

# STUDENT bulletin

20 November 2023 – Week 1

<b>Monday 20 November</b>	
Lunchtime	Rowing in the Main Hall with Mr Caldwell—all welcome
Lunchtime	Chess Club with Mr Cuthbert in the Library—all years
Lunchtime	Girls Indoor Football—all years—Sports Hall
Lunchtime	Music Club with Mrs Brown in the Music Room
Lunchtime	Puzzle Pirates with Mrs Priest in M2
Lunchtime	STEM Club with Miss Swayne in S3—all years
Afterschool—4:15pm	Year 11 Study Session with Mr Groves in EN1 - by invitation
Afterschool—4:15pm	School Show Dance Rehearsal in the Dance Studio—Whole Cast
<b>Tuesday 21 November</b>	<b>Year 8 Assembly in the Main Hall</b>
Lunchtime	Maths Drop in, Miss Chopra, M1 (All Years)
Lunchtime	Garden/Eco Club, Miss Kirby, S1
Lunchtime	Badminton for All in Sports Hall
Lunchtime	Chorus Rehearsal for Mary Poppins, Music Room - whole cast
Lunchtime	A Level Math Club for KS4 Higher Maths Students, Mrs Gopal, M3
Afterschool—4.15	Maths Drop in, Miss Chopra, M1 (All Years)
Afterschool—4.10pm	Rugby for All
Afterschool—4:10pm	Badminton for All in Sports Hall
Afterschool—4.10pm	Homework Club in the Library
Fixture	Badminton Year 8/9 Boys and Girls
Fixture	Year 7 Girls—Away
<b>Wednesday 22 November</b>	<b>Year 7 Assembly in the Main Hall</b>
Lunchtime	Rowing in the Main Hall with Mr Caldwell—all welcome
<b>Lunchtime</b>	<b>School Nurse Drop in—Nurses Office—Weds for this week only</b>
Lunchtime	Basketball for All—Sports Hall
Lunchtime	Soloist Rehearsals for Mary Poppins with Mrs Brown in Music Room
Lunchtime	KS3 Literary Film Club with Mr Groves in EN1
Afterschool—4:10pm	Homework Club in the Library
Afterschool—4:10pm	Basketball for boys in Sports hall
Afterschool—5:30pm	School Show Rehearsal in Main Hall Scenes 11-end—whole cast
Fixture	Year8/9 & 10/11 Girls Football—Away

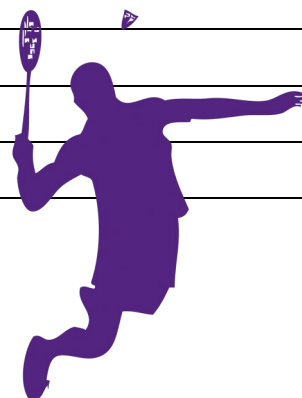
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<b>Thursday 23 November</b>	<b>Year 10 &amp; 11 Assembly in the Main Hall</b>
Lunchtime	Year 10 & 11 Boys indoor football in Sports Hall (Week 1 only)
Lunchtime	Geography Club with Mr Sheridan in Hum4
Afterschool—4.10pm	Girls Football all years
Afterschool—4:10pm	Homework Club in the Library
Afterschool—4:10pm	The Debate Society for KS3 with Mr Groves in EN1
Afterschool - 4:10pm	Latin Club with Ms Green in MFL2
Fixture	Year 10/11 Badminton—Away
6pm-7:30pm	Presentation Evening—by invitation

<b>Friday 24 November</b>	<b>Year 9 Assembly in the AV Theatre</b>
Lunchtime	Science Drop In with Miss Swayne in S3—all years
Lunchtime	Year 7 Boys Indoor Football—Sports Hall (week 1 only)
Lunchtime	Run Club and Walk and Talk Club with Mr Caldwell
Lunchtime	History Club with Mrs Smith in HUMS1—now every week
Lunchtime	Table Tennis Taster with Sonning & Peppard Coach—Main Hall

