

Year 10 Standards Evening
TBSHS 2022-2023

Student Aspirations



GCSE Results 2022

- 94% of all grades were 4+
- 42% of all grades were 7+
- 11% grade 9s
- Our best examination year ever
- Positive *Progress 8* score every year

- Our boys consistently make significantly better progress than boys nationally.

GCSE Results 2022

- Bobby Neil 9999999998
- Oliver Worthy 9999999997
- Alex Banhidai 9999999988
- Charlie Haddon 9999999988
- Oscar Sortwell 9999999988
- Dennis Chan 99999999866
- Jay Cheung 99999999866
- Luca Olandini 9999999986
- David Badcock 9999999976
- Charlie Economou 99999999888
- Jake Woodford 99999999888

A-Level/BTEC Results 2022

- 14% A*
- 74% A*-B
- 99% A*-D
- 5 students gained places at Oxford or Cambridge
- 4 others studying Medicine
- 1 Guildhall School of Music
- 1 Scholarship to US College
- Top apprenticeships

A-Level/BTEC Results 2022

- **Thomas White 4A*** - Engineering at Warwick University
- **William Worthy 4A*** - Physics at Hertford College, Oxford University
- **Luca Campbell 3A*, 1A** - Computer Science at Warwick University
- **Max O'Reilly 3A*, 1A** - Physics at King's College London
- **Lara Akhurst 3A*** - Psychology at Leeds University
- **Helen Franklin 3A*** - Geog. and International Dev. at Sussex University
- **Finn Lihoreau 3A*** - Acting at The Italia Conte Academy
- **James Petty 3A*** - Engineering at Churchill College, Cambridge University
- **Elliot Wood 3A*** - History & Politics at Magdalen College, Oxford University
- **Natalia Leighton 2A*, 2A** - Actuarial Sci. & Maths at Manchester University

Core habits of responsible learners

- ▶ Be proactive
- ▶ Be resilient
- ▶ Regularly review work
- ▶ Listen carefully and respectfully to others
- ▶ Collaborate to everyone's mutual benefit
(collective responsibility for learning)

Standards & expectations

- ▶ Upholding our values
- ▶ Excellent engagement in lessons
- ▶ Being responsible learners
- ▶ Take opportunities, get involved
- ▶ Excellent behaviour

[Drugs or offensive weapons -> Permanent exclusion]

2 Year GCSE

20 months - that's all you have.

You are embarking on a 2 year journey, and will need both the teachers and your parents support; be proactive and find out who to ask for help.

Parents help your sons by engaging in discussions about his learning. Together we need to help support your son though his GCSE journey and help him become a responsible learner.

Reflections: Where are you now?

- ▶ How well did you manage your work during the lockdown?
- ▶ Did you prepare for your return to school over summer?
- ▶ What did you do well?
- ▶ What do you need to replicate?
- ▶ Where do you need to improve?
- ▶ What are your aspirations?
- ▶ It's about moving forward from now.

Students - Be prepared

- ▶ None of us quite know what is around the corner.
- ▶ If we were to suddenly be sent home as a Year group, or the school was suddenly closed, are you ready or in a better position to start/respond to home learning?
- ▶ You must begin planning your revision program from the off.

Do you have?

- ▶ A weekly schedule
- ▶ Routine for work completion
- ▶ Space in which to work at home
- ▶ Plans for how you can effectively use your time
- ▶ A way to manage your time

