



**HEDDINGHAM SCHOOL  
AND SIXTH FORM**  
ACHIEVEMENT & EXCELLENCE

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Dear Parent/Guardian

**Year 12 Enterprise Challenge Week, Monday 15 July to Thursday 18 July 2024**

This letter is to inform you about an upcoming event which is compulsory for all Year 12 students.

Enterprise Challenge allows students to extend skills that are useful in the real business world. It is an intensive pre-management programme preparing students for responsibility at work. Students will work in teams throughout the event, developing a wide range of skills especially those in leadership and communication.

Taking part in this event is valuable in providing evidence as part of the application process for university, college or employment. Each year students have been able to widen and develop their personal statement or application letter using examples from the programme.

Students will work closely with a local business for the event. This will involve visiting a business on the morning of Tuesday 16 July and a representative from the business visiting our school at other times during the event to support students. This is towards the end of their working day, and so on two of the days there will be a later finish than usual.

The times are as follow:

Date:	Start Time:	Finish Time:
Monday 15 July	8.45am	3.15pm
Tuesday 16 July	8.45am	4.30pm
Wednesday 17 July	8.45am	5.00pm
Thursday 18 July	8.45am	3.15pm

Lunchtime and food arrangements are unchanged. There is no cost to the students to take part in Enterprise Challenge.

If students have work commitments after school on the Tuesday and/or Wednesday this will hopefully enable them to alter their shifts, otherwise they would not be getting the full benefit of the course.

Throughout the event, students should wear formal business dress (trousers / skirt / shirt / jacket / tie and smart shoes, no flip flops).

Should you have any further queries, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

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