

WHAT'S COMING UP NEXT?

Year 7 Parent Consultation Evening

Wednesday, 1st February

4pm to 6pm



dear Parents and Carers,

We look forward to meeting with all our Year 7 parents at the consultation evening taking place on **Wednesday 1st February from 4pm to 6pm.**

All appointments can be made through our online booking system which opens at **9am on Monday, 23rd January** here [SchoolCloud - Beckfoot Upper Heaton](#) and can also be accessed via the website [Beckfoot Upper Heaton - Home](#).

Each appointment will last for 5 minutes with your chosen teachers.

Guidance for you to follow to help you gain access to School Cloud can be found on our website here [Beckfoot Upper Heaton - Parent Consultation Evenings](#)

If you require any support in booking your appointments or about any aspect of the parents evening please contact us at reception@beckfootupperheaton.org. We will be happy to help.

Regards,



Mr M Ward
Deputy Headteacher

WHAT'S BEEN HAPPENING IN SCHOOL?

YEAR 9 POSITIVE CHOICES DAY

Today we learnt about positive choices and life style choices. We also learnt about knife crime and not to carry knives on you because if you carry one, you can get 6 months in prison. If you use the knife, you get 15 years!

In the second lesson we learnt about drugs and not to take them. We learnt about this one boy that was smoking weed and doing cocaine. He was making bad choices and not talking to his parents. Smoking weed is not good because you could get arrested for a long time or you could get depressed. It could ruin your life forever and holding a knife is wrong; just carrying a knife is wrong. Just carrying a knife can make you stay in prison for the rest of your life. Getting drunk can effect your mental health and it could affect your kids and your family and friends.

So stop smoking weed, stopping getting drink and stop using knives. It can really mess up your mental health .

Sufyan & Martin Year 9



Today we learned about lifestyle choices and decisions in the outside world. In lesson one we had a man called Adam Ebazo talking about his teenage years when he fell into a bad crowd selling drugs and taking them. He eventually sorted his life out and now works for Leeds United. What I liked best about the lesson was when he got people up to do push ups and star jumps.

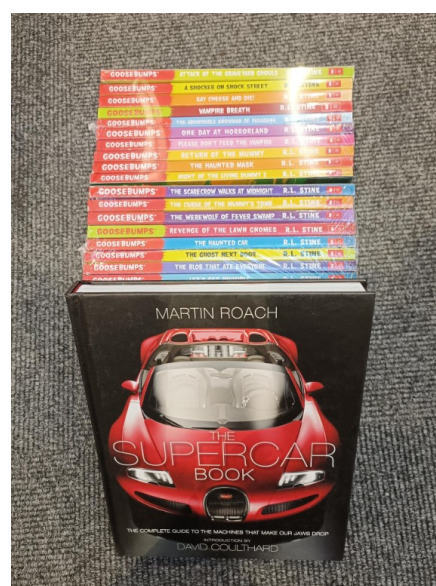
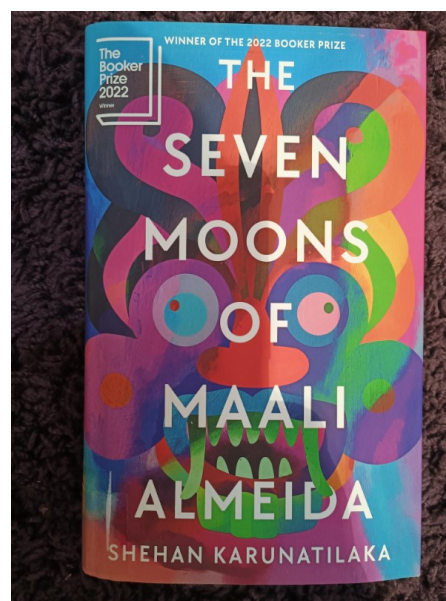
The second lesson was about a woman called Alisson who was sexually assaulted by her uncle. When she was seven and had a abusive partner who she had 2 boys with. She left her partner all her money. She was addicted to heroin.

WHAT'S BEEN HAPPENING IN SCHOOL?

NEW LIBRARY BOOKS

The library has just received an order of brand new books. They include the popular Goosebumps series, prize winning books such as 'October, October' and 'The seven suns of Maali Almeida' and a range of books that reflect the diversity of our school community. Up to two books can be borrowed for two weeks at a time. Students can return books during tutor time with the permission of their tutors. If there is a book you would like the library to buy, let me know!

Mrs Mathewson
Librarian



UNIFORM LOAN SHOP

Please can we ask parents/carers to ensure that their children return any borrowed items at the end of the school day. Students can borrow items every day, but these need to be returned.

If you have any borrowed items at home, please could we ask that you return them to school so that we can keep our Uniform Loan Shop well stocked to support all our students.

STUDENT EQUIPMENT

Students are required to have 100% correct equipment at all times. This is:

- A pen
- A pencil
- A ruler
- A rubber

These items will be on sale in the **main office from Monday, 16th January.**



Beckfoot Upper Heaton School shop price list

Opening times:
8:00am – 8:15am
10:20am – 10:30am
10:15am- 10:25am

Pencils- 10P

Pens- 15P

Rubbers- 10P

Small Rulers- 20P

**Pencil case with the
equipment above- £1.50**

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FEBRUARY MOCK EXAMS

Commencing on the first day back after half term – **Monday 20th February**, Year 11 will have two weeks of mock exams. These will be the last set of mock exams they will sit before sitting their GCSE and final exams in May / June 2023.

All students are advised to have a revision timetable in place from now until the end of exams. Students will be supported with their preparation in lessons, Period 6 study sessions and in tutor time. Subject teachers will inform students of the exam papers they will be sitting and the revision they should be doing. Many subjects also provide additional resources to support revision during the term and at February half term.

