

WELCOME BACK!

It has been a fantastic start to the year, celebrating our students' exam results and setting the tone for the new year. We are delighted to report that in the back drop of the Government's plan to reduce grades this year, EBS has once again seen an improvement in GCSE results. We are delighted, and I must take the time to thank the students, parents/carers and of course, staff, who made it all possible. I would like to extend a warm welcome to all new families. I know starting Year 7 is a big transition and adjustment for the adults as well as the children and I hope that your first week has gone as smoothly as possible. We are all very impressed with the Year 7s; they have made a wonderful start. I extend a welcome back to our existing families, we have missed your children and it is great to have them back with us.

I spoke in Assembly this week about the importance of our school values and focused in on integrity. I told the story of a teacher from another school who wrote about getting a fine for driving in a bus lane. His first instinct was to be angry, but on reflection he thought about showing integrity:

"Integrity means doing the right thing when nobody is looking. I'd been trying to cheat a little, hoping no-one would notice. When I thought about it, all my raging and outrage was my way of deflecting from the fact that I knew I'd done the wrong thing. I was annoyed because I got caught doing something other people seem to do all the time. Of course, that's no excuse. If one person is on a double yellow line, it doesn't make it OK for others to join them; it makes it worse."

Rightly or wrongly, there is something in human nature that leads people to seek advantage for themselves; to cut corners and bend the rules – whilst expecting that the rules are there when they need them. As a community, we are stronger when we support each other to stick to our rules; it's fairer for everyone and we get a better outcome. With that in mind, I encourage all families to support their children to embrace the systems and processes at EBS. We are consistently kind and respectful, we will always look out for your children and look after them, but we know that we all benefit from 'enforcing the rules' and require all parents and carers to support us, now at the beginning of the year and throughout their time with us. I look forward to a fantastic year ahead.

L. Swaine, Headteacher

BEST 8 GCSE RESULTS 2022/23

| Student | Best 8 |
|---------------------------|----------|
| Kishan Modha | 99999999 |
| Rayhan Afzal | 99999998 |
| George Borst | 99999998 |
| Hao Xian Lee | 99999998 |
| Lara Persaud | 99999998 |
| Alina Loskutova | 99999988 |
| Arman Abdollahian-Rahmati | 99999987 |
| Tommy Narvaez-White | 99999888 |
| Ellicia Mici | 99998888 |
| Evan Shah | 99998888 |
| Jai Martins | 99998887 |
| Rohan Sahi | 99999877 |
| Blina Bytyqi | 99988887 |
| Mobin Hariri | 99998777 |
| Albert Onea | 99998777 |
| Emma Petronic | 99888887 |
| Kai Shah | 99988877 |
| William Ward | 99888887 |
| Theo Wotton | 99888887 |
| Rafi Fitzmaurice | 99888877 |
| Stanley Nelson | 99998866 |
| Aymaan Tarafdar | 98888887 |
| Hamid Zarifi | 99888877 |
| Kesia Patel | 98888877 |
| Emilia Payne | 98888877 |

BEST 3 A-LEVEL RESULTS 2022/23

| Student | Best 3 | Extended Project |
|--------------------------|--------|------------------|
| Tommy King | A*A*A* | A* |
| Sammy Ward | A*A*A* | A* |
| Reza Samaei | A*A*A | A |
| Jeevan Allman | A*AA | |
| Anthony Hoang | A*AA | C |
| Ozkan Tekcan | A*AA | |
| Emily Georgiou | A*AB | A |
| Danyaal Hussain | A*AB | |
| Trinity Mangan | A*AB | |
| Charlotte Morgan | A*AB | |
| Loren Abrahams | AAA | |
| Harrison Corbett | AAA | |
| Edgar Kentish | AAA | |
| Daniel Small | AAA | |
| Sophia Zavrou Blackstock | AAA | |
| Renee Diomar | A*BB | |
| Lauren Harding | A*BB | |
| Timothy Meyer | A*BB | A* |
| Arthur Bawcutt | AAB | |
| Morgan Hayes | AAB | |
| Bipin Mahey | AAB | |
| Christian Webb | AAB | |
| Grace Arquero | ABB | A* |
| Chloe Nash | ABB | A |
| Lachlan Evans | ABB | B |

COMMUNITY LANGUAGE RESULTS 2022/23

Last year, 24 of our students sat and successfully passed their GCSE and A-Level Community Language exams. We are very proud of all of them! A special mention goes to the students below who achieved top results!

