



Parents Weekly Bulletin No. 26  
**Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April to Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> April 2024**  
**Theme of the Week: Statistics**  
**Week 2**

	Events	Notes	Extra-Curricular	Notes
<b>Mon 15 Apr</b>	<b>8.50am:</b> Prefects' Meeting	Sixth Form Common Room	<b>8.35am:</b> King's Brass	LFH Approx. finish 9.00am
	<b>8.50am:</b> A Level Drama Exam Technical Rehearsal	Drama Studio Approx. finish 5.00pm	<b>8.35am:</b> Flute Choir	Room 17 Approx. finish 9.00am
	<b>9.10am:</b> Year 9 Study Skills Seminar	LFH Approx. finish 10.40am	<b>1.15pm:</b> Indian Music Group	Room 19 Approx. finish 1.45pm
	<b>11.00am:</b> 7S Cookery (2 <sup>nd</sup> ) / Digital Learning (1 <sup>st</sup> )	Room 9 & Room 19 Finish 3.45pm	<b>1.15pm:</b> GCSE Spanish Speaking Practice - Year 11	Room 15 Approx. finish 2.15pm
	<b>1.30pm:</b> A Level Drama Exam Performance of <i>Punk Rock</i> by Simon Stephens	Drama Studio Suitable for Year 9 & above Approx. finish 2.15pm	<b>1.15pm:</b> Pride Club – All welcome	Room 52 Approx. finish 2.15pm Please bring your lunch
	<b>2.15pm:</b> Cricket U15A & B v Warwick School	Away (CV34 6PP) Meet 1.00pm PE Foyer Approx. finish 5.00pm Approx. return 5.30pm	<b>1.20pm:</b> GCSE and A Level Design & Technology NEA Support Session	Room 38 Approx. finish 2.10pm
			<b>1.20pm:</b> Maths Mentoring – Year 8 selected students	Room 24 Approx. finish 1.40pm
			<b>1.20pm:</b> Year 13 Chemistry Support	Room 42 Approx. finish 1.50pm
			<b>1.25pm:</b> Year 7 Strings	Room 18 Approx. finish 1.50pm
			<b>1.30pm:</b> Code Breaking & Linguistics Society – all welcome	Room 48 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			<b>1.30pm:</b> Beginner Japanese (selected students)	Room 13 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			<b>1.30pm:</b> Physics Tutorial Programme – Year 11 selected students	Room 40 Approx. finish 2.10pm
			<b>1.30pm:</b> GCSE Biology Support Sessions Year 11	Room 43/44 Approx. finish 2.10pm
			<b>1.30pm:</b> History Society	Room 31 Approx. finish 2.00pm
			<b>1.30pm:</b> Art Club Years 7 & 8	Room 36 Approx. finish 2.00pm
			<b>1.30pm:</b> Senior Debate Club Years 11-13	Room 32 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			<b>1.30pm:</b> Chess Club – All welcome	Room 23 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			<b>1.30pm:</b> Rowing Years 8 & 9	Gym Approx. finish 2.10pm
			<b>1.35pm:</b> GCSE Mandarin Support Session - Year 11	Room 12 Approx. finish 2.10pm
			<b>1.40pm:</b> Philosophy Society Years 11-13	Room 30 Approx. finish 2.15pm
		<b>1.50pm:</b> Year 7 Flutes, Oboes, Bassoons	Room 19 Approx. finish 2.15pm	

