

# The Seagull



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Next week is Week 1

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## HEADTEACHER'S NEWS

### Year 11 Parents' Evening

On Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> April we are holding our Year 11 Parents' Evening from 3:45pm - 6:45pm. Please ensure that your child is making appointments with their teachers. Mrs Wren, Vice Principal Southern Consortium, will also be present for anyone who wants to talk about Sixth Form applications.

We look forward to meeting with you during the evening.

### Easter Revision School

For the first time this year, our Easter Revision School ran for two weeks over the holiday period. The aim of this support is to make sure that all our students in Year 11 and 13 are able to access the best quality preparation for the upcoming exams.

I would like to take the opportunity to personally thank Miss White who did such a great job in organising the programme of subject support.

We are less than four weeks away from our first GCSE exams and intervention classes will continue throughout the Summer term.

Please keep an eye on your copy of The Seagull to find out which subjects will be offering support during the half-term break week beginning 28<sup>th</sup> May.

### Gold Seagull Winners

Congratulations to Sammi Lai 8G and Liepa Blandyte 8B who have both been awarded Gold Seagulls this week.



Well done girls!

Mr Smith  
Headteacher

## GENERAL NEWS

### Immunisations HPV AND DTP/ACWY Year 8 and Year 9

The Year 8 girls HPV 2nd dose immunisation will take place in school on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> and Friday 27<sup>th</sup> April. The Nurses may also use these sessions to catch up on any missed DTP/ACWY for Year 9.

If you have any queries please call The Student Services Team 0208 270 6222 or Vaccination UK 0203 432 1464

Mrs O'Keefe  
Student Services Manager

### Year 9 Safety, protection and the law unit

Year 9 students are currently studying various topics surrounding gangs, acid attacks, suicide, risky behaviour and

terrorism. These topics are relevant, current and important to explore. Throughout the unit students may be exposed to some sensitive issues and we would like to inform all parents of the topics we are covering. Any questions or enquiries please do not hesitate to contact Miss Hector (Head of Department) or your child's classroom teacher.

Miss Hector  
Head of PDE and Citizenship

### JRCS supports WE Charity

At the end of last term I spoke in front of teachers from across London about the work that JRCS does for the charity WE. The aim of the event was to inspire teachers to bring social action into their own schools, to get students talking about issues like education, poverty and the need for clean water. Our work on campaigns such as 'We Are Silent', where hundreds of students had the opportunity to march in silence on behalf of a cause they cared about, were used as examples of how social action can make school an experience that goes far beyond classrooms and exams. I hope that that passion for social action will be part of Jo Richardson for a very long time.

Abigail Hall 13B

### JRCS Sixth Form "Save Lives"



Year 12 students took part in a First Aid Course at the end of last term. Students were taught the theoretical aspects of dealing with emergencies and the protocols to ensure that the casualty and themselves remained as safe as possible. Being given the task to identify what an injury might be and what course of action may be required made the students think about difficult scenarios in the safety of the classroom. To make it more realistic the students were put in practical situations either as the casualty or the first

aider. All casualties, I am pleased to report, survived!

Students performed amazingly well during the course and are all now more confident to deliver what might be necessary lifesaving actions.

Miss Campbell  
Deputy Director of Sixth Form  
Head of Year 13



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### Year 12 Scholarships @ HSF LLP

Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> March saw five JRCS Year 12 students attend a workshop at Herbert Smith Freehills LLP Law Firm in London. These students had been selected to attend in order to find out information about a scholarship opportunity that the firm offers to selected London students.

The workshop gave the students the chance to see the different departments that operate in a city law firm (the business as well as the legal side), they had a tour of the amazing offices based at Liverpool Street and an insight into what their application needs to consist of in order to be successful.



Students will have the opportunity of a five year scholarship which will see them gain an individual mentor, attend a Summer internship at the end of Year 13 and also receive financial support whilst at university. Once they have applied, students will then be invited back for an interview workshop and an individual interview to win the scholarship.

It is a very competitive opportunity so our best wishes go to our selected students:

Doyin Ekuntuyi; Simran Sangha ; Jessica Smith; Erjon Uraj and Emilija Vanagaite.



Pictured with Honey Sanusi (Citizenship Executive, Herbert Smith Freehills LLP)

Miss Campbell  
Deputy Director of Sixth Form

**Congratulations Wolves**

Well done and congratulations to our cheerleading team The JRCS Wolves who competed at the London Excel Centre on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> March and came home with the Gold award.



