



Vyners School

Striving for
Excellence



**Community - Aspiration -
Respect - Endeavour**



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***‘The start of a seven
year journey’***





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Education vs. Schooling

- Vyners Learning Journey
- Enrichment curriculum
- Experiences
- Super curriculum
- Rounded and grounded





High expectations

“The effort put in by parents has a bigger impact on their children’s educational achievement than the effort expended by either teachers or the students themselves” - *Review of Economics and Statistics*



“The question is usually not how well each person performs but how well they work together.”

Vince Lombardi





‘High performance parenting’

- *Recognise your influence*
- *Growth mindset*
- *Consistent messages*
- *Remain interested*
- *High support: High challenge*
- *Mental health / well-being*





- Parents' evenings
- Attendance
- Home-learning environment
- Academic reports
- Friends of Vyners
- Futures Fund
- Vyners Parent Forums
- Extra-curricular events
- Mentoring...





Year 7 Tutor Team

7 Cheshire	Ms Simmons (BIS)
7 Fry	Mr Beale (SPB)
7 Gell	Mrs Gardner (ARG)
7 Huxley	Ms Veronese (OOV)
7 Jagger	Ms Kaur (SIK)
7 John Miles	Ms Malegaonkar (MMM)
7 Parks	Mrs Merrick (SFM)
7 Windsor	Mr Singh (NSS)
Deputy 7 Year Leader	Mr Abraham (JCA)
Year 7 Leader	Ms John (TTJ)
Senior Leader Link to Year 7	Miss Pape (ALP)



The Perfect Uniform

Wear the Vyners School uniform with pride!

Form Group	House	Colour
C	Cheshire	Gold
F	Fry	Light Blue
G	Gell	White
H	Huxley	Purple
J	Jaggar	Silver
M	John Miles	Green
P	Parks	Royal Blue
W	Windsor	Yellow





The Perfect Uniform

- No Trainers - unless medical reason with a doctors note.
- No Jewellery except a wrist watch. If ears are pierced then only one small plain gold or silver coloured stud may be worn in either one or each ear lobe.
- Hair must be one natural colour and a “grade 2” haircut is the shortest allowed. No lines or shapes are permitted to be shaved into hair or eyebrows.
- Make-up, false eyelashes and nail varnish should not be worn.
- White Socks or tights. Black socks can be worn with trousers.
- Vyners School Facebook for pre-owned uniform



Issues we're seeing post-pandemic

- Maturity
- Negative behaviours
- Organisation
- Ownership of their own learning
- Independence
- Well being
- Attendance



Communication Routes for Parents

- Tutors should be your first point of call.
- Subject specific queries and questions need to go directly to your child's specific subject teacher.
- Continuous dialogue between school, home and pupils is essential.
- Edulink and Parental Workshops.
- Everything you need to know is on the school website.
- Parent information evening on Thursday 21st September 23.

Year Leader: tjohn@vynersschool.org.uk

Other: office@vynersschool.org.uk



The Vyners Learning Journey

Co-Curricular Clubs

- Expectation that students are involved in at least one club.
- Lots of choice.
- Everything is available to view on the school website.

Taking Opportunities

- Being ambassadors for the school.
- Becoming leaders.
- Recording Activities on Unifrog.





Social Media

- Social media usage has to be monitored by parents.
- We are finding that children have social media accounts with the full knowledge of their parents.
- To allow your children to access age restricted social media is illegal.
- We are committed to educating our children about online safety, but this is being undermined by parents allowing children unrestricted access to age restricted social media.
- By working together we can ensure that our children are kept safe from harm, be that through bullying or potentially meeting online predators, who seek to groom and exploit young children.



Age Restrictions on Social Media

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Facebook

Twitter

Instagram

Snapchat

TikTok

Kik

Ask.fm

Houseparty

Periscope

Tumblr

Pinterest

Reddit



13+

YouTube

WeChat

Whisper

Yubo



(13+ means with
parental consent)