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			<b>1.50pm:</b> Year 7 Clarinets & Saxophones	Room 17 Approx. Finish 2.15pm
			<b>1.50pm:</b> Year 7 Brass	Room 18 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			<b>1.50pm:</b> Year 7 Percussion	PR6 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			<b>3.45pm:</b> Fencing Years 7-9	Dining Hall Approx. finish 5.15pm
			<b>3.50pm:</b> Concert Band	Gym Approx. finish 4.50pm
			<b>3.50pm:</b> Strings	Room 18 Approx. finish 4.50pm
			<b>4.00pm:</b> Progression Rowing Year 10 & 11	SUABC Approx. finish 5.00pm
			<b>4.00pm:</b> Performance Rowing	SUABC Approx. finish 6.00pm
			<b>4.15pm:</b> Senior Cricket Training	LFH Approx. finish 5.30pm
			<b>4.15pm:</b> Athletics Training Years 7-10	Manor Road Approx. finish 5.30pm
			<b>5.45pm:</b> Fencing Squad Training	Gym Approx. finish 7.30pm
<b>Tues 16 Apr</b>	<b>8.55am:</b> Whole School Assembly (9S to clear chairs)	LFH	<b>9.30am:</b> Saxophone Quartet	Room 17 Approx. finish 9.55am
	<b>9.10am:</b> Latin & Greek Reading Competition	Big School Approx. finish 1.15pm	<b>1.15pm:</b> GCSE Spanish Speaking Practice - Year 11	Room 15 Approx. finish 2.15pm
	<b>9.30am:</b> Silver Arts Award Meeting – selected students	Sixth Form Café Finish 9.55am	<b>1.15pm:</b> Mandarin GCSE Speaking Year 11	Room 27 Approx. finish 2.15pm Students to attend one session/week
	<b>1.15pm:</b> House Volleyball Year 11	LFH Approx. finish 2.10pm	<b>1.30pm:</b> KS3 Science Club Year 7 and 8 - all welcome	Room 42 Approx. finish 2.00pm
	<b>1.30pm:</b> Junior Schools' Challenge v King's School, Rochester - selected Year 8 students	Room 19 Approx. finish 2.15pm	<b>1.30pm:</b> KESCast – All welcome	Room 48 Approx. finish 2.15pm
	<b>2.15pm:</b> Cricket U14A v Warwick School	Home Meet 1.30 Manor Rd Approx. finish 5.00pm	<b>1.30pm:</b> F1 in Schools - selected students	Room 38 Approx. finish 2.10pm
	<b>2.15pm:</b> Cricket U14B v Warwick School	Away (CV34 6PP) Meet 1.00pm PE Foyer Approx. finish 5.00pm Approx. return 5.30pm	<b>1.30pm:</b> GCSE Maths Drop-in Session Years 7 & 8	Room 25 Approx. finish 2.10pm
	<b>5.30pm:</b> Bronze DofE Parents' Information Meeting	Online via Teams Please click <a href="#">here</a>	<b>1.30pm:</b> Biology Society Years 12 & 13	Room 44 Approx. finish 2.00pm
			<b>1.30pm:</b> Warhammer Club Years 7-11	Room 22 Approx. finish 2.10pm
			<b>1.45pm:</b> GCSE Latin & Greek Mentoring Year 10 & 11	Room 13 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			<b>1.45pm:</b> Cubing Club – all welcome	Room 12 Approx. finish 2.05pm
			<b>1.45pm:</b> Computer Science Club - All welcome	Room 51 Approx. finish 2.10pm Priority for those with Computer Science homework
			<b>1.50pm:</b> Years 7 & 8 Guitars	Room 18 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			<b>3.45pm:</b> GCSE Art Catch-up/Support Years 9-11	Room 36 Approx. finish 5.00pm

