

18 September 2026



Sawston
Village College

Principal: Mr J P Russell

Dear Parents/Carers

Weekly Round Up

It has been good to get back into the swing of things, now that we have had a full cycle of our fortnightly timetable. We are looking forward to moving into the new PE block at the end of next week, ready for the pupils to start using the refurbished halls and new changing rooms at the end of the month. Trips and visits are well underway and our Y10 Drama pupils enjoyed seeing Blood Brothers at The Arts Theatre last night. Their excellent behaviour was commented on by several members of the public.

NEW Medical Needs

We are updating our Allergy and Anaphylaxis Policy and would like parents to be aware that in line with Benedict's Law, all children who are prescribed an Adrenaline Auto-Injector (AAI) must carry two with them at all times. This is in case a second dose is required. If your child needs to carry an Adrenaline Auto-Injectors, please can you check that they have two in their school bag.

NEW Second hand uniform and PE kit

We welcome donations of good condition second-hand uniform and PE kit. Currently we cannot accept donations of the following items due to space constraints: rugby socks, rugby shirts, PE tracksuit bottoms, school trousers. Second-hand uniform can be requested using the form [here](#).

NEW School photograph proofs

Earlier this week, school photograph proofs were distributed to Y7 and 11 pupils via mentor time. Photographs can be ordered from <https://tempest-orders.co.uk/>. Tempest Photography will return in November to photograph Y9 pupils, and any Y7 or 11 pupils who missed their photograph will have another opportunity then.

REMINDER Catering account

If you wish your child to use the school catering outlets, please ensure that they have sufficient funds on their catering account. If you are having trouble logging into WisePay to top up, please email finance@sawstonvc.org.

REMINDER Bike locks

We have noticed that some young people do not lock their bikes in school, even though they have locks on their bikes. Please can you remind your child to lock their bike.



ANGLIAN LEARNING



FRAMEWORK FOR
ETHICAL LEADERSHIP
IN EDUCATION
PATHFINDER



Artsmark
Platinum Award
Awarded by Arts
Council England



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COMMUNITY The Fitzwilliam Museum Creative Careers event

The Fitzwilliam Museum is holding a Creative Careers event on Friday 30th October. The event is an opportunity for young people to meet staff in different roles at the museum and also representatives from external organisations, including ARU and Cambridge Regional college and to find out about a range of careers in the Creative industries. Please click [here](#) to register your interest.

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Wishing you a joyful weekend,

Jonathan Russell