



# GREENSHEET



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20 November 2020  
Week 'B'

## SCHOOL CALENDAR 2020-2021

**Autumn Term**  
Ends Friday  
18 December

**Christmas  
Holiday:**  
Monday  
21 December  
to Friday  
1 January  
2021

**Spring Term  
2021**  
Monday  
4 January  
to Thursday  
1 April

**Half Term:**  
Monday  
15 February  
to Friday  
19 February

**Easter  
Holiday**  
Friday 2 April  
to Friday  
16 April

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## Headteacher's Message

Dear Parents Carers and Students,

You will all be aware, having received my letter on Thursday, that we have revised the school day times for all year groups, which will come into effect from Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> November. See page 3. This has been done for a number of reasons, but our main motivation for this change is to ensure that each year group has some allocated pastoral time in their tutor groups and to prevent students getting too cold during their lunchtimes outside over the winter months. Please note that this does not reduce the time your child has to eat their lunch. Also, with the temperature dropping considerably this week, please ensure that your child has a warm and waterproof coat that they can wear during the season.

In this week's Greensheet, amongst other articles, you can read some wonderful poems our Year 8 students have written in their English classes, as well as seeing the fantastic piece of art Ms Hepworth has created for a project celebrating our NHS heroes.

I would also like to thank you for your generosity last Friday on our non-uniform day – we raised over £800 for Children in Need, which is a great achievement, but particularly so in our current times. Our next fundraising event will be in December for Seasonal Jumper Day, which I am sure our students will be looking forward to as some much needed festive fun.

Wishing all a pleasant and safe weekend,



Ms M Davies  
Headteacher



## Revised School Day from 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2020 (for your information)

### Entry times

Time	Year Group	Notes
8:20 (8:30 line up)	Year 7	HoF to supervise/ escort to tutor rooms
8:30 (8:40 line up)	Year 8	Year 10 Tutors to collect and escort to tutor room and settle class/ tutor to be at tutor room 8:45am (seating plans to be shared through staff teams by tutor on Friday to allow Y10 tutor to allocate seats)
8:45 (8:50 line up)	Year 9	Year 11 Tutor to collect and escort to tutor room/ tutor to be at tutor room at 8:45am
9:20 (9:30 line up)	Year 11	Period 1 teacher to collect and escort to teaching room
9:35 (9:40 line up)	Year 10	Year 10 teacher to welcome students on Muga at 9:30am

### Breaktimes

Time	Year group	Notes
10:10-10:25am	7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Period 1 teacher escorts to Muga</li> <li>Break duty on timetable for relevant staff -3 positions and LT member to check building</li> <li>Period 2 teacher collects from Muga</li> <li>Period 2 teacher collects from Muga/ escorts to tutor room/ sanitise on entry</li> </ul>
10:10am-10:25am	8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Period 1 teacher to escort class to Greek Theatre Area</li> <li>Break duty on timetable for relevant staff -3 positions and LT member to check building</li> <li>Students to return to line up on paths -period 2 teacher to escort back to classroom</li> </ul>
11:10am-11:25am	9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Period 2 teacher escorts to Upper Terrace / period 3 teacher collects from Upper Terrace</li> <li>Break duty on timetable for relevant staff -3 positions and LT member to check building</li> </ul>
	10/11	No break as late start

### Lunchtimes

Time	Year group	Notes
11:30-12:15 (11:30 lunch)	7	Period 2 teacher escorts to Muga / hand washing/ and into lunch hall at 11:30am; period 3 teacher collects from Muga at 12:10pm and escorts to classroom
11:50am-12:35pm (11:50 lunch)	11	Teacher escorts to Upper Terrace lined up—escorted to hand wash and lunch—leave lunch hall to outside, walk around allotments and lunchtime at back area; line up at end of lunch on upper terrace; collected upper terrace by P3 teacher
12:10-12:55pm (12:10 lunch)	8	Escorted by period 3 teacher to line up on Upper Terrace at 12:10 handwashing/ lunch queue, outside to Gk Theatre after lunch; P3 Teachers to assist with line up on pathways and escort back to lesson-20 minutes remaining of period 3.
12:30-1:15 (12:30 lunch)	9	Period 3 teacher escorts to Muga/ Line up on Muga / hand washing/ lunch queue. Period 4 teacher collect from Muga at 1:10pm
12:50 -1:35 (12:50 lunch)	10	Escorted to Upper Terrace via ADT/ Food—hand wash/ lunch queue/ leave lunch hall to outside, walk around allotments and lunchtime at back area; line up at end of lunch on Upper Terrace -period 4 teacher to collect at 1:35pm