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			<b>3.45pm:</b> Robotics Club Selected Year 8	Room 38 Approx. finish 5.15pm
			<b>3.50pm:</b> Chapel Choir	Room 18 Approx. finish 4.50pm
			<b>4.15pm:</b> Year 7 Cricket Training	Manor Road Approx. finish 5.25pm
			<b>4.15pm:</b> Year 8 Cricket Training	Stratford upon Avon Cricket Club CV37 7LS Approx. finish 5.25pm
<b>Wed 17 Apr</b>	<b>8.55am:</b> Years 7 & 8 Assembly Years 9-11 Assembly Year 12 Assembly	Gym (ST) LFH (SM) Chapel (RB)	<b>8.30am:</b> Chapel Choir	Guild Chapel Approx. finish 8.55am
	<b>8.55am:</b> Year 13 Tutor Groups	Various	<b>1.30pm:</b> Junior Debating Club - Year 7	Room 47 Approx. finish 2.00pm
	<b>1.00pm:</b> Soundbite Concert – selected students	Holy Trinity Church Approx. finish 1.30pm	<b>1.35pm:</b> GCSE Mandarin Speaking Support Session – selected Year 10 students	Room 12 Approx. finish 2.10pm
	<b>1.30pm:</b> Shakespeare Birthday Lecture – Year 13 English & Drama students	Stratford Town Hall Approx. finish 5.00pm	<b>1.40pm:</b> Magic Club – Years 7 & 8	Room 30 Approx. finish 2.10pm
	<b>2.15pm:</b> Cricket 1 <sup>st</sup> XI v Bishop Vesey's Grammar School	Home Meet 1.30pm Manor Rd Approx. finish 5.00pm	<b>3.45pm:</b> Fencing Years 7-9	Gym Approx. finish 5.15pm
	<b>6.00pm:</b> A Level Drama Exam Performance	Drama Studio Approx. finish 8.00pm	<b>3.50pm:</b> Year 12 Band	Room 18 Approx. finish 4.50pm
			<b>5.45pm:</b> Fencing Club Years 10-13	Gym Approx. finish 7.30pm
<b>Thur 18 Mar</b>	<b>7.00am:</b> Art & DT London Exhibitions Trip – Year 12	Meet 7.00am Quad Approx. return 9.00pm	<b>1.15pm:</b> Mandarin GCSE Speaking Year 11	Room 12 Approx. finish 2.15pm Students to attend one session/week
	<b>8.55am:</b> Years 7 & 8 Assembly Years 9-11 Assembly Years 12 & 13 Assembly	Chapel (HM) Gym (CD) LFH (SM)	<b>1.15pm:</b> Senior String Quartet	Room 18 Approx. finish 1.45pm
	<b>9.15am:</b> Talking Newspaper Team A	Meet 9.15am School Office Approx. finish 11.00am	<b>1.15pm:</b> GCSE Spanish Speaking Practice - Year 11	Room 15 Approx. finish 2.15pm
	<b>2.15pm:</b> Trombone Masterclass – selected students	Room 18 Approx. finish 3.45pm	<b>1.30pm:</b> GCSE Art Catch-up/Support Years 9-11	Room 36 Approx. finish 2.15pm
	<b>1.15pm:</b> Senior Prefects' Meeting	Committee Room	<b>1.30pm:</b> Book Club Years 12 & 13	Room 47 Approx. finish 2.10pm
	<b>1.15pm:</b> House Badminton Year 11	LFH Approx. finish 2.10pm	<b>1.30pm:</b> Psychology Society Years 10-13	Room 49 Approx. finish 2.15pm
	<b>1.30pm:</b> House Debating Year 10	Room 32 Approx. finish 2.10pm	<b>1.30pm:</b> Board Games Club Year 7	Room 31 Approx. finish 2.00pm
	<b>2.30pm:</b> Cricket U13A, B, C & D v Warwick School	Away (CV34 6PP) Meet 1.00pm PE Foyer Approx. finish 5.00pm Approx. return 5.30pm	<b>1.30pm:</b> Maths & Physics Society Years 12 & 13 External Speaker: Prof. Oliver Johnson, Bristol University	DC Conference Room Approx. finish 2.00pm
			<b>1.30pm:</b> A Level Psychology Clinic Year 13	Room 52 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			<b>1.30pm:</b> Middle School Drama Club	Drama Studio Approx. finish 2.15pm

