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STOPSLEY WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

FRIDAY 20TH NOVEMBER 2026

HEADTEACHER'S UPDATE



Dear all,

I would like to remind all parents and carers that the school will be closed to students all day on Friday 27th November for INSET due to the Middlesex Learning Trust Staff Conference taking place.

Well done to our Year 11 students for completing their second and final week of mock examinations and a thank you to everyone who has supported them. Staff will be using some of the time on the INSET day on Friday 27th November to complete cross standardisation and moderation in departments across Trust schools. As we say to the students, the most important part of completing these mocks exams is identifying where to focus their attention to plan for the next set of mocks. We will be completing a mock Results day with students where they will then find out their results but more importantly complete an individual revision plan in response to this in January 2027.

A reminder to the parents and carers of Year 10 that it is Parents' Evening on Tuesday 24th November 4 - 7pm, which is online, so please make sure you book your appointments.

Have a wonderful weekend all,

Ms Hand

THIS WEEK'S ISSUE:

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PARKING REMINDER

WHATS GOING ON IN THE COMMUNITY

UPCOMING DATES & EVENTS:

INSET DAY - FRIDAY 27TH NOVEMBER

TERM ENDS - 18TH DECEMBER

ATTENDANCE NOTICE:

CAN PARENTS/CARERS PLEASE INFORM THE SCHOOL IF YOUR CHILD IS UNWELL AS WE ARE MONITORING ATTENDANCE. REPORT THIS THE NORMAL WAY BY CONTACTING THE ATTENDANCE NUMBER: 01582 870912 OR THE EMAIL ADDRESS:

ATTENDANCE@STOPSLEYHIGHSCHOOL.CO.UK

WORK WITH US:

mynewterm

CLICK HERE OR VISIT MY NEW TERM TO FIND CURRENT VACANCIES AVAILABLE AT STOPSLEY HIGH SCHOOL.

REMINDER

PLEASE ENSURE THE SCHOOL IS MADE AWARE OF ANY CHANGES TO EXISTING MEDICAL CONDITIONS OR NEW MEDICAL CONDITIONS FOR YOUR CHILD.

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PARKING REMINDER

Reminder: When picking up or dropping students, please do not park on the yellow lines directly outside of school. Please park in the bays provided.



1 Register to take part.

Scan the QR code or go to: https://bit.ly/4zc8RSL

2 Get writing!

Start writing your book and unlocking your potential!



3 Publish your book.

Share your story with the world!



National Young Authors' Fair

Presented by BriBooks

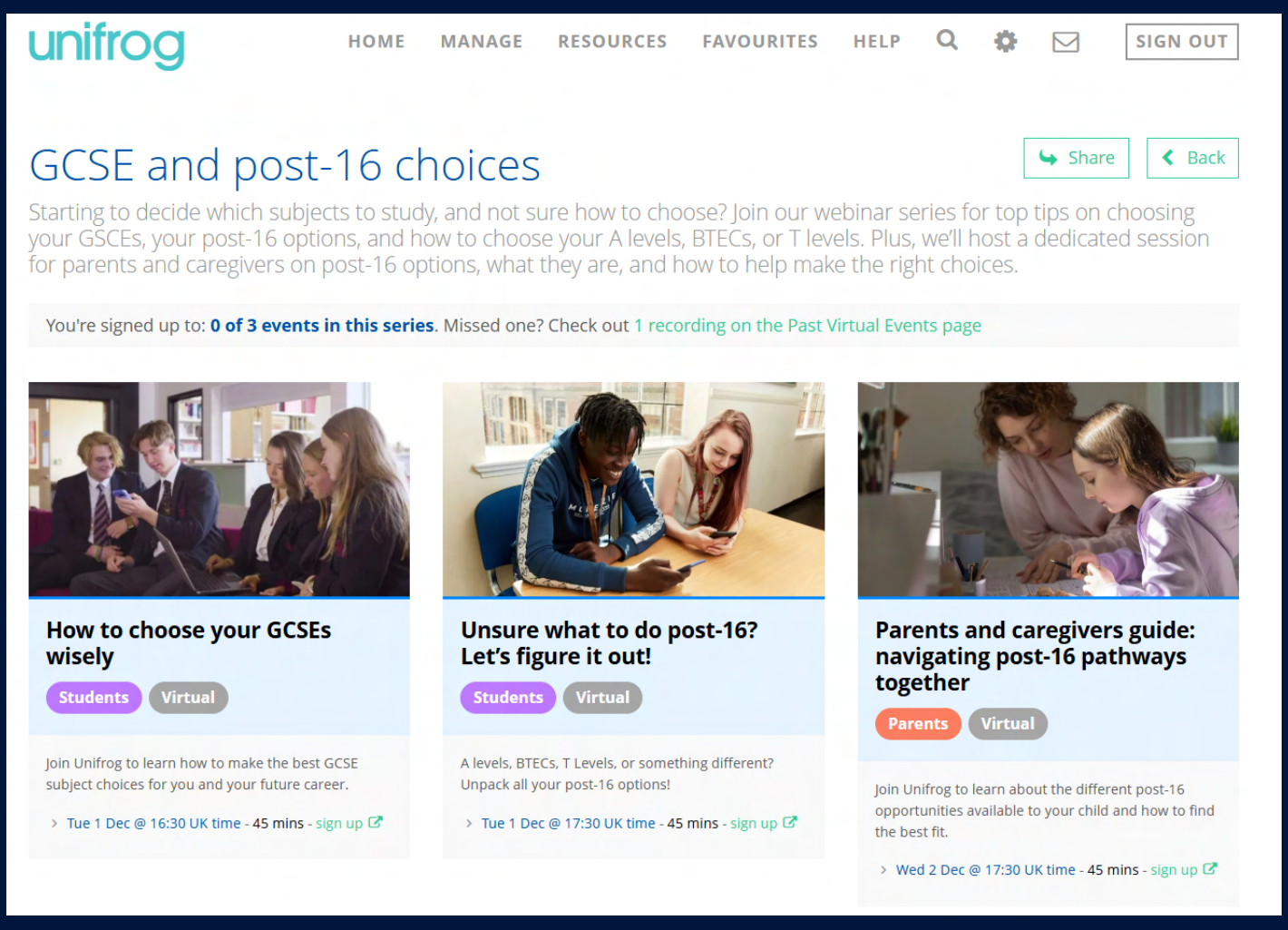
Rewards and Recognition:

