



March 2024

Swakeleys School for Girls



Dear Families,

As we come to the end of another busy term I hope you enjoy seeing inside all of the things that we have been involved with at school from trips and the school production of Matilda to our first ever Swakeleys Community Lftar. I am delighted to share that we recently received awards for attendance, progress and attainment Further information can be seen inside. It goes without saying how incredibly proud of the school I am.

After Easter we move into exam season and supporting students with revision has been a key focus of our school development plan this year. We have been working closely with our exam classes to ensure that they are fully prepared for their exams and they know what effective revision looks like. We sent out a letter explaining the principles of effective revision so may I suggest that you review this with your child over Easter to ensure that they know how they should prepare for their Year 10 exams, GCSEs or A levels. The main principles of effective revision are that it is active rather than passive and that there is a lot of repetition to ensure information goes from the short to the long term memory. [A link to the full letter can be found by clicking here.](#)

Thank you to those of you who completed the parent view questionnaire. This is a very important piece of information that we will use when we are creating the school development plan for next academic year. Other sources of information include student survey information, staff surveys, the OFSTED framework, student data etc etc. I look forward to sharing the school development plan with you later on in the academic year.

Finally a reminder that if you are interested in becoming a trustee of Swakeleys School for Girls we would love to hear from you. [Please click here to see the letter from our Chair of Trustees.](#)

It is an absolute pleasure to work with the students and staff of Swakeleys. I hope that you all have a restful Easter holiday and I look forward to working with you in the Summer term.

Yours faithfully

Kelda Stevenson

Teacher of the Month February

Mrs Yates
Mrs Braban

Support Staff of the Month February

Miss Nettle
Mrs Pooley

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Performing Arts News

Shakespeare Schools Festival – Richard III

Our talented Year 7 -10 Drama students performed “Richard III” at the Beck Theatre.

As quoted by the organisers – “It was absolutely fantastic and we were so impressed by the professionalism, sophistication and energy of the students' performances. We rarely get to see *Richard III* performed as part of the Festival and so it was fantastic to see such imaginative use of battle choreography, costume and fantastic music choices.”

Congratulations to all involved!- **Mrs Dennis**



Evening of Dance

'Well done to all students who performed in our Evening of Dance which took place in the evening of the 11th March. Students have worked hard on their choreographies and performances since the school production in February. Talent shone through from all year groups between Y7-11, and their professionalism has made our Performing Arts department very proud'. Miss Coking

'I really enjoyed the Evening of Dance and having the opportunity to perform for the school. It was fun as always and it was really nice seeing everyone supporting one another. A fantastic night!' - **Rhianna, Y11 Dance Ambassador**

Matilda 2024

The Performing Arts department hosted a two night run of “Matilda”. It was absolutely amazing to see students from Year 7 to 13 take to the stage to demonstrate their skills in dancing, singing and acting. It was also fantastic to see students getting involved with sound, lighting, photography and set design. A big congratulations to all those that participated. Next year could it be you? Watch this space for information about next year's show! Mrs Dennis

Matilda was an utterly extraordinary experience. From auditioning in October to performing the show last month, being a part of the Matilda team was truly incredible. We thoroughly enjoyed interacting with other year groups, and watching Matilda back at the wrap party was a great reflection of our hard work and dedication. Well done to everyone involved! - **Uma and Malika , Y10 Music Ambassadors**



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VIAM



Members of the Vocal Group had the opportunity to take part in the "Voice in A Million Concert 2024" at Wembley Arena. The concert aims to raise awareness and money for the millions of orphaned or abandoned children that need a loving and secure family for life. The event provided an incredible experience to sing and dance at a professional venue. Well done to all those that took part! - **Mrs Dennis**



Year 12 Brilliant Club Graduation Monday 26th February 2024

On Monday 26th February, twelve of our year 12 pupils were invited to attend their graduation from the Brilliant Club Scholars Programme. The day began with a tour of Brasenose College, University of Oxford, with current students. They attended information, advice and guidance sessions, and celebrated their achievements at a graduation ceremony at Oxford Town Hall. This was all to mark the successful completion of their Brilliant Club project, having achieved an impressive set of results, including two First Class and eight 2:1 grades. Since October their tutor Ushemegbe Rita Ekhareafa, a PhD researcher from UCL, has delivered an in-school tutorial programme of university-style tutorials. This has been based on the research area she is studying, in the Environmental Assessment of Chemical Contamination from Abandoned Coal and Mineral Mines. After all the tutorials were over, students had to complete a final assignment, which was a 2000 word essay using all the knowledge and research skills gained on the programme. The essay was marked to university standard and with the university grading system (First Class, 2:1 etc.) and detailed feedback was given on their work.

