

# Shevington High School Parent Bulletin



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Year	s 7 & 8	Years 9,10 & 11		
Registration	08.45 - 09.05	Registration	08.45 - 09.05	
Period 1	09.05 - 10.05	Period 1	09.05 - 10.05	
Period 2	10.05 - 11.05	Period 2	10.05 - 11.05	
Break	11.05 - 11.30	Break	11.05 - 11.30	
Period 3	11.30 - 12.30	Period 3	11.30 - 12.30	
Late Lunch	13.30 - 14.00	Early Lunch	12:30—13:00	
Period 4	13.00 - 14.00	Period 4	12.30 - 13.30	
Period 5	14.00 - 15.00	Period 5	14.00 - 15.00	

#### **Term Dates**

Friday 24th May 2019 – School closes for Half Term Half Term: Monday 27th May – Friday 31st May 2019

Monday 3rd June 2019 – School opens for Staff and Students Friday 19th July 2019 – School closes at (12.00pm) for Summer Summer Holidays: Monday 22nd July – Friday 30th August 2019 Autumn Term 2019

Monday 2nd September 2019 – Staff Inset Day Tuesday 3rd September 2019 – Staff Inset Day

Wednesday 4th September 2019 – School opens for Students Friday 18th October 2019 – School closes for Half Term

Half term: Monday 21st October – Friday 25th October 2019
Monday 28th October 2019 – School opens for Staff and Students
Friday 20th December 2019 – School closes at (12.00pm) for Christ-

mas

Christmas Holidays: Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> December 2019 – Friday

#### **Key Dates**

5th June - Art Exhibition Evening
10th June - Y10 Music Recordings
11th June - Y6 Getting to know you day
18th June - Peter Peacock Contest
18th June - Y8 Immunisations
19th June - Y8 Parents Evening
20th June - Y7—Y8 Awards Afternoon

20th June - Final GCSE on Common Timetable

21st June - Y7—Y8 Awards Afternoon

28th June - Shevington High Festival of Performing Arts

5th July - Race for Life

### **Car Parking**

THE MAIN CAR PARK IS <u>NOT</u> TO BE USED TO DROP OFF OR PICK UP PUPILS BEFORE OR AFTER SCHOOL. ONLY PUPILS WITH

LIMITED MOBILITY ARE ALLOWED TO BE DRIVEN INTO THE SCHOOL GROUNDS.

Please be reminded

The speed limit on school grounds is



5mph maximum

#### **Important Notice**

 Children should not be dropped off or picked up from within school grounds unless the child has limited mobility.

Children's safety is paramount and from a Health & Safety point of view this is causing a risk.

- Due to an increase in non urgent messages being asked to be passed onto pupils during the school day please only ring if necessary.
- Please inform your child if anything is dropped of at the office for them. They must collect at break or lunch.
- If you need to take your child out of school during lesson time please send them to school with a note so they can show the teacher who will then allow them out of class to be collected from reception. Whoever is collecting the pupil must come into reception.

### News

#### **Shevington High School Volunteer Programme**

Are you or someone you know keen on helping young people and making a difference? Do you have some spare time you could give to support our students learning?

Shevington High School may be the place for you.

Volunteering is an enriching and rewarding experience, helping to improve the lives of others and giving something back to the community. We are always looking for enthusiastic, motivated and caring individuals with a passion for helping young people to join our team, age is not a barrier. Initially we are interested in people who would like to supporting literacy (for example, reading with individuals or groups of students). Any appointments would be subject to DBS checks and safeguarding procedures.

If you're interested in volunteering with us, please complete the attached form as an expression of interest. If you know someone who would prefer a hard copy of the form please request one either by phoning school on 01257 400990 or emailing us <a href="mailto:enquiries@shevingtonhigh.org.uk">enquiries@shevingtonhigh.org.uk</a>

The online expression of interest form is available <u>here</u>.

# **WE NEED YOU**

Shevington High School
Children Need You

Can you spare 25 minutes a week?

Volunteer Readers are needed at Shevington High School on Friday Mornings 8.40am – 9.05am to help our children foster the love of reading and positive attitude to learning.



Just pick up the phone, email or pop into school to find out how enjoyable and satisfying listening to children reading can be.

The children are ready and waiting!!!



