AMW/jr March 2023

Dear Parent/Carer

We would like to make you aware of an exciting local opportunity that is available for your child during the first part of the Easter Holidays.

Personal Best Education are a local secondary school based organisation who run community projects with the aim of promoting physical and mental well-being for all through physical and art based activities – essentially their aim is to encourage people to be active and have fun and learn life skills in the process. They are running Teen Projects throughout Hampshire, including Hedge End during the second week of the Easter holidays. The projects are free to attend for all Year 7 – Year 11 students who meet the following criteria:

- Children who are in receipt of benefit-related free school meals.
- Children assessed by the local authority as being in need, at risk or vulnerable
- Young carers
- Looked-after children or previously looked-after children
- Children who have low attendance rates at school or who are at risk of exclusion
- Children living in areas of high deprivation or from low-income households who are not in receipt of free school meals

A hot lunch and healthy snacks will be provided for each benefit related free school meal child in attendance.

The project will run from Tuesday 11 April until Friday 14 April 10.00am – 3.00pm at Wildern. The programme is funded by Hampshire County Council through the HAF programme for students aged 11-16. They will have the opportunity to engage with a number of different activities and workshops whilst also receiving free hot lunches.

I have attached a flyer that has more information but for further details about the range of activities available then please visit the website below. If your child would like to attend then you can also book them a space on the same website.

Please find the booking link below with information regarding Hampshire locations and dates.

https://form.jotform.com/230463765702355

If you have any queries, then please do not hesitate to contact me at the school or alternatively, please contact Personal Best Education directly on 01794 510225 or email sonia.guerrier@personalbesteducation.com

Yours faithfully

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