

# Reigate School

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## NEWSLETTER

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### MESSAGE FROM THE HEAD OF SCHOOL

Last night was the Year 9 Parents' and Carers' evening and it was the first time we have held it virtually. Thank you to all of the parents and carers who attended.

Next Thursday is the Year 11 Parents' and Carers' evening. The booking form is still open to make appointments for Year 11 and will close on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> February.

We have quite a few notices in this week's newsletter from Surrey Arts, Reigate and Banstead Borough Council about half term activities, Reigate Grammar School regarding their Sixth Form Information Evening and Surrey County Council's Safer Travel Team about the Year 7 Pedestrian Safety Education Program.

Stay safe and well.

Mr Alexander

### SPOTLIGHT

#### YEAR 7

7R3 Maths: Ava Sheargold-Jones, Mia Adolphe, Rebecca Bird, Carrie Eade, Rooshan Jaffery, Nathan Kite, Hashim Siddiqui, Alice Tharp, for their positive and enthusiastic engagement and contributions with TEAMS

Callum Jones who is doing brilliantly in Enhanced Maths. He is always very enthusiastic, always wants to join in and can always be relied on to provide an answer.

Delilah Skyrme for being very hard working and conscientious. Always contributing in lessons in such a positive way.

Grace Cresswell for her outstanding poster during a lesson about the Hazards in our daily life and how we can minimise the risks associated with them. The detail and the level of effort she has gone through is brilliant! Well done Grace!

#### YEAR 8

Frankie Lynn for producing an excellent piece of work on pasta dishes and the history of pasta.

Mirabelle Cawkwell, Amy Bloomfield, Avery Samolczyk, Emily Hayes, Zack Ewington, Joe Patey for their good History effort and work.

Sophie O'Connell and Jesse Parker for their continuing dedication and engagement with home learning.

Emily James, Tasmia Ali and Tamia Quantick for being supportive and incredibly positive during lockdown. Great friends.

Afua Larbi-Yeboah for her further research and analysis of the life of Suffragette Emily Davison.

#### YEAR 9

Lily Woodhams, Lucas Walton, Jessica Scriven, Eleni Davarias for their particularly good History exam answer.

Grace Kemp who has been producing some excellent work including an amazing poem that she put together. Grace has also been extremely helpful to staff in Room A2 and very diligent with her work and encouraging others with their work. Well done Grace!



## YEAR 10

Ioana Oprea for great engagement and Benjamin Spenceley for his great work on Educake.

Thomas Bisset for going above and beyond.

Leia Chan and Jacob Khan who have both been really engaged in GCSE PE theory and practical classes, offering lots of great answers.



## YEAR 11

Mimi Tinn Williams for her great work on Educake.

## ARTIST OF THE WEEK

### Artists of the Week

The Year 10 Textile classes have been developing ideas based on Otomi fabric from Mexico. Some joyous design work, well done!

