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FERRYHILL SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

INTEGRITY | CREATIVITY | EXCELLENCE



14 pupils from Y10 went to Life Centre in Newcastle for a MAT trip organised by the Further Maths Support Programme. Students took part in 4 activities of:

card tricks, combinatorics, climate change and complex numbers. Pupils learnt about how some magic tricks are devised, how to create different/similar pieces for board games design, do experiments to create carbon and how the carbon cycle works and some degree level maths involving imaginary numbers and modulus and how it links into real life jobs such as air traffic control etc. They also were able have a look round some of the Life Centre. Students enjoyed their day and were amazed with some of the work that they had accomplished

YEAR 8 HPV VACCINATIONS



All secondary school children in year 8 will be eligible for a Human Papilloma Virus vaccine (HPV).

The School Age Immunisation Service will be visiting your child's school on 19/07/2023 to deliver the vaccine.

Your child will not receive this vaccine without a valid consent form.

Access the consent link here: https://www.hdftsais.co.uk/
School code: HD145253

If you have any problems with completing the online consent, please contact the Immunisations Consent Team on 0300 0032554

Find out more: https://www.nhs.uk

#GetVaccinatedGetProtected



FREE SUMMER SCHOOL!!



We are excited to announce that we will be running a Summer Programme this year for students in Years 7,8 and 9. This will be 3 days a week for the first 3 weeks of the summer holidays and will consist of a range of fun activities and 2 meals a day.

This will all be FREE!!

Please keep an eye on our 'FERRYHILL ADVENTURES' Facebook page for more information.

If you are interested in your child attending – please ask them to speak to Mrs Langdale or email lla@ferryhill.school for further information

CLASSCHARTS/REWARDS POINTS

At the end of the summer term, students' ClassCharts rewards points will be reset in readiness for term starting new september. Please advise your child that if they do not spend their points, these will be lost. There are still a small selection of items available to purchase on the store including tickets for our Summer raffle which will be drawn Wednesday 19 July 2023. Some amazing prizes up for grabs include Xbox/PlayStation/shopping vouchers, wireless earphones and a stationary hamper. You have to be in it to win it!!

LUNCHTIME EXPECTATIONS

During lunchtime, students are only allowed to play football on the grassed area directly behind the tennis court fence. If students do not follow this instruction, they will not be allowed to play football outside. As soon as the whistle blows indicating the end of lunch, students are to return into the building. Any student who does not follow instructions, will be issued with an L2.

Bus Pass Applications 2023/24

Bus applications for 23/24 are now live on DCC's website. Please note that all existing students who are entitled to either free or concessionary (pay for their bus pass) travel will have their place rolled over again for next year so you don't need to apply. However, the charges for concessionary bus passes will increase for 23/24 and these costs will not be known until nearer the end of term.

Only new applications from the 23/24 Y7 September intake need to apply for either entitled (free) or concessionary bus passes. The concessionary bus passes apply to the areas of Ferryhill Station, Chilton and all of Spennymoor (from Croxdale up to Middlestone Moor). In order to guarantee a place on these buses please apply asap even though the costs are still unknown at this stage for concessionary travel as you can always reject your place once it has been allocated to you if you change your mind in the future.

Applications and information about the bus schemes are now live at https://www.durham.gov.uk/concessionaryseats

IMPORTANT NOTICES

AEROSOLS

Aerosols are NOT allowed in school in any form i.e. deodorant, hairspray, dry shampoo etc. Please ensure that your child does not bring aerosols in to school. They can however bring an alternative to deodorant such as a roll on. These items will also no longer be available to purchase on ClassCharts rewards store.

NUT ALLERGY/PACKED LUNCHES

Due to having some students in school with nut allergies, can we please ask that parents/carers are mindful of items that are placed in their child's lunch box.

CHEWING GUM

Chewing gum is NOT allowed in school. Any student found to be chewing gum will be asked to dispose of this.

Request for old/outgrown uniform

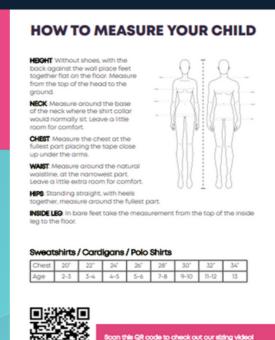
Can we kindly request that any old or outgrown school uniform you may have, in particular blazers and ties, are donated back to school please. This can be both the FBEC and Ferryhill school style which can be brought in by students or dropped at our main reception.

New School Uniform Orders - Price & Buckland

Please note that the final order date for new school uniform is Tuesday 1 August 2023 to guarantee delivery before the start of the new school year. Please see below details on how to order and sizing information.

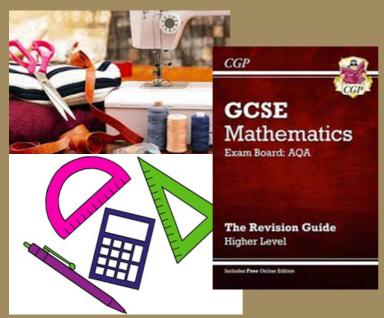






School equipment now available to buy on ParentPay

In Technology and Creativity, we already provide general materials and basic equipment free of charge for students to complete their work within areas of the department. Unfortunately, prices have increased and we will now need to charge students £4.00 a term. This will include all products within Resistant Materials, Textiles, Graphics and CAD/CAM and students will be able to take their products home.



