

Calling Dads, Stepdads and Grandads

Monday 12th June 4:30pm-5:30pm

Nationally research shows that often Mums read more to their children than Dads. However, the importance & impact of fathers & male carers reading to children should never be underestimated.

Harry Kane, Ariana Grande or your child's teacher can all be role-models, but the greatest role-models for children are their parents/carers. Research shows that being a reading role-model has a significant impact on children's language development & outcomes in Year 11.

Find out how you can support your child to develop their reading & vocabulary with our Dads, Stepdads, Grandads etc Reading Workshop.

Supporting Your Child's Reading for Parents

Monday 27th March 4:30pm-5:30pm

Led by L Martin, supporting your child to develop as a reader. Research shows reading increases your vocabulary and comprehension, reduces stress and prevents cognitive decline as you age. This session will discuss how children and young people learn to read well, and will share strategies for supporting reluctant and struggling readers at home.

Supporting Numeracy

Monday 20th March 4:30pm-5:30pm

Led by E Hutchinson, in this session, we will be looking at ways that all parents can support the development of numeracy with their children. We will also look at how we build on the learning from Primary School and support students who are finding maths more challenging. If you would like to find out more please come along.

T Levels & Apprenticeships

Monday 19th June 4:30pm-5:30pm

What are these qualifications and why should your young person consider them as an option? Led by Charity Hunt & BTC Exploring the similarities and differences between these two Post-16 qualifications, this session will help you to support your young person with their next steps.

International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme

Monday 24th April 4:30pm-5:30pm

A prestigious Post-16 qualification but what is it? Led by Charity Hunt & BTC The International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme is a two-year educational programme primarily aimed at 16-to-19-year-olds in 140 countries around the world. The programme provides an internationally accepted qualification for entry into higher education and is recognized by many universities worldwide.

Supporting Teenage Mental Health

Monday 13th March 4:30pm-5:30pm

Children's Mental Health Led by Billie Kerr from Tellmi.

Tellmi is a new app designed by the NHS to support students' mental health from both professionals as well as peers. Billie will lead a session on mental health, strategies to support and how the app can support our young people.

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Supporting Ambition for HPA Students

Monday 22nd May 4:30pm-5:30pm

In this session, we will be looking at different strategies for how to increase and maintain aspirations for our most able students. How can you start those conversations about dreaming big, how can you support when there is a wobble in confidence or those plans might need to change, and how to support through exam stress to ensure that our most able students continue to aim high.

Addressing Misogyny-“Toxic Masculinity”

Monday 15th May 4:30pm-5:30pm

Addressing Misogyny, led by S Westwood- Misogyny what is it? How can we in society address it? Why is so important to address? How do we educate all genders? This workshop will present the questions, share research findings, have discussions and give practical strategies home and school can use.

We will also discuss social media and it's influences, both positive and negative.

IT Skills for Parents

Monday 24th April 4:30pm-5:30pm

This session is led by T Hold. A brief overview of the school's IT systems including RUnify, ClassCharts, the school website and Oak National Academy. An introduction to the systems the school uses for any less 'tech savvy' parents.

Child Exploitation

Wednesday 1st March 4:30pm-5:30pm

We'd like to invite you to a Webinar "***It is never going to happen to my child...***" which aims to raise awareness of the criminal, sexual exploitation of children, use of social media apps and gaming. The session will be run by Operation TOPAZ from Avon and Somerset Constabulary.

Content:

- Overview of online risks.
- Exploitation of children online/offline.
- Top tips on starting a conversation with your child about the exploitation/grooming and how to work together to use the internet safely.

The session at Court Fields School in the Main Hall.

Supporting School Based Anxiety

Monday 13th March 4:40pm-5:40pm

EBSA led by K Canham and S Westwood Supporting Emotional School Based Avoidance. This session will discuss reasons for school absence, strategies to support both at home and school, and how to actively support your child's attendance.

Harmful Sexual Behaviour

Monday 5th June 4:30pm-5:30pm

Harmful Sexual Behaviour Led by S Westwood & Police
This session is designed to look at a range of harmful sexual behaviours that can affect both teenagers and younger. Following the Ofsted review we will support parents/carers to develop a greater understanding, how we can support our young people and understand the laws and rights.

Online Safety and Anti-Violence

Monday 17th April 4:30pm-6:00pm

Online Safety and Anti-Violence, led by T Hold, S Westwood & Local Police.

Support parents/carers to navigate the world of online and social media. We will have practical tips and advice to educate our students, as well as keeping them safe

Thank you to the organisations supporting us with our workshops this term.

If you have any ideas for workshops we could run in the Autumn term, please email the school office.

