

Parent Bulletin



**KING EDWARD VI
LORDSWOOD
SCHOOL FOR GIRLS**

Monday 23rd February - Friday 27th February 2026

Week B

Lordswood School for Girls

<https://lsg.kevibham.org/>

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Upcoming dates

Date	Event
Monday 23rd February 2026	Year 11 and Year 13 2nd Mocks
Tuesday 24th February 2026	Year 11 and Year 13 2nd Mocks Arts Ambassadors meeting - Lunchtime KS4 School Council Meeting
Wednesday 25th February 2026	Year 11 and Year 13 2nd Mocks Year 12 Geography field trip - Longbridge Rights Ambassadors meeting - Lunchtime
Thursday 26th February 2026	Year 11 and Year 13 2nd Mocks
Friday 27th February 2026	Year 11 and Year 13 2nd Mocks Year 7 / Year 10 reading buddies

This week...

I can't believe it is the end of another half term! They seem to go faster and faster each year. I think part of the reason that this half term has gone so quickly is because of how busy it has been. Just this week we have had a lovely Galentines film event for Y9 and Y10 students, Valentines day bake off in sixth form, an art trip to Manchester, a non-uniform day in support of Young Minds, a trip to the University of Birmingham for those students involved in the Forward Thinking project and the final preparations for the 6888 dance performance that is due to take place tonight.

We have been really impressed with our wonderful year 11 students who have worked incredibly hard in the French and Spanish speaking exams. We know how scary it can be, but they all faced the challenge and I know the MFL team are really proud of what they have achieved.

I hope everyone has a nice half term and that everyone returns to school, safe and sound on Monday 23rd February (normal time).

Mrs Cooney

HPV Information

Please see below links to leaflets and videos in different languages, to support parents of those students in Year 8 and above who are due to receive the HPV immunisation.

HPV	English	https://vimeo.com/1121137591	https://youtu.be/h5RjAebLC3k
	Bengali	https://vimeo.com/1154269208	https://youtu.be/4Awvxx0RAoo
	Gujarati	https://vimeo.com/1154276346	https://youtu.be/smBNxqKYyWM
	Punjabi	https://vimeo.com/1162552415	https://youtu.be/fXOmovR0vs8
	Urdu	https://vimeo.com/1151880307?share=copy&fl=sv&fe=ci	
	Arabic	https://vimeo.com/1151603157?fl=ip&fe=ec	

Kind Regards, Immunisation Team

Year 11 Parent View survey results

Thank you to the parents/carers of year 11 who took the time to complete the parent view survey that was sent out after the parents' evening in January 2026, it's greatly appreciated. It really helps us to see what is working well and what areas we need to investigate and do more work on.

Based on the feedback that we received, these areas scored highly, with at least 80% of respondents agreeing or strongly agreeing that : -

My child is happy at KEVI LSG	89.7%
My child feels safe at KEVI LSG	94.9%
KEVI LSG makes sure its pupils are well behaved	84.6%
KEVI LSG has high expectations for my child	87.1%
My child does well at KEVI LSG	89.7%
KEVI LSG lets me know how my child is doing	84.6%
There is a good range of subjects available to my child at KEVI LSG	84.6%
My child can take part in clubs and activities at KEVI LSG	92.3%
KEVI LSG supports my child's wider personal development	84.6%

One area emerged from the feedback and this centred around the wider personal development opportunities offered in school.

We are proud to offer our students an exceptionally rich programme of wider personal development opportunities throughout the year. Students can choose from a wide range of lunchtime and after-school clubs, covering sports, music and creative arts and academic enrichment. Each year, staff organise over 300 trips, events and activities, averaging more than 100 opportunities every term, all designed to support students' academic growth, wellbeing, social development, creativity and character. We have also recently appointed our new Student Leadership Team, including our Head Student, Deputy Head Student and

Value Leads, who help oversee the many student groups in school such as the School Council, EDI Committee, Career Champions, Travel Ambassadors, Arts Ambassadors and many more. These opportunities ensure every student can find a place to develop their interests, build confidence and contribute to our school community.

Any other issues that were raised are currently being looked into and a member of staff will be in touch with the parent/carer to discuss these further.

Thank you once again for the feedback.

Parent Voice - Opportunity:

If your child is in KS3 (Year 7, Year 8 or Year 9) please engage in this opportunity to share your thoughts and ideas. Via this survey, you can express your views and give feedback about your child's RE experience at KEVI Lordswood School for Girls. This survey is anonymous and will be used for quality assurance and developing the subject and its delivery. Any further questions, please email c.delaney@lsg.kevibham.org

LINK: <https://forms.gle/zdS7WiinYqLRk6iC6>

KS4 & KS5 LSG Interfaith Iftar 2026

We are pleased to inform you that we will be hosting LGS Interfaith Iftar on Friday 13th March 2026, from 4:30pm - 7:30pm.

