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Local Opportunities to Train as a Teacher

At Hadleigh we have a long and successful record of training teachers. We value the opportunity to develop people in our local community to hone the skills and knowledge to join the teaching profession.

Interestingly, we have had ex-pupils join our staff team and we are also aware that members of our local community may choose to change career and become a teacher at a later point in their lives. We have successfully trained and developed teachers to work at Hadleigh and other schools in Suffolk.

It may be that you know a recent graduate who is interested in starting a career in education or have a friend or colleague who is interested in making a career change. There are opportunities to train as a teacher in Suffolk through our local training provider, SNITT (Suffolk and Norfolk Initial Teacher Training). SNITT has two ITT programmes, which start in September each year.

On a school-led route, you will:

- receive a tax-free £26,000 bursary or £28,000 scholarship to train as a teacher, depending on your training subject and degree class or you could earn a salary
- be in a school from day one learning from experienced teachers – this means you'll spend more time in the classroom compared to the university-led route
- receive a combination of practical classroom teaching with theoretical learning throughout the academic year ensuring you become an effective teacher
- gain experience in at least two contrasting schools
- be awarded qualified teacher status (QTS)

To apply for a school-led route:

- you should first use UCAS search to find available school-led courses, they'll be referred to as a SCITT (school-centred initial teacher training) programme or School Direct training programme, you should use these terms when you search for courses

Teaching Internship Programmes

At Hadleigh we are aware that many aspiring teachers need to gain experience working with children. Our teaching internship programmes are aimed at current university students or recent graduates who are considering a career in education and want to find out more about teaching. The programme allows you to spend time working directly with young people and inspirational teachers to gain hands on experience. Internships are designed to help you decide if teaching might be the career for you so we are looking for people with a passion for their subject and a curiosity about the world of education.

If you would like any further information about these opportunities please contact Pete Etchingham at our school who leads this work – petchingham@hadleighhigh.net. The DfE website is a good source of information for anyone who is interested: <https://getintoteaching.education.gov.uk/explore-my-options>

Mental Health Peer Mentoring Scheme



On Friday 16th March 2018, 20 Year 9 students undertook Peer Mentoring training in order to support Year 7 students through different mental health situations. We developed many skills about how to listen and respond to our mentees, such as: 'active listening', 'paraphrasing' and 'open and closed questions'. Role-play was engaged to help us understand how and when to use these skills during sessions with Year 7 students. We were taught how to tell the difference between being able to keep the Year 7's discussions confidential when it's a small scale problem, and when to share information with a Safeguarding member of staff when it's a much larger, more serious problem. We also planned what days we would run the Year 7 drop in sessions and also any 1:1 sessions that might take place. At the end of the day, we were all given the choice to choose a job to complete as we hope to get this Peer Mentoring Scheme running in the next week or so. Watch this space for more information!

Year 9 Mental Health Peer Mentors; Lily Beer, Evie Bishop, Callia Casey, Ellie Cecil, Tommy Chisnall, Grace Crook, Rhianne Davies, Daniel Flockhart, Emily Hunt, Ed Johnston, Will Johnston, Laura Kebell, Eve Macken, Jess Miller, Lonny Robertson, Charlie Smee, Julius Vander Arend and Hollie Warner. *(Written by Hannah Nunn, Paige Ramplin, Grace Crook & Evie Bishop)*



learn about it / talk about it / deal with it

Parental Control Software

Did you know: More than nine in ten parents of 5-15s who use parental control software consider it useful - See the [#SetUpSafe](#) guides from Internet Matters to ensure your child's device has the right controls and privacy settings turned on buff.ly/2GUyJKc

Thanks to:

Jenna Clarke, Lily Crisp, Tyler Curtis, Ed Johnston, Molly Leach and Isaac Toombs for the assistance with interviews this week.

