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Letter from the
Chief Executive of EdAct

Dr S M Tranter

Dear Parents and carers,

This time of year can be a very difficult period for us to keep our children motivated to work hard. The prospect of the Christmas holidays at the end of a long term, dark nights and increasingly dark mornings and the challenges that we are all facing with train strikes, increasing congestion on our roads and of course, worries over the cost of living.

If you and your family are experiencing serious hardship, then please do not hesitate to contact your child's Progress Lead and we will do what we can to help. I appreciate that this will be a difficult thing to do but assure you that any approach will be treated in the strictest confidence. Free school meals make a huge difference as well as being one less thing to worry about. Also, we have a large amount of pre-worn school uniform. If you need new school uniform for your child then do let us know. If you have uniform that is outgrown, then you can swap it for a larger size at school. All we ask is that pre-worn uniform is brought to us clean and ready for another child to wear.

I am concerned by the amount of homework that some children are doing. It would be very helpful if as a parent, you were able to check the work your child has done. Show My Homework is on our website and you can view the work your child has been set. If you need help navigating around the site, let us know and we will show you. If you think your child is spending too much time on their homework please also let us know, as we think a balance is important. The students of our school, when they take GCSE and A level examinations, are competing for the grades and places in colleges, universities and for jobs. Every child at our school has the ability to succeed and the extra that comes from doing homework makes a huge difference.

Yours sincerely,

Dr S M Tranter
Chief Executive of EdAct

IMPORTANT EXAMINATION INFORMATION

Pre-Public Examinations Three (Year 11) and Pre-Public Examinations 1 (Sixth Form)

Below is the timetable for Year 11 PPE3 and Sixth Form PPE1 examinations; copies of which will be found in the exams sections on the school website and will also be displayed around school. Individual Candidate Timetables will be sent to students and parents through In Touch, so students will need to check their emails.

Students will be attending lessons as normal when not sitting an exam.

EXPECTATIONS FOR STUDENTS

- Make sure you check the seating plans posted in the playground in case there is a change of room for your exam (line up in the playground at least 15 minutes before the start time)
- Bring all the equipment you will need for the exam [black pens, pencils, ruler, calculator (where allowed), protractor, compasses]
- Full school uniform/smart business wear needs to be worn, with IDs placed on the exam desk
- Make sure you understand the rules
- Mobile phones/ watches, or any other product with potential technological/web enabled sources of information must be switched off and put in bags. **Any student found with such a device on them in an exam room will face disqualification from that exam**
- Any pencil cases taken into the exam room must be see-through
- Only small water bottles will be allowed into the exam room and must have all labels removed

You must not take into the exam room:

- notes
- a calculator case/instruction leaflet

Listen to the invigilators and follow their instructions during the exam.

Good luck with your revision and the exams!

Ms G Boniface

Examinations Manager

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Next Week:

Date	Start	Length	Component Title	Cands
Mon 28 Nov 2022	08:30	All Day	In Year Admission Tests	7 ?
Wed 30th Nov 2022	08:30	12:05	Year 11 Hospitality & Catering Practical (Bury)	20
Wed 30th Nov 2022	12:05	16:00	Year 11 Hospitality & Catering Practical (Camb)	23



