

# Student & Parent School Bulletin

Monday 31<sup>st</sup> October 2022 week 8B

## 1. Diary

### Monday 31<sup>st</sup> October

- Students follow their Week B timetable

### Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> November

### Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> November

### Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> November

- 18.00-19.00 Year 11 Parent/Student Information and Guidance Evening (see year notice below)

### Friday 4<sup>th</sup> November

- Year 11 Mock interview day (see year notice below)

## 2. Year Group Notices

### Year 10 psychology shout-out

Miss Campbell and Miss Narburgh would like to give a shout-out to all Year 10 students who have started psychology this term. You have demonstrated an incredibly positive start to a challenging new subject and we are impressed with your focus, determination and attitude in lessons. Well done and keep it up!

### Year 10 and 11 - GCSE psychology catch-up club

The next psychology catch-up sessions will be running on Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> November with Miss Campbell and Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> November with Miss Narburgh. Sessions will be guided revision and we will focus on social influence. This is a topic only Year 11 have covered so far, however Year 10 students are welcome to come along and work independently at the back of the classroom if they wish. Please email Miss Campbell if there is a sub-topic within social influence that you would like the session to focus on.

[rcampbell@felpham.org.uk](mailto:rcampbell@felpham.org.uk).

### Year 11 students

#### Mock Interview Day

A final reminder that this takes place on Friday 4<sup>th</sup> November and that you should have completed/updated your CV by now. As I write this, and with two weeks to go, we have received 150 out of 218, so still a few to go. Not having a CV does not mean that you won't be having a mock interview but will severely affect the feedback you get, and your overall score. Not only that but, in the real world, not having a CV would almost certainly mean that you would not even get invited to interview!

You access Xello via Office 365. Once in Office 365 click on the 9 dots next to 'Office in the top left of the screen and then on the icon for Xello - you will be taken straight into the program. If you are new to the school and have not accessed Xello before you still need to log in to Office 365 and click on the 9 dots next to Office. You will then need to click on 'all apps' and scroll down to the bottom of the list that appears to find the icon for Xello. Click on it and you will be taken into the program.

On the home screen there is a link - scroll down and on the right - to a YouTube video that explains what a CV is and how Xello can help students complete it. At the top of the home screen is a black menu bar - students need to click on 'About Me', scroll down the page a little and will see a link to a CV builder on the right. There are general hints and tips at the top of the CV screen, and hints and tips for each of the individual sections of the CV. When completed you need to download your CV as a PDF and email it to Mrs Nash ([lnash1@felpham.org.uk](mailto:lnash1@felpham.org.uk)) so that we can add it into the interview packs for the volunteers that will be coming in to carry out the interviews.

#### Parent/Student Information and Guidance Evening

A reminder that this takes place on Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> November, please [click here](#) to view the letter emailed to parents/carers.

#### Religious Studies

GCSE Religious Studies drop-in runs every Thursday from 3.00-4.00pm in B2. It is a chance for you to catch up on any missed work, complete homework or come and ask questions if there is anything in lessons that you have been struggling with. We can also do practice questions and work on exam technique. Sessions will be with both Miss Wyatt and Ms Aston-Rose.

### 3. School canteen

Please [click here](#) to view the menu for week commencing 31<sup>st</sup> October. 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/>.

### 4. Year 10 Geographers

You will be undertaking your first assessment after half term, so let's get prepared for it effectively! Please [click here](#) for a checklist you can use to check your understanding of key topics.

#### How can I revise at home?

1. Use the attached checklist to check understanding of key areas- Red, amber, Green each point.
  - Use the YouTube video <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hdreBPkIWSI> to cover any areas of red and rewrite it in your own words.
2. Watch the YouTube video <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hdreBPkIWSI>
  - Draw the picture whilst the video plays- then label the key features after the video stops. Then replay the video to add in anything you have forgotten in another colour- then you can see what you need to focus on learning.
  - Fast forward to the end of the video and hit pause on the final image. Can you explain what each picture represents? can you explain this to someone at home who has not learned this unit?
3. Make flash cards for different parts of the case study. Here are some instructions on how to make flash cards:
  - Phrase your flashcards as questions
  - Use the case study picture when writing out your flashcards
  - Don't put too much information on each flashcard
  - Make your flashcards as neat as possible
  - Don't be afraid to have drawings on your flashcards
  - Spread out large topics over many cards
4. Use the flash cards to test yourself (with someone from home or a friend or yourself) that you know the content.
5. Look up practice past papers and plan answers to some past exam questions at:  
<https://www.aqa.org.uk/subjects/geography/gcse/geography-8035/assessment-resources>  
(Rio is in paper 2, Section A)

Remember, your teacher is here to support you. To be successful in Geography you need to work hard in class and out of class; if you get stuck with your work at home, come and find your geography teacher and we can help work through your issue.