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			<b>1.30pm:</b> GCSE Music Composition Years 10 & 11	Room 17 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			<b>1.30pm:</b> GCSE Maths Drop-in Session Years 12 & 13	Room 24 Approx. finish 2.10pm
			<b>1.30pm:</b> Ancient Drama Society	Room 13 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			<b>1.40pm:</b> GCSE Listening Practice Session – Year 11	Room 10 Approx. finish 2.10pm
			<b>1.45pm:</b> Computer Science Club All welcome	Room 51 Approx. finish 2.10pm Priority for those with Computer Science homework
			<b>1.45pm:</b> Careers Drop-in Session	Careers Room Approx. finish 2.15pm
			<b>1.50pm:</b> GuitarKEStRa	Room 19 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			<b>1.50pm:</b> Middle School Rock Band	PR6 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			<b>3.45pm:</b> Post-beginner Japanese - selected students	Room 13 Approx. finish 4.30pm
			<b>3.45pm:</b> Fencing Year 7	Gym Approx. finish 5.15pm
			<b>3.50pm:</b> KERBB	Room 18 Approx. finish 5.00pm
			<b>4.00pm:</b> Astronomy Club - Years 7-13	Room 40 Approx. finish 5.00pm
			<b>4.15pm:</b> Year 9 Cricket Training	Stratford upon Avon Cricket Club CV37 7LS Approx. finish 5.30pm
			<b>4.15pm:</b> Year 10 Cricket Training	Manor Road Approx. finish 5.30pm
			<b>5.45pm:</b> Fencing Squad Training	Gym Approx. finish 7.30pm
<b>Fri 19 Apr</b>	<b>7.00am:</b> Naboj Maths Competition – selected Years 12 & 13 students	Meet 7.00am Approx. return 4.30pm	<b>8.40am:</b> Lower School Choir	Room 18 Approx. finish 9.10am
	<b>8.55am:</b> Years 7 & 8 Assembly Year 10 Assembly Years 9 & 11 Assembly Years 12 & 13 Assembly	Gym (SM) Drama Studio (W3/CD) Chapel (HM) LFH (RB)	<b>8.40am:</b> Middle School Choir	Big School Approx. finish 9.10am
	<b>2.15pm:</b> Sixth Form Lecture (Year 12 only)	Gym	<b>8.40am:</b> Sixth Form Choir	DC Conference Room Approx. finish 9.10am
	<b>2.30pm:</b> Cricket U12A, B, C & D v Warwick School	Away (CV34 6PP) Meet 1.00pm PE Foyer Approx. finish 5.00pm Approx. return 5.30pm	<b>1.15pm:</b> Jazzsquad!	Room 18 Approx. finish 1.45pm
	<b>7.00pm:</b> Sports Awards Dinner	LFH Doors open 6.30pm Approx. finish 10.00pm	<b>1.15pm:</b> GCSE Spanish Speaking Practice - Year 11	Room 15 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			<b>1.20pm:</b> Year 11 GCSE Chemistry Support Group	CGL Approx. finish 1.50pm
			<b>1.20pm:</b> GCSE and A Level Design & Technology NEA Support Session	Room 38 Approx. finish 2.10pm

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			<b>1.30pm:</b> GCSE Design & Technology CAD/CAM Club	Design Studio Approx. finish 2.10pm
			<b>1.30pm:</b> A Level Biology Clinic Years 12 & 13	Room 43/44 Approx. finish 2.10pm
			<b>1.30pm:</b> A Level Chemistry Support Years 12 & 13	Room 42 Approx. finish 2.00pm
			<b>1.30pm:</b> Chinese Culture Club Year 8	Room 12 Approx. finish 2.10pm
			<b>1.30pm:</b> Photography Society Years 8-13	Room 36 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			<b>1.45pm:</b> Genealogy Club – students aged 13 or above	Area 51 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			<b>1.50pm:</b> Saxophone Choir Years 8-11	Room 17 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			<b>3.45pm:</b> Dungeons & Dragons All Years	Rooms 31 & 32 Approx. finish 5.45pm
			<b>5.00pm:</b> Fencing Squad	Gym Approx. finish 7.00pm
<b>Sat 20 Apr</b>	<b>8.30am:</b> Silver DofE Qualifying Expedition Route Planning – selected students	Room 38 Approx. finish 4.30pm Students will also attend the Parade		
	<b>10.00am:</b> Shakespeare Birthday Parade	See notice below Approx. finish 12 noon		
	<b>12 noon:</b> Edinburgh Fringe Festival Rehearsal	Drama Studio Approx. finish 5.00pm		
<b>Sun 21 Apr</b>	<b>11.15am:</b> Shakespeare Service	Holy Trinity Church (CV37 6BG) Approx. finish 12.15pm		

<b>Parent Notices:</b>	<b>Duty Boy &amp; Lunch Duty</b>				
	The following students from Years 7 & 8 are on Duty this week either as Duty Boy in the School Office or on Lunch Duty:				
	<b>Date</b>	<b>Duty Boy</b>	<b>Lunch Duty</b>		
	Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> April	Benjamin Littlewood	Elliot Roe	Alex Thompson	Aezel Vipin
	Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> April	Lucas Li	Krithikesh Balaji	Aarush Dayanand	Ethan Adams
	Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> April	Zhengxin Liu	Rohan Jheeta	Nicholas Duffy	Adit Nahar
	Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> April	Laurence Lorne-Davis	Henrey Zhang	Mihai Osnasu	Ilya Hoad
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> April	Ruichen Luo	Agney Priyesh	Ali Qureshi	Benjamin Radomski	
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 <a href="mailto:cal@kes.net">cal@kes.net</a> . Those on Lunch Duty should report to the Prefects in the Dining Hall at <b>1.45pm</b> .					
<b>Individual Student Tracking (IST) Reports – Years 7-10</b>					
Students in Years 7-10 brought home IST reports on <b>Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> March</b> . As the deadline has now passed, please ensure that your son returns their completed yellow IST as soon as possible. Thank you.					

