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## Year 7 Rewards Trip

WEEK 1

On Friday 14th June, 50 Year 7's went on their End of Year Rewards trip to Gullivers Land. Whilst the weather was not on our side with rain sporadically hitting us throughout the day, the students were able to enjoy the theme park and attractions as we were one of the very few schools visiting that day!

Students were able to go on the rides many times, some going upside down or very very fast! Some students even conquered the water rides but the smiles on all the students' faces were fantastic to see. Students behaved extremely well and were a credit to the school. A few year 7's have even asked if they could go on another reward trip this week!

These types of reward trips are for students who have 96% attendance, 0-2 behaviour points and for some, may never have been on a trip before. Students should consider this throughout the year so they can make sure they are in contention of being awarded an opportunity to go on the next Reward Trip in 2025!

Miss Winter, Mr Merchant, Miss Christodoulou, Miss Cetin, Mr Bruce and Miss Welch.



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## Y10 End of Year Exam Timetable

Week commencing 24th June 2024

Please find attached the arrangements for the Year 10 End of Year Exams. The schedule of Exams can be found overleaf. **Students are expected to attend school every day - there is no study leave and students will be in lessons when they don't have an exam.**

Students who have additional time for their exams will take them alongside the rest of the Year Group. Those with additional Exam arrangements will be taken to alternative rooms, but should still meet with the rest of the Year group at the start of each exam.

Date	Session 1 - 8.20am start		Session 2 - 11.20am start	
	Exam	Length (mins)	Exam	Length (mins)
Monday 24th June	GCSE Separate Science - Chemistry- Paper 1	105m	French Writing (F&H)	F-60m, H-75m
	GCSE Combined Science - Chemistry H & F - Paper 1	75m	Spanish Writing ( F&H)	F-60m, H-75m
Tuesday 25th June	Maths - Paper 2 - CALCULATOR Foundation & Higher	90m	Turkish Writing (F&H)	F-80m, H-85m
			GCSE Geography - Paper 2	90m
Wednesday 26th June	GCSE Separate Science - Physics- Paper 1	105m	L1/2 Hospitality & Catering - Paper 1	80m
	GCSE Combined Science - Physics H & F - Paper 1	75m		
Thursday 27th June	GCSE Media - Component 1 - Exploring the Media	90m	GCSE Business	60m
	GCSE Dance	90m	GCSE Music - Component 3 - Appraising	105m
	NCFE Sport	90m		
	GCSE Turkish - Reading (F&H)	F - 50m H - 65m		
Friday 28th June	French Listening (F&H) followed by French Reading ( F&H)	F - 80m H - 105m	GCSE Computer Science - Component 1	90m
	Spanish Listening (F&H) followed by Spanish Reading ( F&H)	F - 80m H - 105m		

## Arrangements for the Exams

**Session 1 (P1-2)** - Location - Sports Hall or Gym

**Students arrive in Sports Hall Playground at 08.00 for an 08.20 start**

*On completion of the exam paper, students will return to timetabled lessons*

**Session 2 (P3-4)** - Location - Sports Hall, Gym

**Students arrive in Sports Hall Playground at 11.10 for an 11.20 start**

*Students will be dismissed at the end of the exam back to lessons/lunch*

**Please treat these exams as if they were the real thing - students should attend every exam, and be on time.**



## Year 9/10 Video call with Spanish partner school

On Friday 14th June, a group of our students had the exciting opportunity to participate in a virtual video call with a class from our partner school in Spain! The call, which took place at 10:30 am, allowed students from both schools to connect, practice their language skills, and learn about each other's cultures.

This exchange program is a fantastic benefit of our school's status as an international institution. By fostering connections with schools abroad, we provide our students with a unique opportunity to:

- **Develop intercultural understanding:** Video calls like this break down geographical barriers and allow students to connect with peers from different backgrounds. This fosters a sense of global citizenship and appreciation for cultural diversity.
- **Sharpen language skills:** Engaging in conversation with native speakers is an excellent way to improve fluency and confidence in a second language. Our students practiced their Spanish during the call, while their counterparts in Spain had a chance to use their English.
- **Broaden their horizons:** The virtual exchange program exposes students to new perspectives and ways of life. By interacting with students from Spain, our students gained insights into Spanish culture, education, and daily life



## Free Summer Literacy Resources

First News is the leading source of news and news-based learning for children. It is age-appropriate (aimed at 7 to 14 year olds but accessible for all ages), impartial and helps keep students reading and developing their critical literacy skills.

