



Stewards Academy - Year 8 Family Bulletin

Week commencing Monday 2nd March 2020

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Welcome to our Family Bulletin number 4. We hope that our continued aim to keep you as parents and carers informed on a fortnightly basis of up and coming events and opportunities that maybe of interest to you and your family that are taking place at Stewards Academy and within the local community. Each issue we aim to introduce to you the whole team of staff working within the academy. We hope that you will find the Bulletin both interesting and informative, please do let me have any feedback regarding the bulletin.

Regards, Mr. M. Scholtes
Senior Deputy Headteacher

THE YEAR 8 TEAM



Miss Francis
Head of Key Stage 3



Mr Treamer
Pastoral Lead - Year 8/9



Mrs Ali
Year 8 Mentor

TUTORS Mrs Edwards Ms Ellis Mrs Manivchuk Mr Nolan Ms Reeves Miss Sherwin Miss Venables Mrs Woolley



At Stewards Academy, our positive points system and use of the Class Charts App continues to motivate our pupils to excel in all that they do.

For Class Charts support contact
classcharts@stewardsacademy.org



We have a large amount of uniform, PE kit, shoes etc. in our lost and found. Please contact Mrs Webb if your child has missing items.

What is happening in school this week and beyond

THE PHOENIX CURRICULUM - YEAR 8 - Term One (January - March)



	BEFORE SCHOOL		LUNCHTIME		AFTER SCHOOL	
	Club	Time/Location	Club	Location	Club	Time/Location
MONDAY	Study Hub	8.15-8.45 – IT3 & 3.25-4.25 IT3	<i>Music Rooms Available to book every lunchtime</i> Keyboard Club Wk1	Music	Homework Club Debate Club Hairspray Rehearsals	Library 3.30-4.30 Room 1 - From 3.30 – Mr Ginger 3.30-5.00 – See Board in Music
TUESDAY	Study Hub	8.15-8.45 – IT3 & 3.25-4.25 IT3			Hairspray Rehearsals Homework Club KS3 Maths Club Knitting and Crochet Club Basketball Training & Matches Netball MicroBit Club Yrs 7 – 11	3.30-5.00 – See Board in Music Library 3.30-4.30 Room 18 – EW – 3.30-4.30 3.25 – 4.25 in Room 30 Mr Hawk 3.30-4.30 - Mr G Hughes PE – Miss Venables – 3.30-4.30 Lab 4 – 3.30-4.30 – Mr Rew
WEDNESDAY	Study Hub Honours Programme - Wk1 - Invite only	8.15-8.45 – IT3 & 3.25-4.25 IT3 9.00-9.15 – Room 29	Trampolining Yrs 8-11 Wk2 only MFL Film Club Keyboard Club Wk2	Sports Hall – Mr Mann Room 35 12:05-12:35 Music	Homework Club Years 7 and 8 Dance Club	Library 3.30-4.30 Flexi-suite 3.30-4.30
THURSDAY	Study Hub	8.15-8.45 – IT3 & 3.25-4.25 IT3			Hairspray Rehearsals Homework Club Humanities Homework Club Chess Club Spelling Club Maths Independent study club KS3 Art club Building and flying a drone Textiles Club Rocket Club Yr 7-11	3.30-5.00 – See Board in Music Library 3.30-4.30 Room 28 – Miss Dickinson Room 30 - 3.25 – 4.15 Mr Hawk 39a – 3.30-4.30 - Mrs Annetts IT4 – 3.30-4.30 Art 1 – 3.30-4.30 Tech 3- JMB - Wk2 only Tech 4 - VE - Wk2 only Lab 4 – 3.30-4.30 – Mr Rew
FRIDAY	Study Hub	8.15-8.45 – IT3 & 3.25-4.25 IT3	Friendship group	Room 31	Homework Club Dance Club – Year 8 only	Library 3.30-3.45 Flexi 3.30-4.30

Additional Extras: Astronomy club on Friday 31st January and Friday 28th February. *Spaces are limited.*

UPCOMING EVENTS

Shakespeare Reading Week - Monday 16th March

Production Week 'Hairspray' - Monday 23rd March (tickets available)

TRIPS

Our after-school Easter Trips will take place at Jump Street in Chelmsford following a student vote. Eligibility will be based on positive points for this half term for Easter trips and the whole of the term up until Easter for the Summer trips. Letters have now been issued for those students who have qualified for this trip. Payment can be made via Parentpay.

SPORTS FIXTURES

Next week the following training sessions are happening in PE: Netball - all years - Tuesday Football - Year 7 and 8 - Tuesday and Thursday
Matches: Tuesday 3rd March Netball years 7 & 8 at Burnt Mill (subject to change) Tuesday 3rd March Year 7 Football tournament at Passmores

COMMUNITY NEWS AND INFORMATION

Stewards Academy are not hosting or are associated with these events and accepts no responsibility for the accuracy of this information.



Make a difference and take the plastic pledge

Harlow Council has come together with other local authorities to do our bit for the planet and we are encouraging residents to join us and 'Love Essex Not Plastic'.

The Essex-wide 2020 campaign aims to tackle the amount of waste across the county by highlighting the issue of single-use plastic and urging households to switch to reusable options and recycle more.

The campaign launched on the 6 January with adverts on Heart Radio and social media, inspiring Essex residents to make a New Year's resolution and say no to single-use plastic by taking the Love Essex Plastic Pledge. Throughout the year there will be easy swap ideas, such as ditching single-use plastic cups, bottles, straws and bags - switching to reusable ones instead. By focusing on one item every month and making one small change at a time, together we can make a difference.

Each year, around 400 million tonnes of plastic is produced and 40% of that is single-use plastic such as drinks bottles, carrier bags and coffee cups. However, in the UK, only 57% of plastic bottles are collected to be recycled.

If you want to be a part of the Love Essex plastic solution, take the Essex Plastic Pledge at www.loveessex.org/plasticpledge