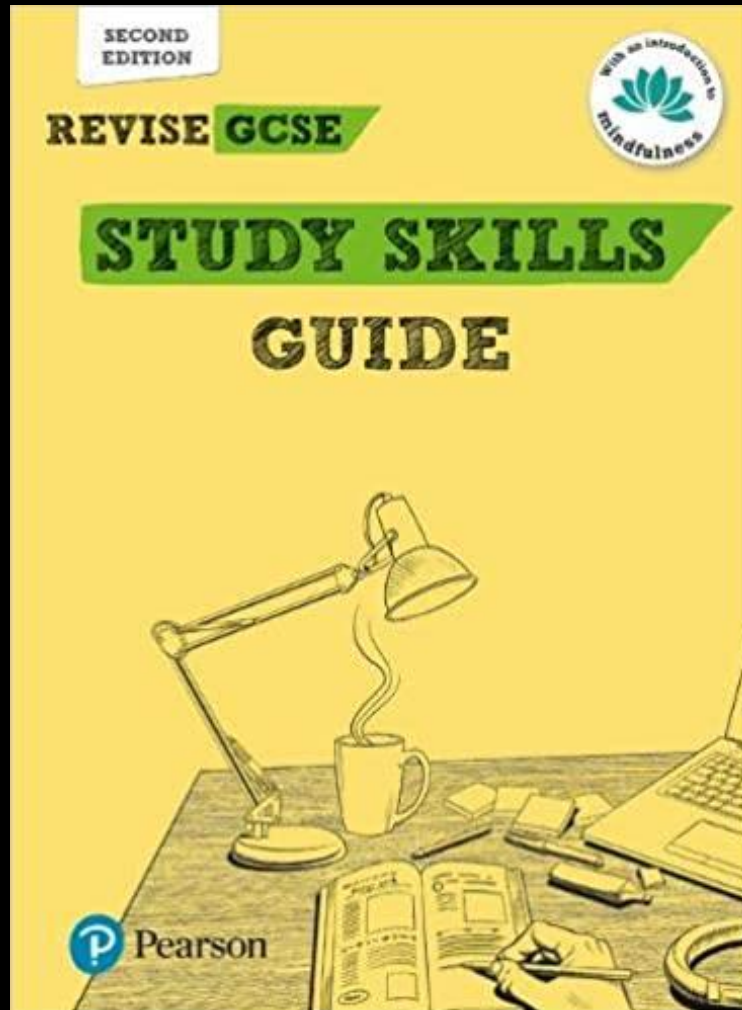
Is this what your son's room looks like?



Or is it more like this?



Revision activities in form time



Subject revision guides and examination boards

Subject	Exam board	Books and other materials
Computer Science	OCR	Computer Science (second edition), Hodder Education ISBN 978-1-5104-8416-0
Biology	AQA	Biology Student Book – Collins – ISBN 978-0-00-815875-0 Biology Third Edition – Oxford – ISBN 978-0-19-835937-1 Biology - Hodder – ISBN 978-1-4718-5133-9 GCSE Biology Revision Guide – CGP – ISBN 978-1-78294-556-7 GCSE Complete Revision and Practice – CGP – ISBN 978-1-78294-583-3 GCSE Biology – Oxford – ISBN 978-1-382-00484-8 GCSE Biology Revision – Collins – ISBN 978-0-00-816074-6 GCSE Biology Target grade 7 – Pearson – ISBN 978-1-292-24576-8 GCSE Biology Grade 5 Booster – Collins – ISBN 978-0-00-819436-9 GCSE Biology Grade 8/9 Booster – Collins – ISBN 978-0-00-819433-8
Combined Science	AQA	Biology Topics for combined science Foundation support – Collins – ISBN 978-0-00-818954-9 Combined science Biology Foundation – CGP – ISBN 978-1-78908-002-5 All in one revision and practice – Collins ISBN 978-0-00-816086-9

Uniform

Smart, clean, well-dressed.

Hair appropriate length and natural colour.

Parents - nothing below a grade 3 please - your son will be isolated during break and lunch until it grows back.

Homework

- ▶ Expectations around homework have not changed
- ▶ Parents - are you still keeping track of your child's homework? - please monitor

Attendance

- ▶ Maximise all time in school. 96.5% is the school set target - what's yours?
- ▶ Make the most of contact time with teachers
- ▶ Time out for illness only where truly essential
- ▶ Ensure you contact classmates to catch up on missed work