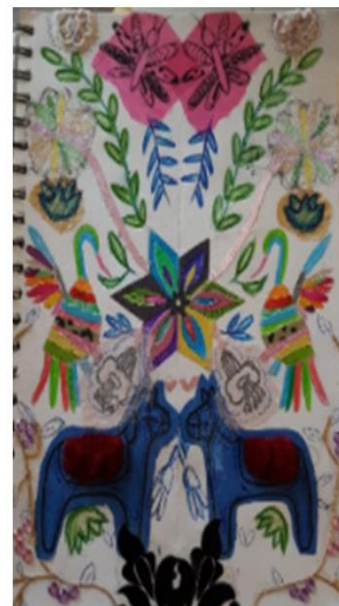


Kayla Pascoe

Abigail Kennedy



Freya Pearce

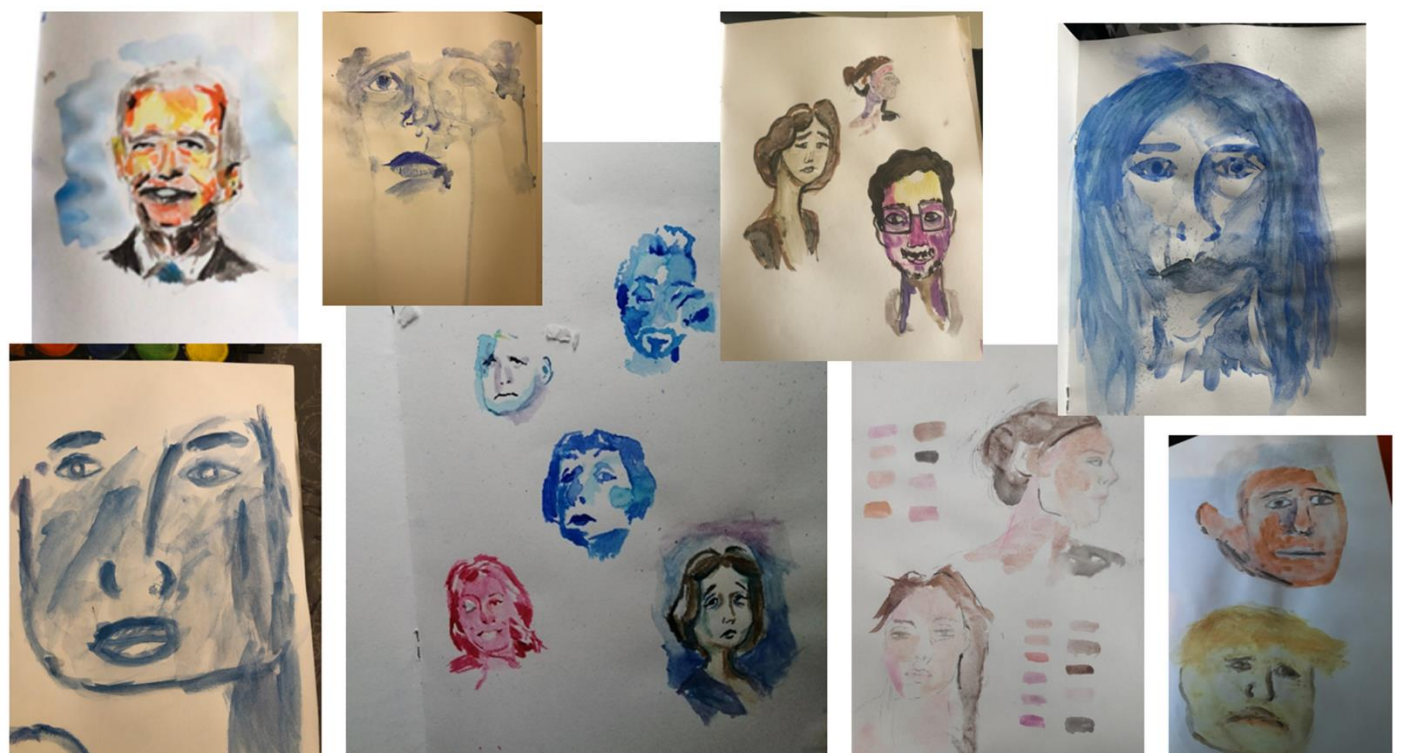


Isha Saleem





This week in Year 9 Art lessons we have been experimenting with watercolour paints for our portrait studies. We have been really impressed with the quality of the work especially as for some children it has been the first time painting a portrait. A huge well done everyone!



## MUSIC SUPERSTARS



Well done to all of the Music SuperStars!

The following children have held themselves to a high standard, and have implemented new learning and feedback in challenging circumstances.



7RA - Sam White  
7RB - Delilah Skyrme  
7RC - Avinash Castro  
7SA - Anya Shakya  
7SB - James Golder  
7SC - George Ross  
7TA - Archie Sexton  
7TB - Carla Tarrida Velasco  
7TC - Lana Powell

8RA - Orla Marsh  
8RB - Jesse Parker  
8RC - Aaron Cass  
8SA - Jack Dewey  
8SB - Daisy Wells  
8SC - Robert Sherriff  
8TA - Cerys Wilson  
8TB - Oliver Clements  
8TC - Emma Dewar-Smith

9A - Maya Chan  
10B - Ayhan Erol  
11A - India Whitton

## EMOTIONAL WELLBEING AND MENTAL HEALTH

### Welcoming the Newest Recruit!

The value of having an animal in school is becoming widely recognised as contributing positively to people's well-being. Studies have shown that the presence of companion animals can lower rates of anxiety creating calmer states of mind. Many schools have been embracing the benefits of welcoming dogs to their site including other schools in our Greensand MAT.

Therefore, after much research and consideration, Reigate School Governors have agreed for us to do the same.

The dog (Brac) owned by our SENCO and Assistant Headteacher, is very well socialised and has lots of experience of going into school – he is now 20 months old and has been a 'dog in school' at his 'hooman's' place of work since he was 4 months old. He has a type of coat which creates very little dander, to the extent that it is often described as hypo-allergenic and was one of the considerations when making the decision to have him on site.

The plan in the first instance is for Brac to be a 'dog in school' one day a week. This does not require him to be 'working' with children, although he will be walked around the school site and be a presence in some areas during the school day with Mrs Stokes. Over time, the aim is to enable children with parental permission to interact with him through reading programmes as well as learning how to behave around animals and look after them. This would all be done with appropriate supervision.

Please look out for the letter that you will receive soon. A full risk assessment has been prepared and is available from the school.



The RE department are excited to be announcing the start of a new blog competition from RE:Online – a major national hub for teaching RE. Children and young people are invited to write a 500-word blog about why RE matters to them as a school subject. Winners could receive up to £20 in book vouchers, and any child from Reigate School who applies will be formally recognised as well. Your RE teacher will be happy to help you with your application.

To find out more, please check out the link below.

