

# Academy News

12th January 2023



Good afternoon,

I would like to begin by thanking Helen Butler for her communication last week alongside wishing everyone a very Happy New Year from myself.

As we start the new term, I do want to make you aware of few further developments this term:

- The Academy will trial offering Breakfast to students in the morning over the coming weeks. Students will need to order their food choice the day before. Please note that if your child has something from the breakfast menu, this will come off their daily allowance. We will provide additional funding for students who have free school meals and would like to have a breakfast at Holbrook. A copy of the menu is shown below.
- Mr Holmes is currently organising a whole school trip this term; this will take place shortly after the February half-term with further information to follow.
- The Academy is ensuring that monitoring behaviour on school buses is strengthened through regular / weekly meetings with Bus prefects whilst ensuring that any disruptive behaviour on the bus is treated the same as if on school site. I will be leading assemblies on this next week.
- The Academy is delighted to be welcoming Sufiya Ahmed, author of Princess Sophia Duleep Singh, to our school on Monday 16th January. She will lead a series of workshops with students in Years 7-9
- The Academy will begin its Duke of Edinburgh expeditions this term as part of our Enrichment programme

The Spring Term and the start of the new year is a time for looking forward. Our priorities will be informed by your feedback. I have updated our Academy Improvement Plan, which can be viewed on the website, and Mr Anstee-Parry will communicate with you next week regarding how feedback from the Parents/Carers audit on behaviour has impacted on our actions and policy moving forward.

If you do wish to speak to me about any issues and concerns at the start of the new year please do not hesitate to contact me; I look forward to working alongside you in this coming year.

Kind regards,

Tom Maltby  
Headteacher

## Calendar / Upcoming Events

12th January - Year 11 Parents' Evening (*online - details have been sent home*)

17th January, 5.30-7.15pm - Year 11 Suffolk One and Suffolk New Information Evening

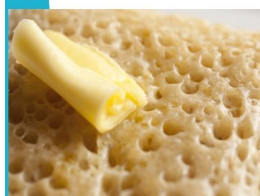
24th January - Flu Vaccinations for Year 7, 8, 9

24th January - Year 9 Parents' Evening



## Breakfast Menu

Fat Free Fruit Yoghurt £0.70  
Toast with Strawberry Jam and Butter £0.40  
Crumpet with Butter £0.97  
Bacon or Sausage in a Roll £1.30 (Tuesdays to Thursdays)  
Waffle £1.35 (Tuesdays to Fridays)  
Hash Browns £0.97  
Fresh Fruit 1 Piece £0.65  
Plain Porridge £0.97



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### Term Dates : 2022-2023

<b>Spring Term</b>	3 <sup>rd</sup> January – 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2023
Half Term	13 <sup>th</sup> – 17 <sup>th</sup> February 2023
PD Days	3 <sup>rd</sup> January, 10 <sup>th</sup> February
<b>Summer Term</b>	17 <sup>th</sup> April – 21 <sup>st</sup> July 2023
Half Term	29 <sup>th</sup> May – 2 <sup>nd</sup> June 2023

Additional Bank Holiday for the Coronation: Monday 8th May

Students return on Wednesday 6th September 2023

### Safeguarding Information

During school hours, please contact Mr Anstee-Parry (Designated Safeguarding Lead) or Mrs Watson (Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead) - 01473 328317

At all other times, please contact Customer First : 0808 800 4005 or  
If you believe there is an emergency and a child is at risk of **immediate harm** please call the Police on **999**.

### Useful Information

Links to support services

**Suffolk County Council** - [The Parent Hub](#)

**Childline:** 0800 1111

**Online bullying:** [thinkyouknow.co.uk](http://thinkyouknow.co.uk)

**Feeling down, low or depressed:**

[youngminds.org.uk](http://youngminds.org.uk) or [samaritans.org](http://samaritans.org) Call 116 123 for free

**Sexual Assault:** Call NSPCC 0800 136 663 or [help@nspcc.org.uk](mailto:help@nspcc.org.uk)