Independent Study in School

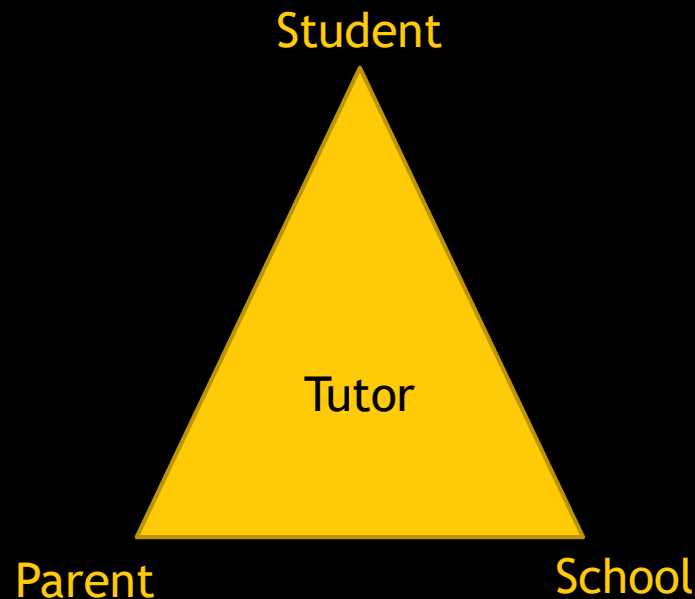
- ▶ Library - first come first served
- ▶ Homework club every evening
Mon-Thurs 3.30-4.30
Friday 3.30-4.00
- ▶ You must build in time to get your work done on a daily basis

Social Media and Communications

- ▶ Distraction: How many 'snaps' per day?
- ▶ Do you know what your son is doing on his phone?
- ▶ Do you have a password to get into your son's phone?
- ▶ Who is contacting him?
- ▶ Who owns the phone?

Tutor support:

- ▶ Form time remains as directed and a constructive time.
- ▶ Support for students on a daily basis.
- ▶ Parents' first point of contact with the school.



Tutor time

First thing in the morning and 3.00-3.30 daily

Weekly routine:

Monday: Tutor choice

Tuesday: Study Skills & Literacy

Wednesday: Senior Leadership Assembly

Thursday: PSHE

Friday: Head of Year Assembly

Contact

Subject Concerns:

1st The subject teacher

2nd The subject leader

Pastoral Concerns:

1st Tutor

2nd Inclusion Manager - Mrs Cooper

& Head of Year - Dr Fisher

Your help

- ▶ Students - get involved, show commitment, be present.
- ▶ Parents - Promote our values
- ▶ Support our decision - please work with us not against, and trust that we do our very best to make good decisions
- ▶ Perhaps ask yourself how you can best support your son to develop as a responsible learner
- ▶ Finally, please keep all channels of communication open between yourselves, your son, his teachers, and his pastoral team in order to help achieve the best outcomes



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Year 10 Work Experience

12 – 16 June 2023

The Benefits Of Work Experience

The opportunity to see what career you might or might not be interested in working towards

The chance to experience an adult work environment

Try out new tasks and opportunities – meet new people from different backgrounds with different experiences

Record for your CV; post-16 and post-18 applications eg college, university and jobs

Great boost to confidence and self-esteem and helps attainment in the classroom on return to school

Provides knowledge of the local job market and starts you on the road to building a network of contacts

Gives you the opportunity to impress – there may be opportunities in the future to seek employment with the same employer

Aids development of 'employability skills' – sometimes called 'soft skills'

Helps you understand how the subjects you study in school link to certain jobs

Private Placements

- Private placements are placements you source through your own contacts
- Guarantees what your son does and avoids disappointment with regard to choices
- Employers must agree to a visit by a H & S Inspector to discuss insurance, appropriate tasks
- £11 fee to parents/carers if outside of Hertfordshire & immediate vicinity within Essex

There will be a year 10 assembly where we cover how to find the best placement.



Work Experience Private/Own Placement Request



PLEASE COMPLETE IN BLOCK CAPITALS AND PLEASE RETURN TO THE STUDENT/SCHOOL

STUDENT INFORMATION	
STUDENT NAME:	TUTOR GROUP: YEAR GROUP: AGE:
SCHOOL:	WORK EXPERIENCE DATES:
EMPLOYER INFORMATION	
COMPANY NAME: .....	.....
TYPE OF BUSINESS: .....	.....
MAIN CONTACT NAME FOR WORK EXPERIENCE: .....	.....
POSITION IN COMPANY: .....	.....
TELEPHONE: MOBILE: WEBSITE: .....	.....
SUPERVISOR OF STUDENT: .....	.....
POSITION IN COMPANY: .....	.....
CONTACT NUMBER: .....	.....
EMAIL ADDRESS: .....	.....
PLACEMENT ADDRESS: .....	.....
TOWN: .....	.....
POSTCODE: .....	.....



