

# Peel Weekly

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## DORM DECS

We always implore boarders to bring back home touches, items and mementos to make the upstairs of the house and their bedrooms that much more welcoming for them. Mr Campbell performed a best tidied dorm check this week and gave out prizes, and best decorated will be happening soon. So if you're considering what do I need to bring back to school on Sunday night, here are some easy suggestions to brighten up the space;

- Family pictures. Framed or unframed, we have lots of walls and noticeboards to fill up.
- Bunting. Always popular, always delightful.
- Football scarves. Or flags.
- Plants. Our favourite. Plants have been known to have a calming effect, and they'll get plenty of sun sat on a window ledge all day.



## LANGUAGES

Monday is the International Day of Languages. To celebrate this wonderful event, both the languages teachers and the catering staff have come together to create some exciting activities on the day. At brektime there will be a bake sale in the International Centre (in aid of Macmillan cancer support), so bring some extra pennies to school.

And the catering team have plotted out a special menu on Monday. Starting with a classic continental breakfast for boarders, day students can sample Pasticado, Svenska Kottbullar, or Apfelstrudel mit Vanillesoße at lunchtime. Boarders will get the chance to try Letcho and then Gaufre later on at dinner. Try everything, you might discover you have a new favourite food....



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## STUDENT VIEW

*Why I'm glad to be back in Peel...*

*After over a year of Covid restrictions, things are finally beginning to return to normal – and one of the most important changes is getting back to our normal boarding houses. And, in my opinion, this is a really good thing.*

*Something which I really missed last year (when the school was divided up into year group houses) was the community spirit of Peel. There is a strong sense of family in the boarding house, which, even as a day student, you are included in and that I really feel part of and have done since I joined in Year 7. Everyone looks out for each other – be that helping with prep, or a bit of advice and support. It really helps to have someone take you under their wing, and I like that the staff often direct us older years to go and have a conversation with someone looking a little bit lost from time to time.*

*Recently, I saw a group of Peel boys – ages ranging from Yr7 to Yr10 – all out playing football together at lunch. I've heard that the boarders are out playing basketball with the sixth formers in the evening (who may or may not have let the younger students win). And that's what Peel is all about. Very glad to be back.*

- by Alex B, Year 11

## HOUSE POINTS

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Over 45 students, nearly a quarter of the house, have now earned 50 or more points. Well done to all of them. A particular well done to Macie in year 10, who earned the most points by a Peel student this week with +35.

## OPEN MORNING

Next weekend will see a first boarder open evening of the year, as well as the first open morning of the year. Peel has been selected to be the house on show and some of our students will be acting as guides on the evening, running events for potential boarders, as well as being student guides on the opening morning. If you know anyone particularly interested in joining us in the future, go to the College website and follow the links to register.



Wymondham College Open Events Announced

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