- Digital Media Feature
- Awards and Exhibition Ceremony
- Amazing Prizes
- BriBooks Podcast Invitation
- Award Trophy and Certificate

GCSE AND POST-16 CHOICES

Starting to decide which subjects to study, and not sure how to choose? Join our webinar series for top tips on choosing your GSCEs, your post-16 options, and how to choose your A levels, BTECs, or T levels. Plus, we'll host a dedicated session for parents and caregivers on post-16 options, what they are, and how to help make the right choices.

Link to book - https://www.unifrog.org/teacher/webinars/series-gcse-and-post-16-choices



HAVE YOU CONSIDERED BEING A SCHOOL GOVERNOR?

We are delighted to share that we have two Parent Governor vacancies for the Local Governing Board at Stopsley High School and we are calling on our fantastic community of Stopsley parents to stand for election. Please see the letter detailing further information The deadline to stand for election is Friday 27th November 2026. The next LGB meeting 27th January 2027, 6pm - 8pm. To apply please complete the nomination form included in the letter. Should you have any questions, please contact lgbclerk@stopsleyhighschool.co.uk







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Stronger Young People Brighter Luton

LUTON 2040
Child Friendly Luton

Parents and Carers Youth Offer Survey

Your views matter!

Have your say and help shape activities and opportunities for young people in Luton.



We want to hear from you!

Luton Council is reviewing the activities, clubs, services and opportunities available for children and young people aged **11–18 years (and up to 25 years for young people with SEND).**

As a parent or carer, your views are incredibly important.



Tell us about:

- What is working well
- What activities and opportunities are available
- What barriers families face
- What additional support or activities are needed
- How we can improve the Youth Offer across Luton

Why complete the survey?

Your feedback will help us:

- Improve local youth services
- Identify gaps in provision
- Make activities more accessible and inclusive
- Support young people's wellbeing, development and aspirations
- Ensure the voices of families help shape future plans

Who should complete it?

Parents and carers of young people **aged 11–18 years (and up to 25 years for young people with SEND), including:**

- Parents and carers of young people with SEND
- Foster carers
- Kinship carers
- Adoptive parents
- Parents and carers from all communities across Luton

It only takes 5–10 minutes

Every response helps us build a better Youth Offer for young people and families in Luton.

Complete the survey here:

Or visit:

Luton's Youth Offer - Parent & Carer Survey – Fill in form

Need support?

If you require the survey in an accessible format or need support to take part, please contact:

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Closing date: 30 November 2026

Don't miss the opportunity to have your say and help shape the future of services for young people in Luton.

