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The West Bridgford School

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Dear Parent/Carer,

YEAR 7 - CONTRIBUTIONS

I would like to take this opportunity to welcome you to the Creative Design Department of The West Bridgford School and briefly describe the type of work your child will be undertaking in the Art and Design lessons during their first three years with us.

Throughout their creative journey each student will explore a variety of materials and techniques including: printing, painting, sculpture and drawing leading them to a series of exciting 2D and 3D outcomes including a clay relief slab sculpture, a 3D papercut mask, Art Nouveau printed surface pattern design, a self-portrait and a wealth of new creative skills!

We are providing all parents/carers the opportunity to make a one-off contribution of £15.00 by the **11th September 2026**, which will include an A4 sketchbook each year for your child across Years 7, 8 and 9, and will help to cover some of the cost of all projects. Payment in this way will allow us to continue to offer a broad and more bespoke range within the Creative Arts as well as bulk buy materials at a more economical price.

To make this contribution, using ParentPay, please follow the steps below:

- Log onto your child's account on ParentPay, select Fees and Contributions.
- Select Year 7 Art Contribution 2026.
- Make the £15.00 payment online.

Should you not wish to contribute please note in advance that your child will be set a homework task to source their own A4 sketchbook at the beginning of each year across Years 7, 8 & 9.

Please pay online, using ParentPay, following the steps below.

- Go onto your child's account on ParentPay select Fees and contributions, Year 7 Art Contribution 2026.
- Make the £15.00 payment online.
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If you have yet to register for ParentPay please email parentpay@wbs.school you will then be forwarded registration details. This will allow all your future payments to be made through the online system.

I hope your child enjoys the many exciting opportunities our subject offers and has a successful time in doing so. Should you have any queries regarding the contents of this letter please do not hesitate to contact me at school and I look forward to welcoming you and your child to The West Bridgford School.

Yours sincerely,

Ms Mitchell
Assistant Head of Creative Design

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