



The Charter School East Dulwich



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Please note all enrichments will take place next week

Welcome to Our New School



The School has had a successful start on site at its permanent facilities on Jarvis Road. Headteacher Alex Crossman and Chair of Governors John Godfrey were joined in opening the new site on 10 January by Helen Hayes, MP for Dulwich and West Norwood, Councillor Jasmine Ali, Southwark Council Cabinet Member for Children, Schools and Adult Care and Simon Tucker, Chair of The Charter Schools Educational Trust.

Ms. Hayes told students from all year groups how The Charter School East Dulwich represented a superb example of how active citizens can make a real difference to the quality of public services available to the whole community.





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U12 Girls Quarter Final Cup Match

A huge congratulations to the Year 7 Girls football team who were victorious in their quarter final match played against Prendergast Ladywell on Monday. The girls battled extremely well against a good opponent, and won 2-1. They are now through to the semi finals! Well done girls!

Tennis Sessions

A reminder that Spring term sessions will begin on Friday 18 January 2019.

Music Exam Success

Congratulations to the following students for passing their external musical instrument lessons last term:

Joe Bevan - grade 5 classical guitar

Sam Cliff-Follini - grade 4 drums

Peter Hibberd - grade 4 drums

Thomas Griffiths - grade 2 violin

Instrumental Lesson Timetables

Instrumental lesson timetables are up on display in the music department. Please ensure your child regularly checks their times each week and makes a note of them in their planner as teachers will be unable to collect them from their lessons.

Year 9 Achievement Evening - Thursday 31 January

This is an important opportunity to discuss progress and GCSE options. Appointment bookings will open on Monday 21 January. Students are required to attend with their parents, wearing full school uniform.

Year 8 Trip: Romeo & Juliet

There will be a trip to The Albany Theatre on Monday 4 February for Year 8 to see Romeo and Juliet. Tickets will be allocated on a first come first served basis. An email will be sent to parents when this goes live on ParentPay.

Lunch Accounts

Parents are reminded to keep an eye on ParentPay accounts to ensure students have enough money to pay for lunch. Lunch is £2.20 and break time snacks are 50p.

Students who are in receipt of free school meals will still have to pay for a break time snack.

If you are unable to top up your child's account, please provide your child with a packed lunch until you are able to do so as we are unable to provide students with a school lunch if they have insufficient funds



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Reporting Absences

Just a reminder that parents and carers can report student absences by emailing:

attendance@chartereastdulwich.org.uk, or by calling the school office and leaving a message on the student absence line.

Support Our School Library, AGM Social Event and Business Meeting

Thanks to everyone who responded to our call for donations of good quality used books for the library - we have been overwhelmed with your generosity! The school librarian has now asked us if we can source an armchair (or two!) to make the school library a cosy place for students to read and relax in. They would need to be fairly modern armchairs (made from 2010 onwards) that are fire retardant in order to comply with fire safety regulations. If you have one you would like to donate, please contact us at friends@chartereastdulwich.org.uk

We will also be taking your donations at our AGM Social Event & Business Meeting at the new school. The social event will be running from 5pm where you can partake of wine and cheese, talk to other parents and find out how our fund raising has helped the school. Rye Books will be there as well so you can take part in our sponsor a book scheme. The Business Meeting will start promptly at 7pm and it will finish by 7:30pm. We are still looking for parents who can step up to the role of Chair/Co-Chair as well as the Communication Officer role - please email us at friends@chartereastdulwich.org.uk

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Thank you, from The Friends of TCSED.