

Parent Bulletin



**KING EDWARD VI
LORDSWOOD
SCHOOL FOR GIRLS**

Monday 2nd February - Friday 6th February 2026

Week B

Lordswood School for Girls

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

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Upcoming dates

Date	Event
Monday 2nd February 2026	Children's Mental Health Awareness Week Yr 10 - Spanish Play
Tuesday 3rd February 2026	Arts Ambassadors meeting - Lunchtime KS5 School Council Meeting
Wednesday 4th February 2026	Yr 9 Parent's Evening Dance project 6888 @ KEVI Northfield school for Girls Yr 12 Chemistry trip to UOB
Thursday 5th February 2026	Drama Residential trip to London
Friday 6th February 2026	Yr 9 Options forms - Deadline Yr 7 & 10 Reading buddies - Registration

Fundraiser -Young minds

On Friday 13th February, Lordswood will be holding a fundraising day in aid of 'Young Minds', a mental health charity for children, young people and their parents, making sure all young people can get the mental health support they need



Therefore on Friday 13th February, we would like to invite all students to wear non-uniform, including something yellow, if possible, to show their support in return for a donation of £1.

Donations can be made via the KEVI LSG app using Parent pay.

The ability to make a donation via the app will be open from Monday 9th February 2026 at 8:00am until Tuesday 17th February 2026.

More information about the charity can be found here <https://www.youngminds.org.uk/>

Please remember that on occasions like this appropriate clothing should be worn as the school is still a working environment. Please read the information below called ' Non-uniform day dress code' to check what is allowed and what isn't. This can also be found on the 'School Uniform' page in the student planner.

Please remind your child to bring your lunch card

Please also be aware that nail varnish is allowed but nail extensions are not.

Please also be aware that you cannot wear 'crocs' footwear

NON-UNIFORM DAY - KS3/KS4 (detailed)

NON-UNIFORM DAYS DRESS CODE	<p>On occasions when students are permitted to wear their own clothes (charity fund raisers, school trips and visits), it is important that students dress appropriately as the school is still a working environment.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Hats should be removed inside the school building.• Slash jeans should not be worn.• Skirts, shorts and dresses should be at least mid-thigh length• Usual school rules still apply to hair colouring. <p>The following clothing is not allowed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• see-through clothing (e.g. see through blouses),• strapless or spaghetti strapped tops,• clothing that reveals the midriff,• clothing with inappropriate logos or slogans, this includes clothing that could be considered political or partisan.• flip flops, high heels or backless footwear.• Large hooped earrings are not permitted for health and safety reasons.• Nail extensions/false nails are not permitted for health and safety reasons. <p>Moderate makeup and nail varnish is permitted on a 'non-uniform' day but should be removed before the following school day.</p>
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Thank you for your support
Mrs Finucane
AHT: Personal Development

Wider personal development - update on January opportunities

January has been an exciting month for wider personal development across the school. Our students have been busy embracing a range of enriching opportunities, including a collaboration with the King Edward's Trust as part of the *6888 Battalion Dance Project*, where rehearsals are now well underway in preparation for the performance event taking place in February.

Year 9 students attended the *Girls in Physics* event at the University of Birmingham, an inspiring experience designed to broaden understanding of future pathways, support option choices, and highlight the vital role of women in STEM.

Our Year 11 Drama students also visited the Alexandra Theatre in Birmingham to see *The Woman in Black* as part of their live performance studies, giving them valuable insight into professional theatre practice.

In addition, Year 12 Chemistry students took part in a specialist workshop as part of the *Chemistry Olympiad*, challenging them to extend their scientific thinking beyond the curriculum.

We are also currently recruiting our next Student Leadership Team from among our Year 12 students, who will help drive key initiatives and play an active role in shaping the running of the school. Together, these opportunities highlight our continued commitment to enriching students' experiences beyond the classroom and supporting their growth as confident, informed, and engaged young people.

Winners....Again!

Congratulations to the Senior Netball Team, who won the Year 10 OAKS Netball tournament on 27th January 2026. They finished the season undefeated, after beating Bartley Green 19-1 and Hillcrest 20-0. What a squad! You have worked so hard this year and we are so proud of you all!

Mrs Uffindall

Reading Assessment


On Monday 1st February 2026 and Tuesday 2nd February 2026 a selection of students will be undertaking a second round of reading tests to see if their reading age has increased since September.


Year 9 Options Evening - Wednesday 28th January


We hope that parents and carers of Year 9 pupils found the Options Evening useful. The PowerPoint from the evening can be found on the school website, under Pastoral Care, Year 9.

February Mock Exams

Here is a copy of the Year 11 and Year 13 February Mock Examination Timetables along with a copy of the mock examinations instructions and information booklet for students and parents.

 [Mock Examination Instructions and Information Booklet for Students and Parents - Fe...](#)

 [Year 11 Mock Timetable - February 2026 - Timetable.pdf](#)


 Year 13 Mock Timetable - February 2026 - Timetable.pdf

London residential trip

Please can all students going on the trip return the code of conduct as soon as possible. Please remember to send your child with any medicines to hand in to Mrs Swallow. Students must meet in the ante-hall at 8.00am on Thursday 5th February with all their bags. We are not going to be checking into the hotel before we go to the theatre so please be dressed appropriately as you will not be able to change.

Good Attendance Matters

Please see the below link from Birmingham City Council regarding the importance of good attendance. Thank you for the continuous support in improving attendance at Lordswood School for Girls.

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Heading For Gold

As a UNICEF Silver Rights Respecting School the ambassadors are continually ensuring that the Convention on the Rights of the Child are taught, learnt and exemplified in school to develop a sense of belonging. More recently, students in form time have been tasked with creating a form charter by selecting the Articles from the CRC that best resonate with their form group. The final product will be a charter of five articles that will be displayed around school for each of the forms.

The Rights Respecting ambassadors are working all out to achieve the Gold award in the next few weeks. Onwards and upwards.

Kind Regards,
Mrs Hartland
Right respecting Coordinator

February Half Term Activities

Please see the link below for some free activities taking place during the February Half Term.

[5 FREE Activities for Kids in Birmingham during February Half Term](#)