### Dismissal times

Time	Year Group	Notes
3:05 pm	7	Escorted by P5 teacher and dismissed from Muga
3:15 pm	8	Escorted by P5 teacher and dismissed from Student Gate
3:15pm	9	Escorted by P5 teacher and dismissed from Muga
3:20pm/ 3:40pm (T)	10	Escorted by P5 teacher and dismissed from Muga/ Tuesday -escort to Upper Terrace -tutor to collect at 3:15 for tutor group until 3:40pm
3:20pm/ 3:40pm (W)	11	Escorted by P5 teacher and dismissed from Student Gate/ Wednesday- escort to Upper Terrace -tutor to collect at 3:15 for tutor group until 3:40pm

## Year 11 College and Sixth Form Application Process

Dear Year 11 Students, Parents and Carers,

Due to the COVID safety protocols we currently have in place, we have to organise the college and sixth form application process slightly differently this year.

### Online Applications

Most applications are now online and ask for a school email address that the college or sixth form can use to request a reference. Please use the school email address for this - [info@wsfg.waltham.sch.uk](mailto:info@wsfg.waltham.sch.uk). The reference request will be forwarded onto Ms Jolliffe in Student Services and she will send the official school reference back to the college or sixth form.

### 1. Paper Applications

If your application is completed on paper and requires a school stamp and reference to be attached, we will be using the following system:

#### ***2. Dropping off applications - on entry to school in the morning***

The member of staff in charge of Year 11 entry in the morning will have a college application tray on the MUGA gate. Please drop your application into the tray, ensuring it is fully completed with all sections filled out. Your application will be left untouched for 48 hours to ensure that there is no risk of COVID transmission.

#### ***Collecting applications - at lunchtime 4 days later***

Ms Jolliffe will attach your school reference and stamp the application if required. Any sections requesting information from a member of staff will be completed. You can collect your application during lunchtime from the member of staff in charge of Year 11 lunch at the student gate.

Please note it will take **4 school days** for applications to be completed so make sure you are organised and hand in your application well before the deadline. Unfortunately we will not be able to process your application any quicker than this.

If you have any questions, please do get in touch.

The Year 11 Team

## Speakers for Schools

We are pleased to announce an exciting **live broadcast** from Peers for the Planet. Peers for the Planet is a House of Lords climate and biodiversity action group.



Peers for the Planet have kindly brought together a info PDF for students on the of the House of Lords in Climate Action:

<https://www.peersfortheplanet.org/post/the-role-of-the-house-of-lords-in-climate-action>

**Date: Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> November**

**Time: 17.00 – 18.00**

**Age group: KS4 & 5/ S4-6**

**Host:** Baroness Helene Hayman.

**Panel:** Baroness Floella Benjamin, Baroness Rosie Boycott & Lord Richard Chartres

**Join Link:** <https://bit.ly/38V6xXR>

*Join Speakers for Schools and Peers for the Planet for an exciting panel discussion. We are delighted to have this broadcast hosted by Baroness Hayman with members of Peers for the Planet on the panel. The Peers will discuss topics including what sparked their interest in climate change and the environment and legislating for change.*

The talk will be webinar style and so attendees will not have their cameras or microphones on. There will be a Q+A chat function where students can ask their questions, which will be moderated by SFS staff.

## Children in Need

Following our non-uniform day last Friday I am delighted to tell you that as a school we raised **£831.33** for Children in Need.



This is an incredible amount of money and the students had a brilliant day showing off their own personal sense of style!

Thank you to everyone for supporting the event. An extra special thank you has to go to Ms Barbier and Mrs Gilkes for counting the monies and not giving up when the coin counter stopped working!

Ms Warren

Associate Assistant Headteacher, SPL Year 10



## Faculty News

### Portraits for NHS Heroes

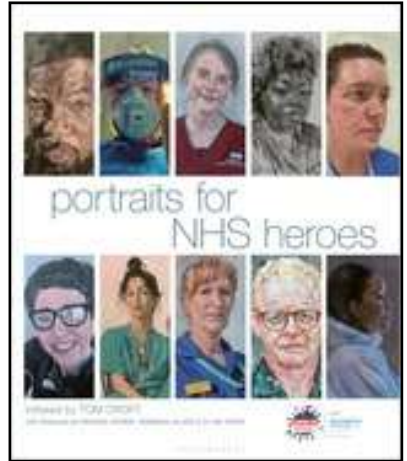
A painting by resident artist, Ms Hepworth has been included in a new publication called *Portraits for NHS Heroes*.

