



The Charter School East Dulwich



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Trying to email a teacher or tutor?

Use their first initial followed by their surname (no punctuation) @chartereastdulwich.org.uk

Student Council Initiative: TCSED Seventh House



The Student Council are happy to announce that we will be naming our seventh house after actor and producer John Boyega due to his many acting successes, his efforts to promote the Black Lives Matter cause and the fact that he was brought up in the local area. John started acting at the age of nine at Theatre Peckham, and continued to pursue his career to later win the 'BAFTA Rising Star Award', 'Men of the Year Award' and several more. *"Black lives have always mattered. We have always been important. We have always meant something. We have always succeeded regardless. And now is the time. I ain't waiting"*

Boyega House will now compete alongside Marson, James, King, Bowie, Faraday & Jowell to be crowned house champion for 2020/21 with house competitions starting last week. We will update you with how the competition unfolds throughout the year.

Student Council

Parent Volunteer Needed

DSRS is a volunteer-led group of teachers/senior management and parent reps of local schools which promotes safe, healthy and active travel for children. They work collaboratively with local councillors, Southwark officers, local police, The Dulwich Society, the Dulwich Estate, our MP, local community groups and active travel organisations. The group provides an on-going forum to share good practice, challenges, ideas and solutions. There is a vacancy for a parent representative for TCSED on the DSRS group. This would involve a once per term meeting (usually in the afternoon). If you are interested and would like to find out more please email Shalene Varcoe at svarcoe@tcset.org.uk

Next Dyslexia Cafe KS3 and KS4 - 3 Feb 2021

Thank you for this lovely comment about the recent Dyslexia Cafe: "I thought your presentation today was absolutely excellent. It explained so much of how the world and words look through our child's eyes. For the first time in many years we read together this evening; or rather I got him to read to me. It was lovely."

We really appreciated the attendance and positive feedback from parents. We will hold our next KS3/4 Cafe on Wednesday 3 February.

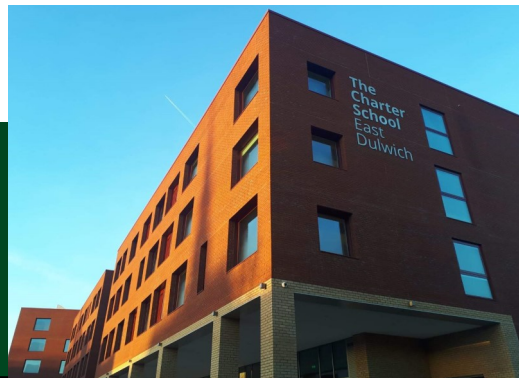
Ms Campbell, Assistant SENDCo

Year 11 Virtual Parents Evening, Tues 5 January 2021 - 3.30 p.m. to 7 p.m.

You can now book your appointment for the virtual Year 11 Parents evening which takes place on Tuesday 5 January. Each appointment will last for a maximum of 7 minutes. Please click [here](#) to book your appointment. Booking closes at 9 a.m. on 5th January.



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A huge thanks to everyone who took part in our online fundraising Quiz on Tuesday 1st December, and to quizmaster extraordinaire, the school's Head of History, the fabulous Mr. Fogarty who once again hosted proceedings and kept everyone under control beautifully. The total raised for the school was £935, boosted by some very generous donations - a FANTASTIC amount! Special thanks to parent Toby Uppington for pulling the event together and for all those who helped compile question rounds. We're always on the lookout for new ways of raising money for the school so please do get in touch via friends@chartereastdulwich.org.uk if you have any ideas or suggestions for fundraising events: ingenious or obvious, we'd love to hear them!

Alongside, in the Christmas Tree sale, with delivery and collection on Friday, 4th December, we sold 68 trees and this resulted in over £1,000 being made for the school. A big thank you to all those who bought a tree and helped support the new Hardship Fund. Happy decorating!

Meanwhile, don't forget to join the Friend's mailing list of parents and carers, to receive updates of forthcoming plans and events. You can do that right here. https://mailchi.mp/0a340a114be9/join_friends_of_tcseid

Albrighton Community Centre Christmas Donations

The Albrighton Centre are asking for donations of Christmas gifts for children (where in particular, they are short of gifts for older boys aged 11 - 16 years). Gifts of 'new' or 'nearly new' toys are encouraged. All gifts for children are welcomed. Additionally, they are keen to receive gifts of food for their Foodbank, both in relation to the current Christmas period and also as part of their on-going community support.

Prior to Christmas, donations of gifts for children or food can be made up until Monday, 21 December, through dropping off directly at the centre. This includes Christmas treats, such as mince pies or Christmas cake!

The centre is on Albrighton Road, which leads off Dog Kennel Hill and close to the Charter School East Dulwich. If its necessary to carry items by car, short-stay parking is available to the rear of the building (with access to Albrighton Road via Bromar Road). Drop off items at:

Albrighton Community Fridge, 37 Albrighton Road, London SE22 8AH. Weekday from 10am-4pm.

<https://www.albrightoncommunitycentre.org/>

Descriptions of foods they need are on this link: <https://www.albrightoncommunityfridge.org/>

Please donate if you can - all gifts are welcomed.

Now live: Second-hand (but actually, mostly rather very good) School Uniform Sale.

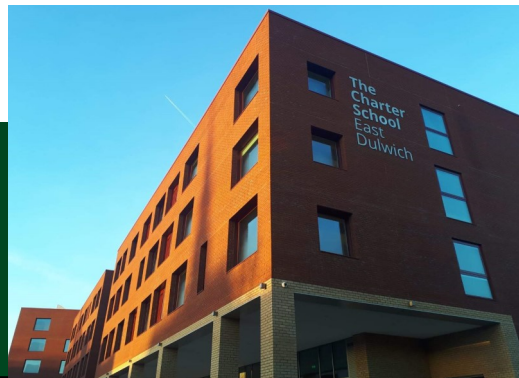
We are now live with the School Uniform sale on the Friends website

<https://www.pta-events.co.uk/fotcsed>. You can order online and within a week your child will be given the order to bring home. Not quite click and collect, but pretty good. If you have any spare uniform that your child has outgrown, please keep it for us and we will let you know how you can donate shortly.

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Other things to do:

Register at Easyfundraising. We've raised over £1300 just from other people shopping! Which is great. 80 supporters so far. Can we get to 100 for Xmas? This works with Amazon, Ebay, Sainsbury's and John Lewis. <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/fotcsed>
And please follow us on Social media: <https://twitter.com/fotcsed>
<https://www.facebook.com/fotcsed/>

PS if anyone wants to help to manage the Social channels for the Friends, send a few emails, please let us know. You're welcome to help.

Are you receiving news about social events and fundraising for our school community from The Friends of The Charter School East Dulwich? Don't miss out: click on the link to subscribe and ensure you are kept up to date: https://mailchi.mp/0a340a114be9/join_friends_of_tcsed.
Thank you, from The Friends of TCSED.



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