

STUDENT BRIEFING

Week Commencing 4th February 2019

Prayer Theme: Healing "O Lord my God, I called to you for help and you healed me." (Psalm 30:2)

Tuesday 5th February Y11 Group Photograph
Wednesday 6th February Language Taster Day
Thursday 7th February Y9 DTP Immunisations
Friday 8th February Non School Uniform Day

Non School Uniform Day

Your £1 can now be paid on parentpay in advance or remember to bring your £1 on the day.

Intermediate Maths Challenge

Message for year 10 & 11 participating in the intermediate Maths Challenge. It is on Thursday 7th of February session 3 (11:00- 12:00) in S02. You must have a pencil and an eraser and arrive on time for a prompt start.

Y8 Challenge Day

Those students participating in Year 8 Challenge Day must assemble in the canteen area to on Thursday 7th of February go to Lydiard Park Academy to participate in the Year 8 Challenge Day. You must bring packed lunch, a snack and a bottle to fill up during the day. You will be back in school by 3:00.

Y9 Immunisations

All students should come to the hall whether or not they have permission for the immunisations.

Students will be receiving two vaccinations and are permitted to wear a vest top underneath their shirts, and also to bring a drink with them to the hall.

St. Joseph's Got Talent

If anyone hasn't yet auditioned for the show but would like to be included, then please meet in the Music Room on **Tuesday 5th February**.

Please bring any music that you need; if you're playing an instrument this will be provided for you. Try to practise but it doesn't need to be perfect, the show is in March.

Contact Mia Neely mneely@stjosephscollege.net

Mr Matyla
History Department

Wednesday 6th February Language Taster Day

Students will be taking part in a languages taster day to Bath Uni Wednesday 6th February from 8.35 until the end of the day. They need to bring a packed lunch. If you have any question, direct them to Miss Nimaga in S13.

New Passwords for Students

Students who require a new password **must** have their planner signed when they leave class. The IT department will turn students away if they do not have a note.

Important information to changes in the Library

Due to the Library undergoing a change to the current issuing system, we will not be issuing any books to Students from Monday 4th February. Please can all students ensure that they hand in all books **before** the end of term. This will greatly assist in the transition of systems.

Many thanks
Mrs Kennedy and Miss Henry

Wednesday 6th February-Cake Sale

There will be a cake sale on Wednesday break time in the Street in aid of the St Joseph's SVP group. There will be a selection of cupcakes and smaller buns to buy, with the money going towards helping the lonely and vulnerable in our wider community. Many thanks for your support.

Netball Tour 2019

A weekend full of Netball games! Other activities include abseiling, zip wiring and rock climbing.

When: Friday 10th May until Sunday 12th May 2019.
Where: Condover Hall in Shropshire.
Who: Girls in Year 9, no previous netball is experience required.
Cost: £215 (there is funding available – please ask Miss Jones for more information)

To secure your place, the £50 deposit is now available to pay for on ParentPay. If you have any questions or require any further information, please speak with one of the P.E teachers.

Y11 Geography Revision

Mr Chamberlain: Tuesdays G16, Skills all targets
Miss Bailey: Thursdays G14, 4-6 mark questions for higher targets
Mrs Parkes: Thursdays G15, 4-6 mark questions for lower targets
Mr Jackson: Tuesdays G16, 9 and 12 mark questions all targets

PE Enrichment Term 3

| <u>Day</u> | <u>Time</u> | <u>Gender</u> | <u>Year Group</u> | <u>Activity</u> | <u>Teacher</u> |
|------------|---------------------|---------------|-------------------|-----------------|----------------|
| Monday | Afterschool (3-4pm) | Girls | Year 8 | Football | MW |
| Tuesday | Afterschool (3-4pm) | Boys | All | Indoor Football | AI |
| | Afterschool (3-4pm) | Girls | All | Volleyball | AYJ & TF |
| Wednesday | Afterschool (3-4pm) | Boys | KS3 | Basketball | ACS & AI |
| | Afterschool (3-4pm) | Mixed | KS4 | Dodgeball | AYJ & CE |
| Thursday | Afterschool (3-4pm) | Boys | KS4 | Basketball | ACS |
| | Afterschool (3-4pm) | Girls | Year 7 | Football | CE |
| | Afterschool (3-4pm) | Boys | KS3 | Football | TF |
| | Afterschool (3-4pm) | Girls | All | Cheerleading | GW |

P.E Fixtures

Wednesday 6th February Y7 7 A side tournament Home 1500-1630

Thursday 7th February Y11 Basket Ball Home Vs Lawn Manor 1500-1630

Tuesday 12th February Y8 Girls Football Home Vs Swindon Academy

English Intervention Timetable 2019

Tuesday Y16 3.00pm-4.00pm

The Year 11 English revision sessions will be held from on Tuesdays in Y16 3pm-4pm. Copies of the timetable will be on each Year 11 English classroom door and the Yellow Family Area door. See Miss Curran for further information.

| Date | Session | Venue (s) |
|-----------------------|--|-----------|
| Tuesday 15th January | <i>Macbeth</i> Literature Paper 1A Reading (1) | Y16 |
| Tuesday 22nd January | Imaginative Writing Skills Language Paper 1B A05 - planning, structure and style (Grades 4-6) and (Grades 7-9) | Y16 / Y15 |
| Tuesday 29th January | Dr Jekyll and Mr Hyde Literature Paper 2A Reading (1) | Y16 |
| Tuesday 5th February | Transactional Writing Language Paper 2B Writing (Grades 4-6) and (Grades 7-9) | Y16 / Y15 |
| Tuesday 12th February | An Inspector Calls Literature Paper 1B Reading | Y16 |
| Tuesday 26th February | Reading Skills: Evaluation Language Papers 1 and 2 (P1 Q4 and P2 Q6) | Y16 |
| Tuesday 5th March | Dr. Jekyll and Mr Hyde Literature Paper 2A Reading (2) | Y16 |
| Tuesday 12th March | Non Fiction Language Paper 2A Reading | Y16 |
| Tuesday 19th March | <i>Macbeth</i> Literature Paper 1A Reading (2) | Y16 |
| Tuesday 26th March | Writing Skills A06 - accuracy and checking (Grades 4-6) and (Grades 7-9) | Y16 / 15 |
| Tuesday 2nd April | Unseen Poetry Literature Paper 2Bb | Y16 |
| Tuesday 23rd April | Reading Skills: Language and Structure Language Paper 1 and 2 Q3 | Y16 |
| Tuesday 30th April | Writing to compare 7a and 7b Lang Paper 2 | Y16 |
| Tuesday 7th May | Conflict Poetry Carousel Literature Paper 2Ba (1) | TBC |
| Tuesday 14th May | Literature Paper 1 Revision WTM | HALL |
| | Paper 1 Literature exam: Wednesday 15th May | |
| Tuesday 21st May | Conflict Poetry Carousel Literature Paper 2Ba (2) | TBC |
| Wednesday 22nd May | Literature Paper 2 Revision WTM | HALL |
| | Paper 2 Literature exam: Thursday 23rd May | |
| | Paper 1 Language exam: Tuesday 4th June | |
| | Paper 2 Language exam: Friday 2nd June | |