Tel: 01257 400990 Email:enquiries@shevingtonhigh.org.uk



#### **Twitter**

- @ShevingtonHigh main school account
- @ShevingtonSport pe
- @ShevingtonHums humanities
- @ShevingtonSci science
- @ShevingtonMusic music
- @ShevingtonMFL mfl
- @ShevingtonArt art

#### **Attendance**

Everything we do as a secondary school has to start with good attendance. Students can only achieve their potential, develop their abilities and work towards a positive future if they actually attend school. The moment that attendance begins to slide, everything else will follow. Students cannot achieve their full potential if they are absent. Wigan Metropolication Borough Council Attendance Information

#### **School Car Park**

We have noticed an increase in parents dropping and picking up students from the main school car park.

ONLY PUPILS WITH LIMITED MOBILITY ARE AL-LOWED TO BE DRIVEN INTO THE SCHOOL GROUNDS

Children's safety is paramount and from a Health & Safety point of view this is causing a risk.

PLEASE BE CONSIDERATE OF OTHER ROAD
USERS, PEDESTRIANS AND LOCAL RESIDENTS
WHEN WAITING OUTSIDE THE SCHOOL AS
ILLEGAL PARKING WILL BE REPORTED.

Thank you again for your co-operation in this matter.

# **PE Department**

Today our y7 girls participated in the local Wigan schools football tournament, with an incredible 13 schools on turnout.

Our girls just missed out on the finals by goal difference!

Our goal scorers:

Maddison

Olivia (c)

Well done girls, excellent effort



# PE EXTRA-CURRICULAR TIMETABLE EASTER – SUMMER

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	<u>MONDAY</u>	<u>TUESDAY</u>	WEDNESDAY	<u>THURSDAY</u>	<u>FRIDAY</u>
BREAK	GIRLS FOOTBALL –	FITNESS SUITE -	S	FITNESS SUITE -	FITNESS SUITE -
11:05-11:30	WOODEN FLOOR GYM	DEPENDING ON STAFF AVAILABILITY	TURE	DEPENDING ON STAFF AVAILABILITY	DEPENDING ON STAFF AVAILABILITY
LUNCH	TABLE TENNIS –	FITNESS SUITE -	XH	TABLE TENNIS –	FITNESS SUITE -
12:30-13:00	WOODEN FLOOR GYM	DEPENDING ON STAFF AVAILABILITY	DUTY, MEETINGS AND FIXTURES	WOODEN FLOOR GYM	DEPENDING ON STAFF AVAILABILITY
AFTER-	GIRLS <b>HANDBALL</b> –	BOYS <b>HANDBALL</b> –	Ď	Y7-8 GIRLS AND BOYS	
SCHOOL	SPORTS HALL	SPORTS HALL	ii.	RUGBY - FIELDS	
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# **Chromebooks**

#### **Chromebooks for Learning – Parent Consultation**

Over the last 18 months our school has been delivering a new innovative KS3 curriculum called Student Agency in Learning (SAIL). The primary focus of this is to encourage our students to take greater responsibility for their own learning and foster greater independence. A key element to this learning is the use of technology. In order to support our learners further we want to ensure students have access to learning materials in school and at home with access to a suitable device and content whenever and wherever they need it. As a result, we would like your views on the next stage in our SAIL journey and the possibility of introducing a 1:1 Chromebook for Learning Scheme.

Our students' daily lives are filled with technology, and they are quick to embrace new developments. We want them to feel at ease in this rapidly changing climate. To help facilitate this we want to give students the opportunity to own a device that is used in school each day but is then available at home for further learning and revision. A balanced combination of school and home learning is crucial to the future success of young people and technology opens the door to a new and engaging world that extends effective study way beyond the confines of the classroom.

Once our students have access to their own devices, we firmly believe the new scheme will bring enormous educational benefits and hope parents will support this initiative. Ideally, our preference would have been to purchase Chromebooks for all students from school funds; but sadly, due to increasing financial pressures, this is simply not possible. Therefore, we need to seek your views on a parental contribution/purchase scheme.

For the scheme to run we would ask parents to purchase a device based on a reasonable monthly payment (with other payment options available). At the end of the payment period the device would be owned by the student. The scheme would be voluntary, but can only operate if we have enough parents participating.

I have enclosed a copy of the consultation and the survey is available online here.

#### PARENT CONSULATION ONLINE SURVEY

At this stage we are asking your views to help inform our IT strategy. I have enclosed a brief FAQ document which will provide more information about the scheme and there is an opportunity on the consultation form to add any questions or queries before we plan any follow up. As yet we don't know what the total price of a device and insurance would be so we need your views.

Thank you in advance for taking the time to respond. I hope that you will join us on the next steps in our learning journey.

