



Friday, 18th November 2016



ROKEBY RECORDER

DARE TO BE THE BEST

WHAT DOES BEING LATE TO SCHOOL MEAN?

You are late to school if:

- You come in through the school gates after **8:30am**
- You come to school early, go to the shops then come back after **8:30am**
- You come to school early but then go into registration after **8:30am**

If you are late for a **genuine** reason (e.g. doctor's appointment) your parents need to ring the school, bring a note in or appointment card in the morning.

If you are not in your form class at 8.30am, **you are LATE**. If you are late more than once in a week, you will have late detention the **following week** with Ms Ward on Wednesdays after school in the hall.



If you are late:
 x 2 in a week = 20 minutes
 x 3 in a week = 30 minutes
 x 4 in a week = 40 minutes
 x 5 in a week = 1 hour



Attendance and Punctuality Rewards



The class with the best Attendance in your year gets priority lunch the following week!

KS3 League tables

Any tutor group that gets 100% attendance in a week will get a football or basketball for their class.



Once a term.

If you have 100% Attendance and Punctuality in a term you can win a £10 voucher Amazon Gift card!

Our Values: Respect, Success, Passion for Learning, Personal Challenge, Harmony

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK:

“The common mistake that bullies make is assuming that because someone is nice that he or she is weak.”

Duke Of Edinburgh’s Award

Two former Rokeby students recently had the opportunity to mark their achievement of the Duke of Edinburgh’s Award with HRH The Earl of Wessex. On 10th November, Admir Cassama (left) and Otto Bolton were invited to a celebratory lunch at Stratford Town Hall. The boys successfully completed their Bronze Duke of Edinburgh’s Award at Rokeby School and are now ready to sign up for their Silver Award at NewVic College. The boys spoke with the His Royal Highness about his experience of the award and shared stories about theirs.



If you are interested in doing the Duke of Edinburgh’s Award, Please come to our information meeting on **Friday 25th November** at 3pm in the **assembly hall**.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY



Thursday 1st December:
Former Year 11 Awards Evening.

Monday 5th December – Friday 16th December:
Year 11 Mock Exams

Homework Club



Need some help with homework and coursework? All year groups welcome, come along to F27
Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday
from 2.50pm-4.10pm
Friday from 2.50pm-3.30pm

ATTENDANCE & PUNCTUALITY

Did you know:
90% attendance = 1/2 day missed every week.

90% attendance over one school year = 4 whole weeks of missed lessons!

How is YOUR tutor group doing?

Congratulations this week go to:

8Y with the best attendance at 100%
&

7Y with the best punctuality at **99.2%**

Parenting Workshop

Rokeby is working in partnership with Newham Headstart to offer the Empowering Parents, Empowering Communities (EPEC) workshop. The workshop aims to help parents support their sons in managing the challenges they face as they progress through the teenage years.

When: Tuesday, 13th December
9.30am to 11.00am

Where: Rokeby School

For more information contact:

Ms Henderson on 0207 540 5620 ext.107

WORD OF THE WEEK

Our word of the week this week is:

Contributions

What is the meaning of this word and can you make a sentence with it? Once you have, find Ms Hendrickson in the library for a merit.