Date	Start	Len	Component Title	Cands
Tue 22 Nov 22	08:30	all day	GCSE Art - Day 1	42
Tue 22 Nov 22	08:30	all day	GCSE Photography - Day 1	44
Wed 23 Nov 22	08:30	all day	GCSE Art - Day 2	42
Wed 23 Nov 22	08:30	all day	GCSE Photography - Day 2	44
Mon 5 Dec 22	08:30	01:30	App Gen Sci: Unit 1	7
Mon 5 Dec 22	08:30	02:00	GCSE Computer Science P1	35
Mon 5 Dec 22	08:30	01:00	GCSE French Writing F	6
Mon 5 Dec 22	08:30	01:00	GCSE French Writing H	19
Mon 5 Dec 22	08:30	02:00	GCSE History P1	40
Mon 5 Dec 22	08:30	01:45	GCSE Sociology P1/P2	61
Mon 5 Dec 22	08:30	01:25	GCSE Turkish Writing H	53
Mon 5 Dec 22	08:30	01:30	Hospitality & Catering Unit 1	43
Mon 5 Dec 22	08:30	02:00	Y12 English Literature	20
Mon 5 Dec 22	13:40	02:15	A Level History - Paper 1	5
Mon 5 Dec 22	13:40	02:00	A Level Physics - Paper 1	10
Mon 5 Dec 22	13:40	01:30	BTEC H&SC Unit 2 Y13	21
Mon 5 Dec 22	13:40	01:00	BTEC L2 ICT Unit 1	17
Mon 5 Dec 22	13:40	02:00	GCSE D&T Product Design	41
Mon 5 Dec 22	13:40	01:45	GCSE Drama Written Paper	43
Mon 5 Dec 22	13:40	01:00	GCSE French Writing F	10
Mon 5 Dec 22	13:40	01:00	GCSE French Writing H	19
Tue 6 Dec 22	08:30	02:00	A Level Maths: Pure	15
Tue 6 Dec 22	08:30	02:40	A Level Turkish Paper 1	8
Tue 6 Dec 22	08:30	01:30	AS Psychology Paper 1	23
Tue 6 Dec 22	08:30	03:00	BTEC Business U2 - Developing a Marketing Campaign	31
Tue 6 Dec 22	08:30	01:30	GCSE Geography P1	131
Tue 6 Dec 22	08:30	02:00	GCSE History P1	119
Tue 6 Dec 22	13:40	01:30	AS Chemistry - Paper 1	23
Tue 6 Dec 22	13:40	01:00	BTEC ICT Unit 1	10
Tue 6 Dec 22	13:40	01:45	GCSE Biology H	60
Tue 6 Dec 22	13:40	01:15	GCSE Comb Sci: Biology F	94
Tue 6 Dec 22	13:40	01:15	GCSE Comb Sci: Biology H	102
Wed 7 Dec 22	08:30	02:00	A Level Computer Science Paper 1	8
Wed 7 Dec 22	08:30	02:30	A Level French Listening Reading & Writing	5
Wed 7 Dec 22	08:30	02:15	A Level Geography - Paper 1	6
Wed 7 Dec 22	08:30	02:00	A Level Sociology - Paper 1	9
Wed 7 Dec 22	08:30	03:00	BTEC ICT Unit 2 Pt A	14
Wed 7 Dec 22	08:30	01:45	GCSE Religion & Life P1/P2	257

Date	Start	Len	Component Title	Cands
Wed 7 Dec 22	13:40	02:00	A Level Maths: Applied	15
Wed 7 Dec 22	13:40	02:45	A Level Turkish Paper 2	8
Wed 7 Dec 22	13:40	01:30	AS Biology - Paper 1	20
Wed 7 Dec 22	13:40	01:30	GCSE Maths Paper 1F	137
Wed 7 Dec 22	13:40	01:30	GCSE Maths Paper 1F (Sixth Form)	10
Wed 7 Dec 22	13:40	01:30	GCSE Maths Paper 1H	120
Thu 8 Dec 22	08:30	02:00	A Level Economics Paper 1	25
Thu 8 Dec 22	08:30	01:45	GCSE English Literature	257
Thu 8 Dec 22	08:30	01:00	Sport - Unit 3	7
Thu 8 Dec 22	13:20	01:30	A Level Computer Science Paper 2	8
Thu 8 Dec 22	13:20	02:00	A Level French Writing	5
Thu 8 Dec 22	13:20	02:15	A Level Geography - Paper 2	6
Thu 8 Dec 22	13:20	02:00	A Level Sociology - Paper 2/3	9
Thu 8 Dec 22	13:20	02:00	BTEC ICT Unit 2 Pt B	14
Thu 8 Dec 22	13:20	01:00	BTEc Media L2	17
Fri 9 Dec 22	08:30	01:30	A Level History - Paper 2	5
Fri 9 Dec 22	08:30	02:00	A Level Physics - Paper 2	10
Fri 9 Dec 22	08:30	01:30	AS Biology - Paper 2	20
Fri 9 Dec 22	08:30	01:30	GCSE Maths Paper 2F	137
Fri 9 Dec 22	08:30	01:30	GCSE Maths Paper 2F (Sixth Form)	10
Fri 9 Dec 22	08:30	01:30	GCSE Maths Paper 2H	120
Fri 9 Dec 22	13:40	01:30	AS Chemistry - Paper 2	23
Fri 9 Dec 22	13:40	01:45	GCSE Chemistry H	60
Fri 9 Dec 22	13:40	01:15	GCSE Comb Sci: Chemistry F	94
Fri 9 Dec 22	13:40	01:15	GCSE Comb Sci: Chemistry H	102
Mon 12 Dec 22	08:30	02:30	A Level English Literature	9
Mon 12 Dec 22	08:30	01:30	BTEC H&SC Unit 1 Y12	21
Mon 12 Dec 22	08:30	01:45	GCSE Computer Science P2	35
Mon 12 Dec 22	08:30	00:45	GCSE French Reading F	6
Mon 12 Dec 22	08:30	00:45	GCSE French Reading H	19
Mon 12 Dec 22	08:30	02:00	GCSE History P2	40
Mon 12 Dec 22	08:30	01:05	GCSE Turkish Reading H	53
Mon 12 Dec 22	13:40	02:00	A Level Chemistry - Paper 1	15
Mon 12 Dec 22	13:40	02:15	A Level Geography Y12 Paper 1/2	10
Mon 12 Dec 22	13:40	01:30	App Gen Sci: Unit 4	10
Mon 12 Dec 22	13:40	01:45	AS French Paper 1 Listening	4
Mon 12 Dec 22	13:40	01:30	AS Physics - Paper 1	13
Mon 12 Dec 22	13:40	00:45	GCSE French Reading F	10
Mon 12 Dec 22	13:40	00:45	GCSE French Reading H	19
Mon 12 Dec 22	13:40	02:15	Y12 History - Paper 1	14

