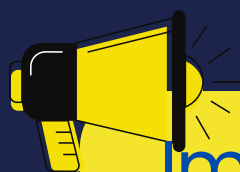
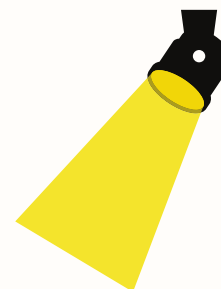


WBSpotlight

w/e 16th October 2026



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What a week it's been!

Dear WBS Families,

This half term has brought the usual buzz of lessons, academic achievement and student success. We have been incredibly impressed with the hard work, commitment and positive attitude shown by our students.

We look forward to welcoming everyone back to school on Tuesday 3 November.

Year 11 Reminder

Year 11 mock examinations begin on Monday 9 November. We have been really impressed with the way Year 11 students have approached their studies this half term.

Revision over the half-term break will be important in helping students feel prepared and confident for their mocks. Please refer to the letter previously sent home, which includes a suggested revision plan to help students organise their time effectively.

We hope all our students and families have a safe, restful and enjoyable half term.

Mrs Mincher Deputy Head Teacher

School calendar

16th Oct – break up for October half term – school returns on 3rd Nov

9th Nov – Enrichment week Ks3/Yr 10 Work Experience/ Year 11 Mocks

25th Nov – Year 10 GCSE Preparation evening

8th Dec – Year 7 Academic reward evening

9th Dec – Year 11 PCE





What's new!

★ Celebrating Academic Success at WBS! ★

Our School Parliament members told us that they wanted academic success, hard work and effort to be recognised and celebrated more across WBS.

After speaking to the wider student community, they have helped develop five Year Group Academic Awards Evenings, celebrating students for their:

- ★ Attitude to learning
- ★ Hard work
- ★ Effort and determination
- ★ Academic achievement

We are delighted that our Year 7 Academic Awards Evening will take place on Tuesday 8 December.

 Year 7 families, put the date in your diaries!

A fantastic example of our students having a voice and helping to shape positive change at WBS.



Extra Curricular

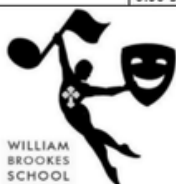


William Brookes School PE Department Lunchtime and After-School Clubs Autumn Term 2026



	Lunchtime (meet in <u>sportshall</u>)	After-School (meet at back of PE changing rooms)			Dance
Monday	Basketball	Year 11 GCSE revision			Elite Dance
STAFF	Mr Parkes	Mr Boak – room 220			Ms Leason
Tuesday	Badminton – GCSE PE students	Netball	Year 10 GCSE revision		Year 7-11 Dance
STAFF	Mr Boak	Ms Johnson	Mr Boak – room 220		Hannah Oldham
Wednesday	Badminton – all years				
STAFF	Ms Johnson				
Thursday		Year 7-8 <u>boys</u> football	Year 9-10 <u>boys</u> football	Girls football	
STAFF		Mr Parkes	Mr Boak	Ms Hennessy	
Friday					
STAFF					

Day	Dance – Mrs Leason	Drama – Mr Henson	Music – Ms Adams
Monday	Elite Dance – DS2 (Start Date to be confirmed)	KS4 Drama Rehearsal	Jazz Band - 222
Tuesday	All Years Dance Club – DS2 Hannah Oldham	HSM Lead cast – Drama DS3 Week B KS3 Drama - Week A Starting 15 th September	HSM Lead cast – Singing 222 Week A Year 7 Choir Week B Starting 15 th September
Wednesday	NO CLUBS	NO CLUBS	NO CLUBS
Thursday	HSM Musical Full Cast Starting 10 th September in DS2 3:30-5pm	HSM Musical Full Cast Starting 10 th September in DS2 3:30-5pm	HSM Musical Full Cast Starting 10 th September in DS2 3:30-5pm



Performing Arts After School Clubs 2026/2027



All Clubs run from 3:20pm-4:20pm

Music Lunchtime Rehearsals (13:40-14:10): Rock Bands – see Ms Adams for further details

HSM Full Cast Thursday rehearsal runs 3:30pm-5pm

High School Musical Shows – Week commencing 8th February 2027!

Extra Curricular

Monday	1. Homework Club – book place via Arbor 2. Breakfast Club Library (20 places) book place via Arbor	1. 3:20pm - 4:20pm 2. 8.00-8.30am
Tuesday	1. Homework Club – book place via Arbor 2. Breakfast Club Library (20 places) book place via Arbor 3. KS3 Design and Technology Club	1. 3:20pm - 4:20pm 2. 8.00-8.30am 3. 3.20 – 4.00pm
Wednesday	1. Homework Club – book place via Arbor 2. Breakfast Club Library (20 places) book place via Arbor	1. 3:20pm - 4:20pm 2. 8.00-8.30am
Thursday	1. Homework Club – book place via Arbor 2. Breakfast Club Library (20 places) book place via Arbor	1. 3:20pm - 4:20pm 2. 8.00-8.30am
Friday	1. Breakfast Club Library (20 places) book place via Arbor	3. 8.00-8.30am

