kirsty P 8R – For community spirit in supporting others in school.
- Year 9 Robbie M 9G – For an awesome effort and attitude, and superb homework in Geography.
- Year 10 Kiera I 10G – For her sporting achievements in Boxing.
- Year 11 Rainbow A 11R – Well done on achieving the most Habit Points in Year 11 this week!

Lost Property:

Friends of Old Buckenham High School:

F.O.B.H.S NEWS



Congratulations to all of the newly-appointed Senior Senate!

Fundraising Opportunity!

Please start collecting unwanted, but good-quality, textiles. Bags can be dropped at Reception for storage.

The collection date is Monday 13th November.

Full List: Men's, ladies' & children's clothing, paired shoes (tied together or elastic band around), handbags, hats, bags, scarves and ties, jewellery, lingerie, socks, belts, soft toys, household linen, household curtains, household towels, household bedding (bed sheets, pillow cases and duvet covers).



If you would like to become a member or keep up-to-date with events and activities, please follow us on our Facebook group "Friends of OBHS" or e-mail friendsofobhs@gmail.com

Attendance:

06.10.2023	Whole School	Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Year 11
Cumulative	92.01%	96.43%	89.67%	90.56%	91.82%	92.43%
Weekly	92.95%	95.14%	92.27%	93.86%	90.92%	92.52%

Young Heritage Collective at the Millennium Library:

**NORFOLK
YOUNG
HERITAGE
COLLECTIVE**

The Young Heritage Collective are a group of young people aged 12-18 who meet at Norfolk Heritage Centre to learn about and discuss lesser-known aspects of Norfolk's heritage in creative ways.

Sessions are free and everybody is welcome!

**Fortnightly Thursdays
4:15-5:30pm**

**Heritage Meeting Room, Second Floor
Norfolk & Norwich Millennium Library**

For more information please contact Apryl
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Lunchtime and After-School Clubs:



Old Buckenham High School

Autumn Term Clubs 2023



Week A

Week B

Day	Club	When	Where
Monday	Board games	Lunch	Rm 14
	Singing	Lunch	Rm 30
	Chess and draughts	Lunch	Rm 15
	Year 7 and 8 Football	Lunch	PE
	Chef Club	After school	Rm 20
Tuesday	Craft	Lunch	Rm 17
	Allotment	Lunch	
	Media	Lunch	Rm 6
	Jazz	Lunch	Rm 30
Wednesday	Board games	Lunch	Rm 23
	Model making	Lunch	Rm 16
	Year 9, 10 and 11 Football	Lunch	PE
Thursday	Keyboard and ukulele	Lunch	Rm 30
	Hockey	Lunch	PE
	History Ambassador	Lunch	Rm 11
	Drama	Lunch	Rm 35
	BSL	Lunch	Rm 23
Friday	Netball	Lunch	PE
	Music appreciation	Lunch	Rm 23
	Language film	Lunch	Rm 36
	Rock band	Lunch	Rm 31
	Clay	After school	Rm 17

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Career of the Week:

Careers in IT

1. Web Designer



The work

Website designers, sometimes known as web authors, design the pages that make up a website. They use a combination of programming techniques and web design software to build or enhance sites.



Skills & Interests

- HTML
- DHTML
- CSS
- XML
- Javascript
- PHP
- ASP
- Strong creative skills

Entry

Most employers want to see evidence of experience as well as qualifications - this could be paid or voluntary. You will need a portfolio of work demonstrating your creative and technical ability, usually in the form of a CD, DVD or 'live' website.

Many people enter this field after completing a foundation degree, BTEC HNC/HND or degree in a subject related to design and multimedia. Courses include web design, web development, multimedia design, digital media development and interactive computing.

Annual Income

- New entrants: £15,000 - £18,000
- Experienced designers: Up to £25,000
- Senior designers: £30,000 +



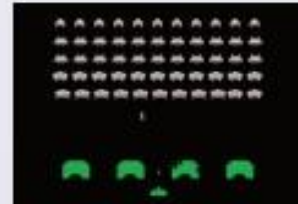
Careers in IT

2. Computer Games Developer



The work

Computer games developers produce games for PCs, games consoles, the internet and mobile phones. They may develop new games or update existing titles.



Skills & Interests

- Wide knowledge of computer games
- Creativity and imagination
- Ability to work under pressure

Entry

To work as a games designer, artist or programmer, you will usually need a relevant HND or degree.

Several colleges and universities offer foundation degrees, HNDs, degrees and postgraduate courses in computer games design or development. You could also get into the industry with other relevant degree subjects like computer science or software engineering, animation, graphic design, fine art or illustration, interactive media, maths or physics and multimedia design.

Annual Income

- Games testers: £10,000 - £15,000
- Graduates: £17,000 - £20,000
- Experienced developers: £40,000 +



Thomas Paine Sixth Form:


Thomas Paine
SIXTH FORM



OPEN EVENING

You're invited!

Thursday 12th October
6pm - 8pm

Join us at our Open Evening to explore our modern facilities, speak to our students and teachers, and discuss how we can support you to reach your goals.

At Thomas Paine Sixth Form, our Careers Programme, Future Leaders Pathways, and personalised approach to academic support and pastoral care are guaranteed to help prepare you for university and beyond.

At Thomas Paine Sixth Form, we aim to inspire the next generation of leaders. Our Future Leaders Pathways include work experience, extra-curricular activities, and networking opportunities, with a specialist tutor to help build a programme around you and your aims for the future.

We have a strong commitment to the added value of learning outside the classroom and beyond the sixth form premises. We offer a broad range of opportunities to help build your university application, your CV, and your confidence.

Our goal is to inspire and empower you to reach your academic and personal potential, with courses in:

- Criminology
- Performing Arts
- Media Studies
- Product Design
- Sport, and many more!

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