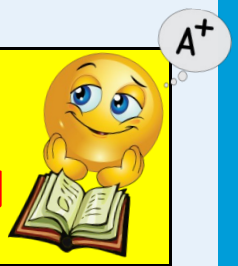
PARENT WEEKLY BULLETIN

WEEK BEGINNING 03/02/2020

WEEK 2



ONLY 11 WEEKS UNTIL PUBLIC EXAMS BEGIN

DIARY DATES—WEEK BEGINNING 3rd February 2020

MONDAY 3 February	House Sports Week
TUESDAY 4 February	Y11 6th Form Interviews
WEDNESDAY 5 February	
THURSDAY 6 February	UKMT Maths Challenge
FRIDAY 7 February	Enrichment

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 student's name and tutor group clearly written.

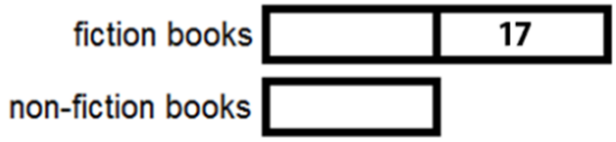
THE PROBLEM:

A group of 36 students are visiting an amusement park. The tickets are $6 for an individual or $30 for a group up to 10 people. What is the minimum amount the group has to pay?

LAST WEEK'S NUMERACY SOLUTION

THE SOLUTION:

Draw a bar diagram to illustrate the situation:



Since all 3 ▭ are the same size, Wei has 17 + 17 + 17 = 51 books.

THE ANSWER: 51 BOOKS

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Week commencing 3rd February—House Sports

Tuesday 4th February—Y11 6th Form Interviews

Friday 7th February—Deadline for Knife Angel Art Competition

Friday 14th February—Deadline for Y8 Option returns

REVISED Year 11 after school revision 19-20

Spring term

Mon	Business Studies, English
Tues	Maths
Wed	R.E. Art 2:40-4:40
Thurs	Science (priority), French, Computer Science, PE Design & Technology 2.40pm – 4.00pm Hospitality & Catering 2.40pm – 4.00pm
Fri	

Transport to central locations is available for PP students.
Students must book transport at the main office 24 hours in advance.

Students will be charged for transport that is booked but not used.

Reminder to Parents

When sending money into school, please ensure that it is in a sealed envelope bearing your child's name and reason, e.g.

Name of Trip / Revision guide etc.

Loose money will not be accepted.

Notice for parents of Pupil Premium students at HTA

Letters have gone out to the parents of our Pupil Premium students in Years 8, 9 and 10, inviting them to informal breakfast meetings to introduce you to key members of staff who will support your child at HTA, share details of the support that your child is entitled to as well as seek your views about how we might best support your child. Technical staff will be available to offer support with Edulink, SMHW, GCSE Pod and the parent's evening booking system. We look forward to seeing you there!

Meeting dates:

Year 10: Tuesday 4th February – 8.30 a.m.

Year 9: Tuesday 25th February - 8.30 a.m.

Year 8: Tuesday 10th March – 8.30 a.m.

Telford and Wrekin Council to take over parking enforcement on 31st January.

Powers to tackle illegal on-street parking in the borough will transfer from West Mercia Police to Telford & Wrekin Council at the end of the month (31 January). From that date, the Council's team of Neighbourhood Enforcement Officers will be able to issue Penalty Charge Notices for parking contraventions.

Parents and staff may have already seen the officers on patrol as they issue warning notices during the educational phase that precedes the adoption of the enforcement powers.

The officers' roles will extend way beyond the issuing of 'parking tickets'; they will also be able to deal with environmental crime such as dog-fouling, littering and fly-tipping.