Year 11 Revision Masterclass Timetable

DAY	Lunch session ('Open Door')	After-school session
Monday	Religious Studies – Mrs Mincher's office/Meeting room 3 Further Maths 001 Mrs Caldwell Art – Mrs Abrahams Room 111	Business, Mrs Valentine. Room 206. 3:20 – 4pm Geography 205 Mrs Brooks 3:30 – 4:30pm Year 11 GCSE PE 3:20 – 4:15pm, Mr Boak, room 220
Tuesday	Science 13.45 - 14.15 Health and Social Care – Mrs Hennessy room 221 Maths 001 Mrs Caldwell	Science 3.30 - 4.00pm - Mrs Roberstons room Religious Studies – room 102 @4.20-5pm (After science) Year 10 GCSE PE 3:20-4:15pm, Mr Boak, room 220
Wednesday	History (Week B) 13:45-14:15 room 110 Miss Lane Geography 205 Break time Mrs Brooks	Staff meeting
Thursday	IMedia – Mr Beard room 221 Product Design, Mr Colburn. Room 011. Spanish, Ms Hayman. Room 226	Maths – London Breakout, Mrs Caldwell, Mrs Bright Product Design, Mr Colburn. Room 011. 3:20 – 4pm H&C – room 012 3:20 – 4pm
Friday	Geography – Ms Brooks room 205 Product Design, Mr Colburn. Room 011. French – Mrs Crowther. Room 227.	English – 3.30-4.30pm



Amazing Us!



🎉 Congratulations to our new Year 7 School Parliament members! 🎉

A huge congratulations to the following Year 7 students, who have all been offered a place on our WBS School Parliament following their interviews on Monday.

The students were confident, passionate and full of enthusiasm about getting involved in school community projects and helping to make WBS an even better place!

Athens 7 - Leo, Kaiden, Orla

Barcelona 7 - Liliana, Flyn

Beijing 7 - Alice, Sam

Sydney 7 - Danny, Grace

Vancouver 7 - Calib, Marcus, Bonnie

👏 A massive well done to you all. We cannot wait to see the difference you make!

Careers and Destinations



Roadshows

Shrewsbury

Cineworld
Mon 21 Sept
4 – 8pm

Telford

Voco Hotel
Sat 26 Sept
9:30am–12pm

Open Evenings

Autumn Term 2026

Academic

English & Welsh
Bridge Campuses

15 October

20 October

5 – 8pm

Vocational

London Road
Campus

22 October

5 – 8pm



Telford College

Open Events (5–7.30pm):

- 7th October – Telford 6th
- 21st October – Wellington Campus
- 21st November – Telford 6th
- 2nd December – Wellington Campus
- 23rd January – Wellington Campus
- 27th January – Telford 6th
- 15th March – Telford 6th
- 19th April – Wellington Campus

**Ludlow Sixth
Form Open
Evening on
Tuesday 13th
October, 5pm-
7pm.**



Other Providers

- **Haberdashers' Abraham Darby**
Thursday 12th November 6-8pm
- **Thomas Telford**
Applications open online from 1st October (invite to open evening, if successful)
- **Madeley Academy**
Wednesday 18th November
- **Shrewsbury Town Football College:**
15th October 6-7pm
12th November 6-7pm
14th January 6-7pm
18th January 1-4pm
- **Access Sport (Telford ADC)**
Wednesday 21st October 5.30-7.30pm
Wednesday 24th March 5.30-7.30pm
- **Incomm Training (Engineering Apprenticeships Telford)**
Half Term -Thursday 29th October
Half Term -Thursday 18th February
- **South Staffordshire College (Rodbaston):**
Saturday 7th November 2026
Saturday 30th January 2027
Saturday 17th April 2027
Saturday 19th June 2027
- **Walford College:**
Saturday 17th October 10am-12.30pm
Saturday 6th February 10am-12.30pm
Saturday 12th June 10am-12.30pm
- **BOA Academy (Creative, Digital and Performing Arts Academy) – Birmingham**
Thursday 15th October 2026 (5.30pm to 8.30pm).
Thursday 14th January 2027 (5.30pm to 8.30pm).
Details of how to book will be released w/c 16th September 2026.
- **Armed Forces Careers Offices**
01743 232678 (Shrewsbury Army Careers Office, RAF and Navy initial contact point) 01902 423892 (Wolverhampton Army Careers Office only)



What's on at The Edge

What's On at The Edge Arts Centre



Much Ado About Jazz
A witty look at the jazz world
Friday 16 Oct 7.30pm
£15



911
30th Anniversary Tour
Saturday 17 Oct 7.30pm
£30



Monday Night Cinema
F1: The Movie (12A)
Monday 19 Oct 7.30pm
£6 (concessions £5)



The TADLOP production of
Disney's Frozen
Thu 22, Fri 23 & Sat 24 Oct 7.30pm
£17 (£15)



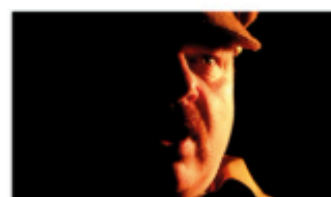
The Ultimate 70s Show
Slade, Bowie, Queen & Mud
Friday 30 Oct 7.30pm
£20



Front Row Comedy presents
Roy Walker
Saturday 31 Oct 7.30pm
£16



Monday Night Cinema
Rebuilding (PG)
Monday 2 Nov 7.30pm
£6 (concessions £5)



Crist to the Mill presents
The Unknown Soldier
Wednesday 4 Nov 7.30pm
£15

The Edge Arts Centre

at William Brookes School

Box Office: Penny-Farthing, 5 The Square, Much Wenlock

Buy online at ticketsource.co.uk/edgeartscentre

Ticket line 0333 666 3366 during office hours

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