

Parental Communication & Engagement



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Message from Headteacher

We are now nearing the end of our Year 11 GCSEs with just one more exam on Monday! A big thank you to our Exams Team who have worked tirelessly over the last few weeks to ensure things have ran smoothly.

No sooner have our Year 11 GCSEs finished, our Year 10 Mock Exams get into full swing. Year 10 Mock Exams will be taking place all next week. Good luck to all our Year 10s!

In terms of students coming into school in their PE kit; on **Monday 15 June 2026**, the following groups will need to come to school in their PE kit:

- **8X** (Period 1);
- **9Y** (Period 2).

The following groups should come to school in full uniform and get changed for their PE lesson:

- **9X** (Period 4);
- **7X** (Period 5).

Please note that as from Tuesday 16 June 2026 no students should be coming into school in their PE kit.

Good luck to our Bronze DofE students who set off on their qualifying expedition on Sunday! We can't wait to hear all about it.

Best wishes.

Mrs Sutton
Headteacher

Key Letters/Information Sent Out Recently

- All Parents/Carers - Dormston Reading News - Summer 2026.
- Year 9 NDLP Art Trip Letter.

Events/Reminders

- Year 10 Mock Exams - WC Monday 15 June 2026;
- Bronze DofE Qualifying Expedition - Monday 15 June 2026;
- Year 10 Citizenship/RS Shrewsbury Prison Trip ParentPay Deadline - Friday 19 June 2026;
- Year 11 Leaver's Assembly - Friday 19 June 2026.

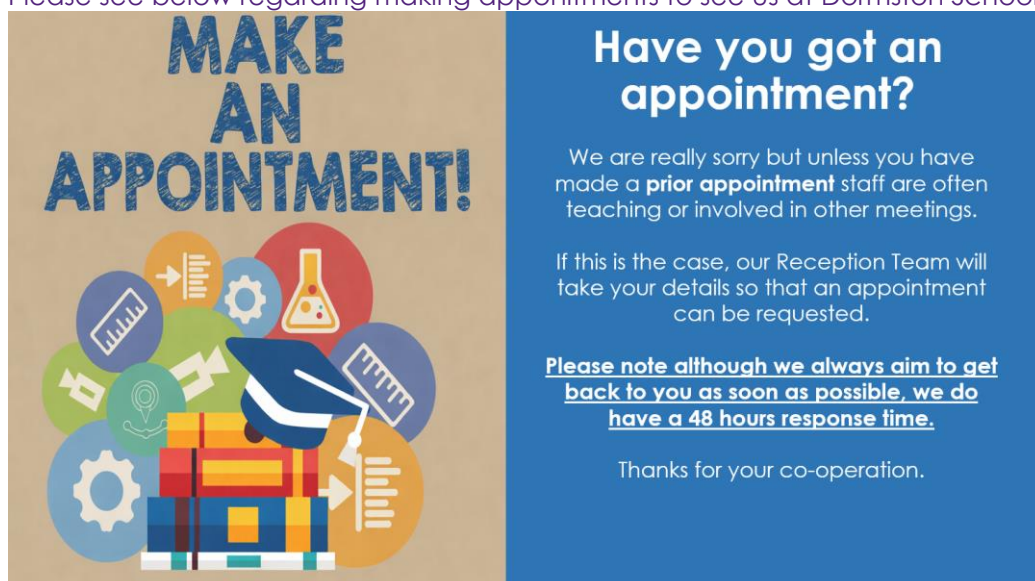
Updates

Term Dates 2026 - 2027

We appreciate lots of our parents/carers are keen to know our Term Dates for 2026/2027, but as the Staff Academic Calendar is not usually finalised until July each year, it is difficult for us to confirm exactly when our INSET days will be. We do however follow Dudley Term Dates, so please see the below link which will give you a good idea of Term Dates for 2026/2027 (excluding any of our INSET days). <https://www.dudley.gov.uk/residents/learning-and-school/school-information/school-term-dates/>

Making Appointments

Please see below regarding making appointments to see us at Dormston School.



Have you got an appointment?

We are really sorry but unless you have made a **prior appointment** staff are often teaching or involved in other meetings.

If this is the case, our Reception Team will take your details so that an appointment can be requested.

Please note although we always aim to get back to you as soon as possible, we do have a 48 hours response time.

Thanks for your co-operation.

Routes & Reflections

Please see below information from Routes and Reflexions.



CRANSTOUN
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Support with Low Mood Workshop

Feeling low, unmotivated or not quite yourself?

We can help!
Join us to explore simple and effective ways to boost your mood and take care of your wellbeing. Learn practical tools to help you boost your mood!

Ages 13-17

Friday 3rd July 2026
CRANSTOUN ROUTES
Unit L14, The Boulevard
Merry Hill Shopping Centre
Dudley
DY5 1QX

12:00pm – 1:00pm

SING West Midlands

Please see attached Website link for SING West Midlands which we have been asked to share with you. <https://www.nationalyouthchoir.org.uk/sing-west-mids>

Congratulations/Well Done

Headteacher Commendations

Congratulations go to the following students who received Headteacher Commendations this week.

Keira Boden			
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