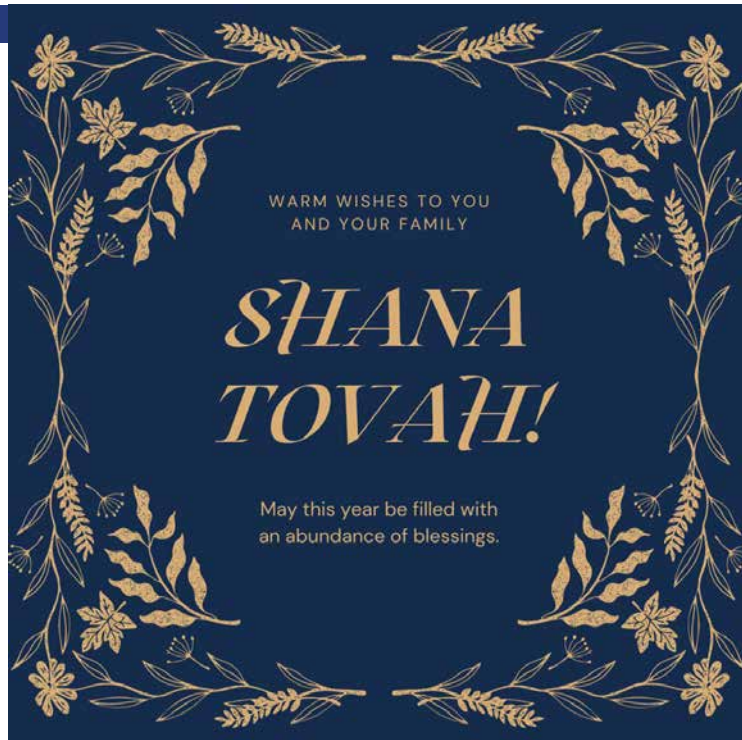
P. Kedziora, EAL Coordinator

BEST GCSE RESULTS

| | | |
|-----------------------|---------|---|
| Kathy Leung | Chinese | 9 |
| Louisa Leung | Chinese | 9 |
| Oscar Wong | Chinese | 9 |
| Kiana Ebrahimi | Persian | 9 |
| Oliver Lebedev | Russian | 9 |
| Elif Arslan | Turkish | 9 |
| Aris Boyraz | Turkish | 9 |
| Starlin Montero Vinas | Spanish | 8 |
| Arta Gharei | Persian | 8 |
| Cem Degirmenci | Turkish | 8 |
| Vasiliki Grammozi | Greek | 8 |
| Roman Leo Antoniadis | Greek | 8 |
| Aimilios Lakovidis | Greek | 8 |
| Alexandros Masouras | Greek | 8 |

BEST A-LEVEL RESULTS

| | | |
|-----------------|--------|----|
| Kawthar Aldreby | Arabic | A* |
| Sina Ahani | Arabic | A |



OPEN EVENING 2023 & INSET DAY

Our Open Evening is on Monday 2nd October. To allow us to prepare, school will close at 12:30pm for all students. Students that are volunteering as guides can go home, rest and have dinner before returning to school - letters will be available soon. Tuesday 3rd October is an INSET Day.

Open Evening 2023, are you ready?

Monday 2nd October 6:00pm - 8:30pm
Speeches at 7:15pm

Sign up on our website to receive early information on what will be happening, plus, ask us a question - we are going to try and answer some at the speeches!

Visitor packs will only be available on the day!

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EAST BARNET SCHOOL UPCOMING EVENTS



Magistrates' Court Mock Trial Competition



"THE SENSE OF SELF-REFLECTION AND CRITICAL, ANALYTICAL THINKING I GAINED FROM THE BAR MOCK TRIAL COMPETITION TRULY DEVELOPED ME AS A PERSON."

~ RYAN, STUDENT

The Magistrates' Court Mock Trial Competition helps young people understand how the law touches every aspect of their lives, gaining an insight into how the legal justice system works.

OPEN TO YEARS 8 & 9

Speak to Ms Pasterny to enter

EAST BARNET SCHOOL PRESENTS
OLIVER!

AUDITIONS
ACTING + DANCING: MONDAY 18TH SEPTEMBER
SINGING: TUESDAY 19TH SEPTEMBER
Rm 101 - 3:30PM-5:30PM
YOU MUST ATTEND BOTH DATES

DID YOUR CHILD HAVE THEIR PHOTO TAKEN LAST WEEK - REGISTER TODAY!



Carmel Jane Photography visited our school last Friday to take individual photos of the students. If you have not yet registered you can do so until the end of Tuesday 19th September. Registration only takes a minute. Please visit their website by clicking here: www.carmeljaneshop.co.uk and enter the following code: **JRAUKJ3**. Once registered, as soon as the photos are available you will receive an automatic email notification to inform you that your child's photos are now ready to be viewed and can be purchased. We have had a sneak peak at some of them, and they look great! Don't miss out, register today!