Year 7 'Superstars'

The Year 7 Tutor teams nominate a weekly 'Superstar' based on their efforts and attitude across school. This week's winners are:

Corey Bignell, Rebecca Fox, Bethany Herron, Lucy Holdaway, Ollie Knuckey and Laura Sharp.

They have had the honour of wearing a 'Superstar' badge which has given them priority serving at lunchtime.

Ipswich Buses – 94A

We have been advised by Ipswich Buses that the 94A bus to East Bergholt **will not** be able to pick up on Monday 23rd, Tuesday 24th, Wednesday 25th April as they cannot get through due to road works. It leaves 14:58 from Magdalen Road.

Charity Street Child

Miss Meadows would like to express a huge personal **THANK YOU** to all of the staff and students within the Hadleigh High School community for their support in raising £1,000 towards the Charity Street Child. The generosity of the community has helped me to reach this amount ahead of the cut-off date for the government to double the funds - £2,000 will allow approximately 70 children to receive an education next year! All funds raised will go towards projects to get children, particularly girls in Sierra Leone back into school. I will be following these funds out to Sierra Leone during this year's summer break as part of my project to train teachers to offer children the opportunity to achieve their aspirations. I look forward to sharing my experiences when I return.

A special thank you to: **Ellie Green, Eli Gregory, Violet Groves, Demi Palmer-Linnett** and **Rebecca Simmons** for organising and running the 80 sweet sale, raising £78 for Street Child.

A further thank you to: **Poppy Bennett, Rosie Beven, Molly Brown, Ellie Gregg, Carmen Higgins, Evalyn Hill, Molly Leach, Lucy Maskell, Asha Longman, Demi Palmer-Linnett, Violet Shinn,** and **Lucy Thackray** for helping to sell Krispy Kreme doughnuts to help raise funds. The two events raised £270.

Conservation Area

This week has seen a rise in temperatures following what has been a rather cold and wet Spring. Pollinating insects can now be seen in greater numbers visiting Spring flowers such as cowslips, violets and dead-nettles as they collect pollen and nectar. Bumblebees seem to be especially numerous, and this week we have recorded our first butterfly for this year at HHS. The butterfly was a Small Tortoiseshell, the warmer weather having wakened it from hibernation.



Cowslips



Violets and Dandelion



Small Tortoiseshell butterfly



Mahonia

As a school we are fortunate to have a diverse range of shrubs planted around the school buildings. Perhaps the most widely planted shrub at our school is an evergreen from the genus Mahonia. This is a tough shrub well suited to growing in a school environment. It has a long flowering period starting in late winter and provides a food source for insects at a time when little else is in flower.

VEGETABLE GARDEN

The soil is still very wet but this week we managed to plant potatoes and onion sets. The peas and broad beans we planted before the Easter holiday are now through the ground and growing well.

Work Experience Placements Wanted Urgently

Do you know of an employer, specifically office/admin, practical/outdoors who may be willing to participate in taking a Year 10 student for 2 weeks commencing Monday 18th June to Friday 29th June 2018. Please contact Mrs Emmerson, Work Experience Administrator at Hadleigh High School, telephone (01473) 823496 or email cemmerson@hadleighhigh.net if you think you may be in a position to help.

Letters recently sent out/emailed via Parentmail:

Year 9 – Ardeche 2018 Parents’ Evening letter

Suffolk New College Taster Events

Suffolk New College are holding Taster Events on the following dates;

Wednesday 2nd May – 5:30pm/8:00pm
Thursday 1st November – 5:30pm/8:00pm
Wednesday 5th December – 5:30pm/8:00pm
Tuesday 15th January 2019 – 5:30pm/8:00pm
Saturday 9th February 2019 – 9:30am/12:00pm
Thursday 21st March 2019 – 5:30pm/8:00pm
Wednesday 1st May 2019 – 5:30pm/8:00pm (provisional date)

Anglian Water Road Closures affecting Aldham, Elmsett and Whatfield

We have been advised by Anglian Water that there will be road closures from **Monday 19th March until Sunday 11th November 2018**, which will be affecting bus routes to and from school. Please contact the bus company if you have any questions or queries relating to the route that the school buses will be taking.