## PE Fixtures

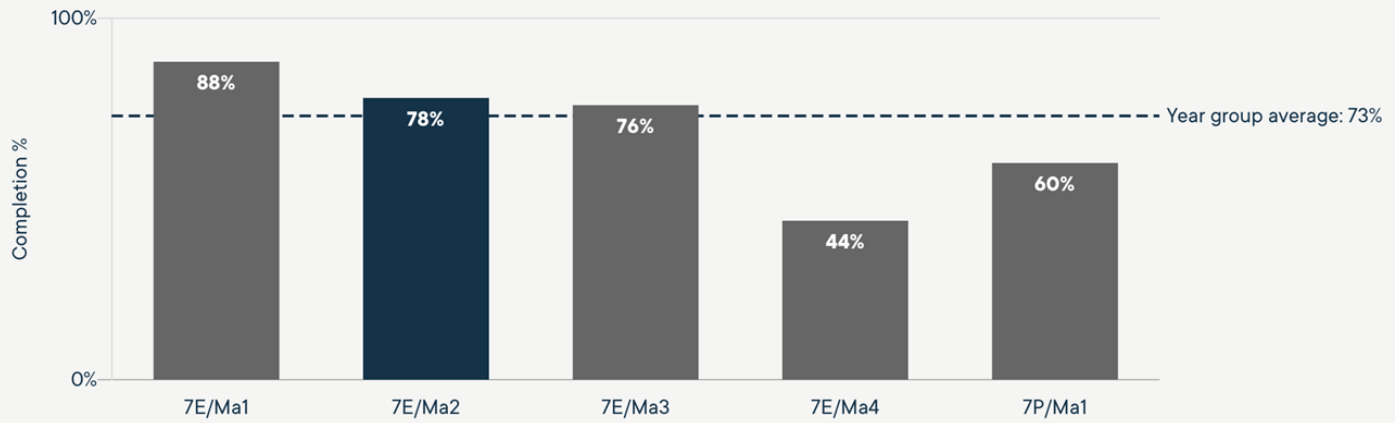
Day	Date	Year	Event
Tues	21 Nov	8/9	Badminton. Boys & girls. Away
Tues	21 Nov	7	Girls' Football. Away
Wed	22 Nov	10/11	Girls' Football. Away
Thurs	23 Nov	8/9	Girls' Football. Away
Thurs	23 Nov	10/11	Badminton. Boys & girls. Away



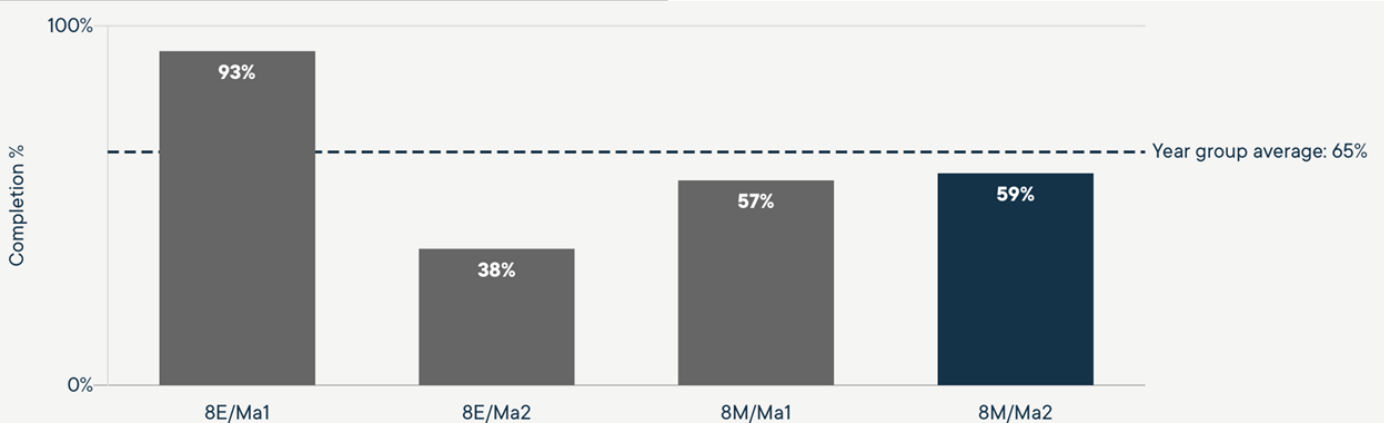
# Sparx Maths

## LEADERBOARD

### Homework competition Year 7



### Homework competition Year 8



These students have not only completed their homework on time and handed it in but also obtained top marks in their homework in comparison to their peers.