We encourage you to speak with your child about whether they are interested in attending. It promises to be an enjoyable event for our students.

A consent form has been sent to parents/carers and can be accessed by email. If your child would like to attend, this form must be completed in advance. Tickets cost £10 and will be available to purchase from the ClassCharts desk during break. Please ensure the consent form is submitted before your child attempts to purchase a ticket, as tickets cannot be issued without it.

We look forward to welcoming students for what will be a fantastic evening.

World Book Day

Please see the link below for information about the upcoming World Book Day.

[W World Book Day Information.docx](#)

Badminton Club

There will be no badminton club on Thursday 26th February, it will be back on the week After.

Mental Health Text Support Service

Struggling with anxiety, low mood, depression, suicidal thoughts and feelings or struggling to cope? Then 'space' is a free mental health support service.

Text the word 'Space' to 85258 to start a free, anonymous and confidential text conversation with a mental health professional.

[Mental Health Text Support Service - Birmingham and Solihull Mental Health NHS Foundation Trust](#)

If your life is at imminent risk, please call 999 for immediate help.

Safer Internet Day

Theme: *Smart tech, safe choices – exploring the safe and responsible use of AI*

After half term, we'll be joining thousands of schools and settings across the UK to celebrate Safer Internet Day 2026. This year's theme focuses on helping children understand how to make *safe and responsible choices when using AI*, something that is becoming a bigger part of their online lives.

Throughout the week, learners will take part in age-appropriate activities and discussions exploring how AI works, how to stay safe, and how to think critically about the content they see online. Safer Internet Day is a fantastic opportunity to build children's confidence and skills so they can navigate the digital world safely and responsibly.

Free resources, tips, quizzes and new research are also available nationally to support



families in continuing these conversations at home. Click here for more information <https://saferinternet.org.uk/guide-and-resource/parents-and-carers>

New Government 'Kids Online Safety' Website – Launching 16 February 2026

We also want to make you aware of a new government website launching on 16 February 2026, designed to help families talk openly about what children see and do online. The site aims to encourage simple, regular conversations such as *"Who shared this?"* and *"Why am I seeing it?"*

The website will offer:

- Practical tips for talking to your child about online content
- Age-specific guidance to support children at each stage
- Clear information on parental controls
- Links to trusted charities and expert resources offering further support

This new tool will continue to grow throughout the year in line with the Online Safety Act and wider government goals to help keep children safe online.

👉 We encourage all parents and carers to explore the new ['Kids Online Safety'](#) website once it goes live.

Lunchtime supervisor vacancy

Please see the link below for more information regarding the job role.

[Support Staff Vacancies | King Edward VI Lordswood School](#)

New Lunch Menu's

Please see below links to the new lunch menus which start after Half Term.

[Summer Menu 26 week1.png](#)

[Summer menu 26 week 2.png](#)

[Summer Menu 26 week 3.png](#)

Student Recommended Careers Websites

We love celebrating student initiative at King Edward VI Lordswood School for Girls. Norabel, in Year 13, has kindly shared a selection of websites that she has found particularly helpful when researching future pathways and work experience opportunities. We are pleased to share them with our wider school community.

Higherin Academy: [Higherin Academy](#)

The University of Law: [Law and so much more](#) | [The University of Law](#)

BDO Work Experience for Year 12 & 13:

[2026 Explore BDO Insight Programme](#)

Regards,

Mrs McInerney

Careers Adviser and CEIAG Coordinator

Medicine: Careers, Events, and Opportunities with Medic Mentor

For aspiring Doctors: FREE LIVE VIRTUAL Get Into Medicine conference dates:

- Sunday 22nd February, 9am - 1:30pm
- Saturday 28th February, 9am - 1:30pm
- Saturday 7th March, 9am - 1:30pm

<https://medicmentor.org/get-into-medicine-university-conference/>

For aspiring Dentists: FREE LIVE VIRTUAL Get Into Dentistry conference dates:

- Sunday 1st March, 9am - 1:30pm

<https://dental-mentor.org/get-into-dentistry-university-conference/>

Regards,

Mrs McInerney

Careers Adviser and CEIAG Coordinator

National Apprenticeship Week 9 - 15 February 2026

To celebrate National Apprenticeship Week, we have put together a factsheet to help you make informed choices about your future. Please click below to view:

[National Apprenticeship Week 2026: Factsheet](#)

Regards,

Mrs McInerney

Careers Adviser and CEIAG Coordinator

Youth Club

Please see below the link for information about a Youth Club in Bearwood for children in Years 6 - Year 11.

[Youth — St Mary's Bearwood](#)