

To: Year 8

1 February 2021

Dear Parent,

Cultural Capital Day - Wednesday 3rd February

As you may be aware our next Cultural Capital Day is on Wednesday 3rd February. In addition to this we would have also had a Personal Development Day this term. With both days being affected we have made the decision to merge the two together into one event to be held on Wednesday 3rd February. We have selected the most appropriate enrichment activities for students to complete at home and online.

We are increasingly aware of students increase in screen time so we have designed events for this day for students to be able to do without the need to access a screen for the whole day.

Attached you will find the suggested time table for the day. The day is broken up into the morning which is focussed on Personal Development and the afternoon which is focussed on wellbeing. For some year groups the day is tailored towards the next step in their education. Year 8, for example, will have the opportunity to complete option taster sessions, whilst Year 10 and 11 will have a sessions from the University of Winchester.

The timetable attached will correspond to specific resources on the school website.

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They will be uploaded this week. They will be uploaded next week.

In the afternoon all students will be focusing on Wellbeing Wednesday. Miss Bean has put together a wide range of resources that are designed for students to use to help with their own mental wellbeing. The activities range from mindful colouring to quizzes with the family. We hope students make the most of this time to help them get them into a positive mind and relax from a stressful few weeks

The rest of the day's activities will be available from the morning of the 3rd February in the **Working from Home** folder detailed above.

There will be no online Teams lessons that day. This is a real opportunity for students to take some time to enrich their learning in a way that is different from our current online day. We hope that you and your child really grasp this chance to learn something different and new.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Janes & Mr Coe