

Friday 11 October

PARENT WEEKLY BULLETIN

WEEK
BEGINNING
7/10/2019
WEEK 2

MONDAY 7 October TUESDAY 8 October WEDNESDAY 9 October Y11 & Y13 Parents Evening booking system goes live THURSDAY 10 October

PD Day

School closed

DIARY DATES—WEEK BEGINNING 7 October 2019

WEEKLY NUMERACY PROBLEM



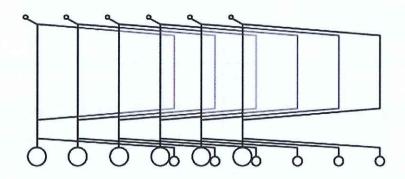
INSTRUCTIONS

Questions and previous week's solution will be shared on a Monday.

Solutions should be placed in the box by the main reception with students name and tutor group clearly written.

Correct solutions will be awarded points.

In a supermarket, there are two lines of tightly packed trolleys. The first line has ten trolleys and is 2.9 m long. The second line has twenty trolleys and is 4.9 m long. What is the length of one trolley, in m?



Year 11 after school revision 19-20. Autumn term

Mon	Art & Photography, Business Studies	
Tues	Maths	
Wed		
Thurs	R.E. 2.45—3.30pm	
Fri	Art & Photography	



Transport to central locations is available for PP students.

Students must book transport at the main office 24hours in advance. Students will be charged for

transport that is booked but not used.



LAST WEEK'S NUMERACY SOLUTION

Answer: 4015

$$1 - 2 + 3 - 4 + 5 - 6 + \dots + (n-2) - (n-1) + n$$

Add 1 for each odd number $\therefore n$ is the 2008th odd number Which is $2008 \times 2 - 1 = 4015$

PD DAY REMINDER

A reminder that
Friday

11th October is a
PD day and the
school will be
closed.

for
Year 11 & Year 13

commence on
Monday 30th
September.

You can view your
child's assessment
schedule via Edulink.

PLEASE MAKE SURE THAT THE SCHOOL HAS A CORRECT PARENT EMAIL ADDRESS IN ORDER FOR YOU TO ACCESS THE EDULINK COMMUNICATION SYSTEM.

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READING CLUB

Reading club is available every day after school,

2.40—3.10pm, for any student that wishes to stay or is waiting to be picked up from school. This takes place in the main forum area. Students must bring their book and read silently.

Pastoral

The pastoral team have the following intervention courses about to start in school. These are small groups looking at specific needs. For year 10 and 11's these will be offered on a 1-1 basis.

If you feel your child would benefit from any of the following please contact the pastoral team as soon as possible.

Building positive Friendships
Anger Management
Behaviour and emotions
Self-esteem and Confidence
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The homework club will run between 2.40pm and 4.30pm Monday to Thursday and 2.40 - 3.30pm on a Friday. During this time your child will have full access to the computers and printers at the school to aid their learning.

The sessions will be supervised by a member of the school leadership team.

If there are any issues with any students regarding behaviour, attendance or poor work ethic then they will not be allowed to attend homework club and parents will be informed.

It is vitally important that all pupils sign in at reception to show they are on site after 2.40pm.

Consequently, any student who is booked into homework club and then chooses to leave school instead of staying on site will have their place removed. As you will appreciate this is for safeguarding reasons.

The cost of the homework club is £50 per term. Any pupil who is in receipt of pupil premium can attend the club without charge but must still complete the slip on the letter.

All monies must be paid on a termly basis by cash or cheque, made payable to Telford & Wrekin Council (this should be placed in an envelope with the child's name and form clearly written on the front). Please note that payments booked are non-refundable.

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN THIS FACILITY, PLEASE ASK YOUR CHILD TO REQUEST A LETTER FROM THE OFFICE OR YOU CAN DOWNLOAD A COPY FROM OUR WEBSITE UNDER 'LETTERS'

COMMUNICATIONS BETWEEN PARENTS AND THE SCHOOL

The focus of communications should be to advance student progress either academically or socially.

Parents can communicate by:

- emailing enquiries@holytrinity.academy
- using the 'contact us' form on the website
- calling the main office on 01952 386100
- by writing a note in the student planner

Please do not use systems such as Show My Homework to communicate with staff.

Whatever the form of communication, please provide brief details of the nature of the concern.

The school operates a "Zero Tolerance Policy". Whilst we appreciate that parents may be contacting the school regarding a disagreement, it is essential that the matter is dealt with in a professional manner in order to ensure the best outcome for our students. Abuse and rudeness towards staff will not be tolerated.

Please understand that teachers will need <u>up to 4 working days</u> to respond to communication requests, as schedules are very busy at school and the answer may involve meeting with other teachers who may have valuable input. More complicated issues may take longer to fully and effectively resolve.

Please do not attend school without having previously made an appointment as this can be very difficult to accommodate due to teaching schedules and other meetings before/after school. You can arrange for an appointment via the main school office.

Reception staff will ask for brief details of the nature of the communication in order to direct you to the most appropriate person.

Any major behavioural concerns or urgent safeguarding issues should be dealt with via a phone call to the main office to ensure a quick and positive outcome if required. Urgent safeguarding concerns can be reported to Family Connect on 01952 385385. The Pastoral Team will endeavour to deal with urgent issues as quickly as possible, within 48 hours. Please note the pastoral office closes at 3.30pm.

The subject areas and point of contact for communication should be as follows:

AREA OF CONCERN	FIRST POINT OF CONTACT
ACADEMIC	Subject Teacher
PASTORAL (low level)	Form Tutor
PASTORAL (medium level)	Pastoral
ADDITIONAL EDUCATIONAL NEEDS	SENCo
ADMINISTRATIVE / FINANCIAL / SIMS Parent	School Office
Online	

HOLY TRINITY PARENTS EVENINGS

2019-2020

23 October 2019	Year 11 & Y13	Online booking system opens 9-21 October 2019
26 November	Year 7 Settling In Evening	Online booking system opens 12 – 22 November 2019
15 January 2020	Year 8	Online booking system opens 20 December 2019 – 13 January 2020
3 March 2020	Year 9	Online booking system opens 14 – 28 February 2020
10 June 2020	Year 7	Online booking system opens 22 May – 8 June 2020
8 July 2020	Year 10	Online booking system opens 24 June – 6 July 2020

EDULINKONE COMMUNICATION APP FOR ALL PARENTS

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

It is with great excitement that I write to introduce you to the new key feature of our parent information and communication system. Going forward, we will be using this system to provide you with essential information about your child/children and their lives here at HTA. It will replace, amongst other things, the SIMS Parent's App.

EdulinkOne is a purpose-built communication tool in the form of an iOS and Android App, with support from a website for those unable to access the apps. For security reasons, the app requires an individual parent/carer login username and password. If you have more than one child at the school, you will only require one account, and all your children will be visible through this.

Going forward from September 2019, HTA will be using Edulink as our default communication system, school letters will be published on the app. This will help us towards reducing our carbon footprint.

Please check the email address you have given to us in school – as you will have received an app invite from 'edulink' which will enable you to sign up.

If you require any app support or would like to withdraw your data from the app, please email us on Edulink@holytrinity.academy, alternatively call reception on 01952 386100.





St Georges and Priorslee Parish Council

Community Tidy Up

Wednesday October 16th 4 – 6pm

Meet at the car park by the Dr's on Gatcombe Way

Come along and help make your community a better place. An opportunity for anyone in Priorslee to come together for a litter pick to help clean up your area.

For further details contact audrey.atkinson@stgeorgesandpriorslee-pc.gov.uk

Or call 01952 567700

