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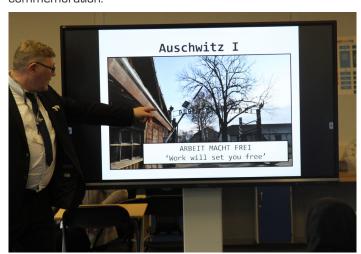
Holocaust Memorial Day

Parkside recognised Holocaust Memorial Day with a moving and very sombre assembly respectfully delivered by one of the English teachers from De Salis Studio College.

Holocaust Memorial Day is a day each year when we remember the six million Jewish people who were systematically persecuted and murdered by the Nazis and their collaborators during the Holocaust. It is also a time to remember the other groups of people who were persecuted and murdered by the Nazis: Roma and Sinti people, disabled people, gay people, political opponents, trade unionists and many others.

He explained that genocide does not happen out of the blue; it is the result of prejudice and persecution which sees a group treated differently from the rest of society. We were reminded of what can happen when prejudice and persecution are left unchallenged, and of our responsibilities to stand against these processes when we see them in our own communities.

Thank you Sir, for delivering an insightful yet poignant assembly, capturing the true essence of this national day of commemoration.







Upcoming Enrichment Week

Please note that the next Enrichment week for Parkside will take place from Monday 7th to Friday 11th February. Those students who are required to attend will receive their timetable for the week through the post. If you have any questions or require any further information, please contact your child's form tutor or call the College reception.

Enrichment Week Timetable

Monday 7th	Tuesday 8th	Wednesday 9th	Thursday 10th
9:00am to 4:00pm Year 9 Centre of the Cell Trip	9:00am to 4:00pm Year 10 Centre of the Cell Trip	9:00am to 4:00pm Year 11 Centre of the Cell Trip	9:00am to 12:00pm Business Studies Booster
9:00am to 12:00pm Media Coursework	9:00am to 12:00pm Mathematics Booster	1:00pm to 3:00pm Literacy Booster	9:00am to 12:00pm Year 11 ICT Examination
9:00am to 12:00pm Science Higher Tier Booster	9:00am to 12:00pm Mathematics Booster		12:00pm to 1:30pm English Stretch and Challenge Session
10:00am to 12:00pm Hospitality Coursework	1:00pm to 4:00pm Numeracy Skills		12:00pm to 2:00pm Reviewing Learning so far
12:15pm to 1:15pm English Closing the Gaps	1:00pm to 4:00pm Business Studies Booster		1:00pm to 4:00pm Numeracy Skills
1:00pm to 3:00pm Mathematics Booster			
1:00pm to 4:00pm Media Coursework			
1:00pm to 4:00pm Science Booster			

Safer Internet Day

Safer Internet Day will be celebrated globally on Tuesday 8th February, promoting a safer and a more responsible use of digital technology for young people across the world.

The internet is a powerful tool with enormous opportunities for learning, enhancing skills and acquiring new abilities and knowledge. The goal of Safer Internet Day is to raise awareness on online dangers but also to provide protection and empowerment to young people online, and to inspire a national conversation about using technology responsibly, respectfully, critically and creatively.

From gaming and chat, to streaming and video, young people are shaping the interactive entrainment spaces available to them. This year's theme 'All Fun and Games?' will explore respect and relationships online, celebrating the crucial role of young people in creating a safer internet, whether that is whilst gaming and creating content, or interacting with their friends and peers. For more information, please visit [https://saferinternet.org.uk/safer-internet-day/safer-internet-day-2022].



Year 8 Options Day and Evening

The Rosedale Hewens Academy Trust is excited to announce its Year 8 Options Day and Evening, held to support students in choosing their Key Stage 4 options. The event will take place on Tuesday 22nd February at 5:30pm and there will be a dedicated Year 8 Options page on the Hewens and Rosedale College websites following the event.

Parkside Studio College looks forward to welcoming all students to showcase its amazing facilities, unique way of learning and continued commitment in creating a learning environment where every student can make good progress and achieve their full potential.

Quote of the Week

'The expert in anything was once a beginner.'

Children's Mental Health Week

The week commencing Monday 7th February will be observed as Children's Mental Health Week under the theme 'Growing Together'. This is a national event to shine a spotlight on the importance of children and young people's mental health. The week-long event will encourage children and young people to consider how they have grown and how they can help others grow. Challenges and setbacks help us adapt and trying new things can also take us beyond our comfort zone into a new realm of possibility and potential. However, this is often a gradual process that happens over time and sometimes we might feel 'stuck'. Please take a look at the useful information and support links provided on the College's Mental Health and Well-Being page to support you or someone you care about via [https://www.parksidestudiocollege.co.uk/page/?title=Mental+Health+and+Wellbeing&pid=45].

National Apprenticeship Week

This year, National Apprenticeship Week will be the 15th annual week-long celebration of apprenticeships, and will take place between Monday 7th and Sunday 13th February. The week brings together businesses and apprentices across the country to shine a light on the positive impact that apprenticeships have on individuals, businesses and the wider economy. The theme of 'Build the Future' continues for its second year, reflecting on how apprenticeships can help individuals to develop the skills and knowledge required for a rewarding career, and businesses to develop a talented workforce that is equipped with future-ready skills.