It is a book of paintings of NHS workers and was made during the pandemic.

Artist, Tom Croft has collated and organised 300 of the portraits into a Bloomsbury book which is out now.

Here is the link:

<https://www.bloomsbury.com/uk/portraits-for-nhs-heroes-9781448218004/>



This is my painting of a Doctor called Dr Emma Young who works at Newham Hospital.

Ms Hepworth  
Art Faculty



## English News

Year 8 students in English, are currently working on the topic of WW1. The focus at the present time is the poet Wilfred Owen, who is thought to be one of the greatest poets of that time. At the start of the war, Wilfred was extremely enthusiastic to fight for one's own country believing all the propaganda as many did. However, when he went to fight, the reality of the conditions and suffering soon became obvious and his views of this dreadful war changed dramatically.

8H have been writing haiku from the perspective of Wilfred Owen, summarising his life and views in a short, but very clever way. Haiku poems follow the rule of syllables in the sequence of 5, 7, 5. We hope you will like some of the haiku the students have so cleverly written:

*Elena*

Taught English in France  
Went to war with Germany  
Ecstatic to fight  
He thought war was glorious  
Very soon changed his mind.

*Regina*

Taught English in France  
Went back to England to train  
Fought in the World War  
But then he understood war  
And died in battle.

*Zara*

Determined to fight  
Injured so went far away  
Heard sad screams at night  
Was diagnosed with shell shock  
Changed his view of war.

*Rosa*

Went to France to teach  
Wanted to fight during war  
Patriotic man  
Was injured and had shell shock  
Died at wars ending.

## OVERDUE LRC BOOKS



There are currently **420** books that students have not returned to the LRC since March 2020.

Reminders have been sent out, so please support the school and your child by making sure that they return their books to the LRC.

If a book has been lost, you can pay through your sQuid account.

Please support the school by ensuring these books are returned.

Evidence from exam results shows that students who develop a regular reading habit do better in their exams.

So keep reading!

Mrs Kelly, LRC

## Mathematics

# PUZZLE OF THE WEEK

### School Leaderboard 2020-21

Schools (leaderboards PUBLIC) 20-21 : Overall

Position	School	Country	Total Answers	Correct Answers
1	Moarns Castle High School	Scotland	331	284
2	Hua Hin International School	Thailand	184	176
3	St Clement Danes	England	344	140
4	Walthamstow School for Girls	England	167	136
5	Hurstpierpoint College	England	156	132
6	Suzhou Singapore International School	China	137	113
7	Roundwood Park School	England	118	102
8	Kinoppal-Rose Bay	Australia	112	94
9	Upton Court Grammar School	England	179	83
10	Regina Mundi College	Ireland	119	82
11	The Queen Katherine School	England	180	75
12	Dorothy Stringer School	England	128	62
13	Garden International School	Malaysia	87	55
14	Mount Carmel Catholic College	Australia	65	55
15	Our Lady Of Lourdes Secondary School	Ireland	167	54
16	Shawnigan Lake School	Canada	82	50
17	St Augustine's RC High School	Scotland	110	49
18	British International School Budapest	Hungary	78	49
19	Bangkok International Prep and Secondary Sc	Thailand	66	44
20	Traili International School	Thailand	55	42
TOTAL			6028	3170

These are the schools that have submitted the most correct answers this year across all puzzles.

We have moved up the board to fourth place!

This week's puzzle:

142  
Puzzle Number

# PUZZLE OF THE WEEK

Entries open: Mon 16th Nov

Entries close: Sun 22nd Nov



Vicky ran a knitting course and gave her students some wool.  
Each student was given three different colours of wool.

Each ball of red wool was shared between 2 students.



Each ball of blue wool was shared between 3 students.



Each ball of green wool was shared between 4 students.



In total Vicky used 26 balls of wool. Every ball was completely finished.

**How many students did Vicky have on her course?**

**Extension:**

How many students would there have been if she used 156 balls of wool? Or  $n$  balls of wool?

If she also gave shared balls of yellow wool between 5 students, how many balls would she need for  $x$  students?

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Good luck!

