



10 January 2025

Dear Parents / Carers,

Happy New Year and welcome to our first Parent Bulletin of 2025.

For your information, below are some of the great celebrations and events that have taken place on campus this week as well as important information regarding students and future events.

CELEBRATIONS & EVENTS THIS WEEK:



Happier January 2025

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
1. Find three things to look forward to this year	2. Make time today to do something kind for yourself	3. Do a kind act for someone else to help brighten their day	4. Write a list of things you feel grateful for and why	5. Look for the good in others and notice their strengths	6. Take five minutes to sit still and just breathe	7. Learn something new and share it with others
8. Say positive things to the people you meet today	9. Get moving. Do something active (ideally outdoors)	10. Thank someone you're grateful to and tell them why	11. Switch off all your tech at least an hour before bedtime	12. Connect with someone near you - share a smile or chat	13. Take a different route today and see what you notice	14. Eat healthy food which really nourishes you today
15. Get outside and notice five things that are beautiful	16. Contribute positively to your local community	17. Be gentle with yourself when you make mistakes	18. Get back in contact with an old friend	19. Focus on what's good, even if today feels tough	20. Go to bed in good time and allow yourself to recharge	21. Try out something new to get out of your comfort zone
22. Plan something fun and invite others to join you	23. Put away digital devices and focus on being in the moment	24. Take a small step towards an important goal	25. Decide to lift people up rather than put them down	26. Choose one of your strengths and find a way to use it today	27. Challenge your negative thoughts and look for the upside	28. Ask other people about things they've enjoyed recently
29. Say hello to a neighbour and get to know them better	30. See how many people you can smile at today	31. Write down your hopes or plans for the future	Illustrations of people celebrating and supporting each other.			

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Y11 Mock Results Day 8.1.25

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GCSE & A LEVEL 2024

SUMMER EXAM CERTIFICATES ARE NOW READY FOR COLLECTION

HOW TO COLLECT: Please can students email the EXAMS TEAM exams@brookvalegroby.com to arrange a date and time to collect.

If students are unable to collect their certificates personally, we will need **YOUR permission (via the exams email)**, with the name of the person collecting on your behalf.

It is important that students make every effort to collect their exam certificates and store them safely as they are important documents. Awarding organisations charge approximately £50.00 for each replacement certificate and we can only store them for a fixed amount of time before they are securely destroyed. Further education providers and employers will need to see the original documents.

Summer 2024 exam certificates ready for collection



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All Years

- Campus is **closed for Students on Monday 20th January** for a Teacher Training Day.
- A reminder of the **BGLC/TMET consultation meeting for stakeholders on Thursday 16th January from 4.00pm**. A copy of the letter previously shared is linked [here](#) which includes the consultation feedback form. The deadline for the form is today but comments will be accepted up until 8.30am Monday 13th Jan.
- **Hinckley and Bosworth Borough Council Active Awards.**

Please vote in our HBBC Active Awards, the categories are:

Children and young people awards:

- Active School Award
- Junior Club/Team of the Year
- Junior Sports Person of the Year
 - Junior Unsung Hero
 - School Team of the Year
 - School Wellbeing Award

Adult awards:

- Inclusivity Award
- Inspiring Instructor
- Outstanding Contribution
- Sports Club of the Year
- Sports Person of the Year
- Sports Team of the Year
- Volunteer of the Year

From schools, community groups and organisations, to individuals, we want to celebrate the wide and varied contributions made to make our residents more active.

More information is on the leaflet attached.

Please use this link to nominate: <https://www.hinckley-bosworth.gov.uk/sportinghero>

Please ignore the submission date on the poster attached.

The submission date for nomination is **Wednesday 15th January 5pm**.

If you need any help or more information please contact: 01455 255678

Many thanks,

Amy Casey, Children and Young People's Officer - Community Safety

Years 7, 8 and 9.

