



PARENT/CARER NOTICES

Spring 1 Monday 12th January 2026

Upcoming Events

Monday 5th to Friday 16th January – Year 7 and Year 8 EBacc Exams

Monday 12th to Friday 23rd January – Year 13 Mock Exams

Monday 12th January – Year 11 MFL Speaking Mocks

Wednesday 14th January – Year 9 Drama Workshop Day

Thursday 15th January – Year 11 Parents Evening

Monday 19th January – Year 11 MFL Speaking Mocks

Wednesday 21st January – Year 10 Work Experience Parent/Carer information evening

Tuesday 27th January to Friday 6th February – Year 11 GCSE Practical Food Exams

Thursday 29th January – Year 9Q Parents Evening

Tuesday 3rd to Friday 6th February – Practical Food Exams

Tuesday 3rd February – SEND Coffee Morning 10am to 11am

Thursday 5th February – Year 9X Parents Evening

Monday 9th to Friday 13th February – Year 11 Mock Exams week 1 of 2

Wednesday 11th February – Year 10 Drama Showcase Performance

Wednesday 11th February – Parent/Carer Forum 2

Thursday 12th February – World Challenge Valentine Disco – Year 7 and 8

Monday 16th February – HALF TERM

Monday 23rd to Friday 27th February – Year 11 Mock Exams week 2 of 2

Thursday 26th February – Year 12 and 13 Parents Evening

General Notices

A Great First Week!

Thankyou to parents and carers for preparing your child for a really positive return to school after a long break. I was incredibly proud of the resilience and maturity exhibited by our young people during an icy, cold and wet week! We saw a high number of positive points logged- 8170 and a low number of consequences.

Students in Year 7 and Year 8 are engaging well with our in-class assessments for English, Maths, Science, Humanities and Languages. A number of Year 7's enjoyed a fantastic trip to London to see the Lion King. By all accounts- they had a fantastic time. It was also good to hear that our local MP Nick Timothy gave his time to meet our Key Stage 4 students as they





visited the parliament buildings and House of Lords on Monday 5th. This was an amazing opportunity arranged for our Citizenship students.

Barriers to Education Roadshow - Parent Event – Thursday 29th January 2026

We are working collaboratively with Suffolk's Psychology and Therapeutic Services team to support our students who struggle with attendance.

They are hosting 'Barriers to Education' roadshow event on Thursday 29th January 2026 between 10am and 11.30am at MCA (in our MCA6 building). This event is aimed at providing parents of children, who struggle with anxiety and attendance, with ideas and strategies they can use to support their child. The attached flyer has more information.

We would love for as parent and carers to join us for this event. If you wish to attend, please sign up via the link below or via the QR code on the attached flyer.

MCA Barriers to Education (EBSA) Roadshow – Fill in form

PE Fixture results

Upcoming fixtures

Wednesday: U13 girls football: MCA vs East Bergholt **A**

Thursday: U13 sportshall athletics @ Newmarket **A**
Suffolk schools cross country @ Woodbridge **A**

