



Parents' Weekly Bulletin No. 7
Monday 14th October to Sunday 20th October 2024
Theme of the Week: Change
Week 1

	Events	Notes	Extra-Curricular	Notes
Mon 14 Oct	8.50am: Prefects' Meeting	Sixth Form Common Rm	8.35am: King's Brass	LFH Approx. finish 9.00am
	8.55am: Year 7 Lilleshall Assembly Year 11 GCSE Mock Exams Assembly	Drama Studio Gym (SM)	1.15pm: Indian Music Group	Room 19 Approx. finish 1.45pm
	11.25am: Years 9-13 Sports Captains' Meeting	PE Office	1.30pm: The Economics Learning Club Year 13	Room 16 Approx. finish 2.15pm
	11.45am: 8E Cookery (1 st) / Digital Citizenship (2 nd)	Room 9 & Room 19/36 Finish 3.45pm	1.30pm: Chess Club: All welcome	Room 23 Approx. finish 2.15pm
	1.15pm: House Football Year 9B	LFH Approx. finish 2.10pm	1.30pm: Rowing Years 8 & 9	Gym Approx. finish 2.15pm
	2.00pm: Years 7 & 8 Sports Captains' Meeting	HM Study	1.30pm: GCSE Biology Support Session – selected Year 11 students	Room 43 Approx. finish 2.10pm
	2.15pm: Music Mondays (Year 7)	LFH Approx. finish 3.00pm	1.30pm: <i>Robin Hood</i> Rehearsal	Drama Studio Approx. finish 2.15pm
	2.30pm: Hockey U15A v Queen Mary's Grammar School at Aston University Sports Ground	Away (B43 7AJ) Meet 1.00pm PE Foyer Approx. finish 3.30pm Approx. return 5.00pm	1.30pm: GCSE Design & Technology Support Session – Year 11 Year 11 Students	Design Studio Approx. finish 2.10pm
	2.30pm: Rugby U15A v Alcester Grammar School	Away (B49 5ED) Meet 1.00pm PE Foyer Approx. finish 3.45pm Approx. return 4.30pm	1.30pm: Mask Making Art Club Years 7 & 8	Room 36 Approx. finish 2.05pm
	4.20pm: Indoor Rowing at Alcester Academy – selected students Year 7/8 & Year 9/10	Away (B49 6QQ) Meet 3.00pm PE Foyer Approx. finish 6.00pm Approx. return 6.30pm	1.30pm: Pride Club: all welcome!	Room 52 Approx. finish 2.15pm
	5.15pm: Junior Rugby & Hockey Tour – Parents' Information meeting	Drama Studio Finish 5.45pm	1.30pm: Bar Mock Trial (Barristers) – selected students	DC Conference Room Approx. finish 2.15pm
	6.00pm: Skiing Trip – Parents' Information Meeting	Drama Studio Approx. finish 7.00pm	1.30pm: Maths Mentoring Selected Year 8 students	Room 22 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			1.35pm: Chemistry Society: Years 11-13	Room 42 Approx. finish 2.00pm
			1.40pm: GCSE Mandarin Support Years 10 & 11	Room 12 Approx. finish 2.15pm
		1.50pm: Year 7 Brass	Room 18 Approx. finish 2.15pm	
		1.50pm: Year 7 Percussion	PR6 Approx. finish 2.15pm	

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			1.50pm: Year 7 Clarinets and Saxophones	Room 17 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			1.50pm: Year 7 Flutes, Oboes & Bassoons	Room 19 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			3.45pm: <i>Robin Hood</i> Rehearsal	Drama Studio Approx. finish 5.15pm
			3.45pm: Fencing Years 7-9	Gym Finish 5.15pm
			3.45pm: Art: Tom Cross Animation project – selected students	Room 36 Approx. finish 5.00pm
			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
			5.45pm: Fencing Squad Training	Gym Approx. finish 7.30pm
Tues 15 Oct	8.55am: Whole School Assembly	LFH	9.30am: Saxophone Quartet	Room 17 Approx. finish 9.55am
	8.55am: House Tutors and Captains Meeting	Dyson – Room 15 Fitzmaurice – Room 16 Spender – Room 38 Warneford – Room 32	1.15pm: Mandarin GCSE Speaking Session: Year 11	Room 27 Approx. finish 2.15pm Please arrive at your allocated time
	9.00am: Student Focus Group Meetings – selected students	EDI - TPS Library Sustainability – Area 51 Digital – Room 48 Approx. finish 9.40am	1.30pm: GCSE Design & Technology Support Session – Year 11 Year 11 Students	Design Studio Approx. finish 2.10pm
	9.40am: Personal Development Year 13 to clear chairs	See attached timetable Finish 10.40am	1.30pm: GCSE Art Catch Up Session Years 9-11	Room 36 Approx. finish 2.10pm
	1.15pm: House Football Year 12	LFH Approx. finish 2.10pm	1.30pm: Physics and Engineering Entrance Test Practice Session Selected Year 13 Students	Room 40 Approx. finish 2.15pm
	2.30pm: School Tours (Prospective Year 7)	Various	1.30pm: The Politics & Economics Society: Years 12 & 13	Room 16 Approx. finish 2.15pm
	2.30pm: Hockey U14A v Queen Mary's Grammar School at Aston University Sports Ground	Away (B43 7AJ) Meet 1.00pm PE Foyer Approx. finish 3.30pm Approx. return 5.00pm	1.30pm: Maths Drop-In Support Session All year groups	Room 24 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			1.30pm: Maths MAT/TMUA Preparation Session – Year 13	Room 21 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			1.30pm: Junior Quiz Selected Years 7 & 8 students	Room 47 Approx. finish 2.00pm
			1.30pm: Epic Ensemble Years 7 & 8	Drama Studio Approx. finish 2.15pm
		1.30pm: UKMT Maths Challenge & Puzzles Club – Years 7 & 8	Room 23 Approx. finish 2.15pm	