As a school we subscribe to First News in the Library and are therefore able to offer all Winchmore School students a free First News digital subscription over the summer holidays. It's packed with fun and educational content that will keep minds active and entertained all summer long.

First News digital is available via an app and includes:

- Daily news stories which children can read, listen and react to. These include reports on the Euros, the Summer Olympics, and the upcoming general election.
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## Calling all Year 10 Parents!

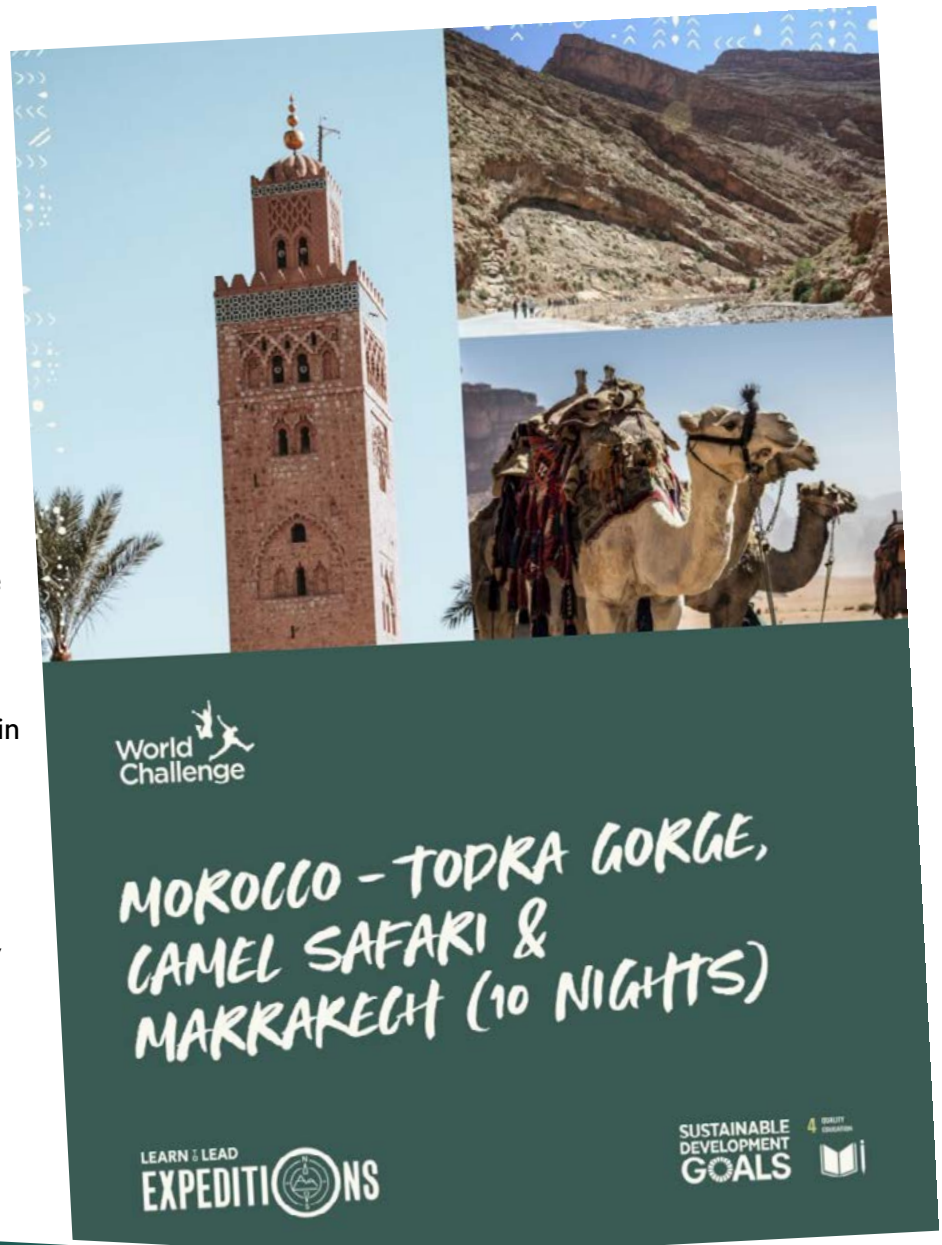
Winchmore School invites you to join an online talk about our exciting Morocco expedition, running in July 2026.

