



# Birchwood Community High School

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

As we reach the end of this half term, I want to take a moment to thank you for your continued support. It has been a fantastic few weeks filled with exciting activities and achievements across the school.

Our weekly House challenges have been a great success, with hundreds of students getting involved. The Pub Style Quiz and Mummy Wrapping challenges were particular highlights, bringing out the competitive spirit in everyone! We're also incredibly proud of our Year 11 students, who have shown exceptional focus and dedication during their mock exams.

Looking ahead, we are excited to introduce Time to Chat, a new opportunity for parents and guardians to drop in for an informal chat, tea/coffee and a bit of breakfast. Starting after the break, this will take place every Thursday from 08.45 – 09.15 in the community building (entrance through the car park). We'd love to see as many of you as possible.

Next half term is shaping up to be even more action-packed! Along with our regular weekly challenges, we'll be hosting a Parent Event on 10 December, focused on the fantastic community activities available for your children. We're also looking forward to *Wear it Pink for Peace* day on 7 November to celebrate Brianna's birthday, our next *Time to Talk* day will take place focusing on mental health, we will be launching our *No to Negativity* campaign during anti-bullying week, and of course, our annual Christmas Kindness Day, among many other exciting events.

Please don't forget to join our new Parent Forum on Facebook too: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/1279625496368055>

Thank you again for your ongoing support. It truly makes a difference, and we are so grateful to work with such a wonderful community of families. Your children continue to amaze us every day with their enthusiasm, hard work, and positivity.

Wishing you all a restful and enjoyable half term, and we look forward to seeing you again soon.

Best wishes and take care,

Emma Mills