



George Eliot Academy

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School Bulletin

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Ofsted Parent View

Your feedback on our school is always welcomed and valued. If you are able to spare some time to complete the Ofsted Parent View questionnaire then we would be very grateful.

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Free online courses to help parents feel more confident

<https://www.warwickshire.gov.uk/parentguides>



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Spring Term

Springboard Future Chef

A HUGE well done to Emily B in year 10 who has won the regional final of the Springboard Future chef competition and will be heading to the national finals in London to compete! We are so impressed by your talent and hard work.



PTA Afternoon Tea

On Monday 13th February, 4 wonderfully talented pupils (Emily B, Emma H, Isobel H and Lily B) created an afternoon tea from scratch (even down to the butter and jam!) with the support of Mrs Martini, Mrs Sandhu and Mrs Kobrin. We wanted to show our gratitude to our newly formed PTA for their support of the school this academic year. It was absolutely delicious and a lovely way to spend a Monday afternoon.



For regular updates on school life, why not follow us on Facebook, Twitter or Instagram? Our pages are linked next to the icons on the left of this page.

Warwickshire Safeguarding information and resources for families

Please visit <https://www.safeguardingwarwickshire.co.uk/safeguarding-children/i-am-a-parent-carer> for a wealth of resources and information for parents and carers to support your family's safety and wellbeing.



Warwickshire Family Information Service Newsletter

Please click here to access this week's edition of the family information service newsletter which includes lots of tips, information and offers.



Net Aware

NetAware has a wealth of information and resources about the games and platforms that you may hear your children talking about and connecting to.

It contains advice and information on the safety of the programs as well as what to look out for to keep your child safe.

[Click here to access the website](#)

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Random Acts of Kindness Week

Thank you to Mr Lowdon for organising our Random Acts of Kindness Week. We have loved the random treats all week—and Miss Bagshaw wowed year 7 with their celebratory gifts on the last day of term.



Upcoming Events

Date	Year	Event
27th Jan - 3rd Feb	7	Year 7 pupils visiting Coventry University this week
1st March	ALL	School open only to year 10 and 11 pupils due to teacher strike day. Pupils in years 7-9 will be set independent learning tasks on ClassCharts
2nd March	9	Pathways Evening for GCSE options 5.30-6.30pm in South Hall for all year 9 pupils and parents
2nd March	ALL	World Book Day
3rd March	ALL	Carnegie Book Prize Shadowing is launched. 3.20pm every Friday with Miss Benfell
15/16th March	ALL	Planned Strike Days—further communication to follow for all pupils and parents
16th March	11	Macbeth performance in school
17th March	9	Deadline for Pathways options forms to be returned
27th March	10	Year 10 Geographers to Carding Mill for their field trip
27-28th March	8-11	HPV vaccines—parents will have received consent letters or reminders if your child is impacted
31st March	ALL	INSET day
1st-16th April	ALL	Easter Holiday

Bike Permits—reminder



All pupils who cycle to school **must** hold a bike permit and **wear a bicycle helmet**. To apply for a permit, please click [here](#). Please get in touch if you need support buying a bicycle helmet.

Our year 9 Pathways Information Sessions have been really supporting pupils with their upcoming choices. You can get more information by visiting our website here: <https://buff.ly/3IsNwNL>



Year 9 Pathways Sessions with the MAT Careers Service have been taking place over the last 2 weeks in school. Pupils have been receiving careers information, advice and guidance from their Career's Adviser during dedicated lessons. These sessions were designed to inform pupils about their GCSE subject options and how best to make decisions regarding subject choice - including how this affects post 16 options

and careers. They have been learning about qualifications, skills and careers using a variety of specialist careers websites to help them in their decision-making process and to research future careers. The pupils have received excellent feedback regarding their positive conduct during lessons.

Payments and communications



In order to make all communications from George Eliot Academy easy to access, we are joining our payment and messaging services together. Weduc and Weduc Payments will offer a single platform for a convenient and streamlined service. To ensure you are ready to access Weduc Payment, please download the Weduc app on your app store.



Well done to year 11 for their hard work and determination throughout mocks. The most up-to-date exam timetable is on our website [here](#).

Thank you too to Miss Keen for leading a fantastic revision session for year 10: "The @SparxMaths QLAs with independent learning codes are a game changer!"

