

# Year 7 News



Come and join us at on a Friday in the Library at Break if you would like to take part!

**Focus this term: Starting Secondary School / Transition**

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## **Year 7 clubs** **By Lily and Betws**

Due to Covid-19 lots of clubs couldn't start in September, however the following clubs are up and running: **debate club**, **newsletter club** **Drama**, **mental well-being club** and many more amazing activities. To find out more about these clubs we have interviewed different people from them.

### **Drama club - Isobel**

*Do you like drama club?*

Yes because it's an enjoyable place.

*What is your favourite thing to do in drama club?*

Be creative, devise and direct my own performances.

*Why should people join drama club?*

It's a place to learn new skills, meet new people and build confidence.

### **Debate club - Eden**

*What sort of things do you debate?*

So far we have only done one debate and are planning to debate things about year 7's.

*Do you enjoy debate club?*

I really enjoy debate club because its a place where you can argue without getting detention and I love debating.

*Why should people join the debate club?*

I think people should join as you can feel free to say anything you want and it's a place to have fun and express your opinions.

### **Art club - Mia**

*What is your favourite artwork you have completed?*

So far we have created cards for our families.

*What type of things do you create?*

We create cards.

*Why should people join art club?*

There are very few members and there is a nice and calm environment.

## **Take a break!**

### **Are you stuck on your screen all day?**

Sometimes social media is good for you and can help you with your mental health and keeping in touch with your distant families. So let's talk about the goods and the bads on social media and how to stay safe. First make sure you keep a close eye on the age requirements for each app, because you never know who is on the other side of the screen. Also, it's good sometimes to meet up with friends in person rather than talking on screen all of the time.

Throughout lock down Tiktok was really popular. However, make sure to always stay safe on social media you never know who is on the other side of the screen and who can access your private information. If you ever find yourself in a difficult situation, switch off and tell an adult.

**SPEAK OUT, DON'T SUFFER IN SILENCE!**

The most used apps in 2020:

App	Downloads 2020
TikTok	850 million
WhatsApp	600 million
Facebook	540 million
Instagram	503 million

*This article was written by Esme, Eden and Isobel.*

## **Staying safe over the Summer** **By Blessing**

It is really important to stay safe and keep yourself healthy during the holidays due to the high potential of risk. Make sure you keep yourself hydrated with plenty of water because it is going to be very hot and you will need something refreshing.

Also, make sure you have lots of sunscreen on because there will be a high chance of sunburn if you are constantly exposed to the sun a lot. Don't look directly at the sun and remember if you have sunglasses you need to wear them.

Remember, Covid 19 is not gone yet you should remember to maintain your social distance at any local park or any social gathering, and to always wear masks if needed. Always wash or sanitize your hands regularly. Remember, if there is any emergency or if an adult is not around don't be scared to dial or call 911 and they will deal and answer you right away.





“BEAUTY ISN'T ABOUT HAVING A PRETTY FACE. IT'S ABOUT HAVING A PRETTY MIND, A PRETTY HEART, AND A PRETTY SOUL.”

*If you have any motivational thoughts you'd like to share with Y7, write them down and pass them on to Miss Tandy, for our next edition.*

## A LOOK BACK AT YEAR 7 2020-2021 BY MAIZIE

1. What has been the best bit of year 7?

*Sophie: Meeting new friends and starting a fresh year in school,*

2. Was it easy during lockdown?

*Sophie: Yes because you have lots of support from some off the teachers in school,,*

3. What has been your favourite lesson?

*Sophie: Food tech because it is exciting and you learn lots of new skills.*

4. What were you the most excited for?

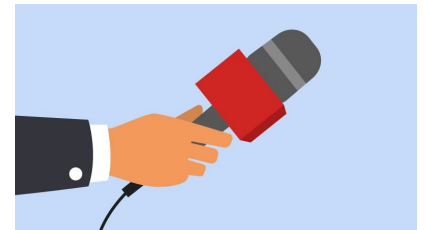
*Sophie: Being in class with different people and doing P.E.*

5. Are you on any clubs?

*Sophie: Yes I am in newspaper club and debate club.*

6. Was it easy coming into year 7?

*Sophie: No because everyone kept themselves to themselves for the first few weeks.*



*This year we would like you to design a front cover for the year 6 'All About Me' booklet that they will receive during their transition days.*

*You will need to give your entries to Miss Tandy by Friday 11th June.*

*Make sure that your front cover is Colourful and attractive. Prizes for the top 3 best designs!*

*By Lucy*

JUST FUN

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PRECISION  
REPRODUCIBLE  
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