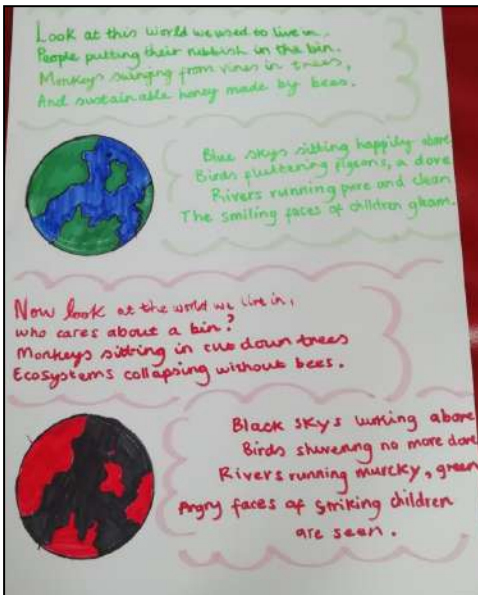
Maths Faculty

## “Here is the Earth – Don’t spend it all at once” Trophy

The trophy for the recent competition “Here is the Earth – Don’t spend it all at once” is now in school.

The trophy itself is a special commission made of ancient driftwood and metal from recycled coffee tins. It was created by West Sussex artist Claire Perry and is displayed in school to be awarded annually to the winner of future competitions.

The trophy was presented to the winner *Evie 8F* for her illustrated poem: “Look at this World”



Dawn Smith who founded and sponsored the competition, pictured with the trophy.

Mr Sterlini  
Head of Humanities,  
Specialist Leader of Education



# Faculty Word Search

Words supplied by the English Faculty based on the book Animal Farm.

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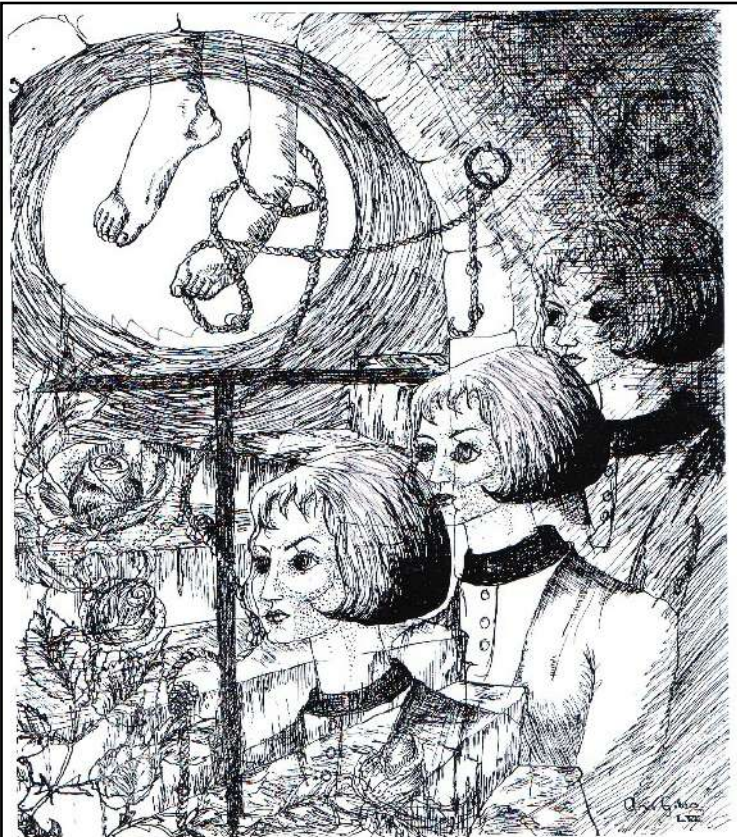
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Napoleon	squealer	Benjamin	comrades
windmill	snowball	foxwood	battle
cowshed	mollie	boxer	Muriel
major	jones	equal	manor

## Our School History Brave New World

With the modern adaptation of the Aldous Huxley book 'Brave New World', I thought I would share with you an illustration from the 1964 edition of '*Iris*', our school magazine.

Ann Giles was aged 14 when she submitted this illustration and she had many more illustrations in other copies of the magazine, all of them equally impressive. Our school magazine was produced every year (apart from 1917-1920) from 1906 to 1974 and included articles and illustrations from current students, as well as former students and staff.

Mrs Kelly, LRC.



BRAVE NEW WORLD



## WSFG Friends Group

Walthamstow School for Girls Merchandise  
Please contact Ms Kelly or Ms Winter via  
the school's website if you wish to make a purchase.



Cards (various designs):  
50 pence each or 4 for £1.50



Key rings: £2



Tote bags (various designs): £3



Mugs: £5

## London Borough of Waltham Forest Free Face Masks



The London Borough of Waltham Forest will provide a free face mask for anyone who lives in the borough who needs one.

