

# Mr Wilson's Weekly Message



Good afternoon everyone,

I hope you all have had a lovely half term. It has been wonderful to have the students back in school and there is a real buzz around the assessments which start next week. The message to students is always about trying their hardest and making their own individual progress. I'm sure they will do extremely well and make us all proud. Equally important this term is all the enrichment and extra curricular events and activities that will be taking place - we have trips, STEM

days, workshops, assemblies, Sports Day, the Cross Curricular Day, Work experience and many, many more great opportunities for our students to learn and develop beyond the classroom. I'm really excited about the weeks ahead and sharing all the amazing things going on. Do stay tuned! Mr. Wilson

### **School survey**

### **Parent Governor Vacancy**

The Hurlingham Academy is looking for an enthusiastic and committed parent/carer, with a child on roll here, to become one of our governors. The role of governors is an important one and you will have the opportunity to express your views, contribute to the school community and support staff in ensuring our students gain an excellent education.

Governors meet four times a year for two hours with a combination of online and face-to-face meetings. They provide support and challenge on a range of key issues that affect the strategic direction of the school.

The governing body works in close partnership with Mr Wilson and the Senior Leadership Team.

This is a voluntary role and governors find great satisfaction in knowing that they play a key part in shaping the future of The Hurlingham Academy.

If you would like to apply, have any questions or would like to discuss any aspect of the role before submitting an application, please contact Ms Mehmet <a href="mailto:UMehmet@thehurlinghamacademy.org.uk">UMehmet@thehurlinghamacademy.org.uk</a> who will arrange for Mr Wilson to give you a call.





## Celebrating Eid al-Adha

'Eid Mubarak' to all families celebrating Eid al– Adha in the next few weeks. Please note that only one day of absence will be authorised for students celebrating Eid, and this can be taken on Monday 17<sup>th</sup> June. Please notify Ms Horne if your child will be celebrating Eid on this date: SHorne@thehurlinghamacademy.org.uk.

### End of year exams starting next week

In order not to disadvantage students missing school for their Eid celebrations, we have made some changes to the exam timetables for Year 7, 8 and 9. New timetables have been given to students and can also be found here: Year 7, Year 8, Year 9

Students already have their revision manifests and should be revising independently at home. We particularly recommend the following revision techniques:

- Self quizzing to learn definitions from a knowledge organiser (see <u>this video</u>, knowledge organisers available <u>here</u>)
- Testing yourself on flashcards using the Leitner system (see <a href="this video">this video</a>)
- Completing practice questions your teacher will provide you with these

It's really important for students to be in school every day and to get plenty of rest each night. Good luck to everyone taking exams!









# **Contact Helping Hand Project**

(Empowering Parents Embracing Neurodiversity)



Family Support for parents of children on the waiting lists for CAMHS NDTs and Child Development Services in Ealing, Hounslow and Hammersmith & Fulham

Is your child on a waiting list for an assessment for ADHD or Autism? Are you confused about what it all means and how you can support your child while you wait?

### Join our Parent Support Group meetings on topics such as:

Encouraging positive behaviour / Support for your child in school or college / How to support your child with positive communication / Wellbeing for parent carers / Coping with anxiety / Understanding and supporting your child's sensory needs and other topics

- Topics will be chosen by you and the other parents in the group in session 1.
- Group sessions 1-5 are held online (via zoom), different morning or evening slots are available to choose from.
- Group session 6 will offer an opportunity to meet face to face.
- Individual (one to one) parent support and advice outside of the group sessions is also available.

If you would like our support, please complete the form below and send it to: <a href="mailto:nwlcontactfsp@contact.org.uk">nwlcontactfsp@contact.org.uk</a> or call us on 07529 222724.

We look forward to hearing from you! The Contact Helping Hand Team

Our support to you will be confidential. Contact will look after your details according to our data protection policy <a href="https://contact.org.uk/privacy">https://contact.org.uk/privacy</a>.

Please tick here to confirm you consent for us to process your information as described in our privacy statement		
Name and Surname:	Telephone number:	
Address:	Email:	
Child's name	Child's Date of Birth:	



### Mr Wilson's commendations

It has been another impressive week here at the academy, with pupils once more working hard on their studies both in the classroom and at home. Congratulations go to all the following pupils who made it to the top of our leader boards this week. Photos of 1st places below

### **SENECA leaderboard:**

1. (Yr9)

Delano Skyers



Taiama Al Barhami

3. (Yr8)

Kaleen Arong



**SPARX Maths leaderboard:** 

1. (Yr7)

Riley Walter-Salmon



2. (Yr9)

Seth Araujo



3. (Yr7)

Zari Crichlow



**SPARX Reader leaderboard:** 

1. (Yr7)

Rothko Laurenson



2. (Yr8)

Cassie Snowden



3. (Yr9)

Zaki Gruter





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# Year 7 Bake Off!

This week Ms Myers hosted a Year 7 bake-off where students put their cookie decorating skills to the test!

The judges deliberated and decided to crown 7L the winners (the burger and chips design), so congratulations to Erza, Phillipa and Nuha!









Key dates			
Description	Date	Time	
Y10 Mock 3 and KS3 Assessments Begin	Mon 10/06/2024	(All day)	
Y6 Parent transition meet- ings	Mon 10/06/2024	15:30 - 17:30	
Mandarin Project Y10	Mon 10/06/2024 09:00	09:00 - 15:00	
	Wed 12/06/2024	09:00 - 10:30	
	Thu 13/06/2024	10:30 - 13:00	
Y7 PGL Info Evening	Wed 12/06/2024	17:00 - 18:00	
LAMDA Theatre trip Y10	Thu 13/06/2024	16:00 - 20:30	
GCSE Exams End	Fri 14/06/2024	(All day)	
SEND Y6 TRANSITION DAY	Fri 14/06/2024	9:00 - 11:30	

