WEST LEA WEEKLY SPOTLIGHT



CAMPUS UPDATE

It's been a hectic but rewarding few weeks since the beginning of term which saw the launch of Horizon. There's a positive buzz at our brandnew campus which is home to West Lea's post 16 provision. As our motto conveys, we set 'no limits' to what students, interns and staff can achieve by working together towards shared goals.

As we've begun working with three new Year 12 classes, we reflect on the positive outcomes of last year's KS5 leavers who were all successful in gaining places at college to further their education. This year will help shape the aspirations and journeys of our new college students as they prepare for adulthood and are supported to discover their own future pathways.

We've also welcomed three new classes of interns, all with fresh ambitions and a willingness to work hard towards gaining a job.

They follow in the footsteps of the class of 2021 who, despite a challenging year, persevered and reaped the rewards of never giving up. With the help of our passionate staff, an impressive 90% of interns were offered a job at the end of their internship last year.

We're excited to see our new interns flourish in their roles over the course of the coming year. They certainly impressed employers at our recent Job Fair where they found out more about the supported internships on offer this year.

This event will help support the job matching process and we are grateful to partner organisations such as the Co-operative, Enfield Council, Greggs, Rapport and many more inclusive employers in Enfield and beyond who see the potential of our wonderful young people. To find out more go to www.westleaschool.co.uk/sip

For regular updates from Horizon campus please follow us on Twitter @HorizonCampus_

Kika Charalambous, Head of School, Horizon Campus



PUPIL ACHIEVEMENT

Harmony, Fury Class

For consistently working hard and maintaining a positive attitude.

Michael, Watson Class

For his positive attitude both in class and during work experience.

Ashley, Adams Class

For his consistent effort, excellent punctuality and for being polite to all staff and students.

Ruslana, Packham Class

For always trying her best in every lesson.

Valentino, Wiltshire Class

For displaying a really mature attitude.

Daniel O, Piper Class

For being really focused and determined.

Daniel C, Hawking Class

For his exceptional kindness to all and positive attitude.



West Lea's first ever Supported Internship Job Fair, held last Friday.

EVENTS & KEY DATES



October

Black History Month – please follow our updates on Twitter where we will share photos of our learning

Tuesday 12th October

World Values Day – we will be celebrating our core values of community, kindness, learning for life, innovation and inclusion

Wednesday 20th October

College INSET day (KS5 students only)

Monday 25th – Friday 29th October

Autumn half-term holiday week

Monday 1st November

Return from half-term holiday

Monday 22nd November

INSET day (school closed to pupils)

Friday 17th December

End of autumn term for pupils

(College INSET day – KS5 students only)

SAFEGUARDING

We have embedded safety and safeguarding into our PSHE/RSE curriculum and have the highest expectations for a safe environment, culture and community.

The topics being covered in PSHE/RSE during the Autumn term include:

KS1 & KS2:

- Mental health and well-being
- Relationships: similarities and differences
- Online safety

KS3:

- Identity
- Communities
- Emotional well-being and mental health
- Healthy lifestyles
- Online safety

KS4:

- Mental health and transition
- Mental health and online safety

- Healthy relationships and reproduction
- Citizenship including human rights, responsibilities, and the law; democracy, voting and UK politics; diversity, prejudice and discrimination; and equality and activism

KS5:

- Law and democracy
- Diversity, prejudice and discrimination

SIP:

- Democracy: voting
- Prevent: Hate crime/online hate
- Personal presentation and hygiene