



DRAYTON MANOR HIGH SCHOOL

**WEEKLY PARENT & CARER BULLETIN
16 MARCH TO 20 MARCH 2026**

KEY DATES FOR THE TERM AHEAD

Events	Dates
Year 10 Work Experience Week	16 Mar
'Dare to Dream' School Production (6-7.30pm)	18 Mar
Sixth Form trip to Geneva	19-20 Mar
Year 11 Mock Results Assembly	23 Mar
DTP/Meningitis Vaccine	24 Mar
UCAS Discovery Day – Excel Centre	24 Mar
Year 10 Parents Evening (4.30-7.00PM)	26 Mar
Year 9 GCSE Options Deadline	26 Mar
END OF TERM	30 -10 Apr

1. SCHOOL PRODUCTION 2026 - WEDNESDAY 18 MARCH

Our school production, Dare to Dream, will take place on Wednesday 18 March at 6:00pm. We encourage all families to save the date and join us for what promises to be a wonderful showcase of our students' creativity and talent. Tickets are now available here: <https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/booking/t-oeejkjk>



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2. PARENT SUPPORT CLINICS (BY APPOINTMENT)

We are pleased to be running Parent Drop-In Clinics again for parents and carers of students at Drayton Manor High School. These sessions are an opportunity for you to share any challenges or worries you might have, and to speak directly with staff.

These sessions offer an opportunity to cover a wide range of topics, from attendance, medical needs wellbeing and friendships, to behaviour and safeguarding giving you the opportunity to access additional support services for you, your child or family both within the school and beyond.

Dates:

- Monday 16 March
- Friday 20 March
- Wednesday 25 March

Format: You can choose either in-person at school or online via MS Teams

To help us plan, parents must sign up in advance via Microsoft Forms: [Parent Support Clinics \(Spring Term\) – Fill out form](#)

Appointments will last up to 20 minutes.

We hope these sessions provide a supportive space to talk through any challenges you might have and strengthen our partnership in supporting you and your child

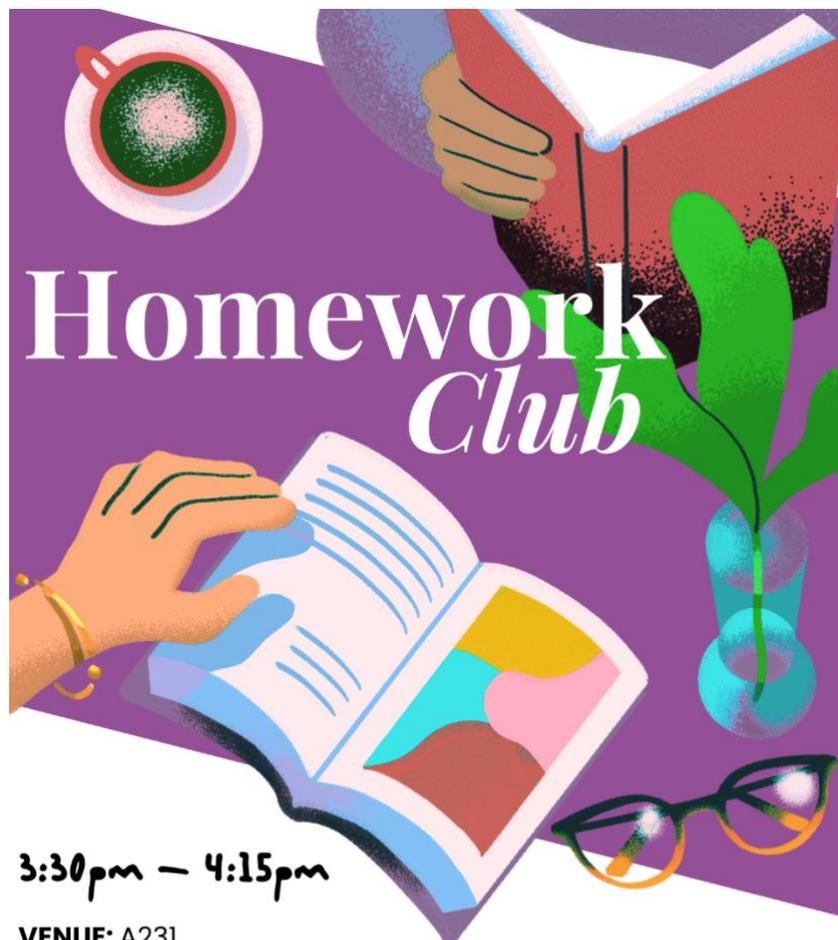


3. DIFFICULTIES WITH MY ED, SACHEL ONE, EMAILS OR PARENT PAY

If you are experiencing any communication or login difficulties with the above systems, please book in for a Parent support clinic with Ms Hynes (Family Engagement) who can support with resetting the account or resolving the concern.

4. HOMEWORK CLUB

We are holding a Homework Club to give students a supportive and calm space to complete their work. Join us in A231 from 3:30pm to 4:15pm, where you'll have access to laptops and staff on hand to help. The club runs every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, and is a great opportunity to stay organised and get your homework done with confidence.



3:30pm – 4:15pm

VENUE: A231

DATES:

-ON EVERY TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY

FACILITIES INCLUDE:

-ACCESS TO LAPTOPS



5. REPORTING INJURIES

A reminder to parents to please ensure all injuries (such as fractures, slings or use of crutches) are reported to medical@draytonmanorhighschool.co.uk before your child returns to school. This allows Welfare staff enough time to receive the medical information from families, compile a risk assessment and inform teaching staff of any support measures the student may require.

6. TRIPS REMINDER

- Students in Year 7-11 must not bring smartphones on trips as these are not allowed in school.
- Students who bring the agreed mobile phone may do so only if it is switched off, kept in their bag and out of sight for the entire trip.

Thank you for your support.

7. WRAPAROUND SUPPORT AVAILABLE

A reminder to all families that the school can offer support in a wide range of areas. This includes, but is not limited to:

- Referrals to the Crisis Fund, Food Bank, and other grants for families experiencing financial difficulty
- Support with digital access, including referrals to the Good Things Foundation or similar organisations where lack of a device is affecting your child's education
- Referrals to the school nurse for concerns around a child's ongoing physical or mental health
- Practical support with uniform, including brand-new school shoes, tights, or a school bag for families facing financial hardship
- Free sanitary products, including pads, tampons, and period underwear, available to all female students
- Access to in-school counselling for students experiencing low mood, worries, anxiety, or anger
- Various clubs and extracurricular activities to help students build friendships, confidence, and interests
- Lunch Club (Drayton Connect) is available to all students

If you feel your family would benefit from any of the above, please do not hesitate to contact Ms Hynes (Family Engagement and Safeguarding Officer) or your child's Head of Year through adminoffice@draytonmanorhighschool.co.uk

8. VENUES FOR GAMES LESSONS - SPRING TERM 2026



Please [click here](#) to see the following information for the venues for Games lessons this term.