



Parents' Weekly Bulletin No. 7
Monday 16th October to Sunday 22nd October 2023
Theme of the Week: Freedom (Anti-Slavery Day 18th October)
Week 1

	Events	Notes	Extra-Curricular	Notes
Mon 16 Oct	8.50am: Prefects' Meeting	Sixth Form Common Rm	8.35am: King's Brass	LFH Approx. finish 9.00am
	9.00am: 7E Residential Trip Departs	Meet 8.50am Room 31	8.35am: Flute Choir	Room 17 Approx. finish 9.00am
	10.40am: Year 7 & 8 Sports Captains' Meeting	HM Study	1.15pm: Indian Music Group	Room 19 Approx. finish 1.45pm
	11.00am: 8E Cookery (1 st) / Digital Learning (2 nd)	Room 9 and Room 19 Finish 3.45pm	1.15pm: Pride Club – All welcome	Room 52 Approx. finish 2.15pm Please bring your lunch
	11.25am: Years 9-13 Sports Captains' Meeting	HM Study	1.15pm: Bar Mock Trial (Case One) Selected Students	DC Conference Room Approx. finish 2.15pm
	2.15pm: Hockey U15A v Queen Mary's Grammar School	Away (B43 7AJ) Meet 1.00pm PE Foyer Approx. finish 3.30pm Approx. return 5.00pm	1.20pm: Maths Mentoring – Year 8 selected students	Room 24 Approx. finish 1.40pm
	2.15pm: Hockey U15B v Queen Mary's Grammar School	Home (B93 9LW) Meet 1.00pm PE Foyer Approx. finish 3.15pm Approx. return 4.00pm	1.30pm: Art Club: Claymation Years 7 & 8	Room 36 Approx. finish 2.00pm
	2.15pm: Rugby U15A v Princethorpe College	Home Meet 1.30pm Manor Rd Approx. finish 3.20pm	1.30pm: Code Breaking & Linguistics Society – all welcome	Room 48 Approx. finish 2.15pm
	2.15pm: Music Mondays (Year 7)	LFH	1.30pm: <i>Twelfth Night</i> Rehearsal	Drama Studio Approx. finish 2.15pm
	6.00pm: Ski Trip Parents' Information Meeting	LFH Approx. finish 7.00pm	1.30pm: Senior Debate Club Years 11-13	Room 32 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			1.30pm: Beginner Japanese (selected students)	Room 13 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			1.30pm: English Language GCSE Retake Revision session – selected Year 12 students	Room 47 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			1.30pm: Rowing Years 8 & 9	Gym Approx. finish 2.15pm
			1.30pm: Chess Club – All welcome	Room 23 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			1.30pm: GCSE Biology Support Sessions - selected students	Room 43/44 Approx. finish 2.10pm
			1.35pm: GCSE Mandarin Support Session - Year 11	Room 12 Approx. finish 2.10pm
		1.50pm: Year 7 Clarinets and Saxophones	Room 17 Approx. Finish 2.15pm	
		1.50pm: Year 7 Brass	Room 18 Approx. finish 2.15pm	