Below is the link that advises of the road closures that will be effected during this period.

<https://anglian-water.sharefile.com/d/beb45eeaacd145b4>

At the end of this Newsletter is a spreadsheet, also advising you of the road closures, for your information.

IMPORTANT Notice: Suffolk County Council’s Free School Meals Service

Message from Suffolk County Council Free School Meals Service: Please note that from the 1st January 2018 SCC will no longer be accepting paper applications, only online applications. Please apply online at www.suffolk.gov.uk/freeschoolmeals.

Absence Telephone Number/ParentMail

If your child is away from school, please telephone the school on the morning your child is absent. **There is a dedicated telephone line for you to leave a message regarding your child's absence, the number is (01473) 820940 or you can register your child's absence via ParentMail.**

If possible, please indicate how long you think your child is likely to be absent. To support and help you in keeping a check on attendance, we will telephone or text you each day your child is away from school, if we have not heard from you.

If your child arrives late to registration a text will be sent to parents.

If we have not been able to make contact with you regarding your child's absence, you will need to send a note in to your child's Form Tutor, otherwise the absence will be recorded as "Unauthorised" and considered as truancy.

Health and Safety - Allergies

Allergies in society are always on the increase, and in school we are constantly making sure that we protect our students and staff who are susceptible to reactions with certain food types. In order to further protect the wellbeing of our school community, we have made the school a **nut-free zone** and would like to thank you for your support in this matter by not allowing your child to bring in items of food which contain nuts. We have provided, for your information, a list of popular items to be aware of. For some items the link with nuts may be obvious but for others it may be less clear!

Nutella – contains hazelnut.

Milka chocolate – this has no signs of nuts on the packaging, but it is made with hazelnut.

Pesto - contains pine nuts, although these are not nuts, they could potentially be as dangerous as nuts to someone with a serious nut allergy, so for this reason, we kindly ask you not to take any risks.

Marzipan – contains almonds.

Nougat - contains nuts.

Peanut butter - and all other **nut butters**; "Speculoos" (the Belgian biscuit spread - available in most supermarkets) is an ideal replacement for peanut butter, it has a similar texture.

The majority of **breakfast / energy bars** contain nuts.

Granola – breakfast cereal and bars.

If anyone is in the habit of buying tins of chocolates as gifts, these should be checked carefully.

Coconut is absolutely fine – this is not classed as a nut.

Thank you for your support.

Parents' Evenings

Year 6 – 9th July 7:30pm/8:30pm

Please look out for our School Governors at Parents' Evenings. They look forward to meeting the parents and are very happy to discuss any issues you may have.

School Lunch Menus

Please click on the following link www.vertas.co.uk/catering/Vive to download the Vive lunchtime menus provided by Vertas Catering.

There is a three week rotation and the dates are at the top of each menu. The cost of a meal deal is £2.30.

School Uniform Supplier Coes of Ipswich

Coes of Ipswich now stock our School uniform. Click here for their website www.coes.co.uk.

Please be assured that any change in uniform would always involve a consultation with our stakeholders and, any such changes would have a lengthy phase-in period and plenty of notice.