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LinkedIn

Whatsapp



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Tinder

Bumble

Hinge



Vyners School

Chromebook Programme 2023



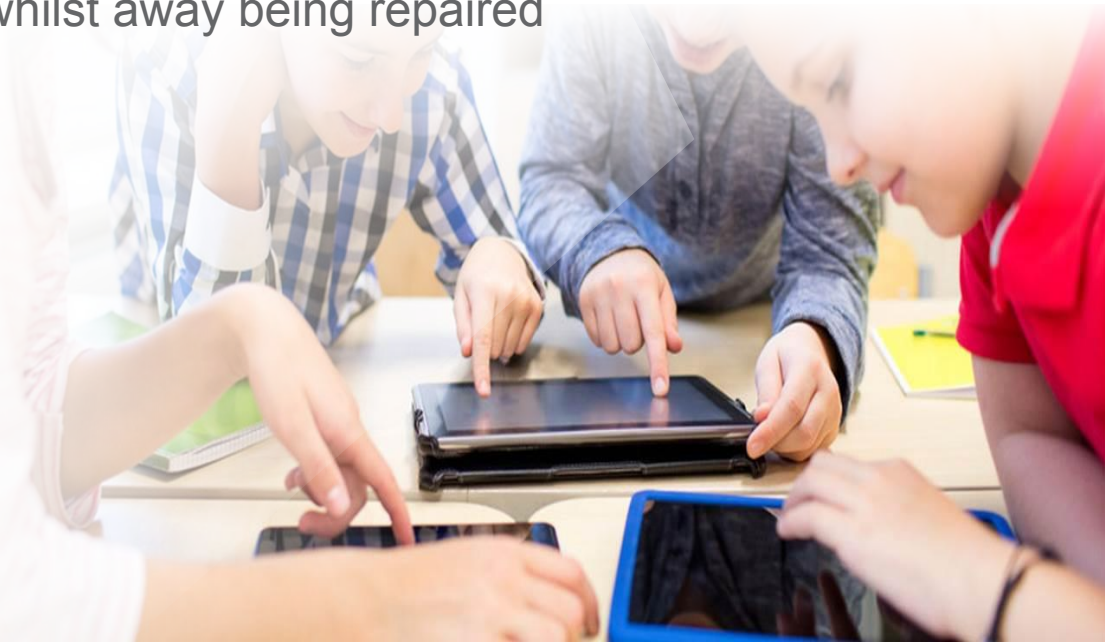
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WHAT'S INCLUDED

What's included?

- Chromebook, Chrome Management License, Configuration, Delivery
- No credit checks
- Spread the cost over 30 months
- Repair Service for faults / damage / thefts – with repair or replacement in-life
- Replacement device to loan whilst away being repaired
- Payment via Direct Debit
- Support and helpdesk
- School software
- Full Ownership included





HOW MUCH DOES IT COST?

Which model is available?

Acer 311 Chromebook

Year 7 – September 2023

- Available for only £13.98 p/month over 30 months *
- Equivalent to only £3.23 p/week
- Equivalent to 46p p/day



Pricing is less than:

1x Can of coke per day



1x Starbucks Coffee per week



* Other payment terms are available via the portal



HOW MUCH DOES IT COST?

Acer 311 Rugged Education Chromebook

Vyners bundle Includes:



- Acer 311 rugged education Chromebook
- 30-month Warranty
- 30-month Repair Service
- Chrome License
- Support and helpdesk
- School software packages and applications
- No Credit Checks
- Full Ownership once all payments are made

Available for only £13.98 p/mth

What are the savings vs. High Street?



- Acer 311 Chromebook @ £260.00
- Chrome License @ £28.20
- Acer 3 Year Warranty @ £99.99
- ADT from ProtectYourBubble @ £3.84 p/mth (£)
- High street finance costs @ £148.25

High Street Price – £651.64

Saving of £232.34

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Placing your order



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HOW DO I ORDER?

Portal login details and dates

Portal log in details

- Web Address: www.tech4learners.co.uk
- Username: **Vyners2023**
- Password: **S3cure02!**

Timeline

- Opens on 15th June
- Closes 10th July
- First Payment 25th July
- Delivery beginning of September





VYNERS PORTAL

Logging in



WELCOME!

This portal is provided and administered by Freedom Tech.

Simply login with the username and password provided by your school to get started!

If you run into problems gaining access, please visit [FAQ](#) for assistance.

If you're still unable to gain access, please raise a ticket at [customer support](#) choosing ticket type 'Other', please complete N/A for the device fields and 'Log in assistance' for your enquiry. One of our team will be in touch within 4 working hours.



