Weekly Information

Friday, 16th October 2026 **Week 7**

Extra-Curricular Clubs at Tenison's: A timetable of all clubs can be viewed via this link: Extra Curricular

Free Violin and Drum Kit Taster Sessions
Years 7, 8 and 9

We are delighted to offer pupils in Years 7, 8 and 9 a **FREE 10-minute instrumental taster lesson** with one of our specialist music teachers. No experience is needed, and all equipment is provided.

What does the taster session involve?

- A free 10-minute individual violin or drum kit lesson.
- Meet and learn from a specialist teacher
- Find out about learning an instrument at school, with no obligation to continue.

Sessions take place during the school day. Afterwards, the teacher will contact parents with details of ongoing lessons, including costs and availability.

How to register

Complete the form below to sign up your child.

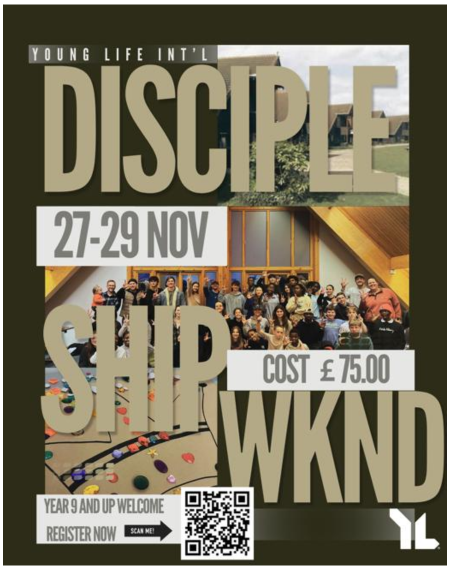
Violin and Drum kit Free Taster – Fill out form

Please note, the form must be completed by a parent/carer, and not the pupil.

Places are limited, so we encourage you to register as soon as possible. Session times will be confirmed once registrations have been received.

Upcoming Young Life Event

Discipleship weekend is an intentional retreat designed to help teenagers deepen their Christian faith alongside their local leaders, including small group discussions and teaching focusing on whole-person transformation, connecting thoughts, attitudes, and practical actions to daily life. Students spend time connecting with peers from other areas, building relationships, and engaging in one-on-one time with their Young Life leaders.



Encouragement of the Week
Provided by the School Chaplain

A father to the fatherless, a defender of widows, is God in his holy dwelling. God sets the lonely in families, he leads out the prisoners with singing; but the rebellious live in a sun-scorched land

Half Term - Monday 19th to Friday 30th October
Pupils and students return to school on Monday, 2nd November at 8.45am

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Key Information for the week commencing 2nd November 2026

Year 7 – Start time 8.45am
Except Wednesday – Church 8.35am

Year 8 – Start time 8.45am
Except Thursday – Church 8.35am

Year 9 – Start time 8.45am
Except Friday – Church 8.35am

Year 10 - Start time 8.45am
Except Tuesday – Church 8.35am

Year 11 – Start time 8.45
Except Monday – Church 8.35am

Year 12 and 13 - Start time 8.45am

Tram Closures - Essential Track Renewal Works
24 October to 5 November 2026

We would like to make you aware of planned essential track renewal works and tram closures during the October half-term which continue until 5th November.

From **Saturday 24 October to Thursday 5 November 2026**, tram services will be suspended between East Croydon and Beckenham Junction, Elmers End and New Addington. **Trams will not operate east of East Croydon during this period.**

Rail replacement bus services will be provided to cover the affected routes. However, these changes may result in longer journey times and increased demand on alternative transport services.

Please ensure your children are aware of the disruption and plan their journeys carefully during this period. Pupils should allow additional time for their journeys and check the latest travel information before setting off.

Thank you for your support.