The following girls took part in the programme: Ruby 12I, Aamnah 12O, Ashuvinie 12@, Preena 12I, Samia 12T, Neemah 12S, Anna 12S, Prabjot 12X, Zainab 12R, Kashifa 12@, Tyia 12I, and Manpreet 12M.

Ruby and Aamnah share their experience below:

"The Brilliant club was an enlightening experience, allowing me to develop my essay writing skills and knowledge on life at university. Our sessions with our tutor gave me a realistic insight into the structure of universities and how it can differ from lower school years. Our trip to Brasenose college was a really nice way to celebrate our achievements and be proud of what we managed to complete. We were able to learn about the university and specific colleges, but also hear from students, who were able to explain their experiences. Overall, the whole experience was really well put together and informative."

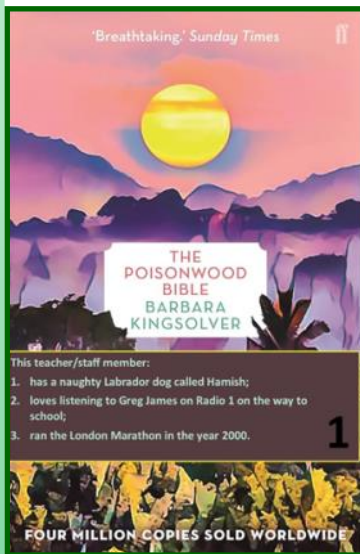
Ruby CM

"Taking part in the Brilliant club programme has provided me with a greater insight into life. When we did the Brilliant club programme, the topic was very science based, chemical contamination specifically, which was not my favourite so initially I wasn't looking forward to it, but after completing it I was so glad I did because it was actually very enjoyable. The graduation ceremony in Brasenose College at Oxford was beyond incredible, and we got a real taste for what the university was like, while learning about the history of it, such as why it was called 'Brasenose'. Overall I would recommend Brilliant club because it really opens your mind to possibilities you would not have considered before."

Aamnah

World Book Day

Swakeleys celebrated World Book Day on Thursday 7th March. There were many fun activities put in place including a mystery quote quest and 'Guess the Teacher'. Various quotes from books were hidden around the school for students to find and guess which book they were extracted from. If guessed correctly, a prize was awarded! As well as this, an amusing game called 'Guess the Teacher' was introduced where posters were placed on the walls describing three things about a particular teacher and their favourite book; the students then posed their guesses on the teacher they thought it was describing.



Special prizes were awarded to the winners with the most correct answers! The quests were entertaining and a good way to promote reading in school. Another way our community celebrated World Book Day was taking part in a survey to reflect on their reading and the importance as well as considering ways to celebrate World Book Day and Litfest. All the students gave their views on their reading progress and why reading is important to them.

Teachers collected students' views on World Book Day and how they could improve to motivate students to read more. Overall, World Book Day was an enjoyable experience and helped to encourage students about the importance of reading.

- Amna A 8MC

Canteen update:

We are delighted to have received positive feedback on our Spring/Summer 2024 menu which commenced after February half term. Students are now benefiting from a greater choice of hot meals which include an increase of Halal options. We would also like to inform all students that we will only serve 1 dessert portion per person; this is to ensure students have a healthy balanced diet. [Our menu is available to view on our website by clicking here:](#)

We will be introducing a student survey next term to gain an idea of the dishes and flavours our students enjoy. The feedback will be used to consider ideas when developing our Autumn menu.

Upon review of our catering costings our Canteen pricelist has been slightly amended. Effective from Summer term 2024 the prices for sandwiches and wraps has been adjusted to reflect our costs. This will also allow us to order more of the popular wraps which our students enjoy.

[Our pricelist is now available on our website: and can be viewed by clicking here](#)

The canteen was buzzing on our Culture Day. The canteen was decorated with a range of flags and our students and staff were all dressed in their cultural attire. It was a very special experience for our school community to come together in this way.

We served 750 portions of a range of hot meals that were inspired from around the world. This was complimented with desserts and snacks that were a big hit – over 1000 portions served!

A big thank you must go to our outstanding canteen team that were able to deliver these menus and meet the high level of demand.



