



5 July 2023

Dear Parent/Carer,

## Wider Learning Week 2023 Year 9 Day-by-Day Reminders

Wider Learning Week (WLW) will run from Monday 10 - Friday 14 July 2023. You son/ward will take part in a range of activities related to the pathway they selected earlier in the year. All activities are designed to promote wider understanding, independence, and challenge.

Ahead of WLW, please see below a reminder of the timetable and key points for what is sure to be an exciting and engaging week.

## **Key Points**

- Canteen will be open as normal for on-site students.
- Full school uniform should be worn, and equipment brought as normal.
- Students are allowed to wear plain black trainers for any trips.
- Students taking part in Life Skills will need to wear their school PE Kit (House top) on Friday.
- Students taking part in Sports Week will need to wear sporting attire appropriate for each activity.
- Students taking part in Computing will need to wear their school PE Kit (House top) on Monday.
- Students should bring a packed lunch (FSM students will be provided with one), as well as a bottle of water and suncream needed for trips.
- Students will be meeting in different rooms each day these will be displayed on screens around the school, so they need to check when they arrive each morning.

## Day-by-Day Itinerary

PATHWAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Codebreaking	Bletchley Park (trip departure from school at 8.10am)	Escape Room (trip)	Demonstratio n of Escape Room	Build the Escape Room	Run Escape Rooms
Computing	Legoland Robotics Workshop (trip - return 4.00pm)	Cyber Security Workshop	Animation & AR Workshop	Sky Studios (trip)	Red Arrow 3D Simulation (trip)

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PATHWAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
DofE	Planning and Training	Planning and shopping	Expedition Day 1 (trip)	Expedition Day 2 ( <b>Trip)</b>	Kit Return and Presentation s
Investigating the Human Body	Dentist	Microbiologis t	Phlebotomy	Surgeon	Operating Theatre (trip)
Journalism	Introduction to Journalism Dragons' Den	Science Day	Twitter Takeover and Structural Challenge	Police Day	Battle Day, Play Day and Nutrition Day
Life Skills Week	Finance and Budgeting	Catering and Cooking (trip)	Careers	CVs and job interviews	Boston Manor Park Workshop (trip)
Music Production	Radio Show/Jingles	Voice Production	'Banger' - producing the next hit!	Primary School Workshop	Primary School Workshop
Photography	Workshop	Kew Gardens (trip)	Richmond (trip)	Osterley Park ( <b>trip)</b>	Creation of Portfolio (trip)
Sports Week (all trips)	Tennis	Top golf	Volleyball	Footgolf	Go Karting

We look forward to a rewarding week. **Normal high school standards and expectations apply**; any student not meeting these may be removed from activities to resolve any issues and potentially conduct work independently.

Please do not hesitate to contact me or the pastoral team if you have any questions.

Yours faithfully,

Miss O Thomson

Wider Learning Week Coordinator