#### Y7- Sparx Shout Outs

Austeja Z  
Laila Grace C  
Amelia B  
Jayden L  
Luke M  
Annabelle O  
Maja R  
Edith C  
Olivia N  
Henry W

#### Y8- Sparx Shout Outs

Alfie M  
Leon S  
Niamh K  
Callum L  
Suzzana E  
Daisy S  
Efe B - U  
Finn P



#### Earliest completion



#### Sparx Wizards(Y7)

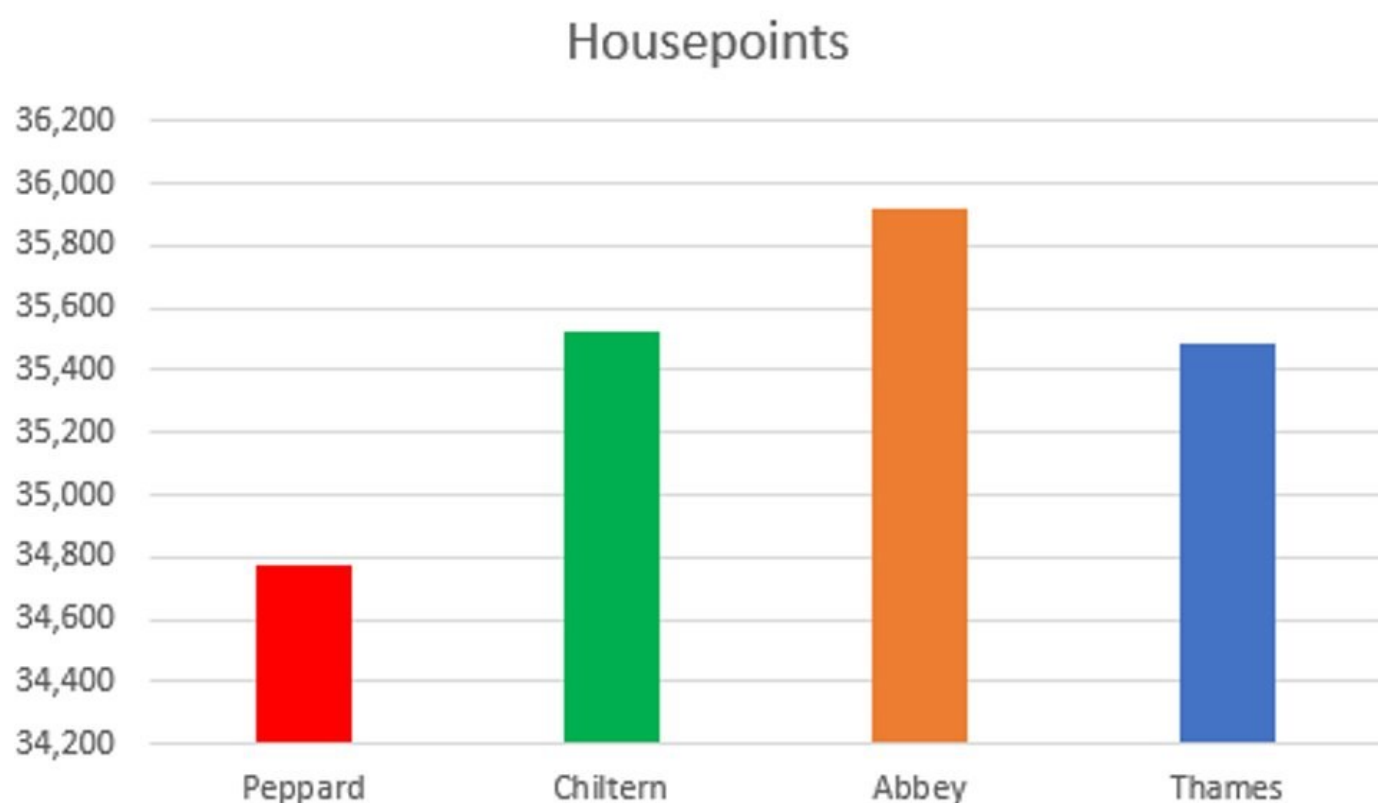
Leo B  
Jake H  
Shree V  
Zainab S  
Mamathe S