**Closing date: March 31<sup>st</sup> 2021.**

[Pupil Blog Competition - RE: Online](#)



# RE:ONLINE BLOG COMPETITION

'WHY DOES RE MATTER'? CLOSING 31<sup>ST</sup> MARCH

MFL COMPETITION – ALL YEAR GROUPS

## MFL ARTIST RESEARCH COMPETITION

**1**  
**PICK  
A SPANISH/FRENCH  
ARTIST OF  
YOUR CHOICE**

**2**  
**FIND OUT AS MANY INTERESTING  
FACTS AS POSSIBLE  
AND PRESENT SOME EXAMPLES OF  
HIS/HER WORK.**

**3**  
**SUBMIT YOUR WORK BY 22ND OF  
FEBRUARY FOR A CHANCE OF  
WINNING A  
£10 AMAZON VOUCHER**  
**4**

**CREATE AN A4 SIZED POSTER OR AN INFORMATION  
SHEET (ONE SIDE OF A4) ABOUT YOUR CHOSEN  
ARTIST.**

**BE CREATIVE!  
TRY TO WRITE IN SPANISH / FRENCH BUT YOU CAN  
INCLUDE ENGLISH TOO.**

**E-MAIL FRENCH ENTRIES TO  
J.MONNERY@REIGATE-SCHOOL.SURREY.SCH.UK**

**AND SPANISH ENTRIES TO  
G.ROMERO@REIGATE-SCHOOL.SURREY.SCH.UK**



**SURREY  
ARTS**



# SOUTH-WEST INSTRUMENT DEMOS

Interested in playing an instrument but unsure which one to choose or what they may sound like?

Join our live free online instrument demonstration, including a Q&A on a variety of instruments which you could learn, such as:

**Flute**

**Clarinet**

**Sax**

**Brass**

**All Strings**

**Percussion**

register by:

**THURSDAY  
11 FEBRUARY**

**Wednesday 17 February**  
from **5pm to 6pm**

**T: 01483 519303**

**E: [sally.white@surreycc.gov.uk](mailto:sally.white@surreycc.gov.uk)**

visit us online at:

**[surreyarts.com](http://surreyarts.com)**





# SURREY ARTS

## ENSEMBLES OPEN REHEARSALS WEEK

**Bands • Orchestras • Choirs • Groups**

**6 - 13 February 2021**



## WHY JOIN AN ENSEMBLE?

There's a great deal more to playing an instrument than just reading music and practising on your own!

Surrey Arts provides over 40 different choirs, bands, orchestras and groups across the county for all ages and abilities.

### Boost development

Techniques and skills learnt in lessons are reinforced during group rehearsals

### Have fun and

### make new friends

Form long lasting friendships with like-minded musicians

### Music as an educational

### building block

Children involved in music tend to do better in other subjects

### Music is for everyone

We have groups and ensembles for all ages and abilities!

Zoom rehearsal times and days may be different from regular rehearsals outside of lockdown. For regular rehearsal times visit: [surreycc.gov.uk/culture-and-leisure/arts/music/ensembles](http://surreycc.gov.uk/culture-and-leisure/arts/music/ensembles)

### How to apply:

For further information or to apply for an ensemble or group contact:

E: [alison.harding@surreycc.gov.uk](mailto:alison.harding@surreycc.gov.uk)

[surreyarts.com](http://surreyarts.com)  
for more information

[surreycc.gov.uk/music](http://surreycc.gov.uk/music)  
to apply online

## WEST SURREY

Area Ensemble	Zoom Rehearsal Time
Camberley Youth Wind Orchestra Juniors: Beginner to Grade 2	Saturday 6 February 9.30 - 10.30am
Camberley Youth Wind Orchestra Intermediates: Grade 2 to 5	Saturday 6 February 11am - 12pm
Camberley Youth Wind Orchestra Seniors: Grade 5+	Saturday 6 February 9.30 - 10.30am
Surrey Percussion and Rhythm Crew (SPARC): Less experienced players	Saturday 6 February 12.30 - 1.15pm
Brass Routes: Beginner - Grade 2	Tuesday 9 February 6 - 7pm
Surrey Youth Training Choir: aged 9 to 13	Wednesday 10 February 6.45 - 7.30pm
West Surrey Training Wind Band: Grade 2 - 5	Thursday 11 February 5.30 - 6.30pm
West Surrey Wind Band: Grade 5+	Thursday 11 February 5.30 - 6.30pm

During lockdown rehearsals will be delivered via Zoom.



## SOUTH WEST SURREY

Area Ensemble	Zoom Rehearsal Time
South West Surrey Concert Band - Juniors: Grade 1 to 4	Saturday 6 February 9.30 - 10.30am
South West Surrey Concert Band - Seniors: Grade 5 to 8:	Saturday 6 February 9.30 - 10.30am
Prima Strings: Beginner - Grade 2	Wednesday 10 February 5.30 - 6.15pm
Opus Strings: Grade 2 to 4	Wednesday 10 February 5.30 - 6.15pm
South West Winds (Woodwind, Brass and Percussion): Beginner - Grade 4	Wednesday 10 February 5.30 - 6.15pm
South West Surrey Youth Orchestra: Grade 5+	Wednesday 10 February 6.45 - 7.45pm

