



Principal's News

It continues to be very hot and sunny - please ensure your child has water

It has been a great start to the year with many lovely success stories for students during the Summer holiday which we will celebrate.

Also following some remarks - the schools has now moved into an even higher place with its GCSE

Exam results - well done to everyone.



OPEN SESSIONS

Come and have a look around our school

Thursday 22nd September 2016 ~ talk and tour at 6.30pm and 7.30pm

Monday 26th September 2016 ~ 9.15am talk and tour

Tuesday 27th September 2016 ~ 9.15am talk and tour

Wednesday 28th September 2016 ~ 9.15am talk and tour

Thursday 29th September 2016 ~ 9.15am talk and tour

Friday 30th September 2016 ~ 9.15am talk and tour

Well done to Olivia Tchine in Year 11 - Netball success

Olivia worked very hard over the summer, attending camps, positional days and trials but it has all paid off as she has been selected for the England Netball National Squad - as part of the England Netball Under 17s.

This is an amazing opportunity and achievement for Olivia and means she could be selected to attend Netball Europe. Olivia has also been promoted to the first team in her club and the first team for her County team.



Attendance & Punctuality

Attendance

Please see inside the back page for information on how to report your child absent.

Tutor Groups with highest attendance	%	Year Group Attendance	%
7DM/JJ/MMA	★ 100%	7	99.73% ★
8CD/LM/SC	100% ★	8	99.35%
9CE/EM/MA	★ 100%	9	98.51%
10CBR/JS	100% ★	10	97.17%
11EPR/JY	★ 100%	11	98.75%
Overall school attendance for this week			98.74%



ATTENDANCE MATTERS

Last Week's attendance	%
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Punctuality

Year 7 Tutor Groups	Lates	Year 8 Tutor Groups	Lates	Year 9 Tutor Groups	Lates	Year 10 Tutor Groups	Lates	Year 11 Tutor Groups	Lates
7CC	3	8CB	2	9AD ★	0	10CBR	1	11CH	3
7DM	4	8CD	1	9CE ★	0	10GL	1	11EP	4
7JJ ★	0	8LM	1	9CM	1	10JS ★	0	11EPR ★	0
7MMA	1	8SC ★	0	9DA	1	10PJB	1	11EW	3
7MR	0	8TB	3	9EM	1	10SD	3	11JY	3
7SY	5	8VC	1	9MA	3	10SS	1	11PJ	2
Total	13	Total	8	Total	6	Total	7	Total	15

Total Number of Student Lates: 49
(Last Week's Total:)

Attendance Awards

Achieved 100% Attendance: 7DM/JJ/MMA 8CD/LM/SC 9CE/EM/MA 10CBR/JS 11EPR/JY

student gets 5 house points!

Best Attendance overall: Year 7

Punctuality Awards

Achieved 0 Lates: 7JJ 8SC 9AD/CE 10JS 11EPR

Best Punctuality overall: Year 9



The Year group that gets the most “Best Overall Attendance” and “Best Punctuality awards” over this term will get 5 house points FOR EVERY STUDENT

Lateness to school twice in one week will account for an after school detention on the Friday of that week. Lateness more than twice in one week will account to a Saturday morning detention.

Faith Matters

Saint of the Week:

St. Matthew - September 21st

We imagine Matthew, after the terrible events surrounding the death of Jesus, going to the mountain to which the risen Lord had summoned them. "When they saw him, they worshiped, but they doubted. Then Jesus approached and said to them [we think of him looking at each one in turn, Matthew listening and excited with the rest], 'All power in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age' " (Matthew 28:17–20).

Matthew would never forget that day. He proclaimed the Good News by his life and by his word. Our faith rests upon his witness and that of his fellow apostles.

From such an unlikely situation, Jesus chose one of the foundations of the Church, a man others, judging from his job, thought was not holy enough for the position. But he was honest enough to admit that he was one of the sinners Jesus came to call. He was open enough to recognize truth when he saw him. "And he got up and followed him" (Matthew 9:9b).

St. Matthew is the Patron Saint of Accountants, Bankers, Tax collectors.



Please note that CAFOD Harvest Fast Day is on Friday 7th October.



Pope Francis becomes 'SuperPope' in Vatican-approved graffiti

Reflection

“Blessed are the merciful, for they shall obtain mercy.” Matthew 5:7

Important Notices and Upcoming Events

Attendance

Late Detentions on Friday's after School will start this week. A reminder to all parents that these are for lateness to school registration and lessons:-

- Student late twice in one week 40 minutes
- Three lates in one week - 1 hour
- Four lates in one week – 1 hour and 20 mins
- Five lates or more in one week – 1 hour and 40 mins
- Gentle reminder please report your child's absence on a daily basis.

NB: Year 7s are given a bit of grace for a couple of weeks for an odd 'late', however persistent lateness will not be accepted and a detention will be given.

Mrs Holden
Principal

How to Report Student Absence

Please remember that ANY **student absence** needs to be reported on a daily basis by

- ⇒ telephoning 020 8695 2100 extension 105,
- ⇒ emailing attendance@bp.lewisham.sch.uk or cordreys@bp.lewisham.sch.uk
- ⇒ Or text (by replying to a text we have sent you previously)

Please ensure you leave the student's name, form and the reason the student will be absent. You must also remember to send a letter with the student on their first day back explaining the absence for the records.

There is fully detailed Calendar on the website.

Please note all dates and events are subject to change

September 2015:

- Thursday 22nd
Open Evening 6:30pm or 7:30pm Talk and Tour
- Monday 26th — Friday 30th
Open Morning 9:15am Talk and Tour

October 2015:

Friday 14th— Sunday 16th
Hindleap Warren Year 7

2016/2017 Term Dates

Autumn term 2016

- Monday 5 September–Friday 21 October

*October Half term: Monday 24
October–Friday 28 October.*

Monday 31 October–Friday 17 December