Face coverings are one of the best ways residents can keep each other safe. If you don't have a face mask, we will get one to you. Each household can order or collect their masks locally (safety measures will be in place) , please remember to only order what you need.

Please see: [How to order your mask](#)

Getting your mask is quick you can do so in a number of ways:

- Phone 020 8496 3000 and a member of our team will take your details and send your mask in the post
- Complete the **online form** and we'll send your mask in the post
- Pick up a mask safely at one of our main libraries below. All you need to do is ask a member of staff. You can check library opening times below:

[Chingford Library Plus](#)

[Leyton Library Plus](#)

[Leytonstone Library Plus](#)

[Walthamstow Library Plus](#)

[Wood Street Library](#)

The masks we provide are 100% cotton and are reusable as they are machine-washable at up to 60 degrees.

Please note that masks will be available for distribution and collection from **Friday 13 November.**



## Virtual Road Safety Week 16-22 November

### #WFBeseen

Due to the current restrictions we have moved national road safety week online and anybody who lives, works or studies in Waltham Forest can request **#WFBeseen** bike lights, Bikeregister kit or children's hi-viz for free. To request any of our **#WFBeseen** items please complete our online survey here – <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/WFBeseen>

All items are subject to availability and could take up to ten working days to arrive. If you have any questions regarding this please email [roadsafety@walthamforest.gov.uk](mailto:roadsafety@walthamforest.gov.uk)

### Free online Cycle Skills course

Transport for London has developed free online Cycle Skills course will help you to cycle safely and confidently. So whether you're new to cycling or just want to brush up on your skills, we can help you take to the road. If you complete all four modules, you'll receive a **unique 15% discount code so you can save on Halfords own-brand cycle lights, locks and helmets.**

There are four modules to complete and each one takes less than five minutes:

1. Get ready to ride - gives you tips on getting you and your cycle ready for the road including basic maintenance and road handling skills.
2. First time on the road - shows you how to cycle safely and responsibly and includes tips on setting off, road positioning and stopping safely.
3. On the road again - helps to get you cycling again with advice on traffic lights, roundabouts and junctions, and how to share the road safely.
4. Cycling with children - gives you advice on cycling in a group.
5. To take part please visit – <https://cycle-skillsonline.tfl.gov.uk/>

### Virtual Tour de Waltham Forest

Cycling as part of permitted exercise is being encouraged as part of the latest restrictions. You can exercise or visit outdoor public places with:

- the people you live with
- your support bubble

or, when on your own, 1 person from another household. Children under 5, as well as disabled people dependent on round-the-clock care are not counted towards the limit on two people meeting outside

If you are looking for inspiration of where to cycle this Autumn, why not try our Virtual Tour de Waltham Forest routes? We have created three routes that are [available here](#) and you can join in using **#VirtualTDWF**

## Year 11 College Information

For regular updates on college information please see:  
'Open Evenings/Virtual Tours' on the Year 11 page of the school website.



[ZOOM Registration Link](#)

(URL: [https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_Pmke28nkRmei\\_mEKh0XVdQ](https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_Pmke28nkRmei_mEKh0XVdQ))

Our mailing address is:  
Newham Sixth Form College, Prince Regent Lane, London, E13 8SG



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## TOP 1% OF ALL SIXTH FORMS NATIONALLY



**VIRTUAL OPEN EVENING**  
**25 November 2020 5-7pm**

Register: [claptongirls.eventbrite.co.uk](https://claptongirls.eventbrite.co.uk)

APPLY ONLINE:



[WWW.CGASIXTHFORM.COM](http://WWW.CGASIXTHFORM.COM)



