



Horizon Community College

WHAT IS MENTAL HEALTH?



We all have mental health just as we all have physical health

 Mental health includes our emotional, psychological, and social well-being. It can affect how we think, feel, and act.

 Mental health problems can affect anyone, any day of the year, but 10 October is a great day to show your support for better mental health and start looking after your own wellbeing.

•There are things we can all do to help take care of our mental health and wellbeing

What are mental health problems?

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WHAT CAN IMPACT MENTAL HEALTH?

- Lockdown
- Home
 - Circumstances
- Friendships
- Education
- Health
- Financial
 - difficulties
- Genetics
- Stress

STUDENT WELLBEING AND SAFEGUARDING TEAM













Mrs Booth

Mrs Wake

Ms Gibson

Mrs Fielding

Miss White

Mrs Derbyshire

- The Deputy Designated Safeguarding Leads and Student Wellbeing Officers are now based in <u>10.1</u>
- Students should not attend 10.1 without permission and can access support from the Wellbeing Team upon arrival to College in the Heartspace.
- **Form Tutors** should remain the first point of contact to discuss any issues.

There is also the Wellbeing Student Hub that students can access via Sharepoint which includes links to various websites and resources.

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WELLBEING STUDENT HUB

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Welcome to the Wellbeing Student Hub. On this site you will find useful information to support and maintain positive mental health. This includes access to expert resources that focus on a number of areas such as how to cope with anxiety, exam stress and personal issues

You can also use the email address in the centre of the page contact the College's Student Wellbeing Team.

Returning to School

For some, the period throughout lockdown has been the longest period out of school since beginning school at 4 years old. This in itself may present new challenges. Below are a selection of resources to support the return to school

https://www.mentalhealth.org.uk/coronavirus/returning-scho



StudentWellbeing@horizoncc.co.uk

Use the email above to contact the Student Wellbeing Team. Please note this is manned 8:00am-4:00pm

Student Wellbeing support request Please complete this form, including your name, form group and details of the support required

USEFUL RESOURCES

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The A-Z of positive mental health.

Use the links below to find resources and support materials for each area that can be linked to a decline in your mental health.

If you don't find information that you are looking for, please use the email address to contact the College's Student Wellbeing Team.

Popular searches

Anxiety Self-esteem Stress Transition

Anger Anxiety

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IN SCHOOL SERVICES, APPS AND WEBSITES







Be Mindful: The Be Mindful course is an easy-tofollow web-based training programme that guides you through all the elements of mindfulness-based cognitive therapy. Download it in your app store or visit www.bemindfulonline.com

ASK NORMEN: This website has lots of useful information around dealing with mental health and self-harm for young people. Visit http://www.asknormen.co.uk/resources-and-tools/

Find, Get, Give: This is a mental health services signposting website for young people aged 11-25 where you can find help, get help and give feedback. For more information visit www.findgetgive.com



FORM ACTIVITIES

Whether it's going for a walk, learning a new skill or doing something creative, taking the first steps to getting support for yourself, or reaching out to someone else; take the opportunity to do one thing this World Mental Health Day.

Please come up with your own top tip for maintaining positive mental health and email them to; <u>StudentWellbeing@horizoncc.co.uk</u>

Other activities that you may like to complete as a form.

- True or false quiz <u>https://horizonccco.sharepoint.com/:w:/r/sites/StudentBulletinHub/Shared%20Docum</u> <u>ents/WMHW%20-</u> <u>%20True%20False%20Quiz.doc?d=w5cf258bf11374e15886901e813d45ae8&csf=1&we</u> <u>b=1&e=1u4Hui</u>
- A-Z of mental health produce an A to Z list of strategies to support positive mental health and produce a list of types of mental health categories.



Further information can be found on <u>https://www.mind.o</u> <u>rg.uk/information-</u> <u>support/a-z-mental-</u> <u>health/</u> **Talking**being open with people I trust about how I'm feeling.

Exercising looking after my body, playing sport, eating healthy.

Calming trying meditation and routine like turning my phone off early.

Learning a new skill, a great way to gain confidence.

Relating spending time with the people I care about.

Contributing helping others or contributing to causes I believe in.

Creating expressing myself creatively e.g. music, art, drama, writing.

Congratulating bei

being kind to myself/ listing my strengths

SUPPORTING STRATEGIES