PIANO RECITAL RETURNS

Following the huge success of last year's Piano Recital, we are organising a second one for Thursday 19th October. The Piano Recital is open to all pianists of all year groups. Beginners, intermediate, advanced; we want to celebrate you all! This year all proceeds will go towards funding the new keyboards in room 305. Tickets will be £5 (available on the school shop), and refreshments will be available to purchase on the night. I know it will be a wonderful evening, so please encourage your children to take part. Audition forms are in the folder on the door of room 304 and should be returned to a music teacher.

R. Gough, Head of Music

EAST BARNET SCHOOL
PIANO RECITAL
THURSDAY 19TH OCTOBER @ 7PM
(Tickets available via the School Shop)

Auditions: Thursday 5th October
Pick up a form from the door of 304

An evening of drinks, nibbles and beautiful piano music

EAST BARNET SCHOOL IMPORTANT NOTICES

INTRODUCING OUR NEW PC



Our new school officer is PC Luke Burton. Students will see PC Burton around school and parents/carers may see him outside of the gates before and after school. We have a good relationship with the local police, so feel free to speak to PC Burton if you have any concerns. Students will also be introduced to our new officer and will be able to speak to him if they need to.

BARNET SENDIASS COFFEE MORNING: Barnet SENDIASS is pleased to announce an in-person coffee morning event for Barnet resident parents/carers of children and young people with special educational needs or disability. This is a FREE event where they will have an opportunity to meet with other parents/carers and young people. Dr Sophie Driver (Senior Educational Psychologist) will be giving a short presentation on Emotional Based School Avoidance (EBSA) and be available to answer any questions that the attendees may have. Register for the FREE event [here](#).

VAPING AND CHILDREN

The media has drawn our attention this week once again to the increased number of school age children who are in the possession of



vapes. Often brightly coloured, often sold at off-licences and often flavoured with sweet tastes which seem almost to be designed for children. Action for Children have published a page on the matter which we believe is [useful for parents](#).

FLU VACCINATION LETTER

Yesterday, a letter was sent home about free flu vaccinations for students. Please complete the consent form we sent by Thursday 21st September 5:00pm, for your child to receive the vaccination at school by NHS Nurses, and to remove the hassle of booking through the doctors.



PRIVACY POLICY: We are legally required each year to draw your attention to your privacy policy which can be found [here](#).

YEAR 7 IMPORTANT NOTICES

We sent a letter to Year 7 Parents/Carers yesterday with important notices, it can be found [here](#).

ARE YOU FOLLOWING US ON LINKEDIN?
Follow for all the latest news: [East Barnet School](#)

ARE YOU FOLLOWING US ON TWITTER?
Follow for all the latest news: [@EastBarnetSch](#)

CHANGE TO MAIN EMAIL ADDRESS

We have now changed our main school email address to:
info@eastbarnetschool.com
Please add it to your list of safe senders on your email account so our emails do not go in to your spam/junk folder.

REPORTING ABSENCES & LATES

Please report your child absent by 8:30am. You **do not have to ring us**. You can complete our new online form on the [Attendance](#) page of our website, or you can send an email to absence@eastbarnetschool.com which is quicker. If you would like to leave a voicemail, you may still do so. You can report a lateness in the same way.

NON-URGENT QUERIES TO THE SCHOOL

If your query is not urgent, please send us an email, or call after 10am. It is very difficult in the morning rush for the receptionist to get hold of members of staff to deal with queries. Of course, if it is an emergency, please call us as normal. Thank you for your understanding

KITCHEN PRICE INCREASE

Due to inflation, as much as we have tried to keep our prices down, unfortunately, there is going to be a small increase to prices in the Kitchen. From September, the meal deal price will rise by 15p to £2.75. We are aware of the financial pressures everyone is under, and we can only apologise for having to make this increase.

UPDATED EBS KITCHEN PRICES FOR 2023/2024

Hot Main Meal or Salad Pot
(incl. hot pudding/fruit salad/cold dessert)
£2.75

Hot pudding, fruit salad, dessert (on own)
90p / £1.20

Sandwich/filled wrap
£2.20

Roll
£2.10 / £2.50

Fruit
60p

Cookie / Muffin (not incl. in meal deal)
£1.00 - £1.40

Bottled Water
£1.00

Flavoured Water
75p / £1.30

Break-time Snacks
90p - £1.40



NUTS: Please remember we are a nut-free building - some staff and students have severe allergies!

AUTUMN CLUBS TIMETABLE SEP-DEC 23

All clubs are FREE - just turn up!

