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# **Staff & Pupil Information**

### **Equally Safe at School Project**

Westhill Academy is taking part in the Equally Safe at School project. This project aims to improve gender equality, reduce gender-based violence and help pupils across the school to know what to do in certain situations. You will take part in a short survey, during PSE, at some point over the next few weeks. In preparation for this an email will be sent to your Glow account, which will be your survey login. Please DO NOT delete this email – we will use the link in classes when we complete the survey. The survey is both anonymous and optional – you do not have to take part if you do not want to.

[DHT]

### Word of the Week

Vocabulary and knowledge about language is vital to every aspect of life and learning so each week, we will be sharing a word with the school community. You should try to use it lessons, in conversation and even in your written work if it seems appropriate.

Over the next few weeks, the words and information about them have been suggested by Mrs Kenneway's Higher class.

#### Inadvertent: without deliberate planning or thought, accidentally, carelessly

Used in a sentence: He inadvertently deleted the file, losing hours of work.

Etymology; from in - 'not' + Latin advertent- 'turning the mind to' (from the verb advertere). English AH/Higher Folios

As these will be due in before Easter, there will be laptops available in M21 over lunch for S5/6 to work on their folios and dissertations.

This will run this week and through until Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> March. Feel free to bring lunch but don't get crumbs on the laptops!

[Mrs Kenneway]

#### **Easter Assemblies**

Rev. Stella and her colleagues will be taking our Easter Assemblies throughout next week. These will be in Houses as below. Pupils should attend registration first and should be back in classes around 9.40am.

Monday	$18^{th}$	Arnhall
Tuesday	19 <sup>th</sup>	Brimmond
Wednesday	$20^{th}$	Carnie
Thursday	$21^{st}$	Denman
Friday	$22^{nd}$	Echt

[Mrs Reid]