Mrs Demetriou  
Pastoral Support Assistant

**Long Overdue Library Books**

There are a large number of students with overdue library books. Can parents and carers please support the school library by ensuring students return their library book or if the book is lost the £5 library fine is paid promptly. Doing this will keep their library account clear and prevent letters being sent home.

Students are not able to borrow any further library books if they have an overdue book. Jo Richardson is fortunate to have such a well used library. The support of parents/carers and students making sure books are returned is part of what makes the

library such an inviting place that students want to use.

Ms Osland  
School Librarian



We are running a Box Fit afterschool club for the next 4 weeks, straight after the 4 weeks it will be Youth Work Sessions on Wednesday 1:45pm until 2:45pm starting from 18/04/2018.



**OFFICE ASSISTANTS**

The Office Assistants for next week:

- Monday Enisa Kurta 8H
- Tuesday Martina McCarthy H
- Wednesday Mason McLaughlin 8H
- Thursday Simone Mehmi 8H
- Friday Husna Nanyonga 8H

**Congratulations to following students who all achieved 100% attendance during the Spring term 2017/18**

Class	Forename	Surname
7A	Alyssa	Bedwell
7A	Elizabeth	Kesinro
7A	Victory	Ndibe-Onwuka
7A	Joseph	Varey
7B	Zion	Adewale
7B	Samuel	Aluko
7B	Hany	Daroysh
7B	Luna	Dos Loios
7B	Tyara-Kim	Ekunola
7B	Holly	Eves
7B	Khairat	Muraina
7B	Aaliyah	Raji
7B	Igor	Tyrka
7C	Jessen	Igbinidu
7C	Mohammed	Khalifa
7C	Lewis	McMenamin
7C	Alina	Merkulova
7C	Namarg	Montasir
7C	Bethanie	North
7C	Oluwatemilorun	Onafadeji

7C	Zack	Wheller
7D	Shae	Barnes
7D	Frankie	Garland
7D	Ange	Gnaba
7D	Millie	Hindle
7D	Gabija	Mardosaite
7D	Anastasia	Odame-Kwakye
7D	Chloe	Robinson
7D	Danny	Scannell
7D	Tiarna	Skepple-Morgan
7D	Joyce	Trindade Domingos
7E	Benson	Ejesi
7E	Amidat	Ibrahim
7E	Jessica	Kane
7E	Ryan	Lai
7E	Martins	Ogunyemi
7E	Oluwatunmininu	Onafadeji
7E	Keziah	Sarpong
7F	Moyosore	Aforts
7F	Jimmy	Bradley
7F	Lucy	Davis
7F	Adam	Elliot
7F	Alfred	Oko
7F	Omolola	Oloyede
7F	Damla	Osman
7G	Moses	Agostinho
7G	Victoria	Idahosa
7G	Jack	Munday
7G	Martynas	Naimovicus
7G	Oyinkansola	Oginni
7G	Hayley	Stevens
7G	Joshua	Thomas-Scott
7H	Maesha Farzana	Afm Mahmudul
7H	Daniela	Boohene
7H	Tayte	Bramley-Naipaul
7H	Sania	Chowdhury
7H	Aldo	Duro
7H	Margaret	Mante
7H	Ronnand	Taraky
7I	Mason	Brough
7I	Ryan	Otambul
7I	Alioune	Samake
7I	Porscha	Swann
7J	Anesu	Choga
7J	Nathan	Codrai
7J	Jorthy	Kalonga

7J	Aqsa	Saleemi
7J	Adrina	Sylvester
8A	Selin	Acar
8A	Matilda	Boateng
8A	Sorna	Chondhury
8A	Tristan	Filbert
8A	Dharmendra	Jasal
8A	Adedamola	Olatunji Oristade
8A	Antonio	Queta
8A	Golam	Rabbani
8B	Aylin	Acar
8B	Danny	Barnett
8B	Dennis	Ionita
8B	Mel	Kiwanuka Ssozzi
8B	Lewis	Martin
8B	Mariam-Daisy	Ngobo Azeez
8B	John Oluwasayo	Olanrewaju
8B	Irene	Peprah-Mensah
8B	Narcis-Eduard	Pintilli
8B	Luisa	Seferi
8C	Arafat	Abiola
8C	Sajida	Amina
8C	Lewis	Chilver
8C	Justina	Folorunsho
8C	George	Nathan
8C	Isobel	Nicholls
8C	Katie	Tahiri
8D	Philip	Adu
8D	Mehmet	Aksu
8D	Mihaela	Costache
8D	Darian	Dragoi
8D	Karthik	Kollappallil
8D	Joshua	Perrins
8D	Raigirdas	Svelnys
8E	Matthew	Brown
8E	Stevie	Brown
8E	Oktawia	Lopaczewska
8E	Ayomide	Osatuyi
8E	Nathan	Osayiwu
8E	Kayleigh	Read
8E	Courtney	Robinson
8F	Sadiqua	Begum
8F	Nashawn	Gibbons
8F	Gloriane	Kabeya
8F	Carl	Quist-Arcton
8F	Arta	Sefolli