#### Sparx Wizards (Y8)

Libby S  
Zac D  
Misa B  
Gerry B  
Tomasz K

## House Stars of the Week

<b>Abbey</b>	<b>Ellie D— 7D</b> <b>Michael L—9B</b> <b>Lilly-Mae P—7C</b> <b>Libby S—8D</b>	<b>29 Housepoints</b> <b>29 House points</b> <b>29 Housepoints</b> <b>29 Housepoints</b>
<b>Chiltern</b>	<b>Jacob W—8D</b>	<b>34 Housepoints!!!!</b>
<b>Peppard</b>	<b>Thomas D—9B</b>	<b>37 Housepoints!</b>
<b>Thames</b>	<b>Amelie H—7D</b>	<b>27 Housepoints!!!</b>



# Advance Notice

<b>25 November</b>	<b>CESA Uniform and Promwear Sale @ MECE @ 10-1pm</b>
<b>29 November</b>	<b>Astronomy Evening</b>
<b>29 November</b>	<b>Drop Everything and Read 9:10-9:30am</b>
<b>30 November</b>	<b>Year 7 Tutor Evening</b>
<b>01 December</b>	<b>INSET Day—School Closed to Students</b>
<b>w/c 4 December</b>	<b>Christmas Raffle Donations Week</b>
<b>07 December</b>	<b>Year 11 Parents' Evening</b>
<b>08 December</b>	<b>Model UN Climate Conference</b>
<b>15 December</b>	<b>Flu Vaccinations</b>
<b>18 December</b>	<b>Production of Mary Poppins</b>
<b>19 December</b>	<b>Production of Mary Poppins</b>
<b>20 December</b>	<b>Last Day of Term—12:30 finish</b>

## MECE Menus

<b>MENU</b> Week Two:				
<i>MONDAY</i>	<i>TUESDAY</i>	<i>WEDNESDAY</i>	<i>THURSDAY</i>	<i>FRIDAY</i>
Sweet Chilli Chicken Stir Fry Noodles	Spaghetti Bolognese With Garlic Bread	Southern Coated Chicken Burger with Wedges & Salad	Grilled Sausages with Mashed Potatoes & Gravy	Fish & Chip Friday
Carrots	Roasted Vegetables	Sweetcorn	Broccoli	Peas/Mushy Peas
5 Bean Chili & Rice	Quorn Bolognese With Garlic Bread	Spicy Bean Burger with Wedges & Salad	Grilled Vegi Sausages With Mashed Potatoes & Gravy	Vegan Sausage Roll Served with Peas & Fries
Pasta Bar with a Choice of Freshly Made Sauces	Pasta Bar with a Choice of Freshly Made Sauces	Pasta Bar with a Choice of Freshly Made Sauces	Pasta Bar with a Choice of Freshly Made Sauces	Pasta Bar with a Choice of Freshly Made Sauces
Jacket Potatoes with Assorted Toppings	Jacket Potatoes with Assorted Toppings	Jacket Potatoes with Assorted Toppings	Jacket Potatoes with Assorted Toppings	Jacket Potatoes with Assorted Toppings
Sticky Toffee Pudding served with Custard	Forest Fruit Crumble served with Custard	Jam & Coconut Sponge served with Custard	Apple & Cherry Pie served with Custard	Cake Selection
<b>Sandwiches</b> An Assortment of Filled Sandwiches Available Daily	<b>Daily Options</b> A Selection of Salad Bowls to order & Plain Bread will be available Daily.		<b>Cold Desserts</b> Fruit Pots, Whole Fruit, Yoghurts & Jelly available daily.	

**You can find all the canteen menus on the school website [HERE](#)**

To get the best value from the free school meal allowance of **£3.50**, it is best to use it all at once to purchase a **Meal Deal**, either at breaktime or lunchtime. For example, if a child comes in at break and buys just a cookie there will not be enough allowance left at lunchtime for a drink and a sandwich or a hot meal.

