



DENBIGH SCHOOL

Headteacher Bulletin



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Friday 29th September 2023

Dear Parent/Carer,

I hope this email finds you well and that you have had a good week.

Word of the week

The word of the week is **falter**, meaning to lose strength or purpose. For example, the footballs team's efforts did not falter. Please continue to use the word of the week with your child at home

Opportunities

Russell Group - UK University Search will be collaborating with the Russell Group once again this year to bring you the popular webinars that cover a range of key topics. Taking place from the 3rd-5th October, there are five 90-minute sessions each featuring six expert panellists. This is a great opportunity for Students in Year 11 and 12. Please see the link [here](#).

MK Lit Fest - Please see the attached poster for the MK Lit Fest, a festival all focused on books, words and writers. This will take place from the 13th-15th October at the MK library. What a wonderful event this will be.

Careermag - Our careers advisor, Mrs Hamdan would like to share this useful magazine giving advice on all things careers for parents and guardians. This is entirely free and includes lots of information from UCAS on key dates, tips for talking careers with your child and interviews. Please see the link [here](#).

Enrichment days

A reminder that we have our first enrichment day on the 18th October. These days are a fantastic opportunity for students to gain new experiences and broaden their horizons. Consent and medical forms need to be completed in ParentMail under 'forms' and payment needs to be made under 'Payment-Shop.' Please do this as soon as possible.

Library update

The Scholastic Book Fair is making a welcome return to Denbigh from the 11th to the 18th of October. There is a wide range of books available, and this year we will also be selling during our Year 7 Open Evening. Books can be bought using a credit/debit card (a card reader will be available during the week), cash, or online vouchers that can be purchased [here: https://bookfairs.scholastic.co.uk/gift-vouchers](https://bookfairs.scholastic.co.uk/gift-vouchers). Vouchers will need to be handed in to Ms Zammit when buying books so that the voucher cost is subtracted from the total. Please note that change is not given when vouchers are used if the cost of the book is less than the cost of the voucher. We hope to see you at the Book Fair, supporting our students' love of reading and supporting our school. Remember, money raised during the Book Fair helps the ILC purchase more books for our students to use and enjoy!

Denbigh Association

As mentioned last week, our PTA - known as The Denbigh Association - has its Annual General Meeting this coming Monday 2nd October. This will be online to be able to reach as many people as possible. The meeting will start at 7.30pm and will only last between 30 minutes and an hour. Whilst new members are always welcome, there is no commitment to becoming one when attending the AGM: if you would like to attend please email myersp@denbigh.net in order to be sent the Teams link. The Denbigh Association has two important events to invite you to this term. On Friday 13th October at 7.00pm we have our first Bingo evening of the year, and on Friday 8th December from 5:30pm we have our annual Christmas Bazaar. All are welcome to both events. We look forward to as many of you as possible joining our AGM, or supporting our events to help raise money for the school.

Have a wonderful weekend.

Kind regards,

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Headteacher