8F	Mariyah	Tufael
8G	Doris	Blumel
8G	Sulaiman	Diallo
8G	Jeremy	Ennin
8G	Sammi	Lai
8G	Rebekah	Ogunturin
8G	Lewis	Scarff
8H	Muhammed	Ali
8H	Sheikha	Ali
8H	Rayyan	Hakizimana
8H	Simone	Mehmi
8H	Daniel	Oduniyi
8H	Victor	Oso
8H	Edvardas	Sukys
8H	Jack	Welch
8H	Oliver	Young
8H	Abiola	Yusuf
8I	Arthur	Garner
8I	James	O'Grady
8I	Olorunfemi	Ololade
8I	Lewis	Pow
8I	Callum	Sanchez
8I	Leander	Tasama
8J	Callie	Claxton
8J	Michelangelo	McDanart
8J	Rhianna	Mutyaba
8J	Athalia	Okonkwo
9A	Emmanuella	Adomo
9A	Ahmed	Kassa
9A	Fanyl	Ntumba
9A	Mohamed	Rahman
9A	Hassan	Saleemi
9A	Aminate	Taiwo
9A	Michael	Tittley
9B	Abibat	Popoola
9C	Angel	Campbell
9C	Belica	Cofie
9C	Alexander	Grain
9C	Ana	Lopes Rebelo
9C	Desire	Mukasa
9C	Fortunate	Olaleye
9C	Ernest	Peka
9D	O'Seun-Ayomide	Afolayan-Arosoye
9D	Domas	Cesnulevicius
9D	Ryan	Chilver
9D	Jazmine	Defreitas

9D	Alagie	Dibba
9D	Louise	Gibbs
9D	Michael	Idahosa
9D	Dejhanae	Smith
9E	Bridget	Aryee-Brown
9E	Yasmin	Begum
9E	Jeremiah	Ogunturin
9E	David	Oloyede
9E	Sami	Sheikh
9E	Reiss	White
9F	Samuela	Blumel
9F	Oritseyeinmi	Jacdonmi
9F	Abdul-Karim	Kanneh
9F	Cullum	Mehegan
9F	Edward	Nabolli
9F	Samuel	Ogunyemi
9F	Adunola	Olayiwola
9F	Yasirul	Shahid
9G	Sergiu	Brataon
9G	Samia	Hussain
9G	Jonjoe	Mould
9G	Adebiyi	Olajide
9G	Stephanie	Yorke
9H	Oluwatamilore	Akinmaijejolu
9H	Nigel	Moyo
9H	Rick	Owusu Baffour
9H	Kwame	Swaray-Agblloe
9I	Elizabeth	Aforts
9J	Annabelle	Ngala
9J	Stella	Obareti
9J	Abigail	Olatunji
9J	Fuad	Olayinka
10A	Samuel	Adetoyese
10A	Modestas	Greblikas
10A	Obianuju	Ihezuo-Nnadi
10A	Rubie	Smith
10B	Holly	Dicko
10B	Javid	Heydari
10B	Shahriya	Islam
10B	Lily	Johnson
10B	Abigail	Riley
10B	Oreoluwa	Salami
10B	Kacey	Smith
10C	Faruk	Ajao
10C	Roy	Archer
10C	Jack	Bradford