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Lanyards Update:

Please be advised that we have reviewed the costs of replacement ID cards, card holders and lanyards. With effect from the Summer term 2024 a replacement for any individual component or a full replacement will cost £3.

Please ask students to come to the Pupil Desk if they need to replace either the whole or a single part of their lanyard and ID card.

PE News

Netball

The year 7 team have had a brilliant season this year. They finish the season joint top of the league and undefeated but narrowly missed out on the semi-finals due to goal difference. This year's player of the season is Anaya Qureshi for her dominance on the court playing GA. She has been a key player supporting mid court players start a counter attack as well as having a high shooting success rate. This year's most improved player is Gabriella F. Throughout the season Gabriella's defensive techniques and positioning have really improved which has resulted in some excellent interceptions and tips to prevent the opposition from scoring. Year 7 team; Gabriella (7MC), Amelia (7AF), Giulia (7EB), Ayat (7EB), Amelia (7MC), Jiya (7MY), Chloe (7AF), Ava-Grace (7AF), Anaya (7FN). Well done girls!



The year 8 team had a very competitive season this year. They have worked hard during all their matches and all put in strong individual and team performances. This year's player of the season is Bethany Winter for her commitment to training and solid defensive performances as GK. This year's most improved player is Leena Elkafi with excellent improvement in her footwork and movement which has positively contributed to the team's attacking plays. Year 8 team, Zahra (8EB), Leeya (8RP), Monique (8MC), Roop (8MY), Leena (8MY), Bethany (8MY), Jayda (8DS), Thusara (8AF) and Savannah (8AF). Well

done girls!

The year 10 team have had a successful year. With an extremely tough set of matches they showed amazing perseverance and determination in every single game. This allowed them to get a amazing 25-23 win over Northwood College in the final game of the year. Well done; Mya (10DS), Vivien (10DS), Tia (10JA), Lexie (10MC), Sirine (10RP), Mahek (10FN), Lana (10FN) and Rebekah (10AF). Congratulations to Mya who was voted as player of the season! Also another congratulations to Rebekah who has been the most improved player this year!



The final year for the year 11 team playing together has been yet another successful one. With the players changing throughout the years, consistency has been hard but all have stepped up and have enjoyed travelling to other schools to play matches. The year 11 team was also able to win their final game against Northwood College 7-6 to end the year brilliantly. Well done; Grace (11MY), Loyal (11MY), Caitlin (11JA), Shannon (11JA), Christiana (11EB), Natalia (11FN) and Breanna (11MC). Congratulations to Christiana for being player of the season. Also a big congratulation to Loyal for being the most improved player.

PE News (Continued)**Inter-house Dodgeball**

The second sport inter-house competitions of the year were full of excitement! The dodgeball knock-out tournaments demonstrated some excellent team and individual performances as well as good sportsmanship. Well done to all that participated. The results are as follows:

Y7 Results	
1st	FN
2nd	EB
3rd	JA
4th	RP
5th	AF
6th	MY
7th	MC
8th	DS

Y8 Results	
1st	JA
2nd	MY
3rd	AF
4th	RP
5th	MC
6th	EB
7th	DS
8th	FN

Y9 Results	
1st	FN
2nd	EB
3rd	MC
4th	AF
5th	DS

Y10 Results	
1st	DS
2nd	RP
3rd	MC
4th	FN/JA
5th	AF
6th	MY

Athletics

Huge congratulations to Daisy C who recently competed in the Tri-Counties (Herts, Middlesex and Kent) Athletics Championships. Daisy put in excellent performances achieving personal best in three events; shot put 7.34m finishing in 3rd place, hurdles 10.06secs finishing in 3rd place and pole vault 2.45m making her Tri-County Champion.

**Swakeleys Community Iftar**

As you might be aware Muslims around the world are observing fasts as it is the Holy month of Ramadan. On 14th March, the school organised the first ever iftar event for the pupils of Swakeleys and their families. If you are wondering what iftar means, it is a meal that Muslims have to break their fast.



Our intention was to bring different communities together to enjoy and share a meal with each other and from the response we got, we were not disappointed - families turned up in multiple numbers with a variety of mouth-watering food. They were not just generous with food but also in giving charity donations to Human Appeal.



The canteen had a makeover suitable for the occasion that was done by our amazing reprographics team, we had staff and student volunteers who worked hard to set up the evening and last but not the least our two impressive girls from Year 11 Mamina Z and Alishba A who had put in immense time and effort to deliver an impactful speech for the evening. Families and staff had an amazing time and we received lots of positive feedback and excellent comments.