### **Shakespeare's Birthday Parade: Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> April**

Please be reminded about the following arrangements for the forthcoming Shakespeare Birthday Parade:

- Students should arrive at School by **10.00am** at the latest.
- There will be extensive road closures in the centre of Stratford-upon-Avon on Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> April. Could parents please bear this in mind when dropping off and collecting students from the Parade? <https://www.shakespearescelebrations.com/whats-on/shakespeares-birthday-celebration-parade/road-closures/>
- Students should have with them a small posy of flowers, traditionally blue and yellow
- At approximately **10.25am** students will be registered by their Tutors in the Quad
- We will leave, as usual, by the gate under the Guildhall at approximately **10.40am** parading down Chapel Lane, along Waterside and up Bridge Street, before returning along the High Street, passing the Guildhall and onto Holy Trinity Church
- In the event of inclement weather students should not wear topcoats. They should carry an umbrella (of plain design) in order to protect themselves from the rain
- Once students have laid their flowers at Shakespeare's grave, they are free to go home upon leaving the Church – although there will be doughnuts provided by FoKES in the area of the LFH sundial at School. If students wish to have these, they should make their way back to School along Southern Lane, turn left behind The RSC Other Place and enter through the back gate

If there are difficulties in your son or daughter attending, we trust you will have already responded to our request to inform **their Head of School** but, if not, please do so as soon as possible.

### **Year 7 Concert: Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> April**

You are warmly invited to attend the Year 7 Concert on **Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> April at 7.00pm**. All Year 7 students will take part in this concert, performing work they have been rehearsing in class together, and music they have practised with their teachers as a part of the Year 7 Scheme. Tickets cost **£5.00** (under 18s free) and can be obtained from the School's online [Box Office](#). Ticket sales will not be available on the door. A waiting list will operate in the event that the concert is sold out and tickets will be allocated in the order in which customers joined the waiting list.

### **FoKES Committee**

FoKES are currently looking for someone to take over the role of Secretary from July. This is a nice way to support the committee and the Chair. The main tasks include taking minutes at the meetings and writing up and circulating the minutes, responding to emails, liaising with other committee members, volunteers and staff, and helping to organise events. If you are interested in this role, or would like further information please get in touch with Andy (Chair) or Sue (current Secretary) via the FoKES email [friendsofkestratford@gmail.com](mailto:friendsofkestratford@gmail.com).

### **Year 13 ParentPay Lunch Balance**

Please can we remind parents of Year 13 students to review your son/daughter's *ParentPay* Lunch balance before they use this for the last time and check for any historic credits or debits that may have been forgotten about. Please ensure you pay any debts outstanding or if the account is in credit, then advise [finance@kes.net](mailto:finance@kes.net) if you would like a refund.

### **This week's Parents' Bulletin attachments**

This week's Dispatch includes the following:

#### **Whole School**

Music Department Summer Term Update – DCM

**Year 7**  
Years 7-10 Summer Games – TJW

**Year 8**  
Years 7-10 Summer Games – TJW

**Year 9**  
Years 7-10 Summer Games – TJW

**Year 10**  
Bronze DofE Expedition Update – SC  
Years 7-10 Summer Games – TJW

**Other (selected students)**  
Maths Naboj Competition Trip – RAO  
Year 11 History Kenilworth Castle Trip – ORR

**Please note** archived copies of Parents' Weekly Bulletins and letters can be accessed via the Parent Portal. The initials at the end of each letter's title denotes the staff member who has written the letter and can be used as their email address by prefixing it to @kes.net

<b>Forthcoming Events</b>	Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>FoKES Committee Meeting</b>
	Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>Year 7 Concert</b>
	Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> May	<b>Year 8 Parents' Evening</b>
	Saturday 4 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>May Ball</b>
	Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> May	<b><i>faux pas</i> Committee Meeting</b>
	Thursday 9 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>Year 10 Parents' Evening</b>
	Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>Spring Recital</b>
	Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>SportKES Committee Meeting (online)</b>
	Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> May	<b>Year 7 Community Day</b>
	Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>Non-Uniform Day</b>

**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 are available, reference should be made to the Headmaster.



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