## SOUTH EAST SURREY

Area Ensemble	Zoom Rehearsal Time
Mid Surrey Wind Band (Woodwind, Brass and Percussion): All abilities	Tuesday 9 February 4.30 - 5.30pm
Reigate String Orchestra - Preludes: Beginner - Grade 1.	Thursday 11 February 4.15 - 5pm
Reigate String Orchestra - Juniors: Grade 1 to 3	Thursday 11 February 5.15 - 6pm
Reigate String Orchestra - Intermediates: Grade 3 to 5	Thursday 11 February 6.15 - 7pm
Reigate String Orchestra - Seniors: Grade 5 to 8	Thursday 11 February 6.15 - 7pm
Blast Off (Wind, Brass and Percussion): Beginners	Thursday 11 February 5 - 5.45pm
South East Surrey Area Winds (Wind, Brass & Percussion): Grade 4+	Thursday 11 February 6 - 7pm

No exams necessary. Grades listed are indicative only.

## NORTH SURREY

Area Ensemble	Zoom Rehearsal Time
Senior String Orchestra: Grade 4+	Saturday 6 February 9 - 9.45am
Junior String Orchestra: Grade 1 to 4	Saturday 6 February 9.45 - 10.30am
Junior Guitar Ensemble: Beginner to Grade 3	Saturday 6 February 9.45 - 10.45am
Junior Wind Band: Grade 2 to 5	Saturday 6 February 10 - 11.00am
Senior Wind Band: Grade 4+	Saturday 6 February 10 - 11.00am
Crafty Clarinets: Grade 5+	Saturday 6 February 11.30am - 12.15pm
Senior Guitar Ensemble: Grade 3+	Friday 12 February 6.15 - 7.15pm

## PERCUSSION + VOCAL

Area Ensemble	Zoom Rehearsal Time
Surrey Percussion and Rhythm Crew (SPARC): Less experienced players	Saturday 6 February 12.30 - 1.15pm
Together at Home for SEN: Ages 9 - 19. Attending Special Schools in Surrey.	Tuesday 9 February 5 - 6pm
Just So Singers: SEND choir for ages 9 - 19	Wednesday 10 February 5 - 6pm
Surrey Youth Training Choir: aged 9 to 13	Wednesday 10 February 6.45 - 7.30pm
Together at Home for Arabic speaking children: Ages 8 - 12 Ages 13 - 18	Thursday 11 February 5 - 5.40pm 5.50 - 6.30pm

During lockdown rehearsals will be delivered via Zoom.

## COUNTY ENSEMBLES

County Ensemble	Zoom Rehearsal Time
Surrey County Youth Percussion Ensemble: Grade 6+	Saturday 6 February 1.15 - 2pm
Surrey Advanced Brass Ensemble: Grade 6+	Sunday 7 February 2 - 3pm
Surrey County Youth Jazz Orchestra: Grade 6+	Wednesday 10 February 7 - 8.30pm
Surrey Youth Choir: Grade 5+	Wednesday 10 February 7.30 - 8.30pm
Surrey County Youth Wind Orchestra: Grade 6+	Friday 12 February 6.45 - 7.45pm
Surrey County Youth Orchestra: Grade 7+	Friday 12 February 7 - 8.30pm
UPI Orchestra: UPI - for young people with SEND	Saturday 13 February 10.30am - 12pm

No exams necessary. Grades listed are indicative only.



## SINGING LESSONS

Mrs Dann has been really impressed with India Perfitt and Sophia Bryant who are both working really well on their exam pieces and their vocal technique. Both are excelling and going above and beyond in their commitment and application.

Song tip for the Week: Mrs Dann recommends **Someone Gets Hurt** from **Mean Girls** which is a more recent musical.



## GCSE HISTORY REVISION

A Reigate History GCSE Quizlet has been created for Years 9, 10 and 11 so they can use this regularly to revise knowledge for GCSE topics. Please use the link below to access the Quizlet.

<https://quizlet.com/join/9nFTm9MwZ>





## VOCAB EXPRESS

Congratulations to the following children who have clocked up the most points this week.



29<sup>th</sup> January – 5<sup>th</sup> February Challenge – Congratulations to the following children:

Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Year 11
Elissia Reynolds 10,095 Sophia Caldwell 6,820 Joanna Frampton 2,610 Hermione Berrett-Carter 1,960 Toby Bamford 1,570	Afua Larbi-Yeboah 11,620 Nila Nasekhian 10,195 Kiki Timson 7,845 Amy Bloomfield 4,930 Rafe Stevenson 4,245	Maddy Friday 13,330 Nandini Joshi 9,190 Tilly Richardson 8,715 Oscar Leary 8,100 Tristyn Bean 6,095	Anya Sedgwick 29,300 Christian Larbi-Yeboah 12,025 Cailen Harrap 8,590 Sayem Ahmed 6,745 Kayla O'Neill 5,410	Holly Nixon 20,345 Lilia Dobson 13,035 Mia Ferrao 9,040 Alisha Haider 8,945 Eliza Siddiqui 7,995

## EDUCAKE

Congratulations to the following children who have answered the most questions on Educake.



