

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been a really busy and positive start to the school year. Year 7 students are settling in well and it was great to meet some of our new parents at the Year 7 Information Evening last week. Thank you to the Year 11 parents that were able to attend our revision evening on Wednesday the slides from the presentation are on the website now, [Shenley Brook End School - Information Evenings \(sbeschool.org.uk\)](http://sbeschool.org.uk).

Our annual Open Evening will take place on Thursday 3 October from 5.30pm. A reminder that we will be **closing the school at 2:05pm**, which is the end of period 4. All students will still have their lunchtime at school. If you have any concerns which would stop your child going home at 2:05pm then please email Miss Rance (Senior Year Leader and Lead Safeguarding) on [mrance@sbe5d.com](mailto:mrance@sbe5d.com) and we can look at how we can support your child. It is fantastic that so many students are volunteering to help during the evening.

### Key dates

<b>All Years</b>		
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<b>Thursday 3 October</b>	<b>Open Evening</b>	Open Evening for Year 6 families. Early closure for all students.
<b>Year 8</b>		
<b>Monday 23 September</b>	<b>Thorpe Park Rewards Trip for Year 8</b>	Students must be at reception by 8.15 to allow for a prompt departure and we will return to school by 17.30 and will travel by coach. Students will need to take a packed lunch and are permitted to arrive in non-school uniform. Students can take a payment card with them to purchase food their but please be aware that some food retailer at the park can be expensive and students are solely

		responsible for any items they take with them. Students who are entitled to free school meals will be provided with a packed lunch from school.
<b>Year 9</b>		
<b>Tuesday 24 September</b>	<b>Thorpe Park Rewards Trip for Years 9/10</b>	Students must be at reception by 8.15 to allow for a prompt departure and we will return to school by 17.30 and will travel by coach. Students will need to take a packed lunch and are permitted to arrive in non-school uniform. Students can take a payment card with them to purchase food their but please be aware that some food retailer at the park can be expensive and students are solely responsible for any items they take with them. Students who are entitled to free school meals will be provided with a packed lunch from school.
<b>Tuesday 24 September</b>	<b>Year 9 Information Evening</b>	
<b>Year 10</b>		
<b>Tuesday 24 September</b>	<b>Thorpe Park Rewards Trip for Years 9/10</b>	Students must be at reception by 8.15 to allow for a prompt departure and we will return to school by 17.30 and will travel by coach. Students will need to take a packed lunch and are permitted to arrive in non-school uniform. Students can take a payment card with them to purchase food their but please be aware that some food retailer at the park can be expensive and students are solely responsible for any items they take with them. Students who are entitled to free school meals will be provided with a packed lunch from school.
<b>Year 11</b>		
<b>Tuesday 1 October</b>	<b>Thorpe Park Rewards Trip for Year 11</b>	Students must be at reception by 8.15 to allow for a prompt departure and we will return to school by 17.30 and will travel by coach. Students will need to take

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### **Clubs**

Our extensive extra-curricular programme has now started with great success and we hope that all students are enjoying these opportunities to learn new skills and meet new people.

More details can be found on our website:

<https://www.sbeschool.org.uk/page/?title=Extra%2DCurricular&pid=56>

If your child wishes to join a club which is full, please contact [wholeschooladmin@sbe5d.com](mailto:wholeschooladmin@sbe5d.com) and we can add them onto the waiting list.

Please note that if a student does not attend a club for two weeks consecutively, their place will be removed for the rest of the term and given to a student on the waiting list. Therefore, it is imperative that parents advise whole school admin if they cannot attend so we can remove them from the register. If your child is attending a trip or fixture, this will not affect their place.

### **Preloved Uniform**

We have been overwhelmed by your generosity with donating preloved uniform, thank you. Everything has been checked, washed and sorted so if there were any items you would like for your child, please email [wholeschooladmin@sbe5d.com](mailto:wholeschooladmin@sbe5d.com) with the items required and sizes so we can check stock. All items are free, or we accept cash donations if you are able.

## Aerosols



We would like to remind parents that the use of aerosols is banned in school. Some members of our community suffer from allergic reactions triggered by aerosol sprays which can cause severe reactions and breathing difficulties. Please can you encourage your child to use alternative products such as roll on deodorants.

Best wishes

Gareth McCluskey

Headteacher