There is further information on parking enforcement and on how to pay or appeal a fine (if you are unfortunate enough to receive such a notice) via **www.telford.gov.uk/parking**

AFTER-SCHOOL REVISION SESSIONS FOR 11.3 AND 11.4

Mrs Woodvine: English Language Paper One – week 1; room 214

Miss Ford: English Language Paper Two – week 2; room 240

Monday 13th January (WV)	Paper 1 overview Getting full marks on Question 1 – COMPREHENSION
Monday 20th January (EFO)	Paper 2 overview Getting full marks on Question 1 – COMPREHENSION
Monday 27th January (WV)	Paper 1 Question 2 – LANGUAGE
Monday 3rd February (EFO)	Paper 2 Question 2 – SUMMARY AND COMPARISON
Monday 10th February (WV)	Paper 1 Question 3 – STRUCTURE
	HALF TERM
Monday 24th February (EFO)	Paper 2 Question 3 – LANGUAGE
Monday 2nd March (WV)	Paper 1 Question 4 – EVALUATION
Monday 9th March (EFO)	Paper 2 Question 4 – COMPARISON OF VIEWPOINTS
Monday 16th March (WV)	Paper 1 Question 5 – DESCRIPTIVE AND NARRATIVE WRITING
Monday 23rd March (EFO)	Paper 1 Question 5 – WRITING TO EXPRESS A VIEWPOINT
Monday 30th March (WV and EFO)	General revision / last official session.

Any revision sessions provided after Easter will be targeted interventions, and confirmed nearer the time.

Notice to Parents / Carers of Year 11

An English Literature mock report for your child

has been uploaded to Edulink

Y10 Work Experience

Work Experience for Year 10s is from

Monday 6th July to Friday 10th July 2020 inclusive.

Every Year 10 student will be expected to be out of school and placed with an employer where he/she will follow a planned programme of Work Experience involving all the routines of a particular working environment.

When choosing a placement, you should consider the aims of Work Experience, your child's needs and interests and the nature and demands of the placement. If possible, you should avoid working with family and friends and also avoid any holiday or weekend jobs.

Every placement has to be cleared by the Education Business Links for Health and Safety before the start of the Work Experience, so the earlier placements are completed the better. The school itself is not responsible for verifying the placement but if there is a concern regarding its suitability Education Business Links will inform us as soon as possible after receiving the paperwork. It is important to secure a Work Experience placement as early as possible as there will be other Telford & Wrekin schools who will also be trying to secure similar placements.

Work experience forms can be collected from the school office.

Thank you for your support.

A list of previous Work Experience placements which you may find useful can be found at:

http://holytrinity.academy/wp-content/uploads/2020/01/PREVIOUS-WORK-EXPERIENCE-PLACEMENTS.pdf

For details of all Telford & Wrekin leisure activities available during February Half-Term, go to:

http://holytrinity.academy/wp-content/uploads/2020/01/February-Half-Term-2020-activity-brochure-WEB.pdf

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Place2Be's CHILDREN'S MENTAL HEALTH WEEK 3 - 9 FEBRUARY 2020

www.childrensmentalhealthweek.org.uk

Our students will be focussing on this all week in their Tutor Time. For more information visit

https://www.childrensmentalhealthweek.org.uk/

For help and advice, visit

http://holytrinity.academy/wp-content/uploads/2020/01/Anxiety-Booklet-1.pdf

Girls, Try Teen Tennis

After the success of the 'She Rallies' workshop at Telford Tennis Centre, the LTA are running a Teen Girl Tennis course on a Tuesday 4-5pm - only £30 for 6 weeks on the Indoor Courts at the Telford Tennis Centre.

Places can be booked online and first session is free. LTA are particularly targeting Year 7 & 8

If you need any more information please contact Zoe Edwards, LTA She Rallies Ambassador, Zedwards837@gmail.com or her Mobile: 07971 898645

GCSE Design & Technology

Revision guides are available to purchase for Y10 & Y11 students at a cost of £6.00 via ParentPay. The revision guide is specifically written to match the OCR Board specification and is an excellent resource that we strongly recommend all students have.

Dear Parent / Carer

Secure Locker Rentals provides lockers for Holy Trinity Academy, Telford.

The lockers are owned and maintained by Secure Locker Rentals and are available to rent on an annual basis at a cost of £30 per academic year (September to July). However, the first year cost will be pro rata from February to July at £15. The lockers are available to reserve online now and will be available for use following installation after half term in February.

Payment can be made by Paypal, Debit or Credit Card by visiting www.locker.rentals. On receipt of payment, the combination for the lock is sent to you via text or email.