29<sup>th</sup> January – 5<sup>th</sup> February

Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Year 11
Elissia Reynolds Sophia Caldwell Emilie Sepulveda Delilah Skyrme Georgina Crockett Gary Jewitt-Norman Kyla Stone Leon Holden Isla Stock Anyia Shakya	Louise Batt Joe Rolaston Rhys Strudwick Frankie Lynn Hannah Lee Ella-Louise Bentley Hannah Basco Lulietta Bramham Rafe Stevenson Isobel Grant	Amelia Hawley Charlie Ruby Joel Stratton-Hunt Scarlett MacKenzie Elsa Lenihan Chloe Richardson Toby Szadkowski-Mason Enya Mills Dheyona Rajendra Mariella Davies	Lucy Mascall Jessica Leary Kayla Elliott Pascoe Tia-Louise Savage Milly-Madeleine Eade Farhad Ashrafi Megan Thomas Haaris Sheikh Ioana Oprea Isabelle Cochrane	Adam Ainsworth Mia Ferrao Lilia Dobson Alexander Walters Sadie Jenkins Bertram Bramham Paige McNulty Ciara Tinn Williams Daniel Masson Smith Frederick Fowler

## HEGARTYMATHS

Congratulations to the following children who have clocked up the most learning hours on HegartyMaths this week.



29<sup>th</sup> January – 5<sup>th</sup> February Top Correct Answers

Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Year 11
Hermione Berrett-Carter Anyia Shakya Daisy Arnell James Jenkins James Golder Mackenzie Fowler Megan Roberts Alicia Wallbank Noah Williamson Joseph Wallace	Louise Ayub-Batt Derren Mitchell-Belton Nila Nasekhian William Blair Mercia Lawrence Sophia Di Palma Smith Alicia Robinson Ella Hilder Elisha O'Reilly Ellisse Alves	Elizabeth Martin Ben Packham Jacob Mills Lauren Nimmo Nina Krystowczyk Samih Rahman Zac Cusden Joaquin Sidir Tom Lucas Sophia Ellis Rampertab	Jessica Leary Harrison Jeffery Layla Raache Brooke Boxall Christian Larbi-Yeboah Nyah Fisher Lucy Mascall Caitlin Holloway Arda Albay Kelcie Powell	Jason Chapman Cameron Fairclough Alfie Taylor Nangyalay Syed Madeline Howland Angelina Else Frederick Fowler Ella Moxley Naomi Moid Ben Rolaston



**Surrey Schools Athletic Association**

**FREE**

# VIRTUAL CROSS COUNTRY EVENT 2021

SUNDAY 7TH FEB — MONDAY 15TH FEB

In the immediate absence of school and district cross country events this season, we are encouraging all secondary school aged students in Surrey to take on the challenge of completing a virtual cross country run. Whether you are new to running or have represented the county previously, this event is open to all and free! Within the Surrey Schools' Athletic Association we want to be setting an example of safe mass participation and physical activity involvement during lockdown.

## Distances

Year 7 Girls - 3.2km

Year 7 Boys - 3.2km

Year 8 & 9 Girls - 3.6km

Year 8 & 9 Boys - 4.1km

Year 10 & 11 Girls - 4.1km

Year 12 & 13 Girls - 4.1km

Year 10 & 11 Boys - 5.8km

Year 12 & 13 Boys - 7.2km

## Rules

1. The run time must be validated with a link to a GPS activity file, entered in the final question on this questionnaire. Examples of free iOS/Android apps include Strava, RunKeeper, Adidas Running, Pacer and MapMyRun)
2. Make sure you run the correct distance for your relative age (see the table above)
3. Your run must not be net downhill. Your start and finish elevation must be the same, or finishing at a higher elevation.
4. Students are only allowed one submission. But you are welcome to have a number of attempts within the window of time, but please only submit your best effort with the relevant activity file.
5. Please follow the government's guidance on social distancing and exercising outdoors.
6. This is a cross country event, so please complete the run on appropriate terrain.

## How to enter

Scan the QR code and follow @SySchAthletics on Twitter during the event window for info and updates



## REIGATE GRAMMAR SCHOOL SIXTH FORM



REIGATE GRAMMAR SCHOOL

**RGS Online [Sixth Form Information Evening](#): Tuesday 9 February 2021, 6.30-7.15pm**

**Meet the Headmaster, Sixth Form Team and some of our current Sixth Form students virtually to hear about the unique and exciting opportunities available in the RGS Sixth Form.**

As well as our outstanding academic offering, you will get an invaluable insight into life as a Sixth Former, the extensive university and careers support available and the wealth of extra-curricular activities which include nationally recognised sport, drama and music. The evening will be held virtually via Microsoft Teams.

If you would like to attend, please register via our [Open Events page](#)





PERFORMANCE IN  
EDUCATION



### YEAR 7 PEDESTRIAN SAFETY THEATRE IN EDUCATION EVENT

Surrey County Council's Safer Travel Team has commissioned Performance in Education to offer Reigate School their Year 7 Pedestrian Safety Education Programme, "Streetwise". The performance and workshop use multimedia, mask work and live action to engage Year 7 children to improve their safety when using the roads.