EMAIL

USERNAME*

PASSWORD*



VYNERS PORTAL

Selecting the Product & Viewing Additional Information



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PRODUCTS [Click image to select device](#)



Acer Chromebook 311 C722

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Product information, Pricing and Payment Term



Acer Chromebook 311 C722

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ARM Cortex A73 2GHz, 4GB RAM, 32GB eMMC (NX.A6UEK.001)

[Price Breakdown](#)

High Street Bundle RRP*	£651.04
30 Payments	£13.98
You save	£232.24

Year Group*	Select Term*
<input type="text" value="Year 7"/>	<input type="text" value="30"/>

[ORDER NOW](#)



Available in : [ARM CORTEX A73 2GHZ, 4GB RAM, 32GB EMMC \(NX.A6UEK.001\)](#)

What's Included	Product Description	Product Specifications
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The Chromebook is supplied with:

- A ruggedised body resistant to bumps and scrapes
- A Google Chrome Management License, allowing full integration with the School's IT infrastructure and access to learning programs

Also included, regardless of term selected, is:

- 30 month extended warranty
- 30 month Advanced Repair Service

*Please note, the high street bundle figure is comprised of the equivalent cost of the device, cost of finance (where applicable), any accessories, warranty, and repair service. Please refer to the Savings Explained section above for some illustrative examples.



Checkout – Step 1 - Parent and Student Information



Checkout Step 1 of 2

PARENT/CARER DETAILS

SALUTATION * Mr. <input type="text"/>	LAST NAME * <input type="text"/>
FIRST NAME * <input type="text"/>	CONFIRM EMAIL ADDRESS * <input type="text"/>
DATE OF BIRTH * <input type="text"/>	MOBILE * <input type="text"/>
EMAIL ADDRESS * <input type="text"/>	HOME TELEPHONE * <input type="text"/>

HOME ADDRESS

HOME ADDRESS LINE 1 * <input type="text"/>	HOME POSTCODE * <input type="text"/>
HOME ADDRESS LINE 2 * <input type="text"/>	HOME COUNTRY * <input type="text"/>
HOME CITY * <input type="text"/>	

CHILD'S DETAILS

FIRST NAME * <input type="text"/>	LAST NAME * <input type="text"/>
SCHOOL YEAR * <input type="text"/>	TERM * <input type="text"/>
MONTHLY PAYMENT <input type="text"/>	



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Checkout – Step 2 – Payment Agreement



[Parent Notice](#) [Products](#) [Savings Explained](#) [Insurance and Warranty Policy](#) [Contact Us](#)

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I understand that the equipment provided under the programme will be central to my child's learning and I will ensure that my child brings the equipment and any accessories required to school each day and that the equipment is fully charged and ready for use.

I will ensure the equipment and any accessories are looked after and that the equipment is always available for education. This includes keeping the equipment in the protective cover provided.

I understand that I must not allow any unauthorised changes to be made or any unauthorised software to be loaded onto the equipment. If the equipment develops a fault, is damaged or is stolen, I will notify my child's school immediately and will give my help to file any repair or insurance claim documentation.

The school will be responsible for ensuring that the appropriate warranty and insurance policies are in place to repair or replace the equipment if required. I understand that it is my responsibility to ensure that the equipment remains under my or my child's control at all times and is not lent to a friend or left unattended in public places where it may be lost, stolen or damaged. Please note that the insurance policy for the device does not cover loss.

I understand that the equipment remains the property of the school and is being loaned to my child for the term of the programme. I will indemnify the school for the difference in cost of the equipment from what I have paid in the event the equipment is lost, stolen or damaged and a claim for insurance is declined.

I understand that I am committing to make a regular payment each month in relation to the loaned device and that this is not an opt-in/out programme. Should I default on payments, Freedom Tech Ltd has the right to recover any monies owed on behalf of the school. Should my account not be brought up-to-date in a timely manner, the device will need to be returned to the school until such time that the account is not in arrears.

I further understand that at the end of the programme term, provided all payments have been made, the school will pass title of the equipment to me at no extra cost.

I confirm that the details below are correct.

Parent Details



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Direct Debit



The law has changed such that we must tell you about how we use cookies. Click [HERE](#) to learn more.



Direct Debit Payment to
Please enter your payment information, then click "Submit".
Items marked with an asterisk * must be completed.



Authorisation

I hereby confirm that I am the only person required to authorise debts on this bank account.

Yes *

[Download paper mandate](#)

Your Name

Title: *
Forename: *
Surname: *

Your Address

Address: *
 *
 *
Town/City:
County/Region: *
Postcode: *
Country:

Your Contact Details

Home Number:
Mobile Number:
Email address:
Confirm Email address:

Direct Debit Mandate

RSM2000 re Freedom Tech Ltd

1-2 Broadgate Circle, 2nd Floor, London, EC2M 2QS

Instruction to your Bank or Building Society to pay by Direct Debit

Name(s) of Account Holder(s) *

Bank/Building Society Account Number *

Branch Sort Code *

Total number of payments to be collected **38**

Service User Number *

Reference

Instruction to your Bank or Building Society

Please pay RSM2000 re Freedom Tech Ltd Direct Debits from the account detailed in this instruction subject to the safeguards assured by the Direct Debit Guarantee. I understand that this instruction may remain with RSM2000 re Freedom Tech Ltd and, if so, details will be passed electronically to my Bank/Building Society.