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			1.50pm: Year 7 Flutes, Oboes & Bassoons	Room 19 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			1.50pm: Year 7 Percussion	PR6 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			3.45pm: <i>Twelfth Night</i> Rehearsal	Drama Studio Approx. finish 5.30pm
			3.45pm: Fencing Years 7-9	Gym Approx. finish 5.15pm
			3.50pm: Strings	Room 18 Approx. finish 4.50pm
			3.50pm: Concert Band	LFH Approx. finish 4.50pm
			4.00pm: Progression Rowing Year 10 & 11	SUABC Approx. finish 5.00pm
			4.00pm: Performance Rowing	SUABC Approx. finish 6.00pm
			4.15pm: U17 Rugby Training	Meet 4.00pm Manor Road Approx. finish 5.25pm
			5.45pm: Fencing Squad Training	Gym Approx. finish 7.30pm
Tues 17 Oct	8.55am: Whole School Assembly	LFH	9.30am: Saxophone Quartet	Room 17 Approx. finish 9.55am
	8.55am: School Council Meeting	DC Conference Room	1.15pm: Year 10 String Quartet	Room 18 Approx. finish 1.45pm
	8.55am: House Tutors and Captains Meeting	Dyson – Room 15 Fitzmaurice – Room 16 Spender – Room 38 Warneford – Room 32	1.15pm: Mandarin GCSE Speaking Year 11	Room 27 Approx. finish 2.15pm Students to attend one session/week
	9.40am: Personal Development Session Year 13 to clear chairs	See attached timetable Finish 10.40am	1.30pm: History Society	Room 31 Approx. finish 2.00pm
	9.55am: National Youth Choir Workshop – Chapel & Sixth Form Choirs	Room 18 Approx. finish 11.00am	1.30pm: Junior Quiz	Room 47 Approx. finish
	11.00am: National Youth Choir Auditions - selected students	Room 18 Approx. finish 1.15pm	1.30pm: KESCast – All welcome	Room 48 Approx. finish 2.15pm
	1.15pm: House Football Year 8B	LFH Approx. finish 2.10pm	1.30pm: Epic Ensemble	Drama Studio Approx. finish 2.15pm
	2.15pm: National Youth Choir Workshop for Years 7 & 8 Singers.	Drama Studio Approx. finish 3pm	1.30pm: Warhammer Club Years 7-11	Room 23 Approx. finish 2.10pm
	2.15pm: Hockey U14A v Queen Mary's Grammar School	Home (B93 9LW) Meet 1.00pm PE Foyer Approx. finish 3.15pm Approx. return 4.00pm	1.30pm: Medical Society Years 12 & 13	Room 43 Approx. finish 2.00pm
	2.15pm: Hockey U14B v Queen Mary's Grammar School	Away (B43 7AJ) Meet 1.00pm PE Foyer Approx. finish 3.30pm Approx. return 5.00pm	1.40pm: Chinese Society A Level Mandarin Students	Room 12 Approx. finish 2.10pm

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	2.15pm & 3.00pm: Prospective Year 7 School Tour with Prefects		1.45pm: GCSE Latin & Greek Mentoring Year 10 & 11	Room 13 Approx. finish 2.15pm
	6.00pm: Years 9 Rugby & Hockey Tour – Parents' Information Meeting	Drama Studio Approx. finish 6.30pm	1.45pm: Computer Science Club - All welcome	Room 51 Approx. finish 2.10pm Priority for those with Computer Science homework
	7.00pm: SportKES AGM	TPS Library Approx. finish 9.00pm	1.45pm: Cyber Club Years 7-13	Room 19 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			1.50pm: Years 7 & 8 Guitars	Room 18 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			3.45pm: GCSE Art Catch-up/Support Years 9-11	Room 36 Approx. finish 6.00pm
			3.50pm: Chapel Choir	Room 18 Approx. finish 4.50pm
			4.00pm: Netball Training	LFH Approx. finish 5.30pm
			5.45pm: Fencing (Primary Schools)	Gym Approx. finish 7.15pm
Wed 18 Oct	8.55am: Year 7 & 8 Assembly Years 9-10 Assembly Year 12 Assembly	Gym (SZ) LFH (HM) Chapel (ORR)	8.30am: Chapel Choir	Guild Chapel Approx. finish 8.55am
	8.55am: Year 11 Sixth Form Option Subjects Assembly - PE & Philosophy	Drama Studio (RB)	1.30pm: Board Games Club Year 7	Room 31 Approx. finish 2.00pm
	8.55am: Year 13 Tutor Groups	Various	1.30pm: Junior Debating Club Year 7	Room 47 Approx. finish 2.00pm
	9.30am: University Entrance Examinations – Year 13 selected students	Gym Approx. finish 12.30pm Line up at 9.20am outside the Gym	1.35pm: GCSE Mandarin Speaking Support Session – Selected Students Year 10	Room 12 Approx. finish 2.10pm
	12.30pm: A Level Drama <i>Complicité</i> Workshop	Drama Studio Approx. finish 3.30pm	1.45pm: K.E.S. Sounds	Room 18 Approx. finish 2.15pm
	2.00pm: Hockey 1 st XI v Queen Mary's Grammar School	Home (B93 9LW) Meet 1.00pm PE Foyer Approx. finish 3.00pm Approx. return 4.45pm	3.45pm: <i>Twelfth Night</i> Rehearsal	Drama Studio Approx. finish 5.30pm
	2.30pm: Basketball 1 st XV v Alcester Grammar School	Away (B49 5ED) Meet 1.00pm PE Foyer Approx. finish 3.30pm Approx. return 4.30pm	3.45pm: Fencing Years 7-9	Gym Approx. finish 5.15pm
	2.30pm: Rugby U17A v Alcester Grammar School	Away (B49 5ED) Meet 1.00pm PE Foyer Approx. finish 3.40pm Approx. return 4.30pm	5.45pm: Fencing Club Years 10-13	Gym Approx. finish 7.30pm
	2.30pm: Netball 2 nd VII v Princethorpe College	Home (CV23 9PY) Meet 2.00pm LFH Approx. finish 3.30pm		