The locker size is as follows:

Height 450 mm

Width 380mm

Depth 500mm

All rentals are subject to our terms and conditions which are available during the booking process.

Please note we are a separate entity from the school and all dealings will be directly with ourselves.

Yours Sincerely

Secure Locker Rentals

YEAR 11 PROM

Thursday 25th June 2020

at 'The Shropshire' Muxton

Don't forget your all important Prom Points by attending Revision Sessions

Arrive: 6.30pm for 7.00pm

Welcome drink

Buffet served at 8.00pm

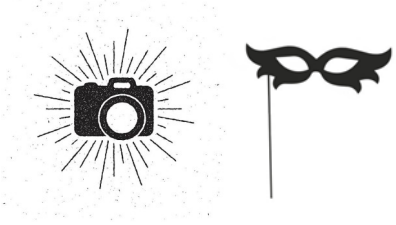
Disco until 10.30pm

£28.00 per person (non-refundable)

Full payment by: Friday 7th February 2020

Cash/Cheque: 'Holy Trinity Academy'

Photo Booth



ARTWORK DESIGN COMPETITION

TELFORD KNIFE ANGEL 2020

Telford and Wrekin are hosting the 'Knife Angel' sculpture at Southwater for the month of March.
This is a hugely prestigious event and to mark the occasion, the Steer Clear Programme are launching an artwork competition for schools to engage children in their programme of work around knife crime.

Year 7-11 pupils in secondary schools are invited to submit artwork to be used in promotional materials and the Steer Clear website.

The full details of the competition together with some supporting material ('Carrying a Knife' and 'Know the Facts') which may assist children and young people in their understanding of the Steer Clear Programme can be found on our website.

Prizes will be awarded for each school's finalist who will then be judged against all finalists from the schools who enter, with 1st, 2nd and 3rd prizes presented on the last day of the Knife Angel sculpture at Telford.

If you would like to take part, please hand your entries in to Mrs Quye by no later than Friday 7th February

See our website for full details:

http://holytrinity.academy/hta-news/knife-angel-artwork-competition/

Victory in Europe Day Celebrations at HTA May 7th 2020

Dear Parents

We would like to take this time to celebrate the 75th anniversary of VE Day. This marks a significant turning point in British History and is an opportunity for reflection and celebration of the sacrifices made by others for our freedom today. Students will be asked to attend school in 1940s themed mufti and take part in a range of celebratory activities throughout the day.

We would welcome your support with these activities. If you have any ideas or suggestions as to how you could help please contact the History department.

Do you have any war memorabilia at home?

Photographs? Artefacts? Uniform?

Would you be willing to allow the history department to display it to commemorate VE day? We are curating an exhibition to commemorate VE Day in May 2020. We would love you to share your family history with us and for you to become part of out celebrations!

The History department are getting creative for VE Day 2020! We will be encouraging students to make their own gas mask box. We have brown paper and string but need small lidded boxes. If you have any please bring them to the History Department.

Wk 4 Hot Meals

MON	Pasta Carbonara Garlic Bread Peas & Peppers	Cauliflower & Broccoli Cheese (V) Garlic Bread	Cherry Crumble
TUE	Chicken Fajita's Sour Cream Dip Salad, Savoury Rice	Chickpea & Vegetable Balti (V) Wholegrain Rice & Naan Bread (GF) (DF)	Pineapple Upside Down Pudding
WED	Chicken Chasseur New Potatoes Carrots & peas	Roast Vegetable & Pepper Wrap Paprika Wedges (DF) (V)	Iced Chocolate Sponge Chocolate Sauce
THU	Battered Fish Chips Mushy Peas, Beans or Curry Sauce	Cheese & Onion Pastie (V)	Jelly or Ice Cream
FRI	Chicken Sagwala (GF) (DF) Whole Grain Rice & Naan Bread Salad, Savoury Rice	Quorn Sausages (V) (GF) Garlic Mash & Tomato Sauce	Fruit Waffle Or Yoghurt

Check out our other counters for the rest of our lunch range

We have a daily range of seasonal vegetables and accompaniments available with every dish.