Yours sincerely

Mr J Grant

Headteacher

# D of E

'Our Bronze D of E students have just completed their practice expeditions. The first weekend was wet and windy but all of the students were fantastic, no one moaned and they all completed it very well. The weather for the second weekend was better and once again our Shevington explorers were fantastic.

Students now have around 4 weeks to continue working on their navigation skills at home ready for their final expeditions. The first weekend is the 15th-16th June and the second is the 22nd-23rd June. Students will receive their map on Wednesday 15th May during their route planning session. Finally students need to continue to be working ion their skills, physical and volunteering until they have completed their 3 or 6 months.'

## **GDPR**

#### **GDPR**

From the 25th May 2018, new regulations were introduced which affect how our School handle people's data. This is called the General Data Protection Regulation. Compliance with the regulations will be an ongoing process and the School have appointed a data protection officer to advise and manage compliance with the regulation. Full details of our data protection officer can be found below should you have any questions.

We will be publicising policies and procedures and notices that are compliant with the new regulations in the coming months and will keep you informed of any developments. For the time being, your child's data will be handled in the same manner in accordance with legal principles.

The Data Protection Officer is responsible for overseeing data protection within the School so if you do have any questions in this regard, please do contact them on the information below: -

Data Protection Officer: Craig Stilwell Company: Judicium Consulting Ltd

Address: 72 Cannon Street, London, EC4N 6AE

Email: dataservices@judicium.com

Telephone: 0203 326 9174

# **PE Department**

#### **Rounder's Champions**

Y10 girls finished in first place at their final school rounder's tournament today!. They will now face the East-Schools winners to see who is crowned the Wigan Borough champions 2019



# **Geography**

## Geography Field Trip

"Year 10 have visited trough of Bowland and the River Wyre to study the River for their GCSE Geography Paper 3 exam! They studied the width, depth, velocity and bedload of the River in 3 sites down its course. Fantastic day had by all in the lovely weather!"













Y8 have produced some extremely creative pop up rainforests as part of their ecosystems topic.