- **NHS virtual work experience has opportunities for students** next week as part of **National Work Experience Week 13th – 17th January 2025.**

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	<p>Tuesday 14th January at 4.30pm (virtual session hosted on MS Teams)</p> <p><u>Student year groups 7-9 England & Wales, S1-S3 Scotland, 8-10 Northern Ireland</u></p> <p><u>“Quick with the facts, help the NHS be swift to react!”</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• A 45-minute briefing with the NHS team• Complete the career challenge at their own pace<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Certification awarded on completion<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>Register now!</u> (students)
Year 8	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>HPV Vaccinations</u> - The NHS immunisations team will be visiting campus on Tuesday 14th January 2025 to see Students in Year 8 for their HPV Vaccine. A letter has been shared with a link to the consent form. <p>Please email bmorrison@brookvalegroby.com if you have any queries. The consent form closes on Monday 13th January 2025. <u>We will not be able to take consent over the phone after this time.</u></p>
Year 9	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>Teenage Booster and ACWY Vaccinations</u> - The NHS immunisations team will be visiting campus on Tuesday 28th January 2025 to see Students in Year 9 for their Teenage Booster and Meningitis ACWY Vaccine. A letter has been shared with a link to the consent form. <p>Please email bmorrison@brookvalegroby.com if you have any queries. The consent form closes on Monday 27th January 2025 - <u>We will not be able to take consent over the phone after this time.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>Barcelona 2025</u> - For those attending the Barcelona Trip 2025, a polite reminder that the next installment is due by Friday 10th January 2025.• <u>Osmington Bay 2025</u> - For those attending the Osmington Bay 2025 trip, installment 2 is due by Tuesday 16th January 2025.• <u>Yr 9 Options Evening</u> - Thank you to those parents/carers who were able to join us yesterday evening and I hope you found the information provided useful. If you were unable to attend please see a link to the presentation here.
Year 10	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>Barcelona 2025</u> - For those attending the Barcelona Trip 2025, a polite reminder that the next installment is due by Friday 10th January 2025.
Years 10, 11 and Post 16	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>NHS virtual work experience has opportunities for students</u> next week as part of National Work Experience Week 13th – 17th January 2025. <p>There are a host of career challenges designed to develop key employability skills such as problem solving, data literacy, storytelling, and presentation. Hosted on Microsoft Teams, these sessions take place outside of school hours, making them</p>



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	<p>easily accessible.</p> <p>These events provide valuable insights into emerging careers and help students build skills that will enhance their future education and employment choices.</p> <p>Wednesday 15th January at 5pm (virtual session hosted on MS Teams)</p> <p><u>Student year groups 10-13 England & Wales, S4-S6 Scotland, 11-14 Northern Ireland</u></p> <p><u>After a sudden bump and fall, should they visit A&E or is first aid enough for all?</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• A 45-minute briefing with the NHS team• Complete the career challenge at their own pace<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Certification awarded on completion<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Register now! (students)
<p>Year 11</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>'Maximising Your Potential'</u> - on Wednesday 22nd January we are looking forward to welcoming 'Maximising Your Potential' on campus to work with our Year 11 students. <p>Two guest speakers will deliver a session on revision skills and effective exam preparation strategies as we look to support students in the final lead up towards their GCSE exams. This follows on from the multiple initiatives in place currently in place to support Year 11, such as, the BGLC Big Revise, silent study area and further extended support.</p> <p>We continue to be impressed by the work ethic being demonstrated by Year 11 students and thank you for the key role you play in supporting your children.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>Year 11 Prom</u> - look out for details by separate email with details of this year's Year 11 Promo. We are excited to confirm that this will be held at the Holiday Inn, Leicester on Wednesday 18th June 2025. The cost will be £30 to include the buffet and disco. Soft drinks can be ordered but please note this is an U18 event so no alcohol and no vapes. Tickets will be available next week on Arbor/Activities/Trips Y11 Prom until midnight on Sunday 2nd March 2025.• <u>The Big Revise</u> - Tuesday 4th February 15:15 - 17:05 pm. Deadline to sign up for this is Friday 24th January using the form here.• <u>Year 11 Progress Evening Thursday 30.01.25</u> - A reminder that bookings can still be made subject to availability until Tuesday 28th January. Please click here for the Progress Evening letter shared with previously.
<p>Post 16</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>Year 13 Progress Evening Thursday 16.01.25</u> - A reminder that bookings can still be made subject to availability until Tuesday 14th January. Please click here for the Progress Evening letter shared with previously.• <u>Year 12 Trips to NEC UCAS Discovery & King Power 2025</u> - a reminder that whilst these trips aren't for a while (11th March and 24th June 2025), we need sufficient numbers for these trips to go ahead. They are currently available to book on Arbor >



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Activities > Trips > Trip - Y12 NEC UCAS Discovery & King Power Bowl [click here](#) for the original letter. **Deadline** for bookings is **Friday 31st January 2025**.