



## Parent Bulletin Week Commencing 26<sup>th</sup> February Week B

### Notices:

- **All Years:** You may have seen recent media attention about mobile phones in schools. This is a timely reminder of our policy: a student's phone is not allowed to be seen or heard during the school day without permission from a member of staff. Student's are allowed to use them to and from school. Should a student need to contact their parent/carer during the school day, this can be done through Student Services. Please support us with this by not contacting your child during the day. If you need to get an urgent message to your child during the school day then please contact student services.
- **All Years:** We would like to welcome our new Librarian, Mrs Barker-Harold, who started earlier this term. Her first 'library newsletter' can be found on our website through the link to the letters page below.
- **Year 11:** As we near the year 11 and 13 exams, the document on the school's website letters page (linked below) is a useful reminder about what makes a good reviser compared to a poor reviser. If your child needs any help with their revision techniques, please ask them to talk to their form tutor in the first instance and we can support them with this.
- **Years 7-10 Change of PE uniform:** Please see a letter on the website updating parents on the phased changes to the PE uniform from our new supplier from September 2024.

### Safeguarding:

Do check out all the support out there, as listed on the Mental Health Z Card. This is a Gloucestershire publication, but a lot of the agencies/charities are national and will apply to families living in Swindon, Wiltshire and Oxfordshire too. Click [here](#).

### Letters to parents: [here](#)

- Calendar term dates and school day- [here](#)
- Clubs and Activities poster spring term- [here](#)
- Library newsletter
- **Year 11:** Good Reviser Guide.
- **Years 7-10:** Change of PE Uniform.