**Access Creative College**

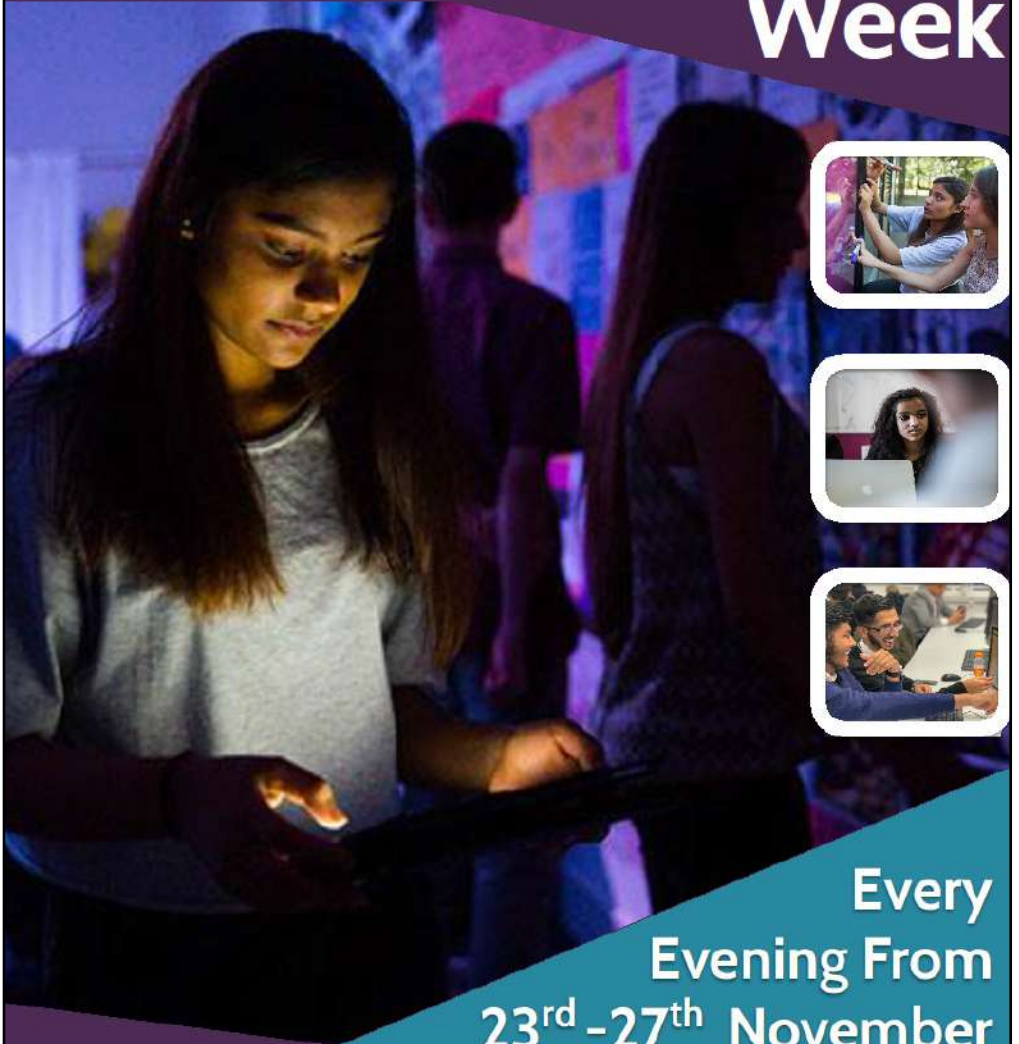
**Extra Date Added**  
**Open Event 26 /27 October 2020**

Due to reaching capacity for our Open Event on 27/10/20, we are now taking bookings for 26/10/20 and places can be booked here.

We are now taking bookings places can be booked here:

<https://www.accesscreative.ac.uk/open-events>

# Six21 Virtual Open Week



Every  
Evening From  
23<sup>rd</sup> - 27<sup>th</sup> November

For more information  
Check out our website at [www.six21.org.uk](http://www.six21.org.uk)



**VI FORM**

**VIRTUAL OPEN EVENING**

**26 November 2020**  
starts at 6.00pm

This will be an opportunity for students and families to learn what Lammas VI Form will offer in terms of academic courses, pastoral support and future pathways.

There will be:  
 An address from Mr Clifford, Head  
 A presentation from Mr Eley, Director of VI Form  
 A presentation from students

**LAMMAS SCHOOL AND SIXTH FORM**

Sign up here to receive the link:  
<https://lammas.applica.com/events/2>

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LAMMAS SCHOOL  
AND SIXTH FORM

## School Calendar Dates for 2020-2021

### Autumn Term 2020

- Ends Friday 18 December
- Christmas holiday: Monday 21 December 2020 to Friday 1 January

### Spring Term 2021

- Monday 4 January 2021 to Thursday 1 April
- Half Term: Monday 15 February to Friday 19 February
- Easter Holiday Friday 2 April 2021 to Friday 16 April

### Summer Term 2021

- Monday 19 April 2021 to Thursday 22 July
- Half Term: Tuesday 1 June to Friday 4 June

Taken by  
Ms Siddiqui  
on her way  
home from  
school earlier  
this week.