Unauthorised Placements

- Sole Traders
- Employers who refuse a Health & Safety visit
- Placements with inadequate or no insurance
- Placements abroad

Timeline

- **End of October 2022**- Work Experience letter and information pack sent home
- **Mid November 2022** – Live 'Teams' Q&A session led by Mrs Jonas
- **February 2023** – Deadline for Private Placement information and for all forms to be handed in
- **February 2023 onwards** – *Services for Young People* carry out H & S visits with employers and check insurances
- **April-May 2023**– For those unable to secure Private Placement, allocation of placements from list supplied by *Services for Young People*
- **April-May 2023** – Students to make contact with prospective employer in case interview is required
- **May-June 2023** - Job Descriptions issued



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TBSHS Parent Portal

September 2022



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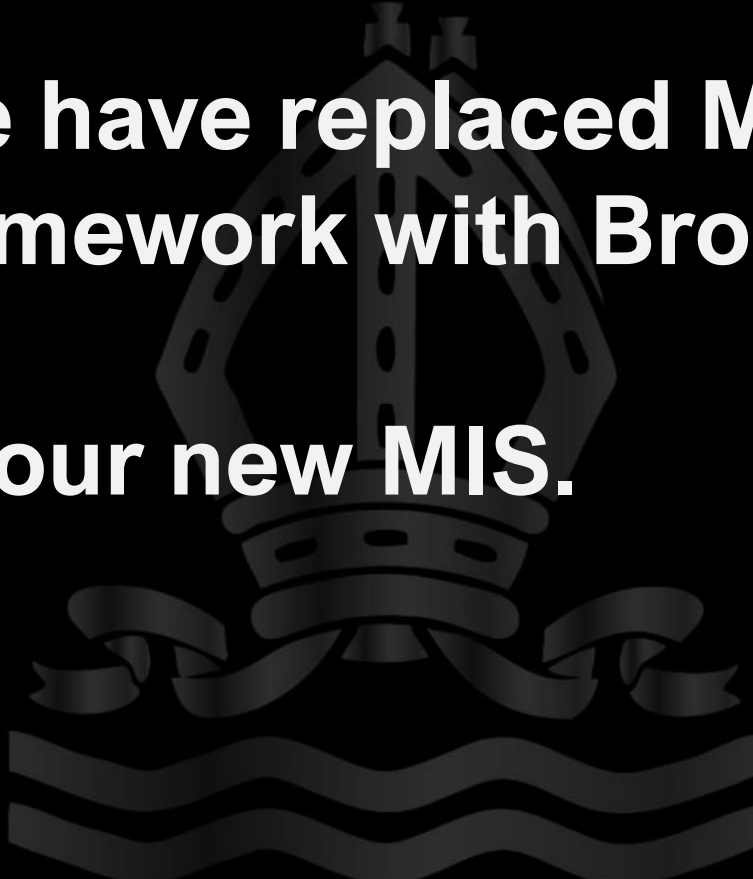
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This year, we have replaced MYEd and Show My Homework with Bromcom.

Bromcom is our new MIS.



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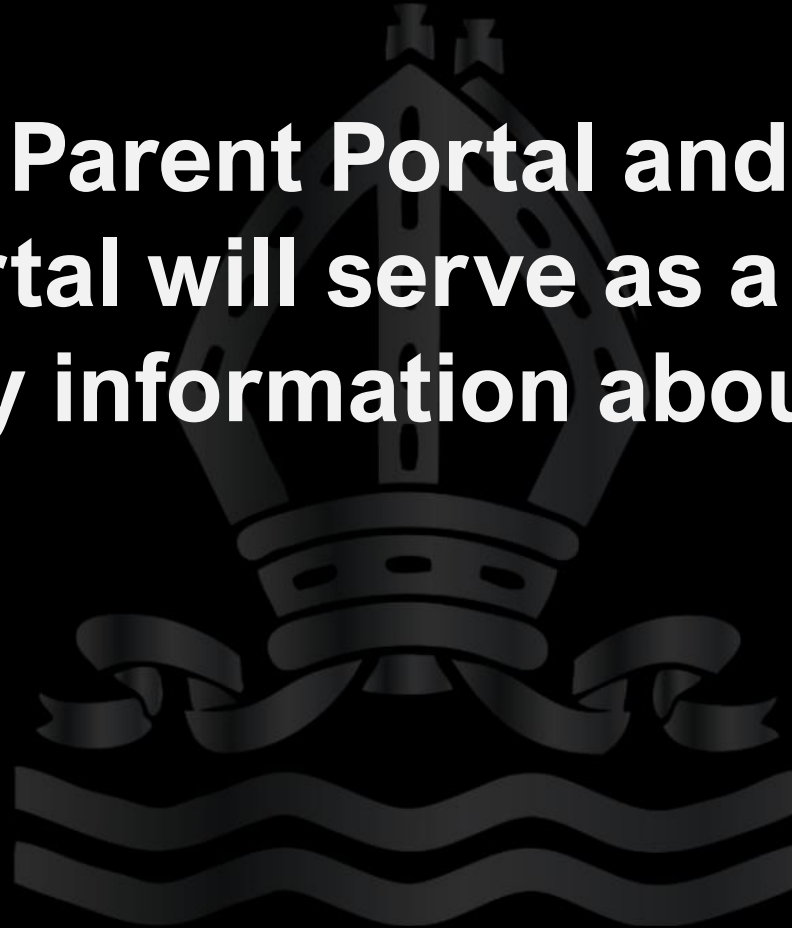