# **Exams**

### **Summer 2019 Timetable**

Thurs 2 May - Fri 10 May	French/Spanish Speaking exams				
Mon 13 May	09:00	01:30	OCR	J276/01	Comp Sci: Computer Systems Wrtn
Tue 14 May	09:00	02:00	EDEXL	DA201	CiDA unit 1
Tue 14 May	09:00	00:45	AQA	8658/LH	French Listening Test Tier H
Tue 14 May	09:00	01:00	AQA	8658/RH	French Reading Test Tier H
Tue 14 May	13:00	01:45	AQA	8461/1H	Biology Paper 1 Tier H
Tue 14 May	13:00	01:15	AQA	8464/B/1F/H	Combined Science Trilogy Biology P1
Wed 15 May	09:00	01:00	OCR	J587/01	PE: Physol Fctr Affctng Perf Wtn
Wed 15 May	13:00	01:45	AQA	8702/1	English Literature Paper 1
Thu 16 May	09:00	01:45	AQA	8462/1H	Chemistry Paper 1 Tier H
Thu 16 May	09:00	01:15	AQA	8464/C/1F/H	Combined Science Trilogy Chemistry P1
Thu 16 May	13:00	01:30	OCR	J276/02	Computer Sci: Comp Thnk Algrthm Prgrm Wtn
Fri 17 May	09:00	01:15	AQA	8658/WH	French Writing Test Tier H
Fri 17 May	13:00	01:45	AQA	8261/W	Drama Written Paper
Fri 17 May	13:00	01:00	OCR	J587/02	PE: Socio-Ctrl Issues Sprt Psych Wtn
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Tue 21 May	09:00	01:30	EDEXL/GCSE	1MA1 1F/H	Maths: Non Calculator
Tue 21 May	13:00	01:30	AQA	8035/1	Geography Paper 1
Wed 22 May	09:00	00:35	AQA	8698/LF	Spanish Listening Test Tier F
Wed 22 May	09:00	00:45	AQA	8698/RF	Spanish Reading Test Tier F
Wed 22 May	09:00	00:45	AQA	8698/LH	Spanish Listening Test Tier H
Wed 22 May	09:00	01:00	AQA	8698/RH	Spanish Reading Test Tier H
Wed 22 May	13:00	01:45	AQA	8463/1H	Physics Paper 1 Tier H
Wed 22 May	13:00	01:15	AQA	8464/P/1F/H	Combined Science Trilogy Physics P1
Thu 23 May	09:00	02:15	AQA	8702/2	English Literature Paper 2
Fri 24 May	13:00	02:00	AQA	8552/W	Design and Technology Written Paper
Mon 03 Jun	09:00	01:15	EDEXL/GCSE		History: Crime & Punishment
Mon 03 Jun	13:00	01:15	OCR	R081/01	Creative Imedia: Preprdctn Skills Wtn
Mon 03 Jun	13:00	01:30	WJEC/GCSE	C680U10-1	Media Studies COMP1 Exploring Media
Tue 04 Jun Tue 04 Jun	09:00 13:00	01:45 01:30	AQA AQA	8700/1 8271/W	English Language Paper 1  Music Written Paper
Wed 05 Jun	09:00	01:00	AQA	8698/WF	Spanish Writing Test Tier F
Wed 05 Jun	09:00	01:00	AQA	8698/WH	Spanish Writing Test Tier H
Wed 05 Jun	13:00	01:30	AQA	8035/2	Geography Paper 2
Thu 06 Jun	09:00	01:30	EDEXL/GCSE		Maths: Calculator
Thu 06 Jun	13:00	00:00	EDEXL/GCSE		History: Early Elizabethan
Thu 06 Jun	13:00	00:00	EDEXL/GCSE		History: Superpower Relations
Thu 06 Jun	13:00	01:45	EDEXL/GCSE		Superpower, Elizabethan
Fri 07 Jun	09:00	01:45	AQA	8700/2	English Language Paper 2
Fri 07 Jun	13:00	01:45	AQA	8461/2H	Biology Paper 2 Tier H
Fri 07 Jun	13:00	01:15	AQA	8464/B/2F	Combined Science Trilogy Biology P2
Mon 10 Jun	09:00	01:45	AQA	8585/W	Food Prep and Nutrition Written
Mon 10 Jun	13:00	01:30	WJEC/GCSE	C680U20-1	Medstudies COMP2 Understanding Media
Tue 11 Jun	09:00	01:30	EDEXL/GCSE		Maths: Calculator
Tue 11 Jun	13:00	01:20	EDEXL/GCSE		History: Weimar & Nazi Germany
Wed 12 Jun	09:00	01:45	AQA	8462/2H	Chemistry Paper 2 Tier H
Wed 12 Jun	09:00	01:15	AQA	8464/C/2F	Combined Science Trilogy Chemistry P2
Thu 13 Jun	09:00	01:15	AQA	8035/3	Geography Paper 3
Fri 14 Jun	09:00	01:45	AQA	8463/2H	Physics Paper 2 Tier H
Fri 14 Jun	09:00	01:15	AQA	8464/P/2F	Combined Science Trilogy Physics P2

Students must be available until Wednesday 26th June incase of sustained national or local disruption

# **Exams**

### Year 11

#### **YEAR 11**

#### **MAY HALF TERM REVISION/WORKSHOPS 2019**

### School open Tuesday – Thursday 8am – 3pm Friday 8am – 2pm

MONDAY BANK HOLIDAY	TUESDAY 28 <sup>TH</sup> MAY	WEDNESDAY 29 <sup>TH</sup> MAY	THURSDAY 30 <sup>TH</sup> MAY	FRIDAY 31 <sup>ST</sup> MAY
NO REVISION	History 10.00am-12.00pm, Geography 11.00am -1.00pm	Maths 10.00am – 12.00pm Spanish 12.00pm- 2.00pm	<b>Media</b> 10.00am-11.30am <b>English</b> 11.30am-1.00pm	<b>Music</b> 10.00am – 1.00pm

### Y11

### IT PAYS TO BE PREPARED!!!

Don't forget to have all your equipment ready for your upcoming GCSE exams

Black Pen x 2

**Sharp Pencil** 

Protractor

Pair of Compasses

Ruler

Eraser

Sharpener

Highlighter

**Clear Pencil Case** 

Ensure NO smart watches and all mobile phones switched off and left in bags

GOOD LUCK EVERYONE. YOU HAVE WORKED SO HARD FOR THIS!!!





#### **Parent App for Shevington High School Parents**

We have a new convenient way for you to access, review and request changes to the data held on you and your children direct from your phone as well as seeing a range of other information. Using the app and website at your own convenience via smartphone, tablet or PC – anytime, anywhere.

What will you find in SIMS Parent:

■ GCSEPOD.COM

School term, inset dates and contact details available at the click of a button

Access to update your contact details, so we always have the most up-to-date information in case of emergency The ability to view attendance and behaviour records

View your child's timetable, so you will always know when they need their PE kit!

If you have more than one child at school, you'll have access this information for all your children, from the same-