This is a life-changing opportunity for students to explore Morocco with expert guides, while developing their life skills, confidence and independence. We're partnering with World Challenge to offer this 13-night trip, which complements school learning.

Applications are already open, so please visit [our trip webpage](#) for the sign-up link, itinerary, travel dates, and trip cost – examples of how past students have earned this themselves will be covered in the talk.

**Charlie from World Challenge will host the 20-minute Zoom presentation on Monday 24th June at 7pm.** Please come along and ask any questions, or just listen in.

To attend, please register for the Zoom presentation [here](#).



"THE BEST DECISION I'VE EVER MADE, IT  
TAUGHT ME TO TAKE CONTROL OF MY  
OWN LIFE"

- REMI MONAGHAN

## Literacy Corner

‘WINCHMORE’S WORD OF THE WEEK’ CHALLENGE - week beginning 24th June:



Word of the Week: **Eloquent**

Word Class	Adjective
Meaning	Fluent or persuasive in speaking or writing.
Examples	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- The artist’s brushstrokes were so eloquent that they seemed to tell a story without the need for words.</li> <li>- Her eloquent argument during the debate persuaded many to reconsider their stance on the issue.</li> <li>- The mathematician’s eloquent proof elegantly demonstrated the beauty and simplicity underlying the most complex mathematical concepts.</li> </ul>
Challenge	Have a go at the Spelling Bee <a href="https://www.nytimes.com/puzzles/spelling-bee">https://www.nytimes.com/puzzles/spelling-bee</a>

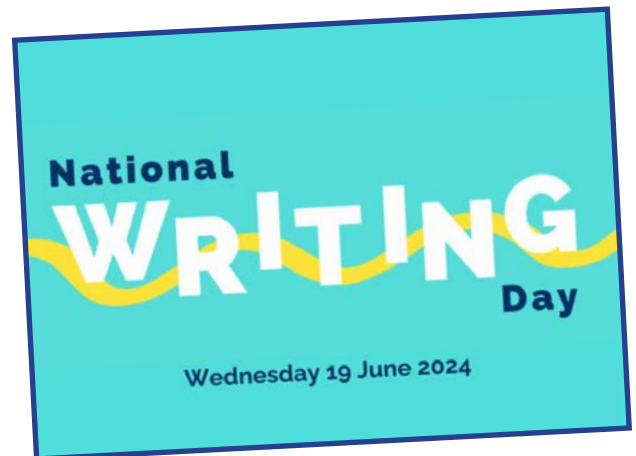
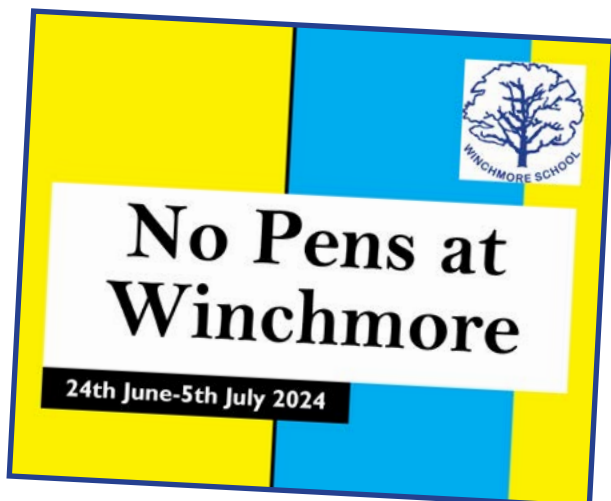
**What’s the challenge?** You must use the ‘word of the week’ in the correct context (where possible) in any of your subjects. If you are able to use it in the correct context (not just going up to your teacher and saying it – has to be relevant to what you are doing), you will get 1 ‘word of the week’ achievement point.

**Why are we doing this?** To widen our vocabulary, oracy and understanding alongside encouraging a love for literacy across the school (in all subject areas).

Remember: that the student with the most ‘**word of the week**’ achievement points in the year group at the end of the half term will receive a voucher!

## Literacy News

**No Pens!** From Monday 24th June to Friday 5th July, teachers and students at Winchmore will be taking part in No Pen lessons. Teachers will choose a class and complete a lesson in which students are not constricted by a pen.



It was National Writing Day on Wednesday 19th June which aims to inspire people across the UK to discover the pleasure and power of writing. Students across the school wrote 10 word stories about their different subjects and we look forward to sharing their responses very soon.