10C	Mei-La	Daley
10C	Kevin	Laryea
10C	Andreia	Loios
10C	Ryan	Pratt
10C	Charlotte	Turner
10D	Ledion	Rama
10D	Klaidas	Runele
10D	Medi	Tietie
10E	Suhaira	Amina
10E	Sukhdeep	Kailey
10E	Jay	Kent
10E	Fisayomi	Ogunyemi
10E	Tahir	Rahim
10E	Jeidan	Smith
10E	Jack	Waiharo
10F	Iretomiwa	Ajala
10F	Ellie	Lapping
10F	Plamedi	Mateus
10F	Clare	Morgan
10F	Joy	Osayiwu
10F	Caitlin	Tefaj
10G	Thomas	Cole
10G	Millie	Hoskin
10G	Ashley	Leboho
10G	Gerren	Ntiri
10G	Emmanuel	Oduniyi
10G	Elizabeth	Ogunyanwo
10H	Shanise	Garner
10H	Greta	Petrokaite
10H	Alan	Tu
10H	Callum	Walker
11A	Isil	Acar
11A	Eri	Beitja
11A	Rimmon	Daley
11A	Tia	Debenham
11A	Klevi	Duro
11A	Daniel	Gill
11A	Emmanuel	Jegede
11A	Charlotte	Mew
11A	Bonita	Muriuki
11A	Samiha	Omar
11A	Sean	Ward
11B	Oluwasemilore	Adeyeni
11B	Ahlam	Ali
11B	Esther	Aluko
11B	Charlie	Butler

11B	Yewande	Oginni
11B	Emma L.	Smith
11B	Raluca	Tudor
11B	Gerson	Vieira
11B	Matthew	Webb
11C	Faizaan	Mahmood
11C	Rhian	Martin
11C	Temitope	Oluwole
11C	Samha	Omar
11C	Tejan	Oweh
11C	Stelina	Sefolli
11C	Abiola	Shokeye
11C	Edward	Stemarthe
11C	Callum	Tomkins
11D	Clive	Armstrong
11D	Aaliyah	Batchelor-Grant
11D	Daisie	Gaish
11D	Lewis	Jones
11D	Billy	Mann
11D	Sameer	Shaikh
11E	Aryan	Aftab
11E	Alice	Bone
11E	Ameer	Hamza
11E	Luke	O'Neill
11F	Chloe	Mukendi
11F	Denise	Muyumba
11F	Baqiu	Odofin
11F	Deividas	Petreikis
11F	Davaughn	Smith
11G	Alfie	Brown
11G	Alisha	Cordner-Duhaney
11G	Jennifer	Dicko
11G	Nicky	Dikongue
11G	Reece	Excell
11G	Callum	O'Connell
11G	Vlad	Olteanu
11G	Natasha	Stopp
11H	Filip	Fois
11H	Morgan	Fraser
11H	Mohamed	Hassan
11H	Ebony	Knight
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11H	Nathan	Rehmat
11H	Billy	Smith
11H	Mathew	Thorndike

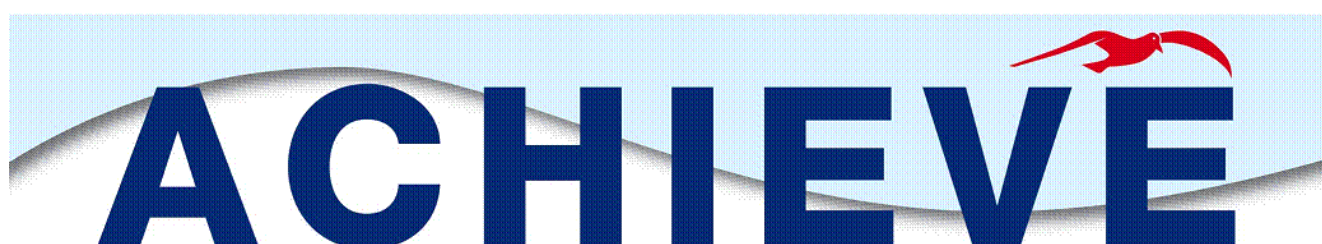
## **Did you Know.....**

**1 school year at 90% attendance = 4 whole weeks of lessons MISSED!!!  
90% attendance over 5 years of secondary school = ½ a school year missed!**

**Research suggests that 17 missed school days a year = GCSE grade DROP in achievement.**

## **You can help prevent your child skipping school by:**

- making sure they understand the importance of good attendance and punctuality
- taking an interest in their education - ask about school work and encourage them to get involved in school activities
- discussing any problems they may have at school - inform their teacher or head of year about anything serious
- not letting them take time off school for minor ailments - particularly those which would not prevent you from going to work
- Arranging appointments and outings after school hours, at weekends or during school holidays will help to prevent disruption to your child's education and to the school.
- Under normal circumstances, you should not expect the school to agree to your child going on holiday during term time.
- Praise your child's achievements
- Do not keep your child off school if they are worried or have a problem - they should talk about it with the school 's Pastoral Support
- Organise your child's equipment, homework, kit, bus fares and lunch provisions the night before
- Recognise that if children get into bad habits at an early age, it is hard to break them later in life



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The logo for Castle Green, featuring a stylized graphic of three curved lines above the text "Castle Green".