Date	Start	Len	Component Title	Cands
Tue 13 Dec 22	08:30	02:00	A Level Psychology - Paper 1	29
Tue 13 Dec 22	08:30	02:00	AS Mathematics Paper 1	37
Tue 13 Dec 22	08:30	01:30	GCSE Geography P2	131
Tue 13 Dec 22	08:30	02:00	GCSE History P2	119
Tue 13 Dec 22	08:30	01:30	L3 Mathematical Studies Paper1	3
Tue 13 Dec 22	13:40	02:00	A Level Biology - Paper 1	19
Tue 13 Dec 22	13:40	01:45	GCSE English Language 1	257
Wed 14 Dec 22	08:30	02:15	A Level Geography Paper 3	6
Wed 14 Dec 22	08:30	01:30	AS Further Maths Paper 1	2
Wed 14 Dec 22	08:30	01:30	AS Sociology P1	9
Wed 14 Dec 22	08:30	02:00	BTEC Business U3 - Personal & Business Finance	18
Wed 14 Dec 22	08:30	01:15	GCSE Comb Sci: Physics F	94
Wed 14 Dec 22	08:30	01:15	GCSE Comb Sci: Physics H	102
Wed 14 Dec 22	08:30	01:45	GCSE Physics H	60
Wed 14 Dec 22	08:30	02:00	Y12 Economics Paper 1	27
Wed 14 Dec 22	13:40	01:20	AS Mathematics Paper 2	37
Wed 14 Dec 22	13:40	01:30	GCSE Maths Paper 3F	137
Wed 14 Dec 22	13:40	01:30	GCSE Maths Paper 3F (Sixth Form)	10
Wed 14 Dec 22	13:40	01:30	GCSE Maths Paper 3H	120
Wed 14 Dec 22	13:40	01:30	L3 Mathematical Studies Paper2	3
Thu 15 Dec 22	08:30	02:00	A Level Psychology - Paper 2	29
Thu 15 Dec 22	08:30	02:30	A Level Turkish Y12 Paper 1	16
Thu 15 Dec 22	08:30	01:00	GCSE Geography P3	131
Thu 15 Dec 22	08:30	01:30	Y12 Computer Science Paper 1	8
Thu 15 Dec 22	13:20	00:45	GCSE Turkish Listening H	53
Fri 16 Dec 22	08:30	02:00	A Level Chemistry - Paper 2	15
Fri 16 Dec 22	08:30	02:15	A Level History - Paper 3 31	5
Fri 16 Dec 22	08:30	01:30	AS French Paper2 Writing	4
Fri 16 Dec 22	08:30	01:30	AS Physics - Paper 2	13
Fri 16 Dec 22	08:30	01:45	Y10 Religion & Life Paper 1/2	264
Fri 16 Dec 22	08:30	01:30	Y12 History - Paper 2	14
Fri 16 Dec 22	13:40	02:00	A Level Biology - Paper 2	19
Fri 16 Dec 22	13:40	00:35	GCSE French Listening F	16
Fri 16 Dec 22	13:40	00:35	GCSE French Listening H	

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CELEBRATING SUCCESS IN THE MODERN FOREIGN LANGUAGES FACULTY

KS3 - French

Bienvenue to our new Year 7 students!