Please support your child with this by checking their planner and making sure they have the correct equipment. 100% attendance and punctuality are vital every day to ensure your child is accessing their learning and is well prepared. Please ask your child to talk to their Tutor / Year Leader / Subject teachers for further support.

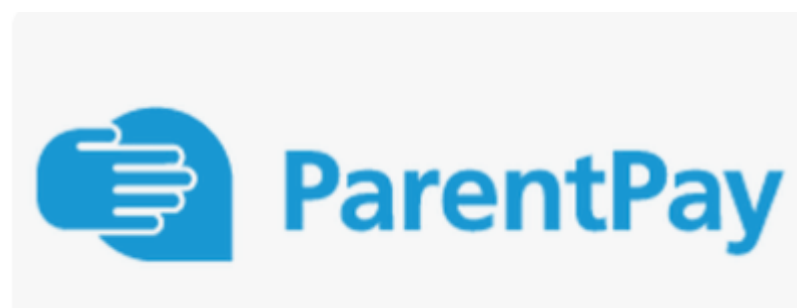
English revision guides are available on Parent Pay:

English GCSE English Revision Guide set: £20

For Year 10 and 11 pupils, these 7 guides cover all key knowledge for the English Language and Literature GCSEs.

English KS3 Workbook (with answers): £5

For pupils in Year 7, Year 8 and Year 9. This CGP workbook contains a range of reading and writing tasks designed to boost pupils' skills in English.



FEBRUARY MOCK EXAM REVISION

PREPARE TO SUCCEED IN GEOGRAPHY Year 11 Revision Schedule Mock Exams

Use this revision schedule to carefully prepare for your Feb/ March Mock exams. Complete questions on the relevant page numbers using the revision guide to support you and your knowledge organiser pack.

NOTE- you should have already completed the pages from the November mock prep – so this is further completion of the booklet to ensure by the time that you come to your exams you have revised all the content

Full paper 1 – 1.5 hours – see below

Week starting – 9th January

Paper 1 Question 1 – Challenge of natural hazards	Page numbers to be completed in booklet	Revision guide pages for support
Tropical storm – structure and formation including satellite images and reducing the damage.	17	9 & 10 & 13
UK extreme weather - example of extreme weather event	20&21	14- 16
Physical process as the plate margins – destructive plate boundary and the formation of volcanoes and earthquakes	12	1&2
Effects of tectonic hazards vary between contrasting levels of wealth – Named examples – L'Aquila Italy Earthquake HIC compare with Nepal Earthquake LIC	14	5&6

Week starting -16th January

Paper 1 Question 2 – Living World	Page numbers to be completed in booklet	Revision guide pages for support
Distribution of global ecosystems and climates of global ecosystems.	26	24&25
Climate of tropical rainforest and plant adaptations	27	26-28
Deforestation – causes and effects – economic & environmental - Named example -The Amazon Rainforest	29	30-32
Hot Environments – Challenges and Opportunities – Name example Thar Desert	33	39& 40

English Period
6 – Half Term
3:



Tuesday 10th January – F12 –
Romeo and Juliet Revision



Thursday 26th January – F11 – A
Christmas Carol Revision

FEBRUARY MOCK EXAM REVISION

Week starting 23rd January

Paper 1 Question 3& 4 – Coasts and Rivers	Page numbers to be completed in booklet	Revision guide pages for support
Coastal processes and landforms along a coastline- Holderness Coast	44	Use knowledge organiser -Paper 1 coasts section
Coastal landforms – wave cut platforms	43	59
Management of coastal erosion – hard and soft engineering	45 &46	63-62
Rivers and river valleys	48&49	68 &69
Landforms of erosion and deposition – Meanders	48&49	70
Management of river flooding – hard and soft engineering	53	74&75

Paper 2 (not fully completed but you will be examined on the questions below) 1 hour 15 mins

Week starting 30th January

Paper 2 Question 1 - Urban Issues and Challenges	Page numbers of be completed in booklet	Revision guide pages for support
Global patterns of urban change	65 -question 1&2 and 66 question 3,	89 &90
Major city in and NEE – case study – Rio de Janeiro- importance / growth/ opportunities/ challenges / management	68&69	97-100
Urban planning – improving lives of urban poor in NEE- name example – Favela Bairro Project , Rio	67- question 9	101
Sustainable urban living	73&74	107&108
Major city in the UK- case study- London – importance/ growth/ opportunities and challenges	71&72	104- plus knowledge organiser for London specifics

Enterprise exam

Four year 11 students will be sitting their BTEC Enterprise exam on **Tuesday 31st January**. This exam will start at 1300hrs and is a 2-hour exam.

Thank you to those that responded to our RSE survey.

For those that had further questions, we will be running drop-in sessions during our parent consultation evenings.

This will give you an opportunity to speak to staff, ask any questions and view resources.

These drop ins will take place on **1st February 4-6pm and 29th March 4-6pm**



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A Level Open Evening

Thursday 26th January
5 - 7pm



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a free apron

Saturday Junior Chef

Like cooking?

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You will be taught by our expert team and all classes will be taught in our professional kitchens in the David Hockney Building at Bradford College.

All materials /ingredients will be provided.

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HURRY ONLY 24 PLACES AVAILABLE

Courses are run on a Saturday
between 10am and 2pm
on the following dates:

Day 1: 25th February
Day 2: 4th March
Day 3: 11th March
Day 4: 8th March
Day 5: 25th March

Places are allocated on a
first-come first served basis.



Scan me to book
your place or visit:
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