The performance is a live-streamed event, for the entire YEAR 7 cohort and will take place at **9am on 26<sup>th</sup> March**. Children are to arrive to school (government guidelines permitting) for registration where they will then be further directed.

"Streetwise" is designed to:

- ✓ **Raise awareness** of the dangers of distractions when using the road system as a pedestrian, e.g. using mobile phones, mp3 players or messing around with mates
- ✓ **Identify risks** that children may take around roads and their consequences
- ✓ **Create real-life strategies** to overcome peer pressure and peer influence around poor road safety
- ✓ **Encourage** the use of school crossing patrols, zebra crossings, pedestrian light-controlled crossing and to ask for help when it's needed
- ✓ **Increase** the children's knowledge of how to remain safe when using the roads and have the confidence to continue using this information
- ✓ **Leave a Legacy** of improved road safety



"They had every learner engaged which was fantastic to see" - **Teacher, Christ's College, Guildford**

Our work changes behaviour and attitudes, addresses key areas within the National Curriculum and helps to keep children safe.

Here's some of our feedback from our previous tours of "Streetwise" in Surrey:

*"I just wanted to say how impressed we were with the performance today! The students loved it and I really think they took the message on board."* - **Guildford County School**

*"A very professional, very confident young team that engaged fully with our students from start to finish."* - **Kings International College**

We hope you find the project helpful and informative.

Yours sincerely

Performance in Education

## ACTIVATE LEARNING

Activate Learning wanted to let you know about some interesting and helpful events that they have coming up in their calendar that will support Year 11 children.



As the Covid-19 restrictions continue, they are again offering virtual open events in February. You will have the opportunity to book up to 3 virtual 1:1 appointments with subject specialist tutors to discuss course options and make an informed decision about possible next steps.

These events will take place as follows –

- Wednesday 3 February Guildford College 4-8pm
- Wednesday 10 February Farnham College 5-8pm \*
- Wednesday 24 February Merrist Wood College 4-8pm

\*Please note that the Farnham College open event will be a virtual open event with live chats from all of the subject tutors and will run from 5-8pm.

Throughout February, they are also offering virtual support 1:1 appointments where Year 11 children can ask more generic questions about anything from day-to-day college life, bursaries or even entry requirements. These appointments are available on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3.30-5pm (apart from half term week). Details of how to book any of the above appointments are available via their website –

<https://www.guildford.ac.uk/NewsEvents/OpenDayRegistration.aspx>

<https://www.merristwood.ac.uk/NewsEvents/OpenDayRegistration.aspx>

<https://www.farnham.ac.uk/NewsEvents/OpenDayRegistration.aspx>

Their support services are available and happy to answer any queries or concerns you may have regarding your college application.

If you have any further queries regarding any of the above information, please visit their website [www.activatelearning.ac.uk](http://www.activatelearning.ac.uk) email on [enquiries@activatelearning.ac.uk](mailto:enquiries@activatelearning.ac.uk) or call them on 0800 612 6008.

## CAREERS

Children will be able to listen to career talks from a variety of professionals online through Speakers for Schools. Click on the links below which will allow the children to join the live event at the specified time. If the live event is scheduled at the same time as a live school lesson then a pre-recorded broadcast can be viewed.



This week's timetable is as follows: **WEEK STARTING MONDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY**

DATE	SPEAKER	INFO
<b>Mon 8<sup>th</sup> February</b> <b>10-11am</b>  <a href="#">LINK TO JOIN</a>	<b>Tom Toumazis MBE, Former Media, Entertainment and Tech Executive, now investor in start ups</b>  <b>For KS4-5/ S4 – 6</b>	We are delighted to be hosting a Broadcast with Tom Toumazis, Former Media, Entertainment and Tech Executive, now investor in start-ups. Tom is a public speaker, sharing his work/life experiences and encouraging young people to explore a career in the world of media and entertainment. He was awarded an MBE in 2015 for services to children. Tom will be sharing insights into the 'art of nudging' and how to get noticed in a world of noise!
<b>Mon 8<sup>th</sup> February</b> <b>2-3pm</b>  <a href="#">LINK TO JOIN</a>	<b>Milo Beckman, Author, Maths without Numbers</b>  <b>For KS4 –5/ S4 – 6</b>	Join us here to hear Milo Beckman, a maths prodigy from New York. Milo's projects and independent research have been featured in The New York Times, the Huffington Post, the Economist and others. He has worked for a US Senator, three tech companies, two banks and taught mathematics in New York, China and Brazil. His debut book, Math Without Numbers, is an illustrated guide to shapes, dimensions, infinity, symmetries, proofs, and more. Milo will be talking about a famous question in abstract maths: Is there anything bigger than infinity? He is looking forward to answering your questions.