Many students are already shining this first term. **Please encourage all to embrace language learning as it is a true asset for their future studies and careers.**

Please especially congratulate the following students for making such a good start to the year:

Year 7

Abiyaan Butt, Godric Danso, Zerya Kalay, Helena Hoshin, Anishka Moosary, Adem Katircioglu, Samera Nishat, Brianna Ognbole, Nyla Roucou, Zofia Rozek, Larenna Sechei, Metehan Sevinch, Gulderen Soyirgaz, Niah Thompson-Shakes, Salma Yusuf, Isabella Sechei, Bilal Samin, Shirah-Mae

Osheku, Farhaan Khodabocus, Rayhana Emin, Naz Acikyildiz, Tahani Shegow, Millie Huckle, Elirida Muhaj, Tahseen Ali, Amisha Persaud, Huda Salad, Yosheb Bombatu, Hafsa Abdi, Andrea Agyeman, Masal Su Ceritli, Joshua Nkosi, Ela Yazgili

Year 8

Victoria Pietrzak, Maria Chowdhury, Leo He, Syed Hussain, Aammar Khan, Esa Khan, Jayden Le, Victor Zlatev, Maysa-Ana-Maria Todoran, Yeliz Mustafa, Gresarta Koka, Jodean Robinson, Soumaya Homer, Olivia Sesay, Ali Taaha, Greta Bulku, Alliyah Campbell Ghanti, Bence Eversley, Alibaran Akdogan, Briyon Krasniqi, Arsejda Buzani, Kara Lee Shue Ling, Olga Szutkiewicz, Zara Uddin.

Both Year 7 and Year 8 students are invited in the Christmas card competition. Please submit your cards to your French teacher by Friday 16th December. The top 3 cards will receive a **prize!**

Year 8 students are invited to share their research about Paris which is our context this half term. Please contribute to our wonderful display of work.



French culture
Invitation spéciale

Let us go beyond the most common stereotypes and find out more about French-speaking cultures!

KS3 students: Please engage with the competitions and special cultural activities offered.

Year 7 Cambridge Campus

Join Ms Pivert in C155 on Thursday Break 2 for a French movie club this half term.

TURKISH NEWSPAPER CLUB

Come and join Mrs Osman's Turkish Newspaper Club!



Our aim in the newspaper club is to increase the understanding of Turkish-speaking Y7 students to the events in the world and to enable them to express their feelings and thoughts in the face of these events.

It is also to develop thinking, research, and organizational abilities. Topics will be environmental awareness, endangered animals, music, books, and technology. Since the articles will be in both English and Turkish, they will have the opportunity to improve themselves in both languages.

The in-school sessions will run from 3:00pm - 4:00pm every Wednesday starting on 11th January 2023 till 15th February 2023 in C150 on the Cambridge Campus.

KS5 Turkish – Research Writing

During this term, the year 12 students have developed an interest in inspiring and engaging themes, such as the culture of Turkey and Cyprus. The continuous progression that the students have portrayed, builds on the understanding of developed skills at Key Stage 4 and gives students the opportunity to learn and apply important transferable skills in critical thinking and analysis, enabling them to make a smooth transition to the next level of study. A reading and writing question based on an aspect of the student's chosen research subject enables students to read a text and then answer a question, incorporating information and ideas from both the text and their research findings. Some of the significant topics we have studied include migration and integration, employment, and unemployment. Aside from developing their self-awareness concerning their writing, the students revealed that process writing had contributed to specific aspects of their understanding concerning grammar, standards for academic writing, and use of language. providing detailed written feedback throughout the stages of planning, drafting, and editing a text has improved the student's ability to build on their skills in research writing.



