



12th September 2025

The Warlingham Week

Dear Parents & Carers

All Year Groups

I wanted to say a huge thank you to parents/carers/students that have offered to support and have already completed the consent forms for the Main School and Sixth Form Open Events. We are very grateful for your support of the school with these evenings. I am sure all students will gain a great deal from participating in this experience and we hope that they will enjoy representing the School and demonstrating how proud they are to belong.

Main school Open Event

Our Main School Open Event is on Wednesday 24th September and on this day the school will close at the earlier time of 1.15pm. On Thursday the 25th September the school will open at the slightly later time of 9.35am.

Sixth Form Open Event

The Sixth Form Open Event is on Wednesday 1st October and on this day the school will close at the earlier time of 1.15pm. On Thursday 2nd October the school will open at the slightly later time of 9.35am.

Enrichment Timetable

At Warlingham, we would like all students to be a part of an extra-curricular club this year. Year 7s attended an Enrichment Fayre last week and were given the opportunity to sign up to clubs. These are all free clubs and there is no waiting list, students can just turn up throughout the term and register with the club (except those that are invite only).

Joining a club allows students to discover and develop talents and interests which extend their learning beyond the classroom. Students benefit greatly from participating in enrichment activities, student develop a sense of belonging at Warlingham School, they often boost students' self-confidence and self-esteem, enable them to connect with their peers and teachers, develop leadership skills, instil self-motivation & engagement in school and it will look great on college and work experience applications.

We have a range of sporting, academic, and creative enrichment opportunities to choose from. Please discuss the importance of enrichment with your child and encourage them to participate and try something new. **Please see the attached enrichment timetable for more information.**

Sponsored Walk

On Friday 17th October, our whole school community will be taking part in a 14km Sponsored Walk. Alongside this, a number of students and staff will also be undertaking a sponsored swim. It promises to be a challenging yet thoroughly enjoyable day, with every student having the opportunity to participate.

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This is very much a whole-school event and the sense of achievement at the end is always considerable. It is also a wonderful way to celebrate our community spirit and come together as a school. The walk will take approximately 3–4 hours. Students are expected to return between 12.15pm and 2.00pm. Once they have signed out with their tutor and collected their sponsor form, they may go home.

Further information will be shared with parents/carers and students in due course.

Plea for donations of Pre-loved Uniform

We would be very grateful for donations of school uniform you no longer need. Offering pre-loved uniform for sale is a highly valued service that many of our families access. We welcome all items of uniform, including shoes.


From this year, we are offering a buy-back service for blazers where we will buy your good quality second hand blazer for £10. Please bring, or ask your child to bring, any donations to student services.

Years 7, 8 & 9

Bugsy Malone Auditions – School Show

We are delighted to let you know that auditions for our Spring Production will be taking place on:

 Monday 15th and Tuesday 16th September

 3:30–5:30pm

 Drama Studio

If your child would like to be involved, they should attend one of the two audition sessions. These will be fun, workshop-style activities where students will get the chance to sing, dance, and act in groups.

Please make sure your child wears comfortable clothing suitable for movement.

★ Callbacks for main roles will be held on Thursday 19th, Monday 22nd, and Tuesday 23rd September.

We are really looking forward to seeing lots of students take part – it's always a wonderful opportunity for them to build confidence, creativity, and teamwork!

Years 7 – 11

Immunisations

The Immunisation Team will be visiting Warlingham School on the mornings of Wednesday 8th October and Thursday 6th November for the Year 7 - 11 student flu vaccinations.

Please complete the e-consent form by 12 noon on 2nd October by visiting:

- www.surreyimmunisations.co.uk and entering the school's unique code SR138928
- If you do not want your child to receive a vaccine, then please fill in the 'No' box.

If you have any queries please contact the Immunisation Team directly on 0300 2470025 or by emailing scfh.contact@hcrhcaregroup.com

Unauthorised Absences

Just to remind parents/carers that if they take their children out of school without authority for 5 or more days (which do not have to be consecutive), then the following will apply:

- If you have not incurred a penalty notice relating to this child/children in a rolling 3 year period since 19 August 2024, then the penalty notice will be charged at the rate of £160.00, per parent/carer per child, if paid within 28 days. This will be reduced to £80.00 if paid within 21 days of receipt of the notice. Failure to pay the Penalty Notice will result in Surrey County Council considering legal proceedings against you in the Magistrates Court.
- If you have incurred a penalty notice relating to this child/children since 19 August 2024, the rolling 3 year period will be activated from the date of the first penalty notice and the second penalty notice will be charged at the flat rate of £160.00, per parent/carer per child, if paid within 28 days. There will be no reduction for payment within 21 days. Failure to pay the Penalty Notice will result in Surrey County Council considering legal proceedings against you in the Magistrates Court.
- If you have incurred 2 penalty notices relating to this child/children in the rolling 3 year period since the first penalty notice was issued, then you will NOT receive a third penalty notice – Surrey County Council will have no option but to consider a prosecution, per parent/carer per child, in the Magistrates Court under s 444 Education Act 1996.

Surrey County Council is not responsible for authorising pupil absence and therefore cannot withdraw any Penalty Notice requests without the written permission of the Headteacher.

Years 11, 12 & 13

Families of students in **Years 11–13** are reminded that our **Meet the Tutor Evening** will take place on **Wednesday 17th September**. You will receive a separate communication sent via Arbor for full details of the programme.

Years 12 & 13

Registration Activities w/c 15th September

Please find attached the registration activities for next week which outlines what students will be doing in tutor time. It has also been set on satchel for students to review in their own time. Year 12 students should be getting into the right habits for success whilst Year 13 will be focusing on preparation for University/Apprenticeships. Our KS5 Information Evening is on Wednesday 17th September. Encourage your child to check our Padlet site for additional resources: [Warlingham Sixth Form College \(padlet.com\)](https://warlinghamtlit.co.uk/padlet) and opportunities for their next steps. For any questions, please contact Mr. R. Leay at r.leay@warlinghamtlit.co.uk.

We wish you an enjoyable weekend.

Kind regards



Mr P Foster

Headteacher