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Key Dates

Year 9 Options evening – Thursday 7th March 2019, 6-8pm
Parent Governor Forum – Thursday 28th March 2019, 6-7pm
Careers Week – 4th – 9th March 2019
World Book Day – 7th March
Comic Relief – 15th March

Friday 1st March 2019

Dear Parents and Carers,

It's been a great week for our return from February half-term! Watching students out playing on the school field, it's been almost like the summer term! Let's hope the lovely weather continues. I'm sure you know the procedure if there is a change to more inclement conditions. (see the website/you will receive a text).

This week we have been holding respect, care and honesty assemblies each morning. Students have been reminded about the school's core values using sporting analogies. Lessons have continued to focus on a silent start with a 'DO NOW' activity. If you would like to find out more please see our website.

Year 9 students have all been having their Information, Advice and Guidance (IAG) meetings with senior members of staff this week. All parents of year 9 should have received a letter with the details of the time and the teacher.

Our student voice met this week with Mrs Connolly and our Governor responsible for student voice, Mary Rooney. Students express their views on a variety of topics, for example lesson starts, the 'DO NOW' activity, rewards and sanctions. Their ideas are discussed and taken on board by the Senior Leadership Team (SLT).

SLT have been busy recruiting new members of staff to start September and before, the school is growing in the numbers of children we have and we are hiring as a result. If you are interested in working with us please see our website. There are teaching and non-teaching opportunities available.

Next week is World Book Day where students can donate £1 or a book. Students are encouraged to come dressed as an easily recognisable literary character otherwise they should come in uniform.

Friday 15th March sees Comic Relief day. This won't be fancy dress or dress down. There will be plenty of activities that are a fun way to raise money for this cause.

More details about school life are on our website, but as always, if you have any questions, queries or concerns about your child don't hesitate to contact me.

Kind regards,

Miss G Shirt
Headteacher



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