KS5 Turkish – Film Study

While studying film studies, we have covered the film called 'Dedemin insanları' (My Grandpa's People) is a very successful drama on the people who were forced to migrate from their own lands, as well as a touch to a certain historic period & a town in the western Turkey. It has always been a drama to hear the stories of both the Greek people & the Turkish people who were forced to leave their origins at the end of the First World War. Millions of them. The Turks who migrated to Turkey were always recognized as Greeks, as well as the Greeks who migrated to Greece were recognized as Turks. The movie is all around a family whose grandpa is migrated from Crete, and the town they live in. There's always a hope for the grandpa to visit his origins, but he actually doesn't want to, and leave his memories as they are.





Jack Petchey Achievement Awards November 2022

The Jack Petchey Achievement awards are given every year to students who have done something that needs to be recognised and rewarded within our school community.

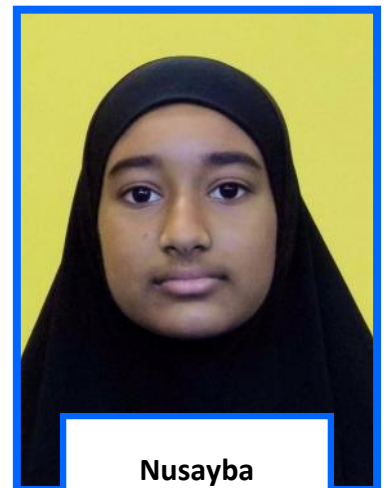
The following students have been selected by their teachers to win an award for their achievements and dedication at school and they are all very deserving winners.

Nusayba Bint-Mumin - Year 9 Bury

Reason for award:

Nusayba is a talented student who can write long, complex and accurate paragraph on any topics. Her pronunciation and intonation have improved massively in Year 8 and she capable of guessing the pronunciation of complex words using phonics. She manipulates the language to express herself in detail. She has developed coping strategies to improve her ability: she can guess words within a context. She reuses verbs and vocabulary enabling her to remember a vast list of words. I can have a conversation with her about any topic. She can link family of words such as verbs, adjectives and nouns.

Finally, Nuseyba enjoys French music and French cooking. She regularly posts some links on SMHW to share what she is interested in.



**Nusayba
Bint-Mumin**

Zeynep Altun - Year 10 Cambridge

Reason for award:

Zeynep always arrives to DT lessons with a smile on her face. She is kind, courteous and enjoys helping her peers and staff with any task. Since picking DT for her GCSE, Zeynep has grown in confidence and shares her ideas as part of group or class discussions. Zeynep also enjoys a challenge, she will regularly attempt the hardest work set in order to make progress and improve, asking questions of what more she can do.

Zeynep is also an excellent ambassador for ECS, in the recent Open Evening she volunteered to come and assist with welcoming Year 6 students and their families to the DT workshop. She showed the students around and shared with them key points about the KS3 curriculum and invited them to make some products. Using her own initiative, she checked if they were more confident with Turkish and used her bilingual skills to share the same information in Turkish if this was preferred by the Year 6 students and their families.



Zeynep Altun



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Olivia Gardiner - Year 11 Cambridge



Olivia Gardiner

Reason for award:

Olivia is a very dedicated student who works hard but at the same time looks out for other students. She is always willing to help and support others when every she can. Olivia shares her thoughts and ideas when completing creative projects with others. She is a very creative person and takes time to present her ideas and thoughts in a very unique way.

Always polite and encouraging in whatever she does and works hard to achieve her goals.

A very determined young student and we wish her well in her future achievements

**CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL THE WINNERS WHO WILL ATTEND
THE JACK PETCHEY AWARDS CEREMONY IN
THE SPRING TERM 2023.**

Sir Jack Petchey



Ms J Shilvock
Head of Expressive Arts Faculty
Jack Petchey Co-ordinator

Secondary Assemblies – w/c: 28th November 2022

	Bury Campus - Hall	Cambridge Campus—Hall
Monday 28th November	Year 7	Year 7
Tuesday 29th November	Year 8	Year 8
Wednesday 30th November	Year 9	Year 9
Thursday 1st December		
Friday 2nd December		

Top Tutor Groups For Attendance W/C 14th November 2022



9B4 - 97.5%

7C1 - 96.9%



Overall Bury Attendance - 92.7%

Overall Cambridge Attendance - 91.8%



Sixth Form Best Attendance W/C 14th November 2022

Cambridge - 12D- 95.4%

Bury - 13D - 85%

Overall Year 12 Attendance - 92.4%

Overall Year 13 Attendance - 81.3%



Well done and keep up the good work!!
Miss M Labiche - Student Manager - Cambridge Campus