The National Apprenticeship Show highlights apprenticeship opportunities and offers information from the UK's top employers and training providers. Please visit [https://bit.ly/3Aus1Xn] to register for the event which will go live on Wednesday 9th February between 11:00am and 6:00pm, enabling you to chat with exhibitors, watch online video content and download useful online resources. Alternatively, transform your world and seize the opportunity to take part in various events via [https://www.nationalapprenticeshipweek.co.uk/events/].



LAUNCH OF NEW WEBSITE



Please note, we have launched a new website and restructured the site to improve accessibility to our content. Although it may look slightly different, you will still be able to navigate the pages and find all the relevant information found on our previous website, and more. In the meantime, please feel free to browse through our social media channels that can be accessed directly at the top of the page. There will be more information to follow in the forthcoming weeks.

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International Day of Women and Girls in Science

Friday 11th February marks the International Day of Women and Girls in Science. The day recognises the critical role women and girls play in Science and Technology and focuses on the reality that Science and gender equality are both vital for the development and achievement of ground-breaking research.

This day is an opportunity to demolish stereotypes, defy gender biases and defeat discrimination that hold women and girls back in Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) fields.

It is a day to promote full and equal access to and participation in Science for women and girls, and further achieve gender equality and the empowerment of women.



Year 7 Health Questionnaire

The Hillingdon School Nursing Team aims to support the health and well-being of children in Hillingdon, and to ensure that the College community remains healthy, receiving the right support when needed.

Parents, guardians and carers of children in Year 7 are asked to complete a brief questionnaire to review their child's health. The questionnaire provides an opportunity to identify any new or on-going health needs your child may have and require additional support with, and enable individual follow-up actions which may be required to support you in ensuring your child remains as healthy as possible. Please complete the questionnaire by Friday 11th February via [https://bit.ly/3ATxuav]. For more information, please read the letter from The Hillingdon School Nursing Team at [https://bit.ly/3HoRuEc].

Apprenticeship Opportunities

There are several opportunities that are now available to our students in terms of apprenticeships. Please visit https://www.parksidestudiocollege.co.uk/attachments/download.asp?file=129&type=pdf) to read a letter from Alex Burghart, Minister for Skills, for more information.



Week Commencing: Monday 7th February

MENU 1

Meal Choice 1	Lamb Curry with Rice	Halal	
Meal Choice 2	Teriyaki Chicken with Rice		Halal
Meal Choice 3	Teriyaki Chicken with Rice	Non Halal	
Meal Choice 4	Baked Jacket Potato with Various Fillings	Vegetarian	
Meal Choice 5	Gluten free Chicken Goujons with Potatoes and Beans	Gluten/Dairy Free	
Vegetables	Sweetcorn and Green Beans		
Dessert Choice	Strawberry Ice Cream and Fresh Strawberries	Fruit and Yoghurts	
TUESDAY			
Meal Choice 1	Spaghetti Bolognese		Halal
Meal Choice 2	Tandoori Chicken Breast with White Rice		Halal
Meal Choice 3	Tandoori Chicken Breast with White Rice		Non Halal
Meal Choice 4	Ratatouille Spaghetti		Vegetarian
Meal Choice 5	Bolognese with Gluten free Pasta		Gluten/Dairy Free
Vegetables	Carrots, Peas and White Cabbage		
Dessert Choice			Fruit and Yoghurts
WEDNESDA	Y		
Meal Choice 1	Tuna Pasta Bake		
Meal Choice 2	Chicken Tikka Masala with Rice		Halal
Meal Choice 3	Chicken Tikka Masala with Rice		Non Halal
Meal Choice 4	Macaroni Cheese		Vegetarian
Meal Choice 5	Lightly Spiced Chicken Breast with Rice		Gluten/Dairy Free
Vegetables	Broccoli and Cauliflower Florets		
Dessert Choice	Lemon Tart Fresh		Fruit and Yoghurts
THURSDAY			
Meal Choice 1	Mexican Chilli Mince Wraps		Halal
Meal Choice 2	Roast Turkey with Onion Gravy, Roast Potatoes and Stuffing		Halal
Meal Choice 3	Roast Turkey with Onion Gravy, Roast Potatoes and Stuffing		Non Halal
Meal Choice 4	Cauliflower and Broccoli Cheese Bake		Vegetarian
Meal Choice 5	Turkey Escalope with Potatoes and Gluten free Gravy		Gluten/Dairy Free
Vegetables	Mushy Peas and Sweetcorn		
Dessert Choice	Strawberry Jelly Fresh		Fruit and Yoghurts
FRIDAY			
Meal Choice 1	Fish Fingers with Oven Baked Potato Wedges		
Meal Choice 2	Tomato Pasta Bake		Vegetarian
Meal Choice 3	Gluten free Fish Fingers with Gluten free Potato Wedges and Beans		Gluten/Dairy Free
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Vegetables	Baby Carrots and Peas		



February to March 2022

FEBRUARY				
Monday 7th to Friday 11th	Enrichment Week			
Monday 7th to Sunday	Children's Mental Health Week			
13th	National Apprenticeship Week			
Tuesday 8th	Safer Internet Day			
Friday 11th	International Day of Women and Girls in Science			
Tuesday 22nd	Year 8 Options Day and Evening			
MARCH				
Thursday 3rd	Second Covid Vaccination			