

Dates for the Diary

Year 9 Transition to Upper Academy
Monday 10th July 2023

Sports Presentation Evening
Thursday 13th July 2023

Last Day of Summer Term
Thursday 20th July 2023

First Day of Autumn Term
Tuesday 5th September 2023

Aspire - Believe - Achieve

Student Value of the Term

LOVE IS LOVE

House Points - Week Ending 7th July



46,777
HAWKING



46,218
ALI



46,069
AUSTEN



45,716
SEACOLE

Prom 2023



SEND Department Coffee Mornings

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 mornings are held at the Upper Academy from **11am – 12pm every Wednesday**.

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



Wellbeing Centre

The Upper Academy Wellbeing Centre offers support for our students in times of need. Dealing with your own issues such as anxiety, mental health, wellbeing, self-regulation, or bereavement can be a barrier to success. Our Wellbeing Centre aims to ensure you are not alone.

The Upper Academy Wellbeing Centre is a safety net for students who are not currently able to engage with lessons fully, and offers short and long-term interventions that are flexible for all.

The Wellbeing Centre has resourced learning zones where students can access a curriculum of pre-recorded lessons, recorded by subject specific teaching staff, if they are unable to access their lessons for small periods of time.

If you have any concerns regarding your child's mental health please submit your information via the [Contact Us](#) page on the Basildon Upper Academy website, making sure to select the 'Wellbeing Centre' option.

For further information re visit:

www.basildonupperacademy.org.uk/wellbeing-centre



Inflatable Rewards Day

Year 10 students recently enjoyed a fun packed day of inflatable activities as a reward for good attendance, behaviour and positive credits.



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 Upper Academy website and select the option for General Enquiries.

Students of the Week

Congratulations to the following students who have been awarded Student of the Week for week commencing 3rd July 2023.

★ Year 10 - Charlie.S (R10T2)

★ Sixth Form - Kevin.M & Keanu.D (R1213)

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.basildonupperacademy.org.uk/safeguarding

Free Online Counselling Service

www.kooth.com is a free, confidential, safe and anonymous way for young people, aged 11-26, to ask for help from a team of highly qualified and experienced counsellors and support workers.

Kooth is a well-established, award winning online counselling agency and is accredited by The British Association of Psychotherapy and Counselling (BACP).

Spotlight on: Childcare - BTEC Level 3



Are you fascinated with how children learn and develop and interested in working with children? Students will learn about the needs of children and babies, studying patterns of growth and development and the influences on a child's development.

If you wish to pursue a career in caring for babies and young children, then this is the course for you. The course is a demanding academic subject and you will need to be committed to the course for two years. Students will be required to establish links with local primary schools for a mandatory work placement.

Full course information can be found by visiting the following link on our website: [Childcare](#)

Year 11 students wishing to join our Sixth Form can apply via the following link: [Apply to join](#)

District Sports

Well done to all of our Year 10 athletes who competed at this year's District Sports Event, hosted at Basildon Sporting Village.



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