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Bromcom's Parent Portal and Student Portal will serve as a one stop shop for key information about your child.



Bromcom



my **child** at school.com ✓

Parent/Carer Evening Appointment Booking

More functions to be added over the next 12 months

Attendance
Is J at school?

Period	Subject	Status
AM	Tutor Group	✓
PM	Tutor Group	✓

Report Absence
More

Report Students Absence

Homework
Does J have h

No Homework data found

All Homework tasks and deadlines

Classes
J's Classes

Class Name	Class Details
9A/Hi1	History

Behaviour
Js recent behav

Date	Description	Status
09/05/22	S01-Verba	
27/04/22	Reviewing	
21/04/22	Black And Gold Spirit	✓
01/04/22	Collaborate To Everyone's Benefit	✓
31/03/22	Reviewing Work	✓

Live House Points and Behaviour Marks

Timetable
What is J up to?

Period	Subject
AM	Tutor Group
1	Tutorial Group
2	Business Studies
3	Science
4	Mathematics

Your child's timetable

Reports
How is J perform

No Reports data found

End of year reports

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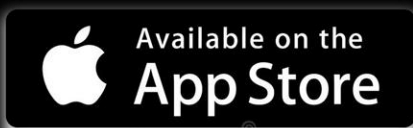
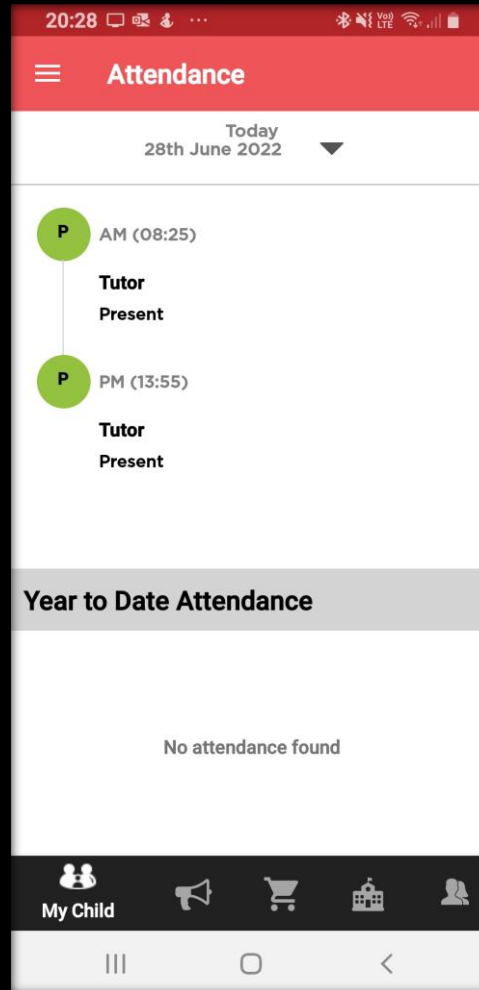


