



EPCHS Student 'PD' Bulletin #15

"I Have Come So That They May Have Life And Have It To The Full" John 10:10

You are amazing! A huge thank you from all the staff to all our students, you are showing just how fantastic you are, acting with manners and respect at every opportunity. Your character is shining through, make it count at every opportunity, because great things happen when you care.

Let us pray...

**We pray to God who some call Mystery,
beyond all definition, that
When in the midst of uncertainty
– may we know faith.
When in the midst of anxiety
– may we know serenity.
When in the midst of stress
– may we know calm.
When in the midst of fear
– may we know trust.
When in the midst of bewilderment
– may we know assurance.
When in the midst of confusion
– may we know confidence.
When in the midst of pandemic
– may we know peace.
When in the midst of whatever
– may we know love.**

Amen.

Do you follow the school social media platforms? If not, follow today and keep up to date with everything school related and more...



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**“Great things happen
when you care”**

Psalm 21: He asked for life and you gave it to him



PD Lessons – Week A, Monday, Lesson 1...next week!

Thank you for your positivity and feedback with last week’s PD lessons, it was wonderful to see and hear how much you all enjoyed them. Please remember, you will be in the same room next Monday and will need to arrive punctually. There will be a new room and teacher for the next half term, this will be shared with you later this half term. In the meantime, make this one count!

Please ensure you are fully aware of the classroom you need to attend on Week A, Monday, Lesson 1...

	Team Building
7B	MCH C22
7J	CLO B8
7K	FRO C17
7M	KPD C11
7R	HCL C18
7T	JJO B16
7A	JLO Oasis
7L	CJO B1

	Citizenship
8B	AED C24
8J	RBA B3
8K	GBO B6
8M	KHO D5
8R	THA E2
8T	TBA D7
8A	LRO C16

	Careers
9B	TLA C8
9J	CMU B20
9K	FWI D4
9M	KJN B7
9R	PBR C7
9T	THI C2
9A	PAS C3

	Wellbeing
10B	DKE A2
10J	JPH B15
10K	DLE C14
10M	ASO C20
10R	SCL C15
10T	LIR B9
10A	THT B14



	RSE and SMSC
11B	VFO B23
11J	ABR B21
11K	DWO B12
11M	JWI B24
11R	LBA B18
11T	SAJ C1
11A	SKA B17

Invictus

OUT OF THE NIGHT THAT COVERS ME,  Black as the pit from pole to pole,  I thank whatever gods may be For my unconquerable soul.

IN THE FELL CLUTCH OF CIRCUMSTANCE I HAVE NOT WINCED NOR CRIED ALOUD.  Under the bludgeonings of chance MY HEAD IS BLOODY, BUT UNBOWED.

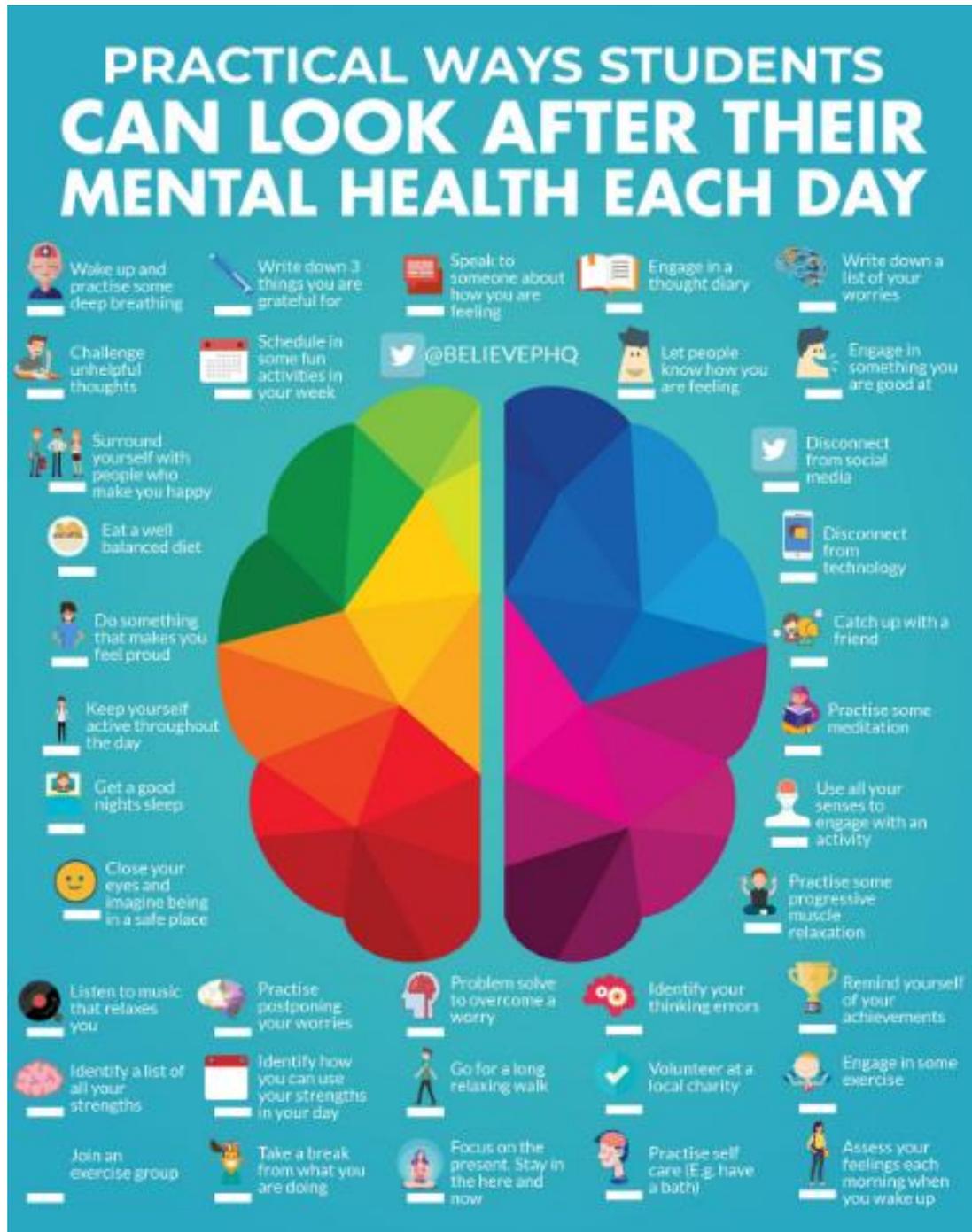
 Beyond this place of wrath and tears Looms but the horror of the shade,  And yet the menace of the years Finds, and shall find me, unafraid.  It matters not how strait the gate,