## CAREERS (Speakers For Schools Cont.)

<b>Wed 10<sup>th</sup> February</b> <b>2-3pm</b>  <a href="#">LINK TO JOIN</a>	<b>Jean-Patrick Cheylan, Head of Entertainment Partnerships, Europe, Twitter</b>  <b>For KS4-5/ S4 – 6</b>	Speakers for Schools is delighted to be hosting a Broadcast with Jean-Patrick Cheylan. Jean-Patrick is in charge of supporting the leading European entertainment content creators to grow and monetize their audience on Twitter. He leads a 5 people team based in London, Madrid and Paris, which covers partnerships across Tv, cinema, music, fashion, lifestyle, food. Jean-Patrick will be sharing insights into his career journey and where to gain relevant work experience. He will be providing advice on how we can develop our resilience.
<b>Thurs 11<sup>th</sup> February 10-11am</b>  <a href="#">LINK TO JOIN</a>	<b>Panel Broadcast with Flipbook Studio</b> <b>David Cordon, Head of TV and film, Jo Wilkinson, Head of Production &amp; Yuval Turgeman, 3D Artist</b>  <b>For KS3-5/ S1 – 6</b>	Join us for a panel discussion with Flipbook Studio, an innovation production studio who provide Visual Effects, Animation, Digital, Immersive and Film for their international client base. David Cordon, Head of TV & Film, Jo Wilkinson, Head of Production and Yuval Turgeman, a 3D artist will be sharing an insight into their careers and will be providing tips for students who are interested in a career in Film and TV. Students will have the opportunity to ask the panel questions.
<b>Thurs 11<sup>th</sup> February 2-3pm</b>  <a href="#">LINK TO JOIN</a>	<b>Penguin Talks in Partnership with Speakers for Schools</b>  <b>Lit in Colour: Why Empire is Relevant Today, with Sathnam Sanghera and Zawe Ashton</b>  <b>For KS4-5/ S4 – 6</b>	Award-winning author and journalist, Sathnam Sanghera, joins actress, playwright and director Zawe Ashton, to discuss the impact of Empire on modern Britain, its absence from the school curriculum and why it's relevant to young people today.

### HOW TO JOIN THE LIVE BROADCASTS

- Join 10 minutes before the broadcast to be ready
- You can join without needing an account – [Watch how here](#)
- For full speaker descriptions visit the [Broadcast Schedule here](#)

### LIVE BROADCASTS LIBRARY & MORE

Watch pre-recorded broadcasts from our library [here](#)

## CAREERS

**YOUNG PROFESSIONALS**

**National Apprenticeship week**

**Monday 8th February**  
**3pm - 5pm**

We will be hearing from 12 different apprentices from some of the biggest brands on the planet! Each apprentice will give a short 10-minute snapshot on what they do, their career journey to date and why their apprenticeship has been the best route for them!

Open to all year groups in  
**Y10, Y11, Y12 & Y13**

☑ Opportunity to ask questions and find out about other young people's career journeys

☑ Learn about different types of apprenticeships, some myth busting and a few prizes along the way!

Registration Link:  
<https://www.research.net/r/NAW2021>



## PARTNER SCHOOL ADMISSIONS 2021/22

East Surrey College and Reigate College are pleased to announce that for September 2021 applicants there will be one online application process for their Partner Schools – De Stafford School, Oakwood School, Reigate School and The Warwick School. This is for all full-time courses and apprenticeships.

Your son or daughter will receive information through their school in September 2020 which will enable them to apply to both Colleges online, whilst only filling in one application form which will be submitted to the relevant College(s). The Colleges will then request one reference from the school and arrange interview dates at one or both Colleges so that the pupils will be in a position to make a decision on which College to attend by January 2021.

The rationale for the one online application process is to make it easier for your son or daughter to apply to one or both Colleges on one online form without having to replicate information. It also allows the Colleges and schools to fulfil their legal obligations of tracking students to ensure all students are engaged in either education or work with training up to the age of 18.

The Colleges are looking forward to working with you and hope that the transition from school to College will be a smooth one. If you or your son or daughter have any queries about transition to College at 16+, please contact your Head of Year or Careers Advisor at school.

Apply online at [www.sescas.org.uk](http://www.sescas.org.uk)

31 January 2021	Reigate College: Deadline for return of acceptance form
29 June 2021	Introductory day at Reigate College
26 August 2021 (tbc)	GCSE results published
August 2021	Results advice, guidance and interviews available at East Surrey College
1 September 2021	Choices day at Reigate College
September 2021	Enrolment at East Surrey College: 27 August 2021 – 3 September 2021 Enrolment interviews at Reigate College: 2 & 3 September 2021
September 2021	Term starts East Surrey College: 6 September 2021 (tbc) Reigate College: 10 September 2021



## VACANCIES

### FINANCE ASSISTANT

*Reigate School*



Reigate School is looking to appoint a Finance Assistant to provide financial administrative support.

This is a part time role working 18 hours per week, 41 weeks per annum (term time plus an additional 2 weeks).

The full time equivalent annual salary is £19,695 – £21,816, which equates to a pro rata annual salary of £8,906 - £9,865.

Previous finance/accounting and administrative experience is essential. Candidates should also have excellent IT skills, have a flexible and adaptable approach to working, and excellent time management and organisational skills.

The closing date for applications is 9am on Friday 12th February 2021. However please be advised applications will be considered upon receipt.