Mrs Sloggett, Curriculum Leader: Geography

### 5. Student Council

Student Council year group meetings will take place within registration on the dates below. Please can students go straight to their meeting, you will be registered there. The Agenda will be on Student Council Teams, please can Council Reps check, thank you.

#### Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> November

- Year 7: Library
- Year 10: Sixth Form supervised study room (near the library)
- Year 11: N1

#### Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> November

- Year 8: Library
- Year 9: Sixth Form supervised study
- Sixth Form: Sixth Form study room in the hub

We look forward to seeing all reps at the meeting.

Mr Summers, Assistant Headteacher

### 6. Fortnightly Family Maths Challenge

Every two weeks a maths challenge will appear in the Student and Parent bulletin. This is designed to get families chatting about maths at home and attempting the challenges together. Once you have an answer to a challenge please email your answer to me at [lpullen@felpham.org.uk](mailto:lpullen@felpham.org.uk) by the closing date.

#### This fortnight's challenge is:

*The kettle in Miss Arnold's kitchen is 80% full. After 20% of the water in it has been poured out, there are 1152ml of water left. What volume of water does Miss Arnold's kitchen kettle hold when it is full?*

Entries need to be in by 3.00pm Friday 4<sup>th</sup> November (you have an extra week for half term). The winning family will be awarded a prize, the following week. If more than 1 team has the correct answer, a winner will be drawn at random from those entries. Good Luck!

Mrs Pullen, Maths Department

## 7. Raising the roof in English

We have had an incredible first half term in English, with students working hard and engaging in all topics across the curriculum. We hope you all manage to enjoy your break and can bury your nose in a good book. If you are looking for any recommendations, check out the Goodreads website, link below.  
<https://www.goodreads.com/>

With the approach of the half term break and Halloween on the horizon, this week we have a poem from Jasmine 7C:

**Howling cats and a big black spider**  
**Flying bats, some donuts and cider**  
**Smiling pumpkins can be seen**  
**The time is here for Halloween**  
  
**What you wanna be for Halloween?**  
**A ghost or a goblin or a fairy queen?**  
**A superhero red and blue**  
**It's up to you**  
  
**Ding Dong! Trick or treat walking**  
**Up and down the street**  
**Halloween night is way too cool**  
**Ding Dong! Trick or treat, candy and make believe**  
  
**Here you dressed for the night**  
**Hoping to give out a little fright**  
**Instead I'm dressed up too**  
**I'll give you a fright when (yell) BOO!**

**English shout-outs this week go to the following students:**

<b>6<sup>th</sup> Form</b>	Katie J, Blake M and Reno D-P
<b>Year 11</b>	Sam A 11L: First time getting 10/10 in the quotations homework Zac 11L: Made a great start to Y11 Jasmine 11L: For consistent effort and hard work. Hannah T 11A and Chloe 11C Dylan 11H: Fantastic contribution to class discussion Stanley 11P: Always doing well learning the quotations Lily 11F: for her work in Wednesday tutoring
<b>Year 10</b>	Isabelle 10P, Alex 10F and Amelia 10P Isla 10G: Outstanding first assessment in KS4 Bella 10F and Lani 10P: Perceptive comments in class contributions Lou 10A: Beautifully detailed work in class Riley 10M: Fantastic effort and attitude to GCSE English
<b>Year 9</b>	Luke 9H: Brilliant assessment on Of Mice and Men Myles 9P: Great contributions Jennifer 9L: Original ideas and contributions to lessons Michael 9M: For his fantastic effort with his assessment and excellent contributions to class discussions.
<b>Year 8</b>	Alicia 8M and Poppy 8O: Fantastic effort in class Louie 8P and Peter 8F: Excellent effort in class Amelia 8G and Brooke 8O Joe 8A: A brilliant assessment on Stone Cold Evie 8E: Always contributes to class discussions Tilly, Faye and Joe 8G: For their constant hard work in learning their spellings
<b>Year 7</b>	James and Evie 7A Brooke 7M: Exemplary student Sonny, Michael and Isla 7L: For their presentation of their work and contributions in class Alfie 7E: Persistence with learning spellings each week Darcie 7C: Excellent focus in lessons

**8. Psychology - More thinking, More knowledge, More Learning**

If you have an interest in psychology, please [click here](#) to read this week's item.  
Miss Narburgh, Curriculum Leader: Social Sciences

**9. Black History Month**

Please [click here](#) for a link to this week's Black History Month information. This week we are focusing on the Windrush generation, the impact they had and the work of Benjamin Zephaniah.  
Ms McAuley, Curriculum Leader: History

**10. School Choir**

Please add these upcoming performances to your calendar/diary:

- Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> December: 4.00 - 5.30pm (Christmas Carol singing at the school Christmas Fayre)
- Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> December: 3.15 - 4.30pm (Felpham Village Christmas lights switch on)

More details will follow in a letter (email), but I know that December is often a busy time for families and I wanted to give choir members plenty of notice.