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	2.30pm: Netball 1 st & 3 rd VII v Princethorpe College	Away (CV23 9PY) Meet 1.00pm PE Foyer Approx. finish 3.30pm Approx. return 4.15pm		
	3.00pm: Hockey 2 nd XI v Queen Mary's Grammar School	Home (B93 9LW) Meet 1.00pm PE Foyer Approx. finish 4.00pm Approx. return 4.45pm		
	3.45pm: 7E Residential Trip returns	Approx. return 3.45pm to Dairy Gate		
Thur 19 Oct	8.55am: Year 7 & 8 Assembly Years 9-10 Assembly Years 12 & 13 Assembly	Chapel (ORR) Gym (CD) LFH (HM)	1.15pm: New Views Playwriting Session 2 Selected students Years 9-13	Room 47 Approx. finish 2.15pm
	8.55am: Year 11 Sixth Form Option Subjects Assembly - Psychology & Economics	Drama Studio (RB)	1.15pm: Mandarin GCSE Speaking Year 11	Room 12 Approx. finish 2.15pm Students to attend one session/week
	9.00am: University Entrance Examinations – Year 13 selected students	Room 51 Approx. finish 12 noon Line up at 8.50am	1.20pm: Maths Mentoring – Year 9 selected students	Room 25 Approx. finish 1.40pm
	9.15am: Talking Newspaper Team B	Meet School Office Approx. return 11.30am	1.30pm: <i>Twelfth Night</i> Rehearsal	DC Conference Room Approx. finish 2.15pm
	9.55am: A Level Art Life Drawing Session	Drama Studio Approx. finish 3.45pm	1.30pm: GCSE Art Catch-up/Support Years 9-11	Room 36 Approx. finish 2.15pm
	1.15pm: House Football Year 13	LFH Approx. finish 2.10pm	1.30pm: Ancient Drama Society	Room 13 Approx. finish 2.15pm
	1.20pm: <i>Chemistry in Action</i> Trip Meeting for Year 12 Chemistry students	Gym Approx. finish 1.30pm	1.30pm: Maths & Physics Society Years 12 & 13	Room 21 Approx. finish 2.00pm
	2.15pm & 3.00pm: Prospective Year 7 School Tour with Prefects		1.45pm: Computer Science Club All welcome	Room 51 Approx. finish 2.10pm Priority for those with Computer Science homework
	2.15pm: Hockey U13A & B v Queen Mary's Grammar School	Home (B93 9LW) Meet 1.00pm PE Foyer Approx. finish 3.30pm Approx. return 4.00pm	1.50pm: Year 7 Strings	Room 18 Approx. finish 2.15opm
	2.15pm: Hockey U13C & D v Queen Mary's Grammar School	Away (B43 7AJ) Meet 1.00pm PE Foyer Approx. finish 3.30pm Approx. return 5.00pm	1.50pm: Middle School Rock Band	Room PR6 Approx. finish 2.15opm
	6.30pm: Full Governing Body Meeting	DC Conference Room	1.50pm: GuitarKEstra	Room 19 Approx. finish 2.15opm
			3.45pm: Post-beginner Japanese (selected students)	Room 13 Approx. finish 4.30pm