Don't forget we also have **Breakfast Club open to everyone** from 8:20 every morning. There is an **additional £1.50** allowance for all students that qualify for Free School Meals to use at Breakfast Club every day.



# Supporting MECE

## Having a clear out?

We need:

- Secondary school aged books in good condition for the library
- Mixing bowls, sieves, kitchen utensils, pans, frying pans and storage containers, such as celebrations and Roses tubs for the Food Tech department
- Stainless steel cutlery



## **SUPPORT OUR SCHOOL PLAY OUR LOTTERY**

MAIDEN ERLEGH  
CHRISTIAN DOCK



- Tickets cost just £1 a week
- The easy way to help us raise funds
- Local cash prizes every week



### **BUY TICKETS:**

Go to: [www.yourschoollottery.co.uk](http://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk)  
And search for: Maiden Erlegh



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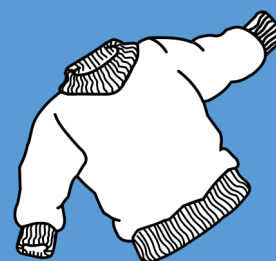
**To play the lottery**  
**click [HERE](#)**

**You could win  
£25,000 in our  
weekly draw!**

## **Donate Pre-loved Uniform for Upcoming Sale**

We are always in need of pre-loved uniform items to sell in the Secondhand Uniform Shop—please drop any donations to the school reception and contact Jennie Garratt via the school office email with any uniform requests, requirements or queries.

The next sale takes place at school on Saturday 25 November 10am-1pm.



## **Volunteers to help at Presentation Evening—Thursday 23 November**

We will be providing refreshments at the Presentation Evening on Thursday 23 November from 6-6:30pm, could you help set up and serve? Please email CESA via [meceoffice@maidenerleghtrust.org](mailto:meceoffice@maidenerleghtrust.org) if you can offer to help.

## Table Tennis

***Come along to the Main Hall at  
lunchtime on Friday 24  
November for a taster session  
with Peppard and Sonning table  
tennis coach, Gary Morgan.***

***If there is enough interest, we will be looking  
to set up a table tennis club after school, so  
come along and have a go!***



MAIDEN ERLEGH  
CHILTERN EDGE



## INTER HOUSE CHALLENGE

Donations of in-date  
tinned or dried food  
you can spare and  
toiletries are needed!  
Plus "Treats" for the  
Christmas Hampers

This year we will be  
supporting the  
Weller Centre in  
Caversham




Please place into  
the correct House  
Boxes in  
Reception.  
DEADLINE – 11th  
December

House Points  
Tinned/Dried Food = 1 Point  
Toiletry Item = 1 Point  
Large "Treats" or Toiletry Gift Sets = 5 Points



# Coming up at Youth Club...!



**CRIME SCENE NIGHT!**  
**WEDNESDAY 22ND NOVEMBER**

Special guests.... Henley  
PCSO's

SONNING  
YOUTH CLUB  
COMMON



## Ice - Skating

**Only 120 places**

**Date:** Friday 15th December  
**Venue:** Hills Meadow, car park, George St, Reading RG4 8DH  
**Times:** 18.45 Arrival – 19.15 Pick Up  
**Costs:** £6.00  
**Transport:** Transport to be arranged through clubs.

Please contact [jessica.kirby@berkshireyouth.co.uk](mailto:jessica.kirby@berkshireyouth.co.uk) as transport can be joined up if on the same route.

**Deadline: Forms and payment to be returned by 30th November 2023**



**Ages  
8 years +**

For more information or to book on please speak to your youth leader or contact;

[admin@berkshireyouth.co.uk](mailto:admin@berkshireyouth.co.uk)





## This Week's Assembly with Head of Year



### Buses After School

Please be aware that the later school bus which departs from outside the school at 16:22 now runs on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays only.

On Mondays and Fridays students can walk down Reades Lane towards Sonning Common and catch the 25 bus which departs at 16:25. The bus stop is located on Wood Lane opposite the junction with Reades Lane.

### Letters Home This Week

Please Click [HERE](#) for Whole School & Year Group Letters on our website.