Before I end I would like to give a big shout out to our staff members who fasted for a day and generated further donations. A special thank you to Ms Stevenson and everyone else who made this event possible, including the lovely Swakeleys families who were a part of it. - **Mrs Hussain**





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Year Learning Co-ordinator: Miss Allan

Year 7

Recent Events and Activities:

Character & Culture week
Parents' Evening
World Book Day activities
School production of Matilda in which many year 7s participated in.
Performing arts showcase

Assemblies:

House Events
Science week
EAL club
World Book Day
The Red Box & period poverty

Things to look forward to:

Junior maths challenge
House Assembly week
FAB week

Year Learning Co-ordinator: Miss Finnerty

Year 8

Assemblies:

World Book day, International Women's Day, Empowerment , Revision Strategies, Guest Speaker Andy Hyde from RC Vision: STEM in RC model car racing

Things to celebrate:

Year 8 attendance so far this academic year is 94.2%. This is above the National average.
Several year 8's took part in the house debate competition: Congratulations to our winner in 8RP-Samia K.
Year 8 Dodgeball Competition was a great success!
Well done to Year 8 for their resilience during the two weeks of internal exams.
School Council participation from 8EB & 8FN.
Character and culture week
Our first community Iftar event for the families: Ramadan Mubarak!

Things to look forward to:

The Charities Committee are holding a bake sale at lunchtime on Tuesday 16th April.
Sports Day 14th June
The Year 8 team would like to wish all students and families a peaceful and restful time over the Easter break.

Reminders :

Students need to be entering the school building at 8.30am ready for registration at 8.40am.
Please check the school uniform policy to ensure students are in correct attire for the new term.
In the final week and a half of term, why not encourage your child to think about joining an extra-curricular club if they haven't already?

Attendance: Our target for year 8 is 96%.

Please check the school uniform and equipment guidance to ensure students are ready for the summer term.



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Year 9

Year Learning Co-ordinator: Mrs Khan

Assemblies:

Self and others, Attendance, Punctuality, RC Vision engineering summer camps
EAL, Easter Holiday Camp activities Andy from RC vision, House assemblies

Things to celebrate:

House Debate: Anya V 9MC winner with Uma D 10MC!
Congratulations from Mrs Dennis for excellent work and commitment in Music class!
Congratulations to Mr Hull's Child Care class for excellent attitude to assessment!
International Women's Day!
Ramadan and the Swakeleys' iftar!
Isha Chaudhry standing for and winning to be Hillingdon Youth Councillor!
Year 9 INSIGHT Days Workshops!

Things to look forward to:

The Riot Act-Tuesday 23rd April
Pupil voice focus week- 22nd April
SPOTY week- 20th May

Year 10

Year Learning Co-ordinator: Miss Mejloumian

Assemblies: Y10 expectations, EAL assembly – encouraged year group to join EAL club at lunchtimes,
International Women's Day, British Science Week, What is the Red Box Project and how should it be used
and not abused! How to conduct yourself during exams, Work Shadowing.

Things to celebrate:

Increase in attendance
Congratulations to our Y10s Uma Daurka 10MC for winning House debate and runners up Aaliya Grant
10MY and Faith Begin 10MY
World Book Day
Culture Day
Congratulations to all Y10s taking part in school council and representing their form with the sub-committees
and being form councillors.

Things to look forward to

Easter Holidays – Return to school Tuesday 16th April at 8.30am
Exams – Tuesday 16th April – Wed 1st May 2024
Sports Personality of the Year 20th May
Mental Health Workshop Day 23rd May
Pride Month 3rd June
Character and Culture week 13th May
Y10 Work Shadowing 10th June – 14th June
No Pens Day – 19th June

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Year 11

Year Learning Co-ordinator: Ms Currell

Recent Events and Activities:

Careers fortnight
Parents' Evening
English and maths mocks
6th form interviews
Year 11 Reports were sent home on 20th March

Assemblies:

Assemblies have been on RE, German and French, Science, Exams and the study leave programme.

Things to celebrate:

The Iftar Community Event was a huge success. Well done to Ruby I IJA who drew the stunning design on the invite; well done to Crystal I IDS for volunteering her time and helping on the night; well done to Alishba I IEB and Momina I IFN on delivering a fantastic speech about Ramadan. Ms Currell, Mrs Devereux and Mrs Pimbert fasted for the day.

