

# Academy Bulletin

18th September 2024



## Calendar / Upcoming Events

19th September	Year 10 Meet the Headteacher, Information Evening and Work Experience launch
26th September	Year 11 Post 16 Pathways Evening
1st October	Open Morning
1st October	Madrid Trip Information Evening - 6.00-7.00pm (details to follow)
3rd October	Open Evening - 6.00-8.00pm
9th October	Year 8 and 9 Meet the Headteacher (details to follow)
14th-18th October	Destiny Africa in school. Performance on Thursday evening.
15th October	Year 7 Settling In Meetings with Form tutors (details to follow)
17th October 2024	Careers Fair at Ipswich High School (Year 9, 10 and 11)
17th and 24th October	Year 7, 8, 9 Flu Vaccinations (details to follow)
23rd October	Year 11 Meet the Headteacher, Exams and Revision (details to follow)
28th October-1st November	Half-term

## Free School Meals

We are keen to ensure that all families who need support know where to access this.

To find out if your child may be entitled to free school meals and how to apply for this, please refer to the information on the following link:-

[Apply for free school meals](#)

If your child is entitled to free school meals, it also means the Academy will receive additional funding for your child which can be used to support trips, resources, etc.

Full details of the menu on offer from Caterlink can be found [here](#) Students entitled to free school meals may choose a meal deal option each day.



Doors Open at 6.30pm - Performance starts at 7.00pm  
Refreshments available to purchase.  
Adults £7 / Concessions £5

**Tickets now on sale at main office.**



**Brantham U12 Girls**



**Our New Girls Team is looking  
For Players!**

SUFFOLK GIRLS LEAGUE

Training Mondays 4.30 - 6pm  
at Brantham Football Club

Tel: Liz 07867783425 for more info

**We are hiring! Join Us!**

**caterlink**  
feeding the imagination

**We love food and hope you will join our team providing great food at Holbrook Academy.**

**Great Work Life Balance!**

**Are you our next Catering Assistant?**

Dynamic individuals are required to work in a fabulous team -  
Term Time only. Monday to Friday

For an informal chat please contact Jade below.  
All successful applicants will be subjected to a full enhanced DBS Check.

**Team Work!**

**Are you Passionate?**

**Join a fantastic Team! Good Luck we look forward to hearing from you.**

**Contact Jade**  
**[jdonoghue@caterlinkltd.co.uk](mailto:jdonoghue@caterlinkltd.co.uk)**

### **Lost Property**

We already have a number of items of lost property at the main office.

Can we please remind you to ensure that your child's name is on all items of clothing to ensure these can be returned to them.

Please contact the office if your child has lost anything in school.

Thank you.

### **Safeguarding Information**

During school hours, please contact Mrs Alex King (Designated Safeguarding Lead) or Miss Crabtree (Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead) or ask to speak to a member of the Safeguarding team -  
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:-

**Childline:** 0800 1111

**[The Wellbeing Hub 'Teen Tips'](#)** Log in information was provided to parents/carers on 26th May. Please contact the office if you would like the information sent to you directly.

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

**Kooth** - Online counselling service and peer to peer support for young people aged 11-25: [www.kooth.com](http://www.kooth.com)

**Emotional Wellbeing Gateway website (Suffolk Infolink Directory)** – Information, advice and guidance on common mental health issues. Access to mental health services like the Emotional Wellbeing Hub  
[www.emotionalwellbeinggateway.org.uk](http://www.emotionalwellbeinggateway.org.uk)

**The Source website for young people** – Sources of information and advice important to young people in Suffolk, including emotional wellbeing support: [www.thesource.me.uk/wellbeing](http://www.thesource.me.uk/wellbeing)

**Mental Health Crisis** – Call 111, option 2

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