Forthcoming Dates

24th April	-	Triple P (Teen) Parenting Programme – 6:00pm/8:00pm
28th / 29th April	-	Duke of Edinburgh Bronze Qualifying 1 – Sizewell
1st May	-	Triple P (Teen) Parenting Programme – 6:00pm/8:00pm
2nd May	-	Suffolk New College Taster Event – 5:30pm/8:00pm
2nd May	-	H Factor Junior – 6:30pm/8:00pm
3rd May	-	Ardeche 2018 Parents' Evening – 6:00pm/7:00pm
7th May	-	<i>SCHOOL CLOSED – MAY BANK HOLIDAY</i>
8th May	-	Triple P (Teen) Parenting Programme – 6:00pm/8:00pm
8th / 9th May	-	Duke of Edinburgh Avenue Group
12th / 13th May	-	Duke of Edinburgh Bronze Qualifying – Sizewell
22nd May	-	Triple P (Teen) Parenting Programme – 6:00pm/8:00pm
23rd May	-	Year 7 Camp 2018 Parents' Evening – 6:30pm/8:30pm
24th May	-	H Factor – 7:00pm/9:00pm
28th May/1st June	-	<i>HALF TERM HOLIDAY</i>
4th June	-	<i>PUPILS RETURN TO SCHOOL (YELLOW WEEK)</i>
21st – 29th June	-	Ardeche/Med trip 2018
25th – 29th June	-	Year 10 Work Experience
25th – 29th June	-	Year 7 Camp 2018
25th – 29th June	-	Activities Week



EXTRA CURRICULAR SPORTS CLUBS

APRIL 2018 - MAY 2018



DAY	ACTIVITY	YEAR GROUP	VENUE	TIME	STAFF
Monday	Badminton & Table Tennis	7 & 8	Sports Hall	1.00 - 1.30	SCL

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Tuesday	Badminton & Table Tennis	9, 10 & 11	Sports Hall	1.00 - 1.30	MBR
	Tennis	All	Hardcourt	2.50 - 3.50	MBR
	Insanity Fitness	All	Sports Hall	2.50 - 3.50	SCL

DAY	ACTIVITY	YEAR GROUP	VENUE	TIME	STAFF
Wednesday	VCert Catch-up	10	CR2	1.00 - 1.30	SCL
	Multi-Sports	7, 8 & 9	Sports Hall	1.00 - 1.30	TBR
	Athletics	All	Field	2.50-3.50	ACO, SCL, MBR, TBR & HWI

DAY	ACTIVITY	YEAR GROUP	VENUE	TIME	STAFF
Thursday	Girls Indoor Cricket	All	Sports Hall	1.00 - 1.30	ACO
	GCSE PE Theory	10 & 11	HM7	2.50 - 3.50	TBR
	Cricket	All	Astro	2.50 - 3.50	ACO
	Fitness	All	Fitness Suite & Studio	2.50 - 3.50	SCL
	D of E	10 & 11		2.50 - 3.50	HWI

DAY	ACTIVITY	YEAR GROUP	VENUE	TIME	STAFF
Friday	Basketball	7, 8 & 9	Sports Hall	1.00 - 1.30	ACO & HWI

QUIZ NIGHT

*ON BEHALF OF THE STEVEN HENLY
AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING
COMMITMENT TO SPORT*



*Zahra and Bob Henly cordially invite you to
take part in a Quiz Night to be held at
Hadleigh High School*

on

Friday 11th May 2018



Doors open at 6:30pm for 7:00pm start



Maximum 6 per team – children welcome but at least
one adult per team. Cost - £3.00 per person

Light refreshments will be available but please feel free
to bring your own drinks and snacks

There will also be a raffle with great prizes

To reserve your table, please e-mail your team name and
contact details to:

bob.henly@tesco.net

or ring us on **01473 827960**



Small changes,
big differences.



**Teen Triple P Group for Parents of Young People (10-17)
Hadleigh High School - 17th April 2018 - 6 pm – 8 pm**

- Triple P allows parents to choose techniques that work best for them and their families. We provide the information, but you choose the ideas to use and that will work!
- Triple P gives parents proven tips and suggestions about handling common behavioural and developmental issues in their children and young people.
- Triple P involves emphasising positive communication, and planning ahead to prevent a range of issues

PRESENTER:

Sally Losasso, Parenting Group Facilitator



COURSE DATES:

