

Bulletin

Friday 19 March 2021



Trying to email a teacher or tutor?

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

Virtual Enrichment to Continue

Thank you for the excellent support from staff, students and parents with regards to our virtual enrichment program. We want to continue to display our sense of community and school values through this program. Students who have taken part in these clubs will have reaped the social benefits as well as developed skills through activities they may otherwise not have tried. With the clubs continuing, we want to put more emphasis on students developing the clubs themselves, giving them more ownership. If you find your child spending long periods of time on games consoles or is in front of the television, please encourage them to get involved and also encourage them to post in these groups. They are for the students and the more they all buy in and communicate around their enrichment, the closer to their peers they will feel.

If you have any questions or any suggestions with regards to the school's virtual enrichment program, please contact btubby@chartereastdulwich.org.uk.

Thank you for you support. I hope everyone is staying safe and well.

Mr B. Tubby, PE Department

Reporting Student Absence

If your child is absent from school for any reason, you must inform the school office in advance or on the first day of the absence. Absence due to illness must be reported to the school office via phone or by sending an email to attendance@chartereastdulwich.org.uk. Please note you must inform the school every day of your child's illness until they are back in school. Medical appointments are not advised during school term time, however, we understand that this is not always feasible. Evidence of the appointment, such as an appointment letter, an appointment card or a screenshot of a text message notification. If your child is off school following a positive Covid test, please inform the school as soon as possible and the school office will advise you accordingly.

Ms Pearce, Attendance Officer

Sixth Form Taster Event

Year 11s will be attending a Sixth Form Taster Day **or** a Pathways Session on Wednesday 24 March 2021, from 2pm to 4pm.

Students who have made an application to East Dulwich **or** North Dulwich Sixth Form will be dismissed on the day from school at 1.30pm, and expected to return home to log-on for the session to experience live Sixth Form lessons. Links for joining will be provided shortly by separate email. It is delivered remotely to enable our external applicants to also attend.

Please note: these students are expected to go straight home to log on and join the Taster Day remotely at 2pm, in the same way as they join their remote lessons. **Or**;

If a student **does not** have an application with ED / ND Sixth Form, they will be invited to join for a special Pathways Session focusing on college and apprenticeship applications with our Careers Lead Ms Seed. Ms Seed will shortly provide details individually to those students about where this will take place.

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The Friends AGM

(Online) Wed 21 Apr The Annual Friends' AGM - 21 April at 7 p.m.

The annual Friends' AGM will be on the evening of Wednesday 21 April at 7 p.m. and will be an on-line event, open for guests to join. More information to follow shortly. All are welcome! Please remember to check the Friends' PTA Events website for updates. https://www.pta-events.co.uk/fotcsed

Albrighton Community Centre Foodbank Donations

The Albrighton Centre are keen to receive gifts of food for their Foodbank, as part of their on-going community support. Donations can be made by donating items at their centre on Albrighton Road, which leads off Dog Kennel Hill and is close to the Charter School East Dulwich. If it's 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). You can donate 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.

We plan to be able to start collecting donations from the school next term. This means students will be able to bring in items of food and place them at a designated collection point within the school. The Friends will collect these items during the last week of each half term and deliver them to the foodbank.

We will let you know when this is up and running so watch this space for details. Meanwhile, please don't forget to visit the Allbrighton Centre to donate.

Second-hand School Uniform Sale.

We need to replenish our stock of second hand uniform. So if your children have grown a lot over lockdown and you have uniform that is now too small but is good enough for others to wear, please donate it. Recycle and raise funds for the school. Win win!

We'd like any school logo uniform (jumpers, PE sweatshirts, T-shirts and polo shirts). We don't need any trousers at present. Please wash items before donating and your child can give them in at school reception. Don't forget you can buy second hand uniform from the Friends website at: https://www.pta-events.co.uk/fotcsed.

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The Charter School

Thank you, from The Friends of TCSED.