Available on the
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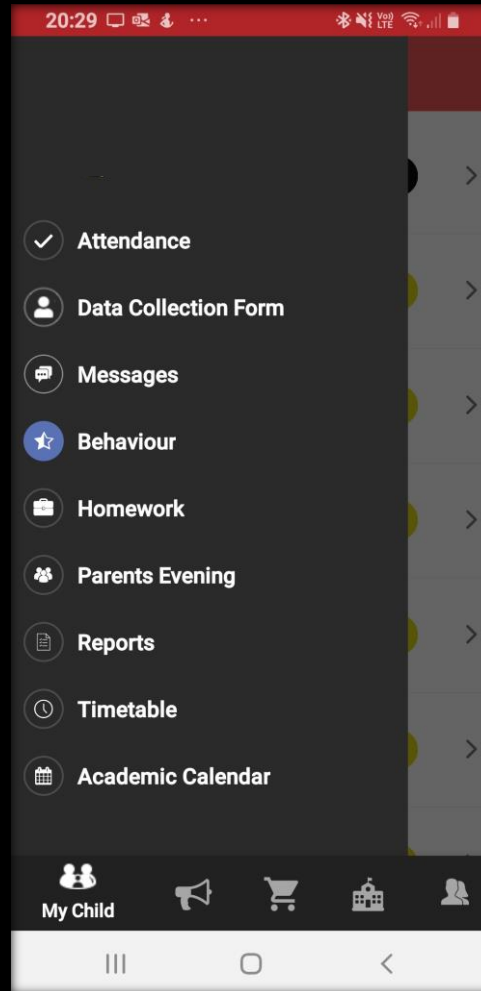
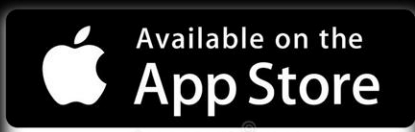
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The same information is available within the app.



Reporting Student Absence

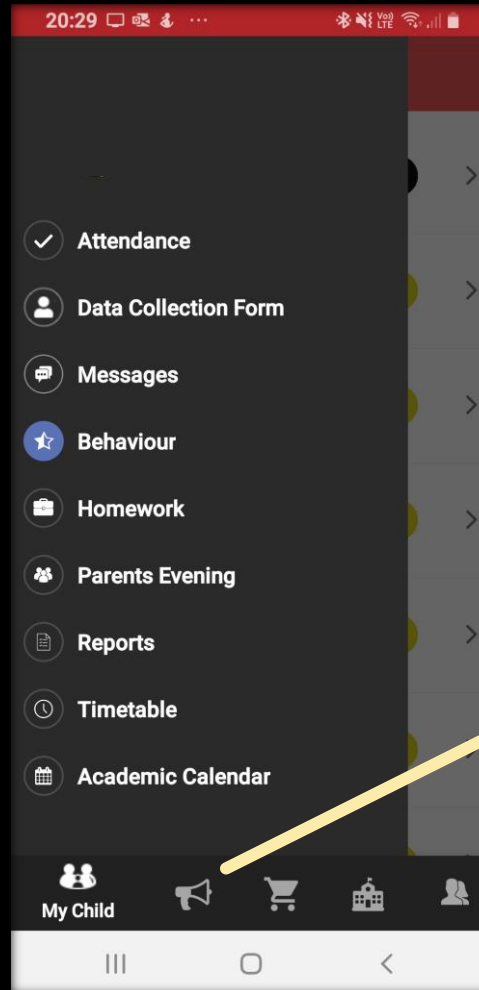
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TBSHS Absence

Reporting Student Absence

Please provide the details requested below. Uploading a photograph of medical evidence where available.

Absence - Student Forename and Surname:
Please Type Student Forename and Surname.

Absence - Student Year/Reg:
Student Year and Reg Group.
Absence - Date:
Date of the absence. Click To Change Date.
Absence - Brief Description:
Absence - Parent/Carer Name:
Name of Parent/Carer reporting the absence.
Absence - Parent/Carer Contact:



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How do I set up the TBSHS Parent Portal?

You will have received an email with login details.

Contact it_helpdesk@tbshs.org if you have any problems



Year 10 Key Dates:

Data report: 24th November 2022

Full reports: 10th February 2023

Data report: 23rd March 2023

Year 10 exams: 2nd May 2023

Yr 10 Parents' Eve: 25th May 2023

Yr 10 work experience: 12th -16th June 2023

Data report: 6th July 2023

Enrolment form return deadline

5th October 2022

Expedition

24th/25th March 2023

