



WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL

IMBERHORNE SCHOOL

Headteacher: Mr Martin Brown

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17th June 2022

Dear Parents and Carers

Bromcom

We are currently working our way through the implementation of a new Information Management system called Bromcom. We are sharing information with students this week, ensuring they have all downloaded the **Bromcom Student App** to their phones. This is where students will be able to access a range of information including their homework. The same information will also be available through the web-based version of Bromcom -

<https://www.bromcomvle.com/>

After we have managed this stage, we will then be sharing an app with parents and providing log-in information, this will replace Edulink, an app we have used for the last couple of years. We are undertaking this roll-out in stages to ensure we successfully manage different groups and can respond to queries or problems without being overwhelmed. We appreciate your patience.

Summer Stage Performance & Art Exhibition

I was delighted to be able to attend our Summer Stage performance this week. As with many events we have not been able to run such performances for the last two years. It provides a showcase for students in Key Stage 3 to demonstrate their emerging talents. I have watched many different Summer Stage performances over the years and watched great performers emerge, sometimes then going on to perform in Key Stage 4 and our Sixth Form, growing in confidence and ability as they go. Alongside of this show we also held an Art Exhibition with work from right across the school. It is a timely reminder of the skill and commitment our students show with some stunning work on display.

Mobile Youth Club

Sussex Clubs for Young People are bringing their mobile youth club, the Purple Bus, to East Grinstead! From 10th June - every Friday night. Here is a link to some promotional information on our website <http://www.imberhorne.co.uk/content/news/purple-bus>

Inset Day – Monday 20th June

A reminder that it is our last inset day of the year on Monday 20th June. Staff are participating in some shared training across our Federation of schools. Different subjects are meeting in different schools. We believe this is a wonderful opportunity for staff to share practice, be inspired and formulate plans for next academic year.

Year 6 Meet & Greet

On **Tuesday 21st and Wednesday 22nd June** we open our doors to Year 6 students and their parents. It is an opportunity for them to attend the Windmill Lane site and meet senior staff for an informal welcome to the school. All our meetings are with individual families. We ask that families choose the most convenient time and come along to the Windmill Lane site to talk and manage a few practicalities associated with school, prior to our **transition day on 6th July**.

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Careers & Futures

Careers/Futures work with students is really important across the school. We are proud of our very good coverage of the Gatsby Benchmarks (an audit tool that helps gauge levels of provision). More information about careers provision is available here -

<http://www.imberhome.co.uk/sites/default/files/Careers%20June%202022.pdf>

Year 9

On **Thursday 23rd June** Year 9 have their **transition briefing** and **celebration event** marking the end of their time at the Windmill Lane site. The following day, Friday 24th June will be their last day at Windmill Lane before they transition to the Imberhome Lane site. I am sure that lower school will hold many memories for them. It marks a key change in their life as they moved from Primary to Secondary school, they are now emerging as young adults and commence the next stage of their educational journey. **They start lessons at the Imberhome Lane site on Monday 4th July**, after our Activities Week. I know that a great number of students are participating in Challenge, an experience I hope they enjoy. Good luck to all Year 9 students on whatever activities they are undertaking.

A reminder about a slight change in transport arrangements for students in Year 9 moving to Imberhome Lane

- Metrobus services 643, 291, 281, 624 call in on both sites, as do the 903, 905, E579 Turbostyle, E636 Vision Travel, Lingfield Minibus
- Students allocated the Metrobus service 648 and 638 need to get off the bus at the stop by the Felbridge Hotel and walk across the road at the Pedestrian crossing to school on Imberhome Lane. In the afternoon students are to walk to the stop past the BP station to board the 638/648 to get home
- Students who use the 236 Southdown service walk from the stop on Lingfield Road down to Imberhome Upper School, in the afternoon students need to walk up to the stop opposite Lower School for 3.15pm.

Yours faithfully

Mr M Brown
Headteacher

Attached: Key Dates Weeks 36 & 37



What's coming up...

Key dates for your diary



Week 36B

Mon 20th

INSET Day

Tues 21st

Y7 Geography Field Trip WXY

Wed 22nd

Y9 Trip to Woman in Black
Y8 LGD France Trip 1

Thurs 23rd

Y8 LGD France Trip 1
Year 10 Assessments start
Year 9 Celebration and Transition Evening

Fri 24th

Y8 LGD France Trip 1
Y9 Final Flight Path Assessments Published
DofE Bronze Assessment Group B (Sat 25th & Sun 26th)

Week 37A

KS3 Activities Week (Inc. Y9 Challenge Trip)
Y12 Work Experience Week
Y10 Assessment Week

Mon 27th

Y8 LGD France Trip 2

Tues 28th

Y8 LGD France Trip 2

Wed 29th

Y8 LGD France Trip 2 & 3
Y12 Art Show Visit

Thur 30th

Y8 LGD France Trip 3

Fri 1st July

Y8 LGD France Trip 3