Banks and Building Societies may not accept Direct Debit instructions for some types of account

The Direct Debit Guarantee

- This Guarantee is offered by all banks and building societies that accept instructions to pay Direct Debits.
- If there are any changes to the amount, date or frequency of your Direct Debit RSM2000 re Freedom Tech Ltd will notify you 10 working days in advance of your account being debited or as otherwise agreed. If you request RSM2000 re Freedom Tech Ltd to collect a payment, confirmation of the amount and date will be given to you at the time of the request.
- If an error is made in the payment of your Direct Debit, by RSM2000 re Freedom Tech Ltd or your bank or building society you are entitled to a full and immediate refund of the amount paid from your bank or building society.
 - If you receive a refund you are not entitled to, you must pay it back when RSM2000 re Freedom Tech Ltd asks you to.
- You can cancel a Direct Debit at any time by simply contacting your bank or building society. Written confirmation may be required. Please also notify us.

Payment Details

Product: *

Frequency: *

Start date: *

This payment will appear on your bank statement as "Tech 4 Learners"

Thank You

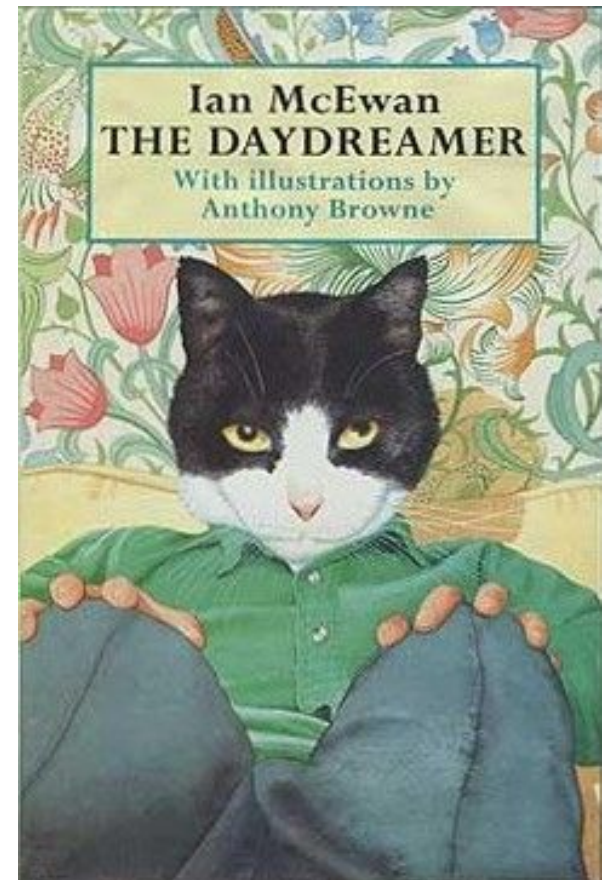


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English Summer Reading Project

- Today all students were loaned a copy of a fantastic book, *The Daydreamer* by Ian McEwan.
- Students are asked to read this book over the summer and independently write a book review on it.
- A template and instructions on how to complete it were handed out in a letter and can be found on the school website.
- In September, teachers will take in the book reviews to gain an understanding of each student's writing level.
- Students will hand in their loaned copy.



Reading Initiative for September - Bookbuzz

Bookbuzz is a reading programme from BookTrust that aims to help schools inspire a love of reading in 11 to 13-year-olds. Participating schools give their students the opportunity to choose their own book to purchase from a list of 16 titles.

They have selected a wide variety of titles, from non-fiction reads for curious minds to fast-paced page-turners to make sure that Bookbuzz has something for everyone.

The English Department will write to parents in September to ask anyone who would like to participate to pay £3.30 through the online payment system.





Important Notices

- Read 'The Daydreamer' by Ian McEwan and write a book report.
- Complete activities from the 'Be your best' booklet they were given today - Pages 4, 5, 6 and 7.
- They will need to bring both the book, book report and booklet with them on their first day!

Tuesday 5th September (Day 1) & Wednesday 6th September 2023

- Your child is to meet in the Quad at 8.30am
- Food from the canteen can only be purchased via Squid (cashless catering).
Alternatively bring lunch with you.
- Students will be dismissed at 2pm on these days. **If you wish to collect students meet them outside of the school gates and they will leave through the top gate.**
Parents should not park on school site and should park away from Warren Road.