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			1.35pm: Chinese Society: All welcome	Room 12 Approx. finish 2.10pm
			1.50pm: Years 7 & 8 Guitars	Room 18 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			1.45pm: Computer Science Club - All welcome	Room 51 Approx. finish 2.10pm Priority for those with Computer Science homework
			3.50pm: Chapel Choir	Room 18 Approx. finish 4.50pm
			4.00pm: Performance Netball Training	Quad Approx. finish 5.15pm
Wed 16 Oct	9.00am: 7K Residential Trip Departs	Meet 8.50am	8.30am: Chapel Choir	Guild Chapel Approx. finish 8.55am
	8.55am: Year 7 & 8 Assembly Years 9 & 10 Assembly Year 11 Subject Assembly Year 12 Assembly	Gym (NPT) LFH (SM) Drama Studio (BLL) Chapel (HM)	1.30pm: Junior Debating Society Years 7-9	Room 47 Approx. finish 2.00pm
	8.55am: Year 13 Tutor Groups	Various	1.30pm: K.E.S. Sounds	Room 18 Approx. finish 2.00pm
	10.00am: Year 11 Academic Conference – selected students	DC Conference Room	2.00pm: <i>Robin Hood Music</i> Rehearsal Selected Sixth Form Students	Drama Studio Approx. finish 3.45pm
	2.00pm: Hockey 1 st XI v Queen Mary's Grammar School	Home (B93 9LW) Meet 12.30pm PE Foyer Approx. finish 3.00pm Approx. return 5.30pm	3.45pm: <i>Robin Hood</i> Rehearsal	LFH Approx. finish 5.30pm
	2.30pm: Netball 2 nd VII & 3 rd VII v Bablake School	Away (CV1 4AU) Meet 1.30pm PE Foyer Approx. finish 3.30pm Approx. return 4.30pm	3.45pm: Fencing Years 7-9	Gym Approx. finish 5.15pm
	3.00pm: Hockey 2 nd XI v Queen Mary's Grammar School	Home (B93 9LW) Meet 12.30pm PE Foyer Approx. finish 4.00pm Approx. return 5.30pm	3.50pm: Year 13 Band	Room 18 Approx. finish 5.00pm
			5.45pm: Fencing Club Years 10-13	Gym Approx. finish 7.30pm
Thur 17 Oct	8.50am: Middle School Academic Conference – selected Year 10 students	Big School / Oxford University Approx. return 5.30pm	8.40am: Middle School Choir	Big School Approx. finish 9.10am
	8.55am: Years 7 & 8 Assembly Years 9 & 10 Assembly Year 11 Subject Assembly Year 13 Assembly	Chapel (HM) Gym (CD) Drama Studio (BLL) LFH (RB)	1.15pm: Mandarin GCSE Speaking Session Year 11	Room 12 Approx. finish 2.15pm Please arrive at your allocated time
	8.55am: Year 12 Tutor Groups	Various	1.15pm: Chemistry Club – Years 7-9	CGL Approx. finish 1.45pm
	9.30am: National Youth Choir Auditions	Room 17 See Schedule on MS Choir Team	1.25pm: Middle School Piano Trio	Room 18 Approx. finish 2.00pm
	1.15pm: House Football Year 13	LFH Approx. finish 2.10pm	1.30pm: Composition Club (Music Years 10 & 11)	Room 17 Approx. finish 2.00pm

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	1.15pm: A Level Drama Trip to <i>Othello</i> at the RSC	Meet 12.45pm Drama Studio Approx. finish 4.00pm	1.30pm: The Guild of Economists Year 13	Room 16 Approx. finish 2.15pm
	2.00pm: Hockey U13C & U13D v Queen Mary's Grammar School	Home (B93 9LW) Meet 1.00pm PE Foyer Approx. finish 3.00pm Approx. return 3.30pm	1.30pm: Art Society All welcome	Room 36 Approx. finish 2.10pm
	2.15pm: Hockey U13A & U13B v Queen Mary's Grammar School at Aston University Sports Ground	Away (B43 7AJ) Meet 1.00 PE Foyer Approx. finish 3.15pm Approx. return 4.45pm	1.30pm: Senior Quiz Selected Years 9-13 students	Room 28 Approx. finish 2.00pm
	2.30pm: School Tours (Prospective Year 7)	Various	1.30pm: Maths and Physics Society Guest Speaker: Dr Igor Khovanov	DC Conference Room Approx. finish 2.15pm
	4.00pm: Sixth Form Hallowe'en Movie Evening	Sixth Form Common Rm See MS Teams Approx. finish 6.00pm	1.30pm: Maths Drop-In Support Session All year groups	Room 24 Approx. finish 2.15pm
	6.30pm: Full Governing Body Meeting	DC Conference Room	1.30pm: Book Club: Years 12 & 13	Room 47 Approx. finish 2.00pm
			1.30pm: Maths Mentoring Selected Year 9 students	Room 25 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			1.45pm: Computer Science Club All welcome	Room 51 Approx. finish 2.10pm Priority for those with Computer