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Parents@Park is back - the place to be for all things Park!

Welcome to this week's edition of Parents@Park. The first teaching week is complete; timetables are in full-swing and learning is at the heart of what we do. There has been a real buzz around the school as staff have been eagerly anticipating their new classes, and students have shown great focus in starting the year well.

A reminder that our annual Open Evening takes place on Thursday 17th September 5.30-8.30pm. We are excited to see members of the community and prospective students in what is shaping up to be a great evening full of learning activities.

Open Evening 2026

The poster features a background image of three young women in red and yellow sports uniforms, with one holding a white ball. On the left, a green vertical bar contains the 'Apex' logo at the top and the words 'Open Event' written vertically. Overlaid on the image are several text boxes: a white box with 'Colne Park High School', a dark blue box with the date and time 'Thursday 17th September 2026' and '5:30pm - 8:30pm', and a green box at the bottom with the website 'www.park-high.co.uk'. The school's crest is also visible in the bottom right corner.

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Open Event

Colne Park High School

Thursday 17th September 2026
5:30pm - 8:30pm

www.park-high.co.uk


FOLLOW THE LEADER

Please note that students will finish at 12:30pm on this day in preparation for Open Evening.

Attendance

TO MAINTAIN EXCELLENT ATTENDANCE

IMPORTANT: Students receive their afternoon mark during PM registration at 1.50pm.

LEAVING BEFORE 1:50PM AFFECTS ATTENDANCE

If a student leaves site **before 1:50pm**, they will not receive their afternoon attendance mark.

MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS

If a student leaves for a medical appointment **before 1:50pm**, this will affect their attendance.

Where possible, please arrange appointments **after 1:50pm** or during school holidays.

Thank you for supporting your child's attendance and education.

Journalism Club

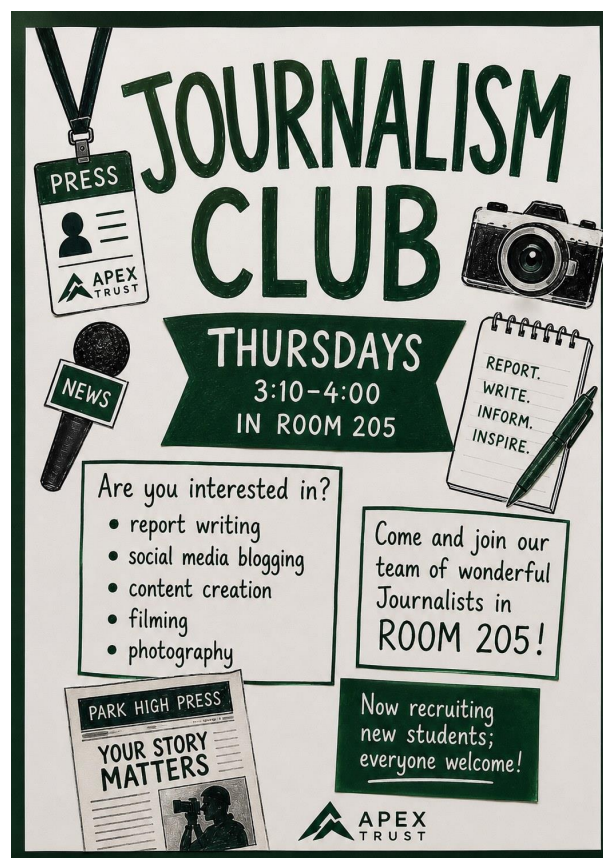
We are now recruiting new Journalists to join our **Park Press Team** for the academic year 2026-27!

If you are interested in social media content, video editing, vlogging, filming or writing reports, please come along to **Room 205 on Thursdays at 3:10-4:00!**

Last year was a huge success for our Journalists; they reported on a wide range of school events, including the Parliament Trip, Sports Day, the Talent Show, World Book Day and many more! They also interviewed many teachers for our Staff Spotlight of the Month and contributed to writing the Journalism Weekly - our student magazine updated on Parents@Park and our school Facebook page. They engaged with lots of students, made Journalism an invaluable asset to our school community, and developed their confidence and oracy skills. Absolute credit to them!

Come along and try something new - all students, including Year 7's are more than welcome!

We would love to see you there.



Uniform Reminders

Thank you for your continued support with our school expectations regarding uniform, make up and mobile phones. A brief reminder about our school expectations:

- Nails kept short and natural with clear nail varnish
- One pair of matching stud earrings only
- Wristwatch can be worn but no other jewellery

- Black socks worn
- No make up

Notices and Information Share



What is Nest Lancashire?

Nest Lancashire is funded by Lancashire's Police and Crime Commissioner to support young people across the county who have been affected by crime or subjected to threats or harassment. Young people can talk to us in confidence and all of our services are free of charge. Our aim is to help these young people to recover from whatever it is they have experienced. Trained, friendly staff will be able to help them move forward and feel safe again.

Who is the service for?

Nest Lancashire supports anyone aged 5-18 who has been either a victim or a witness of crime, or experienced an incident that has left them shaken. It doesn't matter if the crime or incident hasn't been reported to the police or if it happened a long time ago.

Young people don't always identify as victims and are sometimes unsure whether what has occurred does amount to a crime. We can help any young person that feels victimised or has witnessed something that has left them shaken. There is no incident too small for us to offer support.

What support is available?

We provide individual support tailored to the young person's needs. Young people can talk to us over the phone, in person, email or send us a text. We will talk to the person to get to know them and decide the best way forward together.



We can offer:

- One to one support
- Group sessions with other young people
- Access to sport and other social activities
- Confidence building
- Help to ensure young people feel safe and secure again
- Support in reporting the crime if the young person would like to do so
- Information about young people's rights as a victim of crime
- Support for young people throughout the process if a case goes to court

How to refer:

Call: 0300 111 0323
Email: info@nestlancashire.org

Young people can also self-refer:

Call: 0300 111 0323
Email: info@nestlancashire.org
Text: NEST and their number is 60777

To find out more visit
www.nestlancashire.org

We have a Live chat facility between 4pm and 6pm Monday to Friday.

Contact us on: 0300 111 0323 info@nestlancashire.org



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Have you seen our Facebook & Instagram pages? Follow us for regular information and updates.

Please note credits, misdemeanours and attendance are all available on MCAS. Don't forget to log on to stay informed on a daily basis.

@Contact Us

- [The link here](#) links to the school website where key staff and department contacts are listed as well as a flow diagram to support families in navigating to the correct team/staff member depending on the enquiry they have.

In the first instance the form tutor is the first point of contact to guide and advise.

School Holiday Dates 2026-27

[Colne Park High School - Term Dates \(park-high.co.uk\)](http://park-high.co.uk)