

Dates for the Diary

National Vegetarian Week

Monday 15th - Sunday 21st May 2023

Year 9 Options Evening - Parent Consultation

Monday 22nd May: 4pm-5:30pm

Half Term

Monday 29th May - Friday 2nd June 2023

Pride Month

June 2023

Year 9 AP 2 Assessments

Monday 3rd - Friday 7th July 2023

Student Value of the Term

CLIMATE CHANGE IS REAL

House Points - Week Ending 12th May



27,810
HAWKING



27,725
ALI



27,415
AUSTEN



25,175
SEACOLE

Home Learning

If you have any queries regarding home learning, including access issues or, to celebrate the work your child has completed at home, please visit the [Contact Us](#) page via the Basildon Lower Academy website and select the option for Home Learning/Homework.

Student Nurse Drop In

If students are worried about their health, would like a confidential chat or would just like to find out more about how our school nurse can help them, the nurse can be found:

Every Thursday Breaktime

Location: The Lower Academy Wellbeing Centre



Uniform Exchange Scheme

If you have uniform that your child has outgrown, please bring it in and see if there is something in the exchange shop that has been donated that you can simply swap your item for. We are still gratefully receiving donations of blazers, shirts, trousers and PE kits that are in pre-loved condition and these can be donated via the reception office on either site.

Please remember, the Uniform Exchange shop is located at the Lower Academy, is open from 8am – 3:30pm Monday – Friday and is accessible via the school office.

Safeguarding

Safeguarding our students is at the forefront of everything we do. Parents and carers can access information via the following link www.escb.co.uk which offers guidance and signposts to resources on various safeguarding issues. Please contact our safeguarding officers if you have any concerns about your own child or another student at the Academies.

www.basildonloweracademy.org.uk/safeguarding

SEND Department Coffee Afternoons

We are delighted to offer our parents/carers the opportunity to meet with members of our SEND Department to discuss your child's progress. Coffee afternoons are held at the Lower Academy from 2:30 - 3:30pm every Wednesday.

To book an appointment please visit the [Contact Us](#) page via the Basildon Lower Academy website and select the option for General Enquiries.



Lower Academy Sports Clubs – Summer Term

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
3.30 - 4.30pm	3.30 – 4.15pm	3.30 - 4.15pm	3.30 - 4.15pm
Javelin	High Jump	Outside Track (100m, 200m, 300m, 400m, 800m, 1500m)	Discus
Hammer	Long Jump		Shot Putt
Archery (must sign up – see PE Dept)	Triple Jump (Year 8 and 9 boys only)	Hurdles (indoors to start)	

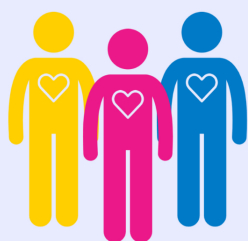
Volunteers for Educational Visit Chaperones

In order to support our ambition to get every learner onto an offsite visit this academic year, we are looking to create a team of parent and carer volunteers to be chaperones for our trips.

Each volunteer would be subject to Disclosure and Barring Service checks (DBS) completed through the school and, would undergo onsite safeguarding training with a view to being called upon when we need additional support with ratios of parents to students for school trips.

If you would be interested in registering for this support service and have availability during school time, please visit the [Contact Us](#) page via the Basildon Lower Academy website and select the option for General Enquiries.

Young Carers Club



Thursdays

3:30pm-5pm

Venue: The Wellbeing Centre

Various activities each week including board games, cooking, photography, arts & crafts.

Refreshments provided. Talk to others, relax & have fun.



National DOUGHNUT WEEK

Monday 22nd – Friday 26th May

To celebrate National Doughnut Week the Dining Hall will be serving a selection of Jam and Ring Doughnuts.

All Doughnuts are 50p each and will be available throughout the week at break & lunchtime.

50p Each





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To celebrate Vegetarian Week, all vegetarian main meals will be £1



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