



CAMPUS UPDATE

The weather is growing warmer as exam season is coming to an end and we're all beginning to look forward to the Summer break and the chance for students and staff to have some well deserved rest and recreation time.

For some Horizon KS5 students the end of the month marks the end of their journey at West Lea - for now at least! (We hope to welcome you back on the supported internship in the future). This year KS5 leavers are moving onto a variety of courses at local colleges including Media at Enfield CONEL, Sports at Barnet & Southgate college, Music at Tottenham CONEL and Animal Care at Capel Manor College. We wish you all the best in your studies next year!

For others, full-time education has come to an end as our interns transition into the world of work. Once again, our supported internship has proved to be extremely successful with an expected employment rate of at least 80%.

Some special shout outs go to staff involved in transition planning: Lee Bagley for supporting travel arrangements, Richard Gibson for his input with college applications, Elizabeth Betts for outstanding careers advice and guidance, Jack Kelly, Carline Ikoroha, Leane Bosquet and all of the Job Coaches, including Marvin, Pani, Kris, Karen and Tori, for supporting interns into work.

Excitingly, this past weekend saw the return of the Learning for Life charity Wanna Be Friends events - the first since before the pandemic. It was so lovely to see young people arriving dressed for the occasion and partying at the island luau themed Summer Ball. 'Mahalo' to Azad for organising such a beautiful event and to all the staff who gave up their time to help out on the night.

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Horizon campus



PUPIL HIGHLIGHTS

Matthew, Wiltshire class

For always having such a positive attitude at work.

Harry, Piper class

For his commitment to his roles and responsibilities in and out of work.

Ben, Hawking class

For working well all year to secure a job at BloQs.

Stephen, Adams class

For working hard in Media & ICT in preparation for his next steps.

Ronald, Watson class

For the effort he has put into revising for exams.

Kain, Fury class

For working exceptionally hard to pass his English exams.

James, Packham class

For outstanding work in Maths.

EVENTS & KEY DATES

Friday 1st July

Last day at college for KS5 students.

Thursday 7th July

Parent/Carer transition/ information sessions for new KS5 Horizon students.

Friday 8th July

Transition day at college for new KS5 Horizon students.

Friday 8th July

Transition day at Cyprus Road for new pre-internship students/parents/carers

Friday 15th July

Transition day at Cyprus Road for new interns

Friday 22nd July

End of Summer Term (1.30pm) / Last day for interns.