Mrs Deal, Curriculum Leader: Music

**11. Charity update**

**Sponsored dog walk**

Thank you to all the students who took part in this event; the deadline for sponsorship money is Friday 4<sup>th</sup> November.

**Non-school uniform day**

Thank you to everyone who contributed to the non-uniform day on 21<sup>st</sup> October, the money raised will be split between My Sister's House and improving outdoor facilities for students at FCC.

**Nominations for charities for the Spring and Summer Term 2023**

Please email any nominations to Ollie Denman [oliver.denman@felpham.org.uk](mailto:oliver.denman@felpham.org.uk) by Monday 31<sup>st</sup> October.

**The Royal British Legion annual poppy appeal**

Student Council Reps will be selling poppies around school from the 31<sup>st</sup> October to 4<sup>th</sup> November. Please can students bring in cash if they wish to support this, thank you. Please see below a message from the Poppy Appeal Organiser, Felpham:

*The work that the Appeal does every year in helping service people who are struggling with various problems is invaluable and is often unnoticed. The South East Area alone has a rolling 300 people it is always helping. Thank you if you are able to help support those who have served our country in the past and currently by contributing to the Appeal.*

**12. WSCC - Early Help**

Please [click here](#) to view a flyer regarding the Early Help service offered by WSCC.

**13. Young People's Shop - half-term activities**

Please find below links to flyers with details of some free craft and wellbeing activities running at the Young People's Shop next week. These activities are for young people aged between 11-25.

- Pumpkin decorating and pebble painting, [click here](#)
- Pumpkin Floral Display workshop, [click here](#)

Any young people interested in attending, please email to book: [aly.o@yps-south.org.uk](mailto:aly.o@yps-south.org.uk)

**14. Pre-loved uniform**

We would like to run another pre-loved uniform event after half term but, ideally, we need some more stock! If you have any good quality school uniform you would be happy to donate, including:

- PE kit, shoes / trainers / football boots or school coats, please bring to main reception in a tied bag

Thank you for your support,

Mrs Chester, Senior Admin Assistant

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## FCC Careers

Please [click here](#) to view all the latest careers opportunities for students and information for Parents and Carers.

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### **PE Fixture results - Year 7 Girls Football**

The Year 7 girls football team played their first match together in a county cup fixture against Uckfield College, unfortunately the team lost 3-0. However, they never gave up and showed lots of enthusiasm and sportsmanship throughout the match wearing the FCC badge with pride. Going into the second half the girls created lots more goal scoring opportunities and Lola had some really close chances, although these were kept out by the Uckfield goalkeeper. Defensively, we play a lot better in the second half; there were some strong defensive tackles holding Uckfield College off, right up to the last 4 minutes.

I would like to give a massive shout-out to Ruby, Sophia and Emmie for playing their first ever football match this week. Building on to the rest of the season, and the next 5 years at FCC, the future is looking promising. If anyone would like to join KS3 Girls Football Club, please come along afterschool every Thursday (on the field.)



Miss Shine, PE Teacher and Mr Whiffin, Deputy Headteacher

### **Under 12s (Year 7) Girls Football**

The U12s girls football team attended their first area tournament this week; all of the girls involved were amazing and showed great sportsmanship. They played 5 matches and were undefeated throughout the whole area tournament, putting Felpham on top of the map in the area. Well done to all the girls who played in the tournament - you are all true winners!



Miss Shine and Mr Ross, PE Department

### **Year 7 Boys Football County Cup - Round 1**

Well done to all the students who participated on Tuesday in the first round of the County Cup Football competition vs Blatchington Mill School. Unfortunately, the team started slowly after a long bus journey to Brighton, conceding 3 goals in the first 7 minutes. However, their heads didn't drop and they started to dominate the ball, even with a steep slope to contend with! Oliver T came on mid-way through the first half and injected some pace into the game. He played the ball first time to Chace on the edge of the area and he guided it beautifully into the top right-hand corner. Oliver T scored a minute later with a lovely strike that was out-of-reach of the opposition goalkeeper; 3-2 down at halftime.

The second half was a cagey affair with both teams having chances but not being able to capitalise by putting the ball in the net. The game finished 3-2. The students performed really well and represented the school exceptionally.



