

Dear Parent/Carer

January 2026

**Curriculum Enhancement Week (CEW)**  
**Monday 13<sup>th</sup> July 2026 to Friday 17<sup>th</sup> July 2026**

Fakenham Academy knows how important providing opportunities to our young people is and each year we deliver a Curriculum Enhancement Week - CEW. This is an alternative programme for Year 7 - 9 students which takes place during the normal school day timings. It is part of the complete educational package of experiences offered by Fakenham Academy and all our students are expected to attend. The days concentrate on giving students the opportunity to take part in something new and serves to develop stronger relationships with other students and staff.

ACTIVITIES

- Monday 13<sup>th</sup> July - Normal school day
- Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> July – Sports Day
- Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> July Friday 17<sup>th</sup> July - Activity Days

ACTIVITY DAYS

You and your child will have the choice as to what activity they participate in. All students are to participate in the activities. All activities can be adapted to meet the needs of any child. If your child does not attend their attendance record will be affected. Should you or your child not choose an activity they will be assigned to an activity. This year's CEW Activity can be found on our website via the link below.

[Curriculum Enhancement Activities - Fakenham Academy](#)

Please look through the Activity Days booklet to decide what activity your child would like. Once you have decided, please complete the Activity Days Preference Form where you will need to select three preferences of activity. This form needs to be completed by Friday 30<sup>th</sup> January. Failure to do so could result in your child being allocated a place.

Your child will receive one of their chosen preferences. They will receive an application form letter with their activity, trip forms and details of payment information. Please complete the Activity Day Preference Form below.

[Activity Days Preference Form](#)

APPLICATION FORM AND PAYMENT

All application forms and trip forms will need to be completed and signed by parents/carers, placed in the envelope provided and returned to the red post box at student reception by **Friday 6<sup>th</sup> March**. **We will accept payments for deposits or full amounts from Friday 27<sup>th</sup> February**. Payments must be made online via the School Gateway. We will not be accepting cash or cheque payments. The deadline for deposits will be **Friday 6<sup>th</sup> March**. **We will not accept payments before this time as the School Gateway will not be open until Friday 27<sup>th</sup> February**. Deposits will not be refunded unless the trip is cancelled.

If you have any queries before then, please do not hesitate to contact me via email: [s.gray@fakenhamacademy.org](mailto:s.gray@fakenhamacademy.org)

Yours sincerely



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