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			3.45pm: Fencing Year 7	Gym Approx. finish 5.15pm
			3.45pm: <i>Twelfth Night</i> Rehearsal	Drama Studio Approx. finish 5.30pm
			3.50pm: KERBB	Room 18 Approx. finish 5.00pm
			5.45pm: Fencing Squad Training	Gym Approx. finish 7.30pm
Fri 20 Oct	Non-Uniform Day	Donations via <i>ParentPay</i>	8.40am: Year 7 & 8 Singers	Room 18 Approx. finish 9.10am
	8.55am: Years 7 & 8 Assembly Years 9 & 10 Assembly Years 12 & 13 Assembly	Gym (HM) Chapel (ORR) LFH (ADP)	8.40am: Middle School Choir	Big School Approx. finish 9.10am
	8.55am: Year 11 Sixth Form Option Subjects Assembly - Drama & Core Maths	Drama Studio (RB)	8.40am: Sixth Form Choir	DC Conference Room Approx. finish 9.10am
	9.00am: University Entrance Examinations – Year 13 selected students	Room 51 Approx. finish 12 noon Line up at 8.50am	1.15pm: Jazzsquad!	Room 18 Approx. finish 1.45pm
	11.00am: Year 9 Rugby & Hockey Tour departs	Meet 10.40am PE Foyer	1.15pm: Bar Mock Trial (Case Two) Selected Students	DC Conference Room Approx. finish 2.15pm
			1.25pm: Chinese Culture Club Year 8	Room 9 Approx. finish 2.05pm
			1.30pm: El Classico!	Room 13 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			1.30pm: <i>Twelfth Night</i> Rehearsal	Drama Studio Approx. finish 2.15pm
			1.30pm: Photography Society Years 8-13	Room 36 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			1.30pm: A Level Biology Clinic Years 12 & 13	Room 43/44 Approx. finish 2.10pm
			1.30pm: Senior Quiz	Room 28 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			1.50pm: Saxophone Choir Years 8-11	Room 18 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			3.00pm: Oxbridge Session Selected Students Year 13	See schedule on MS Teams for location and more information
			3.45pm: Dungeons & Dragons All Years	Rooms 31 & 32 Approx. finish 5.45pm
			3.45pm: <i>Twelfth Night</i> Rehearsal	Drama Studio Approx. finish 5.30pm
			5.00pm: Fencing Squad	Gym Approx. finish 7.00pm
Sat 21 Oct	9.00am: Sano Nihon University High School Visit	TPS Library Approx. finish 5.00pm		
Sun 22 Oct	9.00am: Sano Nihon University High School Visit	TPS Library Approx. finish 5.00pm		
	6.00pm: Year 9 Rugby & Hockey Tour returns	Approx. return 6.00pm to Dairy Gate – watch X (Twitter) for updates		

**Notices for
this week's
Parents'
Bulletin:**

Duty Boy & Lunch Duty

The following students from Years 7 & 8 are on Duty this week either as Duty Boy in the School Office or on Lunch Duty:

Date	Duty Boy	Lunch Duty		
Monday 16 th October	Benjamin Fernandez	Jimmy Patterson	Will Gray	Ethan Siwakowski
Tuesday 17 th October	Vaibhav Elavarasan	CT Wu	Harshil Khosla	Steven Waller
Wednesday 18 th October	Oscar Farnell	Gabe Daniels	Archie Mansfield	Josh Willis
Thursday 19 th October	Oliver Edwards	Lucas Hobson	James Parkinson	Veer Bassi
Friday 20 th October	Denis Gagliano-Candela	André Colwell	Jonah Corlett	Oliver Cryan

Those students on the Duty Boy rota should register and attend tutor group/assembly as normal before reporting to the School Office. Please bring School books and a reading book with you. If your son has a musical instrument lesson, in class tests/practicals or Games on his Duty Day, he will still attend these. If you have any queries, please email Mrs Long via cal@kes.net. Those on Lunch Duty should report to the Prefects in the Dining Hall at 1.45pm.

