

The Seagull



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Next week is week 1

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HEADTEACHER'S NEWS

Travelling to and from school

Unfortunately, we have recently had a number of incidents where our students have not taken care when crossing roads correctly and sensibly following some simple rules relating to their personal safety when travelling to and from school. We will be ensuring that a clear message goes out to all our students over the next few weeks. However, I would appreciate your support in reinforcing guidance in relation to some basic personal safety issues.

Firstly, students who wear headphones whilst walking to and from school should take extra care as they often do not hear vehicles approaching when they are crossing the road.

Secondly, all student who cross the A13 should do this via the designated underpass and under no circumstances attempt to go across via the central reservation.

Thirdly, those students who ride to school should take great care to be fully aware of other vehicles on the road and pedestrians on the pavements.

Your support in reinforcing these guidelines is much appreciated and I'm sure you will realise how important it is for all our young people follow these basic road safety rules.

In addition to this, if your child travels to and from school by car, could you please ensure that you do not double park outside the school when dropping them off or picking them up as this causes congestion for other road users and is a safety concern for students crossing the road.

Mr Smith
Headteacher



GENERAL NEWS

Whole School Achieve Days – 18th & 19th October 2017

Students will have brought home their leaflets regarding our whole school Achieve Days. This year these are scheduled to take place on Wednesday 18th and Thursday 19th October 2017. Reply slips should be completed and returned to the school by Friday 6th October 2017 with payments made in full by Friday 13th October 2017. If you have not received a leaflet please ask your child to collect one from the School Office.

Mrs Garland
Admin Assistant (Trips)

Reception

Can all parents please be reminded that, due to the number of students in school, we are unable to accept forgotten items at the school reception.

Mrs Stone
Office Manager

Important Information for the parents/carers of Year 9 students

As you will be aware **all** students are required to have a valid Passport and European

Health Insurance Card (EHIC) for all European school trips abroad **including** day trips. As Year 9 will be visiting Ypres in October 2017, this notice is to give you advance warning that your son/daughter will need to bring these documents to school for photocopying by Monday 2nd October 2017 in order to participate in this trip. The EHIC card is free and is valid for five years. If your child does not already have an EHIC card, please apply:

- On-line www.ehic.org.uk (Please use this website address. We have been advised to inform you not to Google EHIC as the official website may not be the first link to appear and other websites for EHIC may charge for the card!) or
- by calling 0845 606 2030, or
- by picking up an application form from the Post Office.

In order to apply, please ensure you have the NHS or National Insurance Number, Surname/Family Name, Forenames and Date of Birth of each applicant.

Note: If we received a copy of your child's passport/EHIC whilst they were in Year 7 for the trip to France in July 2016 and these are still in date, we DO NOT need to see them again.

Mrs Whitehead
Systems & Data Manager

Child Protection

We would like to inform parents of staff responsible for child protection at JRCS: Ms Kaur, Mr Christie, Mrs O'Keefe and Mrs Staggs. Please don't hesitate to contact any of the team if you have any concerns.

Parents/carers may find the links below useful in discussing and learning about online safety with the children they look after.

www.nspcc.org.uk/preventing-abuse/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/

www.barnardos.org.uk/what_we_do/barnardos_today/resources_internet_safety.htm

Ms Kaur
Inclusion Manager

Physics trip to Cambridge University



On Wednesday 20th September, a group of Year 11 students went on a trip up to Cambridge University for a Physics at Work exhibition. In the morning, students visited Gonville and Caius College, which is one of the oldest Colleges at the University, founded in 1348. During a tour, the students visited an elegant library, lecture halls and Stephen Hawking's office as well as learning about daily life at university.

After a fine lunch served in the traditional dining hall, students visited the Cavendish Laboratory for an afternoon of exploring. In groups, they visited various events and discussions about fossil fuels with BP. They were involved in dismantling and reassembling a model jet engine with Rolls Royce, innovative research on radio astronomy and some liquid nitrogen demonstrations. Overall students enjoyed the day and were inspired by the current research in the field of physics.

Mrs Brook
Science Department

Donating Books to the Library

A number of students have asked about donating books to the library. We are more than happy to accept book donations, especially fiction books. Books should be in good condition and age appropriate for secondary school students, 11-16 year olds. It would be appreciated if book donations can be put in a bag and passed on to Ms Osland in the Library.

Many thanks to all students and parents for supporting our school library.

Ms Osland
JRCS Librarian



OFFICE ASSISTANTS

The Office Assistants for next week:

Monday	Tiffany Robinson 8A
Tuesday	Sky Simpson-Russell 8A
Wednesday	Salim Abdulrahman 8B
Thursday	Aylin Acar 8B
Friday	Liepa Blandyte 8B

E.M.H. Hawks U12's



E.M.H. Hawks are a Sunday league football team and looking for a few more players in current school Year 7.

E.M.H. are a charter standard football club with F.A. affiliated status.

Training is on Wednesday evening and matches are played on a Sunday.

Please contact Lee Skinner on: 07380 948514 for more information.



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The successful applicant will be required to apply for an enhanced DBS disclosure.