Monday  
24th June

## Year 7 Summer Adventure Residential Trip

### AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES:

- **After School Club Library** 3pm to 4pm
- **Art and Photography Club** room A1 3-4pm (one-off poster workshop)
- **The Entrepreneurs Club** 3.15-4.15 in room 31
- **Debate Club** 3-4pm in room 10
- **Year 10 Science Boost** for invited students (3pm)
- **SEND Scrabble club** (invited students - Year 9 & 10) - 3:15-4:15pm
- **Coding Club (KS3)** 3-4pm Room 03
- **Year 8 English Boost** sessions for invited students 3pm to 4pm

### LUNCHTIME ACTIVITIES:

- **Lego Club** Years 7&8 - Wellbeing Room 1.15-2pm
- **Music rehearsal time**
- **Piano Club** 1:30-2pm
- **Drama Club** Dr2 All Years Invited
- **Year 12 Boost rehearsal** 3pm Dr1

### AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES:

- **After School Club** Library 3pm to 4pm
- **Pride Club** - 3.00-4.00pm in M2
- **Boys Football Club** - Year 9 - 3.00-4.30pm
- **Fitness (Resistance Training)** - Years 9-13 only - 3-4pm in the Fitness Suite
- **IMedia Boost classes** - Targeted Year 10 students 3-3.45pm
- **SEND ( study skills - English & Science ) after school club** - Year 9 and 10 invited students 3:15
- **High School Musical Rehearsals** DRI 3.15pm-4.00pm - FULL CAST
- **High School Musical Dance Rehearsals** DA2 3.15pm-4.00pm
- **Athletics Club** - All Years - 3:00-4.15pm

Tuesday  
25th June

### LUNCHTIME ACTIVITIES:

- **Music rehearsal time**
- **KS3 Art Catch up club** - Every Wednesday lunchtime in A4

### AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES:

- **After School Club** Library 3pm to 4pm
- **LAMDA Rehearsal** DRI

Wednesday  
26th June

## LUNCHTIME ACTIVITIES:

- **Carnegie Shadowing Group.** Individual silent study and silent reading in the Library.
- **Drama Club** - Years 7-9 in DR1
- **Christian Club** - All welcome. In Room 23. 1.20-1.50pm
- **Music rehearsal time**

## AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES:

- **After School Club Library 3pm to 4pm**
- **Gardening Club** in the Wild Life Garden -3-4pm
- **Fitness (Resistance Training)** - Years 9-13 only - 3-4pm in the Fitness Suite
- **Basketball** - Years 10-13 - 3:15-4:15pm
- **Boys Football Club** - Year 9 - 3:00pm- 4:30pm
- **Guitar Club** - All Pupils - 3-4pm in M1
- **Year 9 Music Boost sessions** for all pupils 3pm to 4pm
- **Year 9 Maths Boost sessions** for invited students 3pm to 4pm
- **Key Stage 4 and 5 Dance Club** 3:15-4:15 pm
- **High School Musical Rehearsal** -Ms Darbus, Sharpay and Ryan, Coach Bolton 3.15-4pm DR1
- **Summer Concert Rehearsal (Mrs Goddard)** - Year 8 and Year 9 students, Dr2 at 3pm - 3.45pm

Thursday  
27th June

## AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES:

- **Table Top Gaming Club** - All Years - 3-4.15pm in room 68
- **Dance Club** - Years 7-9 - 3:15-4:15pm in Dance 2
- **Computing Boost classes** - Targeted Year 10 students 3-3:45pm

Friday  
28th June



# Free Toasted Bagels



Winchmore School have joined the  
National School Breakfast Programme  
to provide all students with a

## FREE BAGEL

between 7:45am - 8:20am in the school's restaurant.

## Trip to Kenya

Our students are travelling to Kenya in 2024 with Camps International on an exciting four week expedition in the summer. This is an opportunity for both Staff and Students. As part of the pre-departure process, we have to fundraise money for two teachers to accompany this expedition.

This expedition will provide challenging and life changing experiences, where the students will realise their full potential. We would really appreciate donations from the wider local community. We would like to take this opportunity and thank you in advance for your generous support.

One of the ways you can support us is by donating on our Go Fund Me Page:

<https://www.gofundme.com/f/the-cy-fundraising-for-school-kenya-trip>

*Thank you for your Support!*



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