Non-Uniform Day – Friday 20th October

We will hold our termly Non-Uniform Day next Friday for our School charity '**Meningitis Now**'. For a recommended, minimum donation of **£2.00** per family, students are welcome to come to School in casual clothes. We ask that donations are paid via *ParentPay* in advance of **Friday 20th October**. Please remind your son/daughter that whilst Friday is a Non-Uniform Day, there should be no baseball caps and no clothing that might cause offence. Students should also be reminded to bring their bus pass, access card and locker key to School.

May Ball 2024

The May Ball is an annual event and a major fundraiser run by a committee of representatives from the three Parents' Associations. The committee will be starting work on the 2024 Ball in the coming weeks and is always keen to recruit new volunteers. Anyone interested in joining the May Ball Committee should send an email to: kesmayball@gmail.com. For your diaries, the 2024 May Ball is on **Saturday 4th May**.

**This week's
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attachments**

This week's Dispatch includes the following:

Year 7

Stratford Tennis Club Junior Coaching – TJW

Year 8

Stratford Tennis Club Junior Coaching – TJW

Year 9

Stratford Tennis Club Junior Coaching – TJW

Year 12

Years 12 and 13 Student Car Parking Concern – RB

Year 13
 Years 12 and 13 Student Car Parking Concern – RB

Other (Selected Students)
 ABRSM Music Examination Michaelmas 2023 – EA
 Arts Award Update – LJN
 Epic Ensemble T-Shirt – LJN
 Year 12 Cookery Enrichment Option – RMC
 Year 7&8 Singers National Youth Choir Auditions – DCM
 Year 10 Geography Trip to Iceland Update – CD

Please note archived copies of Parents’ Weekly Bulletins and letters can be accessed via the Parent Portal.

Forthcoming Events	Monday 6 th November	Year 11 Mock Examinations begin
	Wednesday 8 th November	FoKES Meeting
	Monday 13 th November	Odd Socks Days
	Tuesday 14 th November	Sixth Form Open Evening
	Wednesday 15 th November	SportKES Meeting
	Thursday 16 th November	Michaelmas Concert
	Monday 20 th November	Year 13 Parents’ Evening (online)
	Thursday 30 th November	Performance of <i>Twelfth Night</i>
	Friday 1 st December	Performance of <i>Twelfth Night</i>
	Saturday 2 nd December	Performance of <i>Twelfth Night</i>
	Thursday 7 th December	Christmas Concert
	Friday 8 th December	SportKES Lower School Disco
	Tuesday 19 th December	Sixth Form Jolly Jumper Day
	Tuesday 19 th December	Service of Nine Lessons and Carols
	Thursday 21 st December	KEStival

Safeguarding: The Designated Safeguarding Lead at King Edward VI School is Mr Chris Dunford, Assistant Head. In his absence, the second designated person is Mr Zaidi, Deputy DSL. If neither of these members of staff is available, reference should be made to the Headmaster.



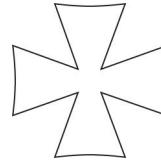
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Personal Development: Tuesday 17th October

Years 7-11						
Pillar	1. Learning to learn	2. Knowing yourself and others	3. UK in the Wider World	4. Global Citizenship	5. Financial and Political Awareness	6. Life after K.E.S.

	Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Year 11
K	AB - Room 49	AHS - Room 15	AXW - Room 23	PG - Room 27	JHW - Room 30
E	AJD - Room 47	SKL - Room 21	TMW - Room 24	RMB - Room 28	SM - Room 31
S	NPT - Room 48	SPF - Room 22	CLS - Room 25	SEM - Room 29	EE - Room 32

Sixth Form								
Pillar	1. Organisational Leadership	2. Dealing with a Health Emergency	3. e Safety	4. Driving & Car Maintenance	5. Positive Relationships	6. Diversity & Social Justice	7. Consumer Rights	8. Personal Strengths

	Group 1	Group 2	Group 3	Group 4	Group 5	Group 6	Group 7	Group 8
Year 12	HM – Room 46	GHM – CGL	ORR – 42	SC – Room 43	SZ – Room 44	AC – Room 39	MEB – Room 45	FJR – Room 40
Year 13	Lecture - LFH							