

STUDENT BULLETIN

Week beginning Monday, 9 January 2017

VALUE FOR THE MONTH: INDIVIDUAL LIBERTY

THEME FOR THE WEEK: 'THE HEART OF A VOLUNTEER IS NEVER MEASURED IN SIZE, BUT BY THE DEPTH OF THE COMMITMENT TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE TO THE LIVES OF OTHERS' (DEANN HOLLIS)

Welcome back everyone!

I hope you will commence this year in the very positive manner that you started in September and make sure that you build on the solid achievements of last term.

For Year 8, 9 and 11, this is a time for very focused thinking. Year 11's started January with exams and these will continue after half term. Year 11's will be very much focused on transition for Year 12 and we wish them well on what we hope will be a very thoughtful, industrious and profound period. For Year 8 and Year 9, you should be focusing now on GCSEs as you prepare for your progression routes. A number of parental consultation evenings will be organised over the coming weeks.

For the rest of us - it is very busy and business as usual as we get through our normal working week. Please remember the importance of attendance, punctuality and homework and the big difference sticking to the basics makes to our ordinary working lives.

Without much further ado, let's focus on the business of the day

Mr Mahir

YEARS 7, 8, 9 - ART AND FOOD LESSONS

Students in Years 7, 8 and 9 are on a carousel timetable for their Art and Food lessons. The groups have swapped this term so students who were doing Art last term will now be doing Food and those who were doing Food will now do Art. Students will change back again at the end of the spring term.

Mr Rountree



 e-mentoring@chingford.waltham.sch.uk

Free online email provision to:-

- ◆ Explore difficulties you may be facing;
- ◆ Distress you may be experiencing,
- ◆ or loss of direction and purpose you may be feeling, which is affecting your wellbeing.

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For further details contact:
Mrs Goldstone, The School House, Chingford Foundation school

DROP DAY

- On Monday, 16th January, students in Years 8, 9, 10 and 11 will be involved in Drop Day events of varying lengths during the morning. Students in Year 7 will be in normal lessons on this occasion. It is important that students in years 8, 9, 10 and 11 listen very carefully to the information about where to go and at what time, which your Form Tutor will tell you
- Go to your venue promptly and wait outside until instructed by Chingford Foundation School staff
- Sit where you are told to sit
- Ask questions at appropriate times, making full use of the expertise of the speakers
- Of course, the usual high standards of behaviour which we always expect will be expected on this day.

Students in all years must remember that when you aren't in drop day events, you will be in normal lessons. Occasionally, this means a room change or sharing a classroom with some students from another group. Your Form Tutor will have informed you of this. Please be very sensible.

Mrs Smith