



# Parents@Park (23.04.21)

## Broadening Student Horizons

- The Words of the Week for the week beginning 26th April



**Sarcasm**



**Compromise**

# Ethnicity

- Park High School's [Careers Newsletter Week 27](#). Please also see the below opportunity available for our students:



- This week's extra curricular timetable - a message from Mrs Orme (Head of PE):

"We have tried to put extra-curricular activities on days when pupils have PE lessons to reduce the need for changing. If a pupil does not have PE that day but is attending a club they should come FULL SCHOOL UNIFORM as normal and bring their kit with them. Access to the changing rooms will then enable them to change at the end of the day. **One exception to this is students in Year 7 who attend extra-curricular activities on a Friday who may wear their PE kit for the day**".

Get involved!

Team PE

## Extra Curricular activities – Week beginning 19 April

### Sports hall activities

Day	Year group
Monday 4a	Year 7
Monday 4b	Year 8 'B' band
Tuesday 4a	Year 8 'A' band
Thursday	Year 9



### After school activities

**Monday** – Year 10 football  
**Tuesday** – Year 8 rounders  
**Thursday** – Year 7 & 9 rounders, Year 8 Netball  
**Friday** – Year 7 Netball and Year 7 & 8 Football



- [Colne Youth Activity Group](#)

This group has been set up to provide fantastic activities in the local area. The first two activities that have been set up are detailed below:



- **Football: Burnley FC** in the Community Team (Lee and Lewis) are running 5 aside football every Wednesday at 5 p.m. at the MUGA at King George V Playing Field all welcome boys and girls.
- **Cycling: Go Velo** are doing a mountain biking course on the Park High site on Monday 26th April at 5 p.m. You will need to register for this and pay £3 joining fee but the sessions are free. Join at [www.cyag.org](http://www.cyag.org)

Please look at the website for all up coming activities.



## Notices



### Applying for Free School Meals



At these challenging times Lancashire County Council may be able to help you with Free School Meals. If you are on a low income or benefits, you could be eligible for free school meals for your child.

You can help the school by registering for free school meals if you are eligible. The number of children eligible for free school meals affects the amount of funding we receive through the pupil premium. The more pupil premium we get, the more money we have to invest in raising the attainment of disadvantaged pupils and closing the gap between them and their peers.

To find out whether you are eligible for free school meals, please contact **Lancashire County Council**.

#### Apply by phone

You can apply by ringing the local area education office . It must be the person claiming the benefit that rings.

Open Monday - Friday, 9am - 5pm. Closed for bank holidays.

**East Area Education Office - Tel: 01254 220 747**

You will need to provide your:

Name - Date of birth - National insurance number

LCC will confirm whether you are entitled over the telephone.

- For parents wishing to access the Free school meal provision please see the information above. We are currently living through extremely challenging times and truly hope the above information may help families in both the short and longer term. For further information or guidance with the application process please do not hesitate to contact Mrs H Ellison ([hellison@park-high.co.uk](mailto:hellison@park-high.co.uk)) who has helped many families to secure the support they are entitled too.
- A reminder for all parents that dinner money must be paid on to your child's My Child At School account in advance to allow them to purchase meals within school. We cannot allow Pupil's to order food without having money on their account for the purchase.
- Twice weekly Covid testing - home testing continues until further notice. As per the guidance please continue to log the results with both the NHS and school log. Additional home testing kits will be sent him with students in due course.



- The wearing of face coverings will continue at Park until further notice. Thankyou for your continued support with this matter. [Report student Covid home testing results to school](#)
- From September, the uniform policy will be updated to state that all school coats must be black. In addition, the wearing of hoodies and jumpers under blazers will not be allowed. This information is being shared early to prevent parents purchasing outwear not in line with school policy.
- **06th May 2021 is Polling day** and as such some **areas of Park High School will be out of circulation for students**. Due to the current Covid restrictions this will affect our capacity on site and some students will be asked to work remotely on 06th May. Affected students will be contacted individually next week to confirm arrangements.



## Year 11 Leavers Updates



- Please see [here](#) for updates and information about this year's Year 11 GCSE results

For any queries or concerns with Year 11 in their final months of school please do not hesitate to contact Mrs Sarah Huntingdon [shuntingdon@park-high.co.uk](mailto:shuntingdon@park-high.co.uk) (Head of Year 11) or Mrs K Coffey (pastoral support Year 11) [kcoffey@park-high.co.uk](mailto:kcoffey@park-high.co.uk) who will be happy to help

Become part of the Park family

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Raising Aspirations



**Lead Practitioner of English**

# Park High School

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**Teacher of Mathematics (Full Time - Permanent)  
(with responsibility which attracts a TLR)**

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**Domestic Assistant**

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**Teacher of Mathematics (Full Time - Permanent)**



# Park High School

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**Teacher of RE (Full Time –Permanent)**

## EVERY LESSON SHAPES A LIFE

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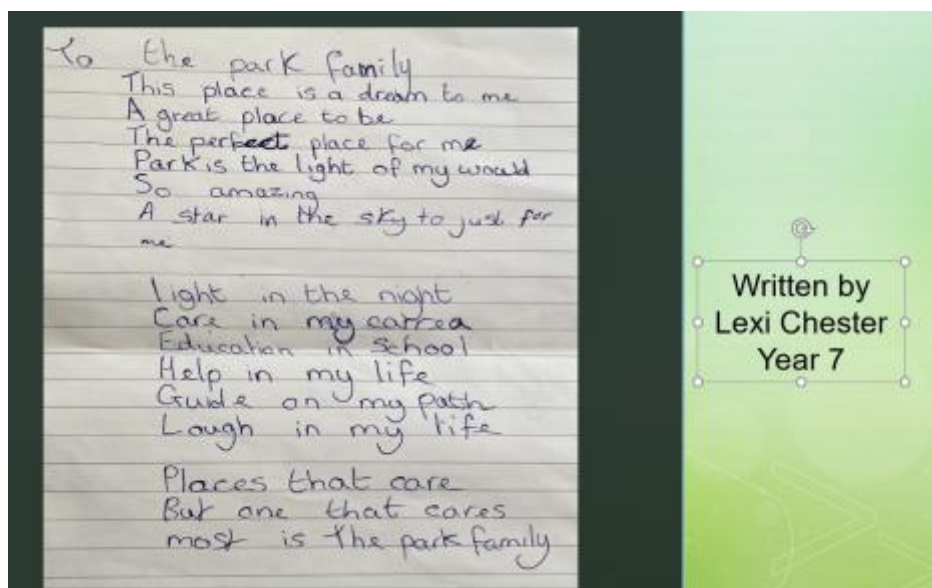
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**info@pennineteachingalliance.co.uk**  
**For further info contact Ann on 01282 865200**

Please visit our website for [Job opportunities](#). We are currently advertising for talented and committed individuals to join our team

## Dates for diary - further ahead

- 03rd May school will be closed for the Bank Holiday.
- Polling Day 06th May 2021 - some areas of school will be out of circulation. Affected students will be contacted individually.
- Year 7-10 PRPs (to assist with student assessment and exam preparation) will be distributed to students on Friday 07th May in preparation for 10th May start. PRP's will run for three weeks.
- Year 11 assessments start 10th May
- Year 10 assessments start 07th June

## And finally .... what a wonderful way to end the week



[School Holiday Dates 2020-21 \(click\)](#)