

London Enterprise Academy "Learning for life"



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Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope you are all safe and well.

I am writing to you to share the latest Newsletter – LEA Life which is enclosed with this letter. There is a tremendous amount to celebrate and be proud of here at London Enterprise Academy

Ofsted – I am pleased to inform parents that we had another positive Ofsted Inspection on the 1^{st} and 2^{nd} of October and I am looking forward to sharing the report when it is published in the near future.

10th Anniversary Celebrations – Thank you to all the parents and pupils who joined our 10th Anniversary Celebration – I am sorry that we couldn't invite you all due to the health and safety capacity of our school venue. Please read about this in our newsletter enclosed.

Staying safe online - We would like parents to check what your child is doing online at home. The school has a strict filtering system to ensure pupils access safe content online. We will offer workshops for parents on how to check what your child is doing online.

Start times - All pupils start school at **8:40am** every day. We will continue to provide FREE Breakfast for pupils coming before 8.30am.

Good Attendance & Punctuality – Please ensure that your child attends school every day and on time. If they have medical appointments they need to come to school first and then we will allow them to sign out. They must return back to school after the appointment even if they can make it for one lesson. If your child is feeling slightly ill, you should send them to school as we do have qualified first aiders who can look after them and decide if they need to go home for medical attention.

As a school we reward good attendance and punctuality.

Pupils who are late will get detention at break.

Late twice will result in break and lunch detention.

For every third late, pupils will get one hour after school as well as break and lunchtime.

Holiday during term time are not allowed. Please ensure you book holidays during school closures times. Parents taking unauthorised holidays will received a fixed penalty from the local authority

Secondary School Places - If you know any parents who have not secured a Year 7 place, please direct them to visit us as this will enable them to make an informed choice. There are also few places available currently in Year 8 and Year 9. Please note that all available places will be allocated on a first come, first served basis.



Aneurin Bevan House, 81-91 Commercial Road, London, E1 1RD Tel: 020 7426 0746 www.londonenterpriseacademy.org E: Info@londonenterpriseacademy.org London Enterprise Academy is the trading name of Tower Hamlets Enterprise Academy Ltd (Company Number 08632527) Year 11 interventions - We will continue to provide daily after school interventions for Year 11s one hour after school every day.

Saturday school - Our Year 11 Saturday school has started. The classes are from 10am to 1.00pm and we are delivering English, Maths and Science.

Afterschool Clubs - We run a range of clubs throughout the week which include: Football, Badminton, table tennis, Homework, Fitness gym and intervention classes. Please check with your child for days and times. The school library is open every day before school, break, and lunch and after school until 4.30pm for pupils to use.

Trips and visits – we have a number of trips and visits planned including Residential weekends for Year 7s, 8s and 9s and details will be provided to those year groups. We are at an advance planning stage for residentials to Spain and Bangladesh.

Chewing gum/sweets/fizzy & energy drinks - Please can I remind parents and students that the above listed items are not allowed in school. We will conduct bag searches and any of the above found will be confiscated. These are not good for children's health or concentration in lessons and also we often find them stuck on our carpets and under our desks.

Mobile phones are not allowed in school. We do not want to see the phones. If we see mobile phones they will be confiscated and given back to parents on Friday after school between 3.15 and 4.30pm. The school will take no responsibility for any phones that are lost or damaged.

Detentions - We want excellent behaviour in school and around school at all time. Ofsted stated *"Pupils have positive attitudes towards their lessons. Their behaviour nearly always ensures that teachers can teach what they have planned"* - Ofsted, July 2022

The school runs detentions at break and lunch for minor infringements, lates and corridor slips. We also run after school detentions daily. **Parents will be notified for any detentions that are more than 30 minutes.** Students who fail to attend detentions, they will be escalated with longer detentions after school the following school day and parents will be notified.

Woman's gym class is open from the Thursday 7th November 2024 from 10am – 11am, every Thursday. IT classes will be confirmed in due time.

Dates for your Diary

28th October 2024 – 1st November 2024 – October Half Term 18th December 2024 - Year 11 Parents Evening 1 23rd December 2024 – 3rd January 2025 – Christmas Holiday 2nd April 2025 - Year 11 Parents Evening 2 30th April 2025 - Year 9 Options Evening 7th May 2025 - Year 9 Parents Evening 21st May 2025 - Year 10 Parents Evening 6th June 2025 - Year 8 Parents Evening 18th June 2025 - Year 7 Parents Evening

Should you require further information on any of the above matters, please contact the school on 0207 426 0746 or email info@londonenterpriseacademy.org.

Yours sincerely

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