 How charged with punishments the scroll,  I AM THE MASTER OF MY FATE: **I am the captain of my soul.** 

William Ernest Henley

The importance of self-care...

Do you practice self-care? Check out these practical ways to support your daily mental health. Begin to learn who you are, recognise when you feel things are becoming too much, learn how to manage these feelings and reduce their negative effects.



#SelfCare

Thank you to all our wonderful students who have signed up to be a member of the Student School Council...

If you would like to be part of this great council, have the opportunity to discuss and make positive changes to the school, then please see Mr Barry. There are a number of positions available and your form tutor will be able to also share these with you. We really are looking forward to working with you all.



Year 8 MARSTEK...our new STEM AND CREATIVE CLUB...

Last summer Year 8 worked with the charity 4WardFutures on a Life in Mars Project. Now we are back in school this program is about to begin again, with a new chapter of development MARSTEK!

Run by Mr Hickman, STEM Lead for EPCHS based in C2, students will be given the opportunity to develop, build, experiment and engineer...who knows maybe some rockets may be taking off from our school field...

If you are interested in joining this exciting club, please see Mr Hickman. With various activities related to **Science Technology Engineering and Maths**, the club is open to all Year 8 students and will take place every Thursday in C2 from 3pm till 4pm. This is one club that will at times go with a bang...so don't miss out register your interest by seeing Mr Hickman at break or lunch today.



Gaming to Development – G2D

ATTENTION ALL YEAR 10 and YEAR 12 STUDENTS

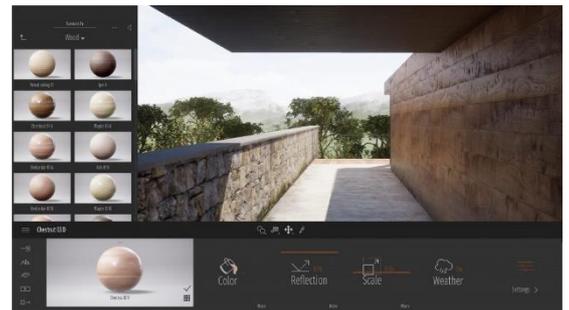
Do you play online multiplayer games such as Fortnite or Minecraft?

Are you creating 3D virtual environments and objects when playing these games?



If you are, do you know that you are developing skills that will help you in the future – skills that are highly valued by employers.

Would you like to find out about how you can use these skills to develop a new range of 3D Virtual environments and objects?



Would you like to find out about how industries such as space, engineering, construction, and film are looking for young people with 3D design skills?

Would you like to find out about some of the careers you could work in where you can use the skills you are developing through gaming?

If the answer is **'YES'** then you need to find out more about the Gaming to Development project. With just **6 places available** for both Year 10 and Year 12, this is an opportunity not to be missed!

**Please see Mr Hughes for further information
and to register your interest.**

ACTION TRANSPORT THEATRE...

ATT are pleased to announce that their FREE, Wednesday night, #Drama Drop-In is back from September 23rd. For further details and to sign up, visit <http://actiontransporttheatre.org>



Welcome to our new Careers Advisor – Mr Peace....

EPCHS are excited to welcome Mr Peace to the Personal Development Team as our new Careers Advisor.

Mr Peace is in school every Monday and Tuesday and currently in the process of organising interviews with every Year 11 student.

If you would like any advice in relation to your future plans, you can find Mr Peace in the careers office on the top floor of C-block.



Thought for the week...

**“HARD WORK BEATS
TALENT WHEN TALENT
DOESN'T WORK HARD”**
-TIM NOTKE

MINDSET MATTERS

#MAKEITCOUNT