Southern Consortium
Sixth Form

**We warmly invite you to attend our
Sixth Form Open Mornings**

Sydney Russell School Campus

Saturday 14th October 2017: 9:00am – 11:00am

Riverside School Campus

Saturday 14th October 2017: 10:00am – 12:00 noon

Eastbury Community School Campus

Saturday 14th October 2017: 9:00am – 11:00am

Jo Richardson School Campus

Saturday 14th October 2017: 10:00am – 12:00 noon

Dagenham Park CofE School Campus

Saturday 14th October 2017: 9:00am – 11:00am

Please see our website for further details www.southernconsortium.org.uk or call 0208 724 8160

Weekly Outline of Out of School Hours Learning Activities - Autumn 2017

Club	Year Group	Staff	Time	Venue
Monday				
Orchestra	Invited	Mr Jenner	8:10am - 9:00am	MU1
SDD Homework Club	7	Mr Bashir and Miss Anwar	12.30pm - 1:05pm	SD2
GCSE Dance Technique	10 -11	Miss England	1:30pm - 2:00pm	DA1
SDD Homework Club	8 - 11	Mrs Roulton and Mrs Debono	1:30pm - 2:05pm	SD2
Athletics	7 - 9	Miss Pridie	4:05pm - 5:00pm	Sports Hall
Rugby	7 - 9	Coach	4:05pm - 5:00pm	Field
Tuesday				
Fitness	All	Miss Pridie	7:45am - 8:15am	Gym
Wind Band	All Woodwind & Brass Students	Mr Johnston	8:30am - 9:00am	MU1
Badminton/ Table tennis	8 - 9	PE Staff	1:30pm - 2:00pm	Sports Hall
Technique Dance Club	8 - 11	Joana Balla	1:30pm - 2:00pm	DA1
Jazz Band	Invited	Mr Bush	1:30pm - 2:00pm	MU4
SDD Homework Club	8 - 11	Mrs Debono and Mrs Prockter / Mr Bashir	1:30pm - 2:05pm	SD2
Anime Club	8 – 11	Ms Ryzak / Arthur Garner	1:30pm - 2:05pm	BS1
Netball	7 - 8	Miss Pridie and Miss Boulton	3:15pm - 4:15pm	Ball Courts
Football	7 – 8	Male PE Staff	3:15pm - 4:15pm	Astroturf
Basketball	7 - 9	Coach	3:15pm - 4:15pm	Sports Hall
Epidemik Girls KS3 Dance Company	7 - 9	Miss Simpson	3:15pm - 4:15pm	DA1
Bronze Duke of Edinburgh	10	Miss Montague, Mr Dignam and Mr Hargreaves	3:15pm - 4:45pm	FC4 or SD3

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Wednesday				
Fitness	All	Miss Boulton	7:45am - 8:15am	Gym
Choir	All	Mr Jenner	8:15am - 9:00am	MU1
Gold Duke of Edinburgh	12 and 13	Miss Montague	12:30pm - 1:30pm	SD3
Girls Football	7	Miss Pridie	1:30pm - 2:00pm	Astroturf
Indoor Athletics	7 - 8	Mr Howard	1:30pm - 2:00pm	Sports Hall
SDD Homework Club	7 - 11	Mrs Roult and Mrs Debono	1:30pm - 3:05pm	SD2
Cheerleading	7 - 9	Coach	2:00pm - 3:00pm	Sports Hall
Peace Garden	All	Mr Kilminster	2:00pm - 3:00pm	Meet in SDD
Fitness Club	All	Mr Mea	2:00pm - 3:00pm	Gym (meet in Boothroyd Hall)
Film Club	All	Mr Bashir	2:00pm - 3:00pm	DA2
Thursday				
Fitness	All	Mr Coupland	7:45am - 8:15am	Gym
SDD Homework Club	7	Mr Bashir	12.30pm - 1:05pm	SD2
Badminton/ Table tennis	KS4	PE Staff	1:30pm - 2:00pm	Sports Hall
SDD Homework Club	8 - 11	Mrs Roult and Mrs Prockter	1:30pm - 2:05pm	SD2
Cooking and Cake Club	All	Mr Hargreaves	3:10pm - 4:30pm	FC4 starts 12/10/17
Netball	9 - 10	Miss Pridie and Miss Boulton	3:15pm - 4:15pm	Ball Courts
Football	9 - 10	Mr Howard and Mr Coupland	3:15pm - 4:15pm	Astroturf
Friday				
Silver Duke of Edinburgh Award	11	Miss Montague	7:30am - 8:30am	SD3
Guitar Club	KS3	Mr Jenner	8:15am - 9:00am	MU1
Girls Football	8 - 9	Miss Boulton	1:30pm - 2:00pm	Sports Hall / Astroturf
Panathlon	8 - 9	Miss Montague	1:30pm - 2:00pm	Sports Hall
SDD Homework Club	8 - 11	Mrs Prockter and Miss Anwar	1:30pm - 2:05pm	SD2
Volleyball	All	Mr Newport	3:15pm - 4:15pm	Sports Hall
Illuminate Boys KS3 Dance Company	7 - 9	Miss England	3:15pm - 4:15pm	DA2



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TEAMWORK, RESPECT, DISCIPLINE, ENJOYMENT, SPORTSMANSHIP

Year 11 Intervention Timetable

Year 11		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 1	AM 8:15am – 9:00am	Maths History Geography	Maths History Geography		Science	
	Lunch 1:30pm – 2:00pm		Citizenship	Business		PE
	PM End of school – 5:00pm	Science	English		Media Spanish Dance	History
Week 2	AM 8:15am – 9:00am	Maths History Geography	Maths History Geography		Science	
	Lunch 1:30pm – 2:00pm		Citizenship	Business		PE
	PM End of school – 5:00pm	Science	Music French IT Food		Production Design Engineering Construction Drama RS	Geography Computing

Year 10 Intervention Timetable

Year 10		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 1	Lunch 1:30pm – 2:00pm	Dance		PE		
	PM End of school – 5:00pm		Geography		French Computing	
Week 2	Lunch 1:30pm – 2:00pm	Dance		PE		
	PM End of school – 5:00pm		Geography		French Computing	