Casio scientific calculator and pencil case (pencil case, 3 black pens, 2 green pens, 2 pencils, 2 small & 1 large ruler, rubber, pencil sharpener, compass, protractor, glue stick & 2 highlighters - £10.00.

FINAL STOCK Casio scientific calculator - £8.55.

Pink Casio scientific calculator £9.10.

Pencil case (pencil case, 3 black pens, 2 green pens, 2 pencils, 2 small & 1 large ruler, rubber, pencil sharpener, compass, protractor, glue stick & 2 highlighters - £2.50.

FREE Student Breakfast Service

Students are able to grab a free slice of toast between 8:00 - 8:30am every morning before the school day starts.



ASSEMBLIES

Next week's
'End of Summer'
assemblies will be
delivered by Head
of School Mrs
Picard.



Always remember its great to ride the wave of the internet - just use your head while surfing!



INTEGRITY CREATIVITY EXCELLENCE EXTRACURRICULAR TIMETABLE



MONDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY
READING CLUB ALL YEAR GROUPS ROOM 14 MISS GIBBS IGI@FERRYHILL.SCHOOL	NETBALL ALL YEAR GROUPS SPORTS HALL MISS STOREY IST@FERRYHILL.SCHOOL	FOOTBALL ALL YEAR GROUPS SPORTS HALL MR ELLIOTT CEL@FERRYHILL.SCHOOL
SMARTIES CLUB ALL YEAR GROUPS ROOM 22 MS LEA/MRS SHERWOOD DLE@FERRYHILL.SCHOOL OR SSH@FERRYHILL.SCHOOL	DRAMA CLUB ALL YEAR GROUPS MAIN SCHOOL HALL MRS SOWERBY BSO@FERRYHILL.SCHOOL	SEWING CLUB ALL YEAR GROUPS ROOM 20 MRS CASEMORE BCA@FERRYHILL.SCHOOL
HOMEWORK CLUB ALL YEARS ROOM 36 MRS MULLEN (RUNS MON AND WED) CMU@FERRYHILL.SCHOOL	HOMEWORK CLUB ALL YEARS ROOM 36 MISS GIBBS/MRS GREEN (RUNS MON AND WED) LGI@FERRYHILL.SCHOOL EAG@FERRYHILL.SCHOOL	CHOIR ROOM 55 MR POULSTON JPO@FERRYHILL.SCHOOL
ATHLETICS ALL YEARS MISS STOREY/MR SIMPSON IST@FERRYHILL.SCHOOL/PSN@FE RRYHILL.SCHOOL	HISTORY CLUB (WEEK A ONLY) ALL YEAR GROUPS ROOM 21 MR HANDLEY SHA@FERRYHILL.SCHOOL	STRIKING AND FIELDING ALL YEAR GROUPS PE/OUTDOORS MRS WILSON VWI@FERRYHILL.SCHOOL
DODGEBALL ALL YEAR GROUPS SPORTS HALL MR HEPPELL IHE@FERRYHILL.SCHOOL	FILM CLUB YEARS 7 – 10 ONLY ROOM 19 MR DEVON TDE@FERRYHILL.SCHOOL	
BOARD GAME CLUB ALL YEARS ROOM 12 MISS CORNER CCO@FERRYHILL.SCHOOL	GYM/FITNESS ALL YEAR GROUPS PE/GYM MRS SCOTT ISC@FERRYHILL.SCHOOL	
SPORTS LEADERS QUALIFICATION (SPORTS LEADERS ONLY) MISS STOREY IST@FERRYHILL.SCHOOL	FOOTBALL ALL YEAR GROUPS MR HEPPELL JHE@FERRYHILL.SCHOOL	











Chance Drama

Production Of



Natida In the Musical JR.

Book By Dennis Kelly Directed By Robyn Collins Music & Lyrics By Tim Minchin

Thursday 20 July - 7PM Friday 21 July - 7PM Saturday 22 July - 2PM Saturday 22 July - 7PM

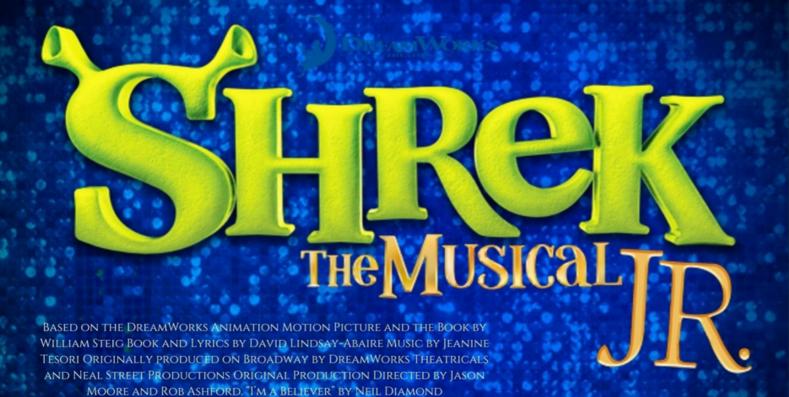
Ferryhill Sport & Education Centre, Ferryhill, DL17 8TB

Tickets: www.ticketsource.co.uk/chance-drama Adult: £10 | Child: £6

This amateur production is presented by arrangement with Music Theatre International.

All authorised performance materials are also supplied by MTI www.mtishows.co.uk

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21 - 23 NOVEMBER 2023 7.00PM

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TICKETS £7.50

Online Ticket Booking At

WWW.FERRYHILLMUSIC.COM

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