Reigate School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of our children and the successful candidate will be required to undertake an enhanced DBS check.

Further details can be found at <https://www.eteach.com/job/finance-assistant-1130639>

Our application form can be found on the website [www.reigate-school.surrey.sch.uk](http://www.reigate-school.surrey.sch.uk) or you may contact the school by telephone - 01737 243166.

## R&BE ACTIVE FEBRUARY HALF TERM ACTIVITIES

Keep the kids active this half term with a daily dance/drama workshop for 6-11 year olds from one of Reigate and Banstead's fantastic local providers. All sessions will take place via Zoom, so you will need a phone/tablet/laptop, an internet connection and space to move around in to take part.

- Street dance with Urban Play
- Harry Potter/The Descendants workshop with Reigate School of Ballet
- Friendship drama workshop with Orbit Shed Theatre Group
- David Walliams Code Name Bananas workshop with Star Steppers
- Cheerleading workshop with Zapphire School of Dance

Please visit [www.reigate-banstead.gov.uk/schoolhols](http://www.reigate-banstead.gov.uk/schoolhols) to view the timetable.

**Special offer** - If you book five sessions for one child you only need to pay £15. Please note, this offer is only valid if all five sessions are attended. The fifth session will be chargeable if you are unable to attend.

We look forward to seeing you!

**Reigate & Banstead**  
**BOROUGH COUNCIL**  
Banstead | Horley | Redhill | Reigate



# SURREY URGENTLY NEEDS MORE FOSTER CARERS

**Do you have a spare room?  
Could you open your home  
and heart to a child?**

Have you considered fostering? Meet a foster family in your local area and hear about their experiences.

Email foster carer **Cindy** at **[Cindyajmorris@gmail.com](mailto:Cindyajmorris@gmail.com)** for more information and/or to request to join the online event.

Call **07851654544** if you have trouble joining the event!

Find out more about fostering: **[www.surreycc.gov.uk/fostering](http://www.surreycc.gov.uk/fostering)**



**Tuesday  
9<sup>th</sup> February 7:45pm**

**Friday  
26<sup>th</sup> March 7:45pm**

**Thursday  
8<sup>th</sup> April 3pm (half term)**



## NOTICES

For children aged between 11 and 19 there is a ChatHealth Service available provided by the Surrey School Nursing Service.

For more information please visit the website  
<https://childrenshealthsurrey.nhs.uk/ChatHealth>



## NOTICES



# Get into Teaching Virtual Information Seminars



**"What we instil in our children will be the foundations upon which they build their futures"**

**Steve Maraboli**

**There has never been a better time to become a teacher. Your classroom is where it all happens – excitement, discovery, awe and wonder. You'll need to be ready for a challenge, be capable of contributing to a team of committed professionals and want to make the most from a career that grows and develops with you.**

If you are considering a career in teaching and would like to find out more about this amazing profession, then come along to one of our **Virtual Information Seminars** where you will be able to:

- Gain a better understanding of the routes into teaching, the application process, funding options and gaining school experience.
- Learn about teacher training with the i2 Teaching Partnership SCITT, our locations across Surrey, Hampshire, Berkshire and Middlesex, and how to apply.
- Ask questions to our panel of teaching and recruitment professionals.

**Wednesday 10th February 7.00pm to 8.00pm**  
**Thursday 18th March 7.00pm to 8.00pm**  
**Wednesday 21st April 7.00pm to 8.00pm**

To find out more and book your place please visit our website:  
<https://www.i2ipartnership.co.uk/443/upcoming-events>

text 'Teach' to 80011  
or contact Krissy Taylor at [ktaylor@weytonschoo.surrey.sch.uk](mailto:ktaylor@weytonschoo.surrey.sch.uk)

## SAFEGUARDING



Thinkuknow is an education programme from the National Crime Agency's CEOP Command. Since 2006, Thinkuknow has been keeping children and young people safe by providing education about sexual abuse and sexual exploitation. Thinkuknow is unique. It is underpinned by the latest intelligence about child sex offending from CEOP Command. Thinkuknow aims to ensure that everyone has access to this practical information – children, young people, their parents and carers and the professionals who work with them. Alongside the Thinkuknow website the programme provides educational resources, including films, cartoons and lesson plans, to help parent/carers and professionals raise young people's awareness. <https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk>

## CAREERS

We have a careers section on the school website which contains useful information regarding college open events, up and coming careers events at Reigate School, details regarding apprenticeships and how to search and apply for them along with links to useful websites. There is also a link to a quiz which is fun to take and will give children an idea of what kind of careers will suit their personalities. Go to Academic-Careers or Academic-Option at post 16 for details of local college open events. Below are some other very useful websites which have plenty of information regarding further education, apprenticeships and careers choices plus interview techniques and many other tips.



[www.barclayslifeskills.com](http://www.barclayslifeskills.com)



[www.apprenticeships.org.uk](http://www.apprenticeships.org.uk)



[www.allaboutschoollleavers.co.uk](http://www.allaboutschoollleavers.co.uk)



[www.notgoingtouni.co.uk](http://www.notgoingtouni.co.uk)



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