Lots of intervention going on after school, during school and on Saturdays.

More TAPS meetings have occurred during the spring term.

Rec PE sessions are now study/intervention sessions.

All have received individual exam timetables and the study leave programme.

6th form interviews went well and acceptance letters went out.

Lots of year 11s have had interviews for other 6th forms/colleges which is fantastic.

Things to look forward to

Easter School

GCSEs

6th form induction day – 24th June

Results Day - 22nd August 9am-10:30am

Leavers Assembly – 19th June Period 3

Study leave

Prom – 28th June 7-10:30pm

Year 13 Religious Studies Revision Conference

'The Puzzle of Christianity LIVE' - Thursday 29th February 2024



Dr Vardy even had time to pose for a photo with us!

By Ria C and Mia U, Year 13

This trip to the Bloomsbury Central Baptist Church was a day marked by a fascinating review of different areas of Christian theology. Throughout the day Dr Peter Vardy, a renowned theologian, led us through a series of thought-provoking discussions which explored various, significant areas of the syllabus. I thoroughly enjoyed Vardy's passionate dialogue about Liberation Theology. He highlighted the strife of those in Latin America in a way that was deeply moving.

It was a wholly beneficial experience in the lead up to our exams, with Dr Vardy solidifying our understanding of what we had been taught in class and drawing focus to topics that had otherwise only been mentioned briefly. This allowed not only for us to consolidate our knowledge, but to open up new areas of interest. Overall, Dr Vardy's talks were

extremely worthwhile and we are very grateful to Mrs Tooker and Miss Wall for giving us this opportunity and accompanying us on this trip.



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Year 7 'Game of 24 Maths Challenge'

On the 13th of March we had 4 year 7 students attend the Game of 24 Challenge at Ruislip High School. Students worked in teams of 2 to compete against schools from around the borough, with over 20 teams competing against each other on the day. The aim of the competition is to use the four operations (add, subtract, multiply and divide) and the four numbers provided to create the number 24. The competition consisted of three different phases and the final phase included using fractions and decimals. The '24 game' encourages rapid mathematical thinking in high pressure situations. The students showed excellent skills in mathematics and demonstrated communication and cooperation skills whilst working within pairs to solve each problem.

The girls should be commended for their excellent progress in the competition, and for showing great enthusiasm throughout the day.



Pictured:

Jasmina P, Sana A, Amber G, Mominah M

Miss T Molent
KS3 Mathematics Coordinator

Swakeleys School for Girls Receives National Recognition for Performance

Swakeleys School for Girls are delighted that their excellent outcomes have been recognised by SSAT (Specialist Schools and Academies Trust) in this year's Educational Outcomes Awards. The award recognises that Swakeleys School for Girls is among the highest performing secondary schools in the country, based on 2023 performance data and information from Ofsted.

Swakeleys School for Girls was recognised in two categories, receiving awards for being in the top 20% of schools nationally for student progress and in the top 20% of non-selective schools for student attainment in the 2023 end of KS4 exams.

The SSAT Educational Outcomes database compares all state-funded schools in England. To be recognised with an Educational Outcomes Award is a significant achievement and a testament to the work of the whole school community.

Sue Williamson, Chief Executive of SSAT said:

"Congratulations to Swakeleys School for Girls on winning two SSAT Educational Outcomes Awards. This success is down to the superb learning and teaching, outstanding support and inspirational leadership of students, staff, parents and governors. You have made a huge difference to the lives of the young people in your school. Thank you."

In addition Swakeleys has been recognised by another external body — FFT for our excellent attendance. Please see overleaf.



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SSAT Educational Outcomes Award 2023 Exceptional Student Progress

Awarded to
Swakeleys School for Girls
In recognition for being in the top 20% of schools nationally for student progress in the 2023 end of KS4 exams

Sue Williamson

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SSAT Educational Outcomes Award 2023 Exceptional Student Attainment

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National School Attendance Award

2023/24 Autumn Term



Swakeleys School for Girls

Top 25% of all FFT Secondary Schools in England



National School Attendance Award

2022/23 Autumn Term



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Top 25% of similar FFT Secondary Schools in England





