



Friday 12th June 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

Weekly Update

We're not entirely sure where summer has gone but, if I'm honest, it is so much nicer for the students in Years 11 and 13 to be sitting their exams this year compared to previous years when it has been 30+ degrees! So I am seeing it as a positive. Sorry!

Years 11 and 13

We are getting so close to the end now! Please continue to reach out should the need arise:

Year 11	
Deputy Headteacher	Mrs Howes (ahowes@emmbrook.wokingham.sch.uk)
Year 13	
Head of Sixth Form	Mr Constable (dconstable@emmbrook.wokingham.sch.uk)
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For enquiries about exams please contact our Exams Officer, Mr Weeks, directly. His email address is: sweeks@emmbrook.wokingham.sch.uk.

Request from the Children's Commissioner

The Children's Commissioner, Dame Rachel de Souza, has written to every school and college to encourage students to take part in a national survey. The survey can be found here: <http://www.childrenscommissioner.gov.uk/thebigfuture>

Dame de Souza writes:

It is crucial that I hear from children in every school and college, in every community, across the country. Without hearing from your students, their experiences, views and aspirations risk being missing from the national picture that will help shape future policy.

At a time of significant change for children and young people, it is more important than ever that their views are reflected in policy making. Through this survey, I can take the voices of your students directly to the centre of government.

Please encourage your child to complete the survey.

Wokingham Borough Annual SEND Survey 2026

Please see the message below from Wokingham Borough Council:

Our Annual Wokingham Borough SEND Survey 2026 is now open! We know life is busy, but your voice really matters. If you're a parent/carer of a child or young person with any special educational need and/or disability in the Wokingham Borough, please complete our survey: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/2K5WDQB>



We are pleased to offer a 5 x £20 Amazon vouchers to 5 respondents drawn at random who complete this survey (all the information on this is included at the end of the survey).

Did you know this year's survey is especially important as it will set a baseline for measuring improvements following the recent Ofsted/CQC Area SEND Inspection & SEND Reform plans.

Closing date: Friday 31st July 2026

Thank you for helping make a difference for SEND families across Wokingham!

Post Exam Events

Another reminder of the events for Years 11 and 13 following their exams:

- Monday 22nd June – Year 13 Leavers' Day
- Friday 26th June – Year 11 into 12 Sixth Form Induction Day
- Thursday 2nd July (6pm) – Year 11 & 13 Leavers' Evening
- Monday 6th July – Year 11 Leavers' Day & Prom

PE Department – World Cup Celebration

To celebrate the start of the World Cup, students were invited to wear a sporting top to their PE lesson/s this week. We kindly ask for a small voluntary donation, which can be made via [ScoPay](#). All money raised will go towards purchasing a new trampoline for the PE department.

Annual PTA Quiz

A reminder that the PTA Quiz is tomorrow from 7pm in the hall. Lots of tickets have been sold and we're looking forward to seeing you there!

Summer Concert - 'The Power of Music'

You are warmly invited to this year's Summer Concert, entitled The Power of Music. This will take place on Wednesday 8th July at 6.30pm in the school hall.

Tickets can now be purchased via [ScoPay](#) (adults: £7.50, child/concession: £4.50). Please note that this will include a drink and a small snack. As The Emmbrook is now a cashless school, it will not be possible to purchase additional tickets or refreshments on the night via card/cash.

We hope that many of you will be able to join us!

Have a great weekend!

Best wishes,

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