



WHOLE SCHOOL

Letter from Mr Williams

Dear parents and carers

I hope you have all had a good week. We have received masses of positive feedback about Wednesday's 'Connect 4' day and it's clear that many of you enjoyed the opportunity to do something different. We have been blown away by the number and inventiveness of different things that students got up to, and it was especially nice to see so many going out of their way to carry out acts of kindness for the benefits of others in the community – precisely the sort of social responsibility we love to see from Lymm High students! Mr Hayes will be in touch next week with information about winners and we are getting ready to drive to homes to award some prizes. At the time of writing, we are over 70% of the way towards our £1000 target for supporting NHS staff too. If you would like to donate, please <u>click here</u>.

If you haven't already seen it, please do set aside a bit of time to read this month's <u>newsletter</u> – there are some lovely articles in there. Congratulations to all those students who feature one way or another.

We have one more week before half-term and I've no doubt many children are getting tired, but we'll do all we can to keep them motivated and everyone can look forward to a proper break in a week's time.

Kind regards Gwyn Williams

Parents' Evening

On Thursday 11th February there will be no live lessons in the afternoon to give teachers a break from their screens before Year 11 Parents' Evening. Work will still be set on Teams and students are very much expected to complete this.

LHS Lottery

Congratulations to Mrs Leighton Jones who was this week's school lottery winner! You could be a winner too!

If you have not signed up for our lottery yet, please head to our dedicated lottery website <u>here</u>. If you want to find out how it works, please <u>click here</u>. Tickets are only £1 each week. Your support would be hugely appreciated.

LOWER SCHOOL

KS3 DT and Food lessons

From the 22nd February, all KS3 Design Technology and Food lessons will be delivered online as live lessons. KS3 students rotate between subjects in Design Technology and Food to experience a breadth of curriculum and the next rotation would usually start at this time. It therefore makes sense to ensure that students are provided with the theory knowledge they will require to effectively complete practical work for this rotation when they return to school. Please ensure that students log-in to their Design Technology/Food lessons via Teams as scheduled on their timetable from this date.

Year 9 Choices

Year 9 students will soon receive a Zoom invite to their school email address for a Choices meeting. Can parents please ensure that students know when their appointment is so they don't miss it, and that they have a list of the subjects that they wish to take. Parents are welcome to attend the meeting too, but please note that it will only last for five minutes.

Thank you, Mrs McGahey

UPPER SCHOOL

Year 11 Parents' Evening

Year 11 Parents' Evening is taking place on Thursday 11th February. Parents have received a <u>letter</u> from Miss Taylor about this.

SIXTH FORM

Year 12 Parents' Evening

Year 12 Parents' Evening is taking place on Thursday 25th February (4.30–7.30 pm). Further details will be sent to students and parents next week with regards to making appointments.

Year 12 Futures Sessions

This week students have received an online session from Edinburgh University focussing on how to choose their course. Next week we have Liverpool University delivering a session on Making Competitive Applications. Please <u>click here</u> for a round-up of the sessions offered by universities next week. Please do encourage your son / daughter to attend some of these, they are invaluable in terms of making their decisions.

Year 13 Replying to UCAS Offers

Next week Year 13 students will receive an assembly focussing on how to reply to their UCAS offers.