



Year 11 Newsletter

Strike action

A letter has been sent to all parents through ParentPay with information on the plans for the NEU strike on Wednesday 1st February. This letter can also be found on the school website at: <https://stbedesscunthorpe.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2023/01/Letter-to-parents-Industrial-Action.pdf>

If you are a key worker and would like your child to be in school on any of the strike dates, please fill in this MS Form. The deadline for this will be 9am on Monday so that plans can be made: <https://forms.office.com/e/YMJ0Y71yNN>

Thank you for your support. Mr Hibbard

Year 11 Parents Information Evening

The parents information evening will take place on Thursday 9th February. This is an important evening as we will have lots of helpful advice on how parents and school can work together to enable students to succeed. This will include going through revision materials with students.

Diary Dates

Week commencing 30th
January
BTEC exams in Health &
Social Care, Engineering
and ICT
Launch of after school
revision

Tuesday 7th Feb
North Lindsey Open event

Thursday 9th February
Year 11 Information Evening
(6:00 - 7:30pm)

Sunday 26th Feb
John Leggott Open event

THIS WEEKS
AVERAGE
ATTENDANCE
FOR Y11
STUDENTS

88%

NUMBER OF Y11
STUDENTS WHO
ARRIVED LATE
TO SCHOOL THIS
WEEK

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GCSE Drama Key Dates

I have now had notification of the Practical Exam (Teechers) from OCR. This will take place on Friday 10th March during the school day. The notification of this has allowed me to create a timeline of deadlines which I am now able to share with you. Please see below:

- Tuesday 24th February: Deadline for Concept Pro Forma handed in via MS Teams.
- Wednesday 8th March: Final Dress Rehearsals, 3.15pm to 7pm.
- Friday 10th March: Practical Exam, 10am to c.1pm.
- Monday 15th May: Written Exam, PM.

With continued best wishes, Mr Fields.

Tassomai

No of students who used Tassomai = 114

Tassomai questions answered = 34286



No of students who used GCSEPod = 40

No of pods watched = 619



Students - GCSEPod



Monday 30th January. HEALTH & SOCIAL CARE external exam. Please ensure your child is fully prepared for this exam as they must pass this to achieve a grade in the subject overall. Revision work has been provided in lessons and to be continued at home, alongside revision books that students should already have. Period 7 has also ben running on a Wednesday evening with the last one running next week until 4 pm. DE

After school revision

We will be offering after school revision starting the week of the 30th January and this will run until the end of the GCSEs. These sessions are not compulsory for all students and will run until 4pm on a Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

Staff will be able to request students to attend small group intervention in their subject. Each department has their own specific evening, and can request students for a block of time. The first block runs from Monday 30th January to Friday 17th March. These sessions will change throughout the year. You will receive a letter on consultation evening next week informing you of the days your child is required to attend.

Tassomai and GCSE POD

All Year 11 Students now have access to both Tassomai and GCSE Pod, both of these will be explained in greater detail at the Year 11 Information Evening on Thursday 9th February but please feel free to access the links above and have a look around before then.

Year 11 GCSE Drama:

Students in the Year 11 Drama class need to complete their 4 questions for their Concept Pro Forma by the end of the February Half Term break. I will be speaking at Parents Evening to ensure everyone understands what needs to be completed and by when.

Students also need to be fully off-script for both their group performance and monologue by Monday 30th January. Please do support your young people in memorising their lines. These two pieces of work make up 30% of the final mark for the GCSE in Drama.

As soon as I have been made aware of the date of the visit from the OCR examiner, I will communicate that with you.

Thank you. Mr Fields