

#### Parent Bulletin Week 9A

Week Beginning 27th October 2025

#### Dear Families,

Thank you all for your support during this first half term. As the New Head of School I have been blown away by the warmth of students and staff! Ibstock school is a special place to work. We have had so much going on in this first term, it is hard to capture everything; but from Reward Evenings to Motivational Speakers and Valencia to the trenches of Belgium, OUR students have been given so many opportunities. As well as this, we have had important assemblies on British Values, Black History Month and International Languages Day, all of which were listened to beautifully by your amazing students. Have a great break and I look forward to working with you all again in the next half term!

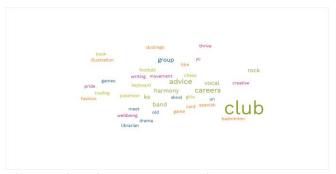
#### All Years

#### Uniform



As the colder weather sets in, we kindly remind parents that students need to adhere strictly to the school uniform policy. This includes wearing either a school jumper or blazer along with an appropriate jacket to combat the cold. We do not allow Hoodies to be worn in school. Please ensure that the trousers worn are grey school trousers, with Trutex as the preferred supplier, or a school skirt — black tight flared trousers are not allowed. Ensuring your child is suitably dressed will help maintain our uniform standards whilst keeping them comfortable. Your cooperation with this is greatly appreciated.

#### **Opportunities Programme - Click for the Autumn Offer!**



#### Chromebooks – Year 7 and Year 11



It was an exciting day today as Year 7 and 11 were given their new Chromebooks. Consent must be given via the Arbor app before students can receive their chromebooks. We are also asking for a small contribution towards these which has been added to your Parent Pay.



**Grab Bag Order Form** - Beat the Queue. Order your cold food grab bag via the online link by 9am on the day required. Collection from the hut at lunchtime - <u>Grab Bag Order Form</u>



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Home Learning Timetable – If your child is directed to work at home, the Home Learning Timetable can be found on our website. It is important that when students are not at school, they keep up with the work their teacher has set for them - Independent Learning Timetable

**ID Cards - Purchasing Food -** An important reminder that students must have their ID cards for purchasing food from our canteen. It is so great to see so many students using the catering facilities, however, we will have to start asking students without cards to wait until the end, as they are currently holding up queues. Thank you for your support with this.

Year 7	No Updates
Year 8	No Updates
Year 9	No Updates
Year 10	No Updates
Year 11	PPE Timetable - The timetable for our PPEs in November is now available on the website. Should you have any questions regarding the exams – please do not hesitate to contact us using <a href="mailto:exams@ibstockschool.co.uk">exams@ibstockschool.co.uk</a>

#### Dates for your diary...

Wednesday 29th October 2025 – Flu Vaccinations Mop Up Session Thursday 13th November 2025 – 2pm - Early finish Day

#### **Current Vacancies**

Our website has more information on current vacancies we have at school - <u>Ibstock school Current Vacancies</u>



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What a whirlwind of adventures we've had as the Autumn term kicked off in full swing! Our students have been soaking up the excitement left, right, and centre with a brilliant line-up of activities and trips.

More info to follow in Ibstock Insights next half term!



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# THURSDAY 16TH OCTOBER

### **YOUTH TALENT SHOWCASE PLUS AFTER PARTY WITH DJAMIE**

MAIN STAGE

6.30	SCHOOL TALENT PERFORMANCES PART 1
7.00	TICTOK DANCE SESSION
7.30	SCHOOL TALENT PERFORMANCES PART 2
WITH	THE WONDERFUL COMPARE MR DAX
AND	AFTER PARTY WITH
8.00	DJAMIE

## @ THE EMPORIUM 6PM TIL 9.00PM



£2 PER PERSON - CAN PAY ON DOOR

**UNDER 16 MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT** 