1. **Group 1** Tuesday 17th April 6 pm to 8 pm
2. **Group 2** Tuesday 24th April 6 pm to 8 pm
3. **Group 3** Tuesday 1st May 6 pm to 8 pm
4. **Group 4** Tuesday 8th May 6 pm to 8 pm
5. **Phone Session 1** Week beginning 14th May **NO GROUP**
6. **Phone Session 2** Week beginning 14th May **NO GROUP**
7. **Group 5** Tuesday 22nd May 6 pm to 8 pm

VENUE: Hadleigh High School, Highlands Rd,
Hadleigh IP7 5HU

Contact details: Sally Losasso 0771 309 4347
Email bookings and enquiries to parenting@suffolk.gov.uk

"This group has been **fantastic** for us as a family. We have **seen a lot of changes** at home. Our son has been a lot happier lately." "Extremely good course." "Received **really useful advice** over the weeks." "Very helpful."

www.triplep.net

'The Internet of Things

An IOP lecture for the public, presented by Paul Garner, taking place on Thursday 3rd May 2018 5:00pm/6:00pm. Refreshments available before the talk from 4:30pm. Please come along to the next Institute of Physics Lecture this time at Ipswich School. No need to book, just come along.

The Internet of Things (IoT) is a term used to describe the ever-growing network of physical devices that are connected to the internet and the communication that occurs between these devices and other internet-enabled applications and systems. This talk will describe the types of 'things' involved, how to connect and manage them and examples of future IoT applications such as Smart Home, Smart Cities and Autonomous Vehicles.

*Hadleigh High School – learning and growing together;
each playing our part in changing the world for the better.*

Anglian Water Road Closures affecting Aldham, Elmsett and Whatfield From Monday 19th March to Sunday 11th November 2018

WAT-06745MS1	19/03/2018	23/03/2018	Road Closure	Ch8	Junc of Road from 8407 to C724 (The Street)	Red Hill	Aldham	Suffolk
WAT-06745MS2	02/04/2018	22/04/2018	Road Closure	Ch8	Junc of Red Hill to junc of Church Lane	Road from 8407 to C724	Aldham	Suffolk
WAT-06745MS3	02/04/2018	22/04/2017	Road Closure	Ch8	Junc of Church Lane to Clay Hill Cottage	The Street	Ashill	Suffolk
WAT-06745MS4	23/04/2018	20/05/2018	Road Closure	Ch8	Outside The Brambles to the junc of Elmsett Rd	The Street	Ashill	Suffolk
WAT-06745MS5	21/05/2018	03/06/2018	Road Closure	Ch8	Junc of Elmsett Rd to junc of Priory Rd	Ipswich Road	Aldham	Suffolk
WAT-06745MS6	04/06/2018	24/06/2018	Road Closure	Ch8	Junc of The Street & Ipswich Rd to the boundary of Aldham End	Elmsett Road	Aldham	Suffolk
WAT-06745MS7	25/06/2018	29/07/2018	Road Closure	Ch8	Outside Willowmere to the junc of The Street & Whatfield Road	Hadleigh Road	Elmsett	Suffolk
WAT-06745MS8	30/07/2018	26/08/2018	Road Closure	Ch8	Junc of Hadleigh Rd to junc of Manor Rd	The Street	Elmsett	Suffolk
WAT-06745MS9	27/08/2018	09/09/2018	Road Closure	Ch8	Junc of The Street for 100m	Manor Road	Elmsett	Suffolk
WAT-06745MS10	10/09/2018	14/10/2018	Road Closure	Ch8	Outside Manor Hall Bungalow to Rookery Farm Bungalow	Manor Road	Elmsett	Suffolk
WAT-06745MS11	15/10/2018	28/10/2018	Road Closure	Ch8	Junc of Access track from C725 to Fourneaux Farm to junc of Elmsett Rd	Naughton Road	Whatfield	Suffolk
WAT-06745MS12	29/10/2018	11/11/2018	Road Closure	Ch8	Junc of Elmsett Rd to junc Chuch Lane	The Street	Whatfield	Suffolk