MON

| AM | CLUB | ROOM | STAFF |
|----|---|-------------|---------------------|
| | Breakfast Club 8am | Coffee Shop | M Fry |
| | Choir - Yr 7 | 305 | R Gough |
| | GCSE & A Level RE Film Club | 113 | B Pasterny |
| | Drama Club - Yr 8 | 101 | K Messios |
| | African Drumming - All Years | 305 | R Gough |
| | Creative Writing (starts 25/9) | 324 | C Green & A O Toole |
| | Homework Club Yr 8 | The Hub | A Brady |
| | English Language NEA Support - Yr 13 | 325 | X Pieri |
| | Homework Club Yr 11 | 235 | C Manzi |
| | English Language NEA Support - Yr 13 | 346 | A Hinchin |
| | English GCSE intervention (Invite Only) | 327 | M Parfitt |
| | Netball Club Yr 7-8 | MUGAS | H Potter |
| | Netball Club Yr 9-13 | MUGAS | E Buczman |
| | Football Club Yr 8-13 | Astro | J Langley & B Pitts |

AFTER SCHOOL

TUES

| AM | CLUB | ROOM | STAFF |
|----|--|--------------|----------------|
| | Breakfast Club 8am | Coffee Shop | M Fry |
| | Badminton - All Years | Sports Hall | C Manzi |
| | Drama Club - Yr 7 | 102 | J Marshall |
| | D&T Catch Up - Yr 11 | 234 | C Roncarati |
| | CAD & 3D Printing Club - Yr 7,9,11 | 214 | M Sabourin |
| | French Revision Club - Yr 11 | 331 | CB/FS/VB |
| | Music Practice Rooms Open | Music | Student Leader |
| | Music Production Club - Yr 10 | Music | R Gough |
| | Badminton - Yr 8 & 10 | Sports Hall | A Baxter |
| | Oliver! Rehearsals (cast) (until 5.30pm) | 305 | Drama & Music |
| | D&T Catch Up - Yr 11 (until 5pm) | 234 | C Roncarati |
| | Homework Club Yr 9 | TBC | R Gardner |
| | Homework Club Yr 11 | 235 | C Manzi |
| | Philosophy Club | 113 | B Pasterny |
| | Girls Football - All Years | Astro | ABr/AB/KS/CM |
| | Basketball Club Yr 7 (start date TBC) | Sports Hall | External Coach |
| | Taekwondo Club - All Years | Dance Studio | External Coach |
| | Textiles Club Yr 7-9 (until 4.15pm) | 210 | A Lane |
| | Maths Interventions (Invite Only) | Maths | N Durrant |
| | English GCSE Intervention (Invite Only) | 324 | A Denny |
| | Spanish GCSE Club | 334 | J Giffen |

AFTER SCHOOL

THUR

| AM | CLUB | ROOM | STAFF |
|----|---|------------------------|--------------------|
| | Breakfast Club 8am | Coffee Shop | M Fry |
| | Football Club Yr 7 | Astro | B Pitts |
| | D&T Catch Up - Yr 11 GCSE | 217 | C Roncarati |
| | German Revision Club Yr 11 | 334 | J Giffen |
| | GCSE Music Interventions Yr 11 | 304 | K Eustace |
| | Oliver! Rehearsals (cast) (until 5.30pm) | Auditorium | Drama & Music |
| | Orchestra (all G2+) (until 4.45pm) | 305 | Music |
| | Homework Club Yr 11 | 235 | C Manzi |
| | D&T Club Yrs 7-9 | 228 | T Frayne/A Lane |
| | Homework Club Yr 7 | 235 | T Frayne |
| | D&T Catch Up - Yr 11 (until 5pm) | 217 | C Roncarati |
| | Design Team - All Years | 228 | L Sparey |
| | GCSE Food Club - Yr 10 & 11 | 200 | JB/CG |
| | Cross Country Club - All Years | Meet at changing rooms | Sixth Form Leaders |
| | Basketball Club (start date TBC) | MUGAS | External Coach |
| | Sparx Club | Maths | B McDonagh |
| | Maths Interventions (Invite Only) | Maths | Maths |
| | Gardening Club (weather/light permitting) | Grounds | C Drugan |

AFTER SCHOOL

WED

| AM | CLUB | ROOM | STAFF |
|----|--------------------------------------|--------------|-----------|
| | Breakfast Club 8am | Coffee Shop | M Fry |
| | Yr 9 Sports Leaders (start date TBC) | Sports Hall | V Pender |
| | Dance Club Yr 7 & 9 | Dance Studio | E Buczman |
| | Computer Society Club - All Years | 432 | M Fry |
| | Ukulele Club Yr 8 | 305 | K Eustace |

NO CLUBS AFTER SCHOOL

FRI

| AM | CLUB | ROOM | STAFF |
|----|-------------------------------|-------------|----------------|
| | Breakfast Club 8am | Coffee Shop | M Fry |
| | Bell Ringing Yr 9 | 305 | R Gough |
| | Music Practice Rooms Open | Music | Student Leader |
| | Indoor Bowls (start date TBC) | Sports Hall | External Coach |

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All after school clubs run until approx 4.25pm unless stated. If you would like to start your own club please speak to Mr Stokes.