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Extra Curricular Activities and LRC Use (SUMMER TERM)				
	Club and Year Group	Day and time	Venue	Staff
M O N D A Y	GCSE Art Club	Mon-Thur Lunch 12.30 - 1.05pm	102	Miss Hack
	KS3 Art Club	Monday Lunch 12.30 - 1.05pm	115	Mrs Kumar
	Law Society	Monday Lunch 12.45 - 1.10pm	105	Ms Shah
	Vocal Group (All Years)	Monday Lunch 12.25 - 1.05pm	010	Mrs Dennis
	GCSE Art Club	Mon, Wed, Thurs Lunch 12.30 - 1.05pm	102	Miss Hack
	KS4 Dance (Y9, Y10, Y11)	Monday Lunch 12.25 - 1.05pm	SH3	Miss Coking
	Maths Club	Monday Lunch 12.25 - 1.05pm	208	Ms Molent
	Book Club (Y7)	Monday Lunch Wk A 12.45 - 1pm	103	Ms Jones
	Debate Club	Monday Lunch 12.40 - 1.10pm	008	Mr Hepner
	Guitar/Ukulele	Monday Lunch 12.25 - 1.05pm	009	Miss Ellis
	LRC (Y7 & 9)	Lunch	LRC	Mrs Basra
	LRC (All Years)	After school 3.20 - 4.30pm	LRC	Mrs Basra
T U E S D A Y	GCSE Athletics & Athletics Club	After school 3.30 - 4.30pm	Field	Miss Kinnane/Ms Molent/Miss Peace
	Enterprise Club (Y9-Y13)	Tuesday Lunch 12.30 - 1pm	118	Mr Bakhtiari/Mrs Arnold
	GCSE Composition Club (Y9/Y10 Music)	Tuesday Lunch 12.25 - 1.05pm	010	Mrs Dennis
	GCSE Graphics	Tuesday Lunch 12.30 - 1pm	117	Miss Hack
	GCSE Photography	Tuesday Lunch 12.30 - 1.05pm	116	Ms Wahid
	KS3 Dance Club (Y7 & Y8)	Tuesday Lunch 12.25 - 1.05pm	SH3	Miss Coking
	Instrumental/Band	Tuesday Lunch 12.25 - 1.05pm	009	Miss Ellis
	Science Astronomy Club	Tuesday Lunch 12.50 - 1.15pm	221	Miss Mohamed
	LRC (Y8 & 11)	Lunch	LRC	Mrs Basra
	LRC (All Years)	After school 3.20 - 4.30pm	LRC	Mrs Basra
	Self-defence (Y7 - 11)	After school 3.30 - 3.50pm	SH2	Miss Stroud/Mrs Manchorova
	GCSE Art Club	Mon-Thur Lunch 12.30 - 1.05pm	102	Miss Hack
W E D N E S D A Y	Swakeleys Squad (Audition Only)	Wednesday Wk B Lunch 12.30 - 1.05pm	SH3	Miss Coking
	GCSE Art Club	Mon, Wed, Thurs Lunch 12.30 - 1.05pm	102	Miss Hack
	Keyboard Club (Y7 & Y8)	Wednesday Lunch 12.25 - 1.05pm	010	Mrs Dennis
	Lego Club (Y7 & Y8 - invite only)	Wednesday Lunch 12.25 - 1.05pm	107	Mrs Morning
	Instrumental Club	Wednesday Lunch 12.25 - 1.05pm	009	Miss Ellis
	Basketball (Y7 - 11)	Wednesday Lunch 12.30 - 1pm	Sports Hall/Netball Courts	Mrs Manchorova
	Foreign Film Club	Wednesday Lunch 12.35 - 1pm	007	Mr Kreker/Mrs Remtula
	Science CREST Club (Y7 - 11)	Wednesday Lunch 12.50 - 1.15pm	222	Ms Nandhra
	Archery Club (Y7)	Week A Wednesday Lunch 12.25 - 12.50pm	SH2	Mr Try
	Book club (Y10 & 11)	LAST Wednesday of each half term 12.30 - 1.10pm	104	Miss Ellis
	LitSoc (Y12 & 13)	Wednesday Lunch 12.35 - 1.05pm	57	Ms Pimbert
	English Ambassadors	Wednesday Lunch 12.40 - 1.10pm	104	Miss Ellis
T H U R S D A Y	The Hangout Club	Wednesday Lunch 12.45 - 1.10pm	105	Miss Austin/Ms Shah
	Rounders/Cricket Club	Wednesday Lunch 12.30 - 1pm	Field	Miss Peace/Ms Molent
	Film and Television Club	Wednesday Lunch 12.30 - 1.00pm	014	Miss Sebley/Ms Samuels
	LRC (Y7 & 10)	Lunch	LRC	Mrs Basra
	LRC (All Years)	After school 3.20 - 4.30pm	LRC	Mrs Basra
	First Aid Society (Y12 & Y13)	After school 3.20 - 4.30pm	515	Mr Try
	GCSE Art Club	Mon, Wed, Thurs Lunch 12.30 - 1.05pm	102	Miss Hack
	GCSE Photography	Thursday & Friday Lunch 12.30 - 1.05pm	116	Mr Riches
	GCSE Y11 Art club	Thursday Lunch 12.30 - 1.05pm	101	Mrs Kumar
	KS4 Dance (Y9, Y10, Y11)	Thursday Lunch 12.25 - 1.05pm	SH3	Miss Coking
	GSA-Gender and Sexuality Alliance	Thursday Wk B Lunch	511	Mrs Hare
	Drama Club (Y8 & 9)	Thursday Lunch 12.25 - 1.05pm	003	Miss Ellis
F R I D A Y	Geography Film Club/Ambassadors	Thursday Lunch 12.30 - 1pm	215	Mrs Lyon
	EAL Languages Club	Thursday Lunch 12.30 - 1pm	118	Ms Huang
	Crochet Club (Y9)	Thursday Lunch	206	Mrs Johal, Miss Raza
	Mindfulness	Thursday Lunch	108	Ms Currell/Miss Sebley
	LRC (Y8 & 9)	Lunch	LRC	Mrs Basra
	LRC (All Years)	After school 3.20 - 4.30pm	LRC	Mrs Basra
	Science Club (Y7 & Y8)	After school 3.20 - 3.50pm	223	Ms Kantak
	GCSE Photography	Thursday & Friday 12.30 - 1.05pm	116	Mr Riches
	D of E (KS4)	LAST Friday of Half Term Lunch 12.25 - 1.05pm	SH3	Miss Coking
	Medicine Society (Y9-12)	Friday Lunch 12.40 - 1.10pm	516	Mrs Hayes
	Drama Club (Y7)	Friday Lunch 12.25 - 1pm	009	Miss Ellis
	Volleyball (Y7 - 11)	Friday Lunch 12.30 - 1pm	Field	Miss Kinnane
F R I D A Y	ISOC	Friday Lunch 12.40 - 1.05pm	Rm 118	Mrs Saeed/Miss Raza
	Coding Club (Y7 & Y8)	Friday Lunch 12.30 - 1pm	015	Mrs Vasanthakumaran
	LRC (Y10 & 11)	Lunch	LRC	Mrs Basra
	LRC (All Years)	After school 3.20 - 4.30pm	LRC	Mrs Basra

REMINDER - Library Books

Please could we politely request that you check if your daughter has any library books which are due or overdue and if so please could they be returned to the school as soon as possible.

We currently have a number of books out on loan that have not been returned on time and we have other students who are eagerly awaiting their return.

Many thanks for your support





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Easter Holidays Activities and Food (HAF) Programme

Bookings are open for this Easter's HAF programme which runs from Monday 1 to Friday 12 April for schoolchildren up to Year 11 in receipt of benefits-related free school meals. Activities include cycling lessons, multi sports, cookery sessions, dance, drama and arts programmes and coding workshops. Please click here to book: [Easter HAF programme - Hillingdon Council](#)

Information on how to sign up to the HAF programme can be found here: [Information for parents - Hillingdon Council](#)

Term Dates 2023 – 2024 Swakeleys School for Girls

Summer Term 2024

Term starts	Monday 15 th April 2024 (INSET DAY—School closed to students)
Term starts for students	Tuesday 16 th April 2024 at 8.30am
Bank Holiday	Monday 6 th May 2024
Half Term	Monday 27th May to Friday 31st May 2024
Term ends for students	Friday 19 th July 2024 - Please note as previously advised students will be set work to complete from home on this day.

Term Dates 2024-25

Autumn Term:

Term starts:	Monday 2nd September 2024 (INSET DAY)
	Tuesday 3rd September 2024 (INSET DAY)
	Wednesday 4th September 2024 (Year 7 start)
	Thursday 5th September 2024 (Year 8-13 start)

Half term:

Thursday 24th October – Friday 1st November 2024

Monday 4th November (all students return to school)

Term ends:

Friday 20th December 2024 (at lunch time)