Mr Davies, PE Teacher

### U14 Girls march on into next round of the county cup

Another great performance from the U14 girls saw them sweep Littlehampton Academy (TLA) to the side and progress through to the next round of the county cup. It is nice to see the Year 9 girls being fantastic role models for the Year 8s when playing together, and it was this partnership at the back - led by Grace A - which kept TLA away from Paris in goal. Some great performances from Holli, Juliet, Hattie, Evie, Isabelle and Millie at the back - with Grace - helped to break down play and get the ball moving into midfield. This quick breakdown enabled Poppy, Willow, Izzy, Sophia and Emily to have time to pass the ball creatively between them and put through balls into Grace, India and Neve. It was from one of these breaks that Grace picked up the ball outside the area and struck it nicely into the top of the net to make it 1-0 to FCC.

This was the score at half time before Izzy picked up the ball from outside the box twice and dribbled through to score two fantastic goals to make it 3-0. TLA did manage to work one back but there were some outstanding performances from all the defenders and Paris was commanding in goal. The final goal came from some good work down the wing by Izzy who then passed the ball across the box for India to pass into an empty net. Overall, a great performance girls - well done. Oriel High, from Crawley, are next up after half term.



**Team:** Grace A, Emily A, Sophia C, Juliet D, Poppy E, Neve E, Willow H, Paris N, Evie P, Harriet R, Millie S, Isabelle W, Holli B, India M, Grace K and Izzy E

Mr Whiffin, Deputy Headteacher

### U14's County Cup football victory

The Year 9 boys football team strolled into the next round (2) of the Sussex schools county cup with a 6-1 victory over Uckfield school on Monday 17<sup>th</sup> October. With a strong 16 squad, the boys had a slow start to the game playing some nice football but with no end product of a shot on target. Ethan then gave us an early lead with some powerful runs through the middle, and a great strike to finish off a solo effort. However, the team were put under pressure from a pacey winger who manage to create 2 good goal scoring chances for the opposition, but goalkeeper Hayden came to the rescue.

We went in to the half time break with a slender lead and faced a strong wind in the second half. However, the team listened again to the half time feedback and put 5 good goals into the back of the oppositions net with the pick of the bunch coming from Rylee who struck a 25-yard thunderbolt into the top corner. Our next opposition are Hove park at home to be played before the 25<sup>th</sup> November.

**Team:** Hayden T, Blake G, Rylee N, Leighton B, Mason S, Lennon P (Captain), Max C, Teddie S, Jude D, Leo G, Issac D, Oli O, Archie S, Myles S, Ethan D, Jamie M and Santi D.

Mr Hauxwell, Curriculum Leader: PE

### Year 10 Football League Game

Well done to all the students that participated on Wednesday in the first league game of the season vs Chichester High School (CHS). After training hard at Football Club run by Mr James in the weeks leading up to this game, the students were itching to get their league campaign off to a successful start. However, in a running theme of the week the students started slowly and it looked like it was going to be a scrappy, goalless first half. Then, after great work rate from Stanley to win the ball high up the pitch, he whipped in a delivery and Bailey was able to tap in at the back post; 1-0 at halftime.

With a slight tweak to formation, the students started the second half strongly causing CHS problems at the back. Bailey scored 3 well-taken goals within quick succession to put the team in a commanding position. After the goalkeeper spilled the ball, Cassian was on hand to tap in a fifth goal and Taylor scored a free-kick to top off a great second half performance from the Year 10s. Final score 6-1 winners. All students were fantastic and a credit to the school.



**Team:** Fin B, Bailey D, Alfie B, Hayden P, Neo D, Toure D, Louis A, Camball M, Toby A, Fin P, Stanley N, Taylor C, Harvey G, Cassian C, Fin J and Isaac L

**Goals:** Bailey (4), Cassian (1) and Taylor (1)

Mr Davies, PE Department

### **Under 16s Football County Cup - Round 1**

Well done to all the students who participated on Monday in the first round of the County Cup Football competition vs Downlands Community School. After conceding an early goal from a set piece, the Under 16s started to pass the ball around nicely and dominated possession; this led to numerous crossing opportunities which were delivered with great quality by Stanley and Bailey and Oscar duly obliged by tucking in a first-half hat-trick. FCC led 5-1 at half-time.

After a slow start, and potentially thinking the game was already won, Downlands scored 3 quick goals after half-time to make it a nervy second-half. However, the team rallied with great composure and excellent finishing to win the game 8-6. A great game for the neutral!



**Team:** Ethan D, James H, Alfie Br, Alfie Bu, Harvey R, Brandon G, Toby A, Lucas B, Bailey D, Oscar W, Stanley N, Louis A, Fin P and Josh Le L-B

**Goals:** Oscar (5), Stanley (1), Bailey (1) and Brandon (1)

Special mentions to Ethan for making a triple save with the scores level, the Year 10s for stepping up to this level and Oscar for his deadly finishing.

Next up Hazelwood School in Round 2.

Mr Davies, PE Teacher