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# The Weekly Bulletin for Great Baddow High School

## HEAD LINES

### LONDON SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS



UNIVERSITY OF ESSEX



### EDULINK ONE APP & WEBSITE

The new Edulink One Mobile App and Website will soon replace our Parent Portal for online reporting, parent letters, attendance etc. Please download the mobile app or visit <https://gbhs.edulinkone.com> and log in with your parent portal username and password.



We have had our sights set on higher education this week, with university visits for students across the age range. A group of Year 7 and 8 students went to the University of Essex Colchester campus on Monday where they experienced a talk on criminology, enjoyed a tour of the campus and finished the day with a student panel.

A Level Economics students have also had the opportunity to visit The London School of Economics, participating in activities to support their A Level work.

On Wednesday, Mr Lewis and I took a group of Year 9 and 10 students to the University of Sussex where we were taken on a tour of the campus by two first year undergraduates. Our group visited the three-storey library, amazing sports facilities, subject areas and student accommodation (that had been tidied up for our visit, I think!).

Mr Lewis is a Sussex graduate and was able to use this link when asking if we could visit, as their outreach programme does not normally extend to Essex. After being treated to lunch at the university we went into Brighton giving the students a taste of the exciting blend of campus and town life that they could experience at university.

Carrie Lynch, Headteacher

### UNIVERSITY OF SUSSEX



### BRITISH SCIENCE WEEK - BSW19

Entries for the Science Week competition are looking great so far, lots of creativity and superb scientific content. Highlights so far include 'Why our body has bones', 'Science behind slugs' and a video exploring the possibility of life on Mars.

The tutor time activities have got the students thinking about a whole range of scientific ideas, with some healthy competition in the quizzes. Primary school pupils and some of our Year 7 students had a great time with visiting science author John Townsend, learning about the science of some exotic animals and developing their creative writing skills. The week culminates with a large cohort of Year 10 students heading to Birmingham today for the 'Big Bang' science fair which is sure to be inspirational and a great deal of fun.

## WEEKLY CALENDAR - WEEK A

Day	Date	School Activity
Monday	18 Mar	
Tuesday	19 Mar	
Wednesday	20 Mar	1630 - Year 10 Drama GCSE Public Performance Exam
Thursday	21 Mar	Year 9 Options evening in PAH/Departments Years 7/8 termly grades to parents
Friday	22 Mar	Year 13 pre-public exams end

**Sports Fixtures** are updated on the website weekly

## DIARY DATES

**AROUND THE WORLD in 80 minutes**

GBHS Orchestra & Guests

- Brahms Waltz
- Bruckner Ave Maria
- Puccini Nessun Dorma
- Hurwitz La La Land
- Zimmer The Lion King: This Land
- Plus more!

**26th APRIL 2019**

School Matinee - 2pm  
Public Performance - 7pm

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