Student & Parent School Bulletin



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1. Diary

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• Book Week 2022 (see item 6)

Tuesday 1st March

Y7 F. G and P Blackland Farm residential

Wednesday 2nd March

• Y7 F, G and P Blackland Farm residential

Thursday 3rd March

Y7 E, O and C Blackland Farm residential

Friday 19th 4th March

Y7 E, O and C Blackland Farm residential

2. Year Group Notices

Year 7 English

Well done to Ella Jones and Kian Phillips for their excellent Viking long ship models, which they have made for their year 7 homework as part of their studies of Beowulf. Very well done!

Mr Castle, English Teacher

Year 8 Blackland Farm

Please note this trip is now live on Operoo for parents/carers to complete, thank you. Any queries please email ParentPay@felpham.org.uk.

Year 11 Geographers

Please click on the links below to view two key documents you can use to aid revision. We have given all students a paper copy of the Marginal Gains sheet, which has a small piece of revision for each day until the exams start in May, so they can cover the Geography course before they start.

To help you revise for the Case Studies, I have also created a case study booklet, which has all the case study pictures and revision notes.

Why not use the YouTube channel https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC1n0IO5Loqezd1BsuUQdHaA and make flash cards of the case studies, and use these to test yourself and friends?

- Click <u>here</u> to view Marginal Gains sheet
- Click here to view Case Studies booklet

Mrs Sloggett, Curriculum Leader: Geography

WSCC half-term activities

Invicta National Academy, in association with West Sussex County Council, are providing a week of free live, online maths and English catch-up classes as well as a daily Taekwondo lesson for all West Sussex children this half term; please click here to view a flyer and here for more information.

4. School canteen

One of the feedback points from students following the recent student surveys was that the menu for the canteen could be included in the student and parent each week. Please click <u>here</u> to view the menu for the week after half-term.

Our lunch menus run on a 3-week cycle, below is a link to our website which shows all 3 menus and the morning break menu, click here https://www.felpham.com/parents-students/catering/.

5. Upcycling request - Wooden chest/blanket box

The Sixth Form enrichment group have been frantically making pom poms to use in an upcycling project. Now more established in our new hub, we are looking for a second-hand wooden chest or blanket box to decorate for use as storage in our common room - if you have one that you're trying to get rid of or rehome, we would be more than happy to take it off your hands! Many thanks on behalf of the Sixth Form. Ms Kelly, Deputy Headteacher

6. Book Week 2022

Book Week this year takes place from Monday 28th February to Friday 4th March, please click <u>here</u> to view a flyer of events taking place during the week.

Mr Summers, Assistant Headteacher

7. Publicity

We are trying to promote / let parents and carers see the excellent work our students complete at FCC so that everyone can admire it! Please help us by following us on <u>Facebook</u> and Instagram and liking our posts!

8. Class Act

We will appear in the Bognor Observer on Thursday 3rd March as part of the joint Class Act page with other local schools. A limited number of copies of the paper will be available for students and staff on Friday 4th March to take home.

Mrs Chester, Publicity and Charity Coordinator

9. Praise Points

The tutor groups with the highest number of praise points in their year group last week were:

• 7A, 8L, 9M, 10L, 11E, 12/13GSL

10. Careers Information from Mrs Woodman, Careers Leader

Students in all year groups - Job of the week

Each week I share with you a short YouTube video, created by Jamie Pywell of MyPath Careers, that introduces you to a job – what the job entails, what subjects are useful for it, what qualifications you will need to get into it, and the salary you might earn. This week's Job of the Week is <u>veterinary surgeon</u>.

Students and Parents / Carers - Free, virtual workshops in programming and web development Free, online, one-day training workshops that are specifically designed to help you develop the essential skills needed within digital and technology. Upon completion of either workshop, you will receive a **Certificate of Achievement** and **Social Badge** to show off your newly acquired skills.

- Programming workshop Saturday 26th February as the world enters further into the digital age, software programming skills have become highly desirable. This enlightening workshop will give you the confidence and basic knowledge to start learning to code, how to work with basic data structures and so much more. Find out more here.
- Web Development workshop Saturday 12th March go behind the scenes, learning the functions of what encompasses successful web applications, eventually creating your very own website. Find out more here.

Year 10 students and parents/carers - Futures Week - 4-7th July

All Year 10 tutor groups have now had a session in a computer room to introduce them to Xello. Any student who has missed this session should watch this presentation <u>here</u> that explains how to access the program.

As a reminder to **all** Year 10s, by the time we come back to school after half-term I will need you all to have completed Matchmaker and to have saved at least 3 careers that you are interested in. You can save more than 3 careers and can complete any of the lessons that you have access to in Xello, Students are actively encouraged to read through and work towards completing the assignment that you will find on the home page, which has a deadline of 30th April. The assignment will help in the summer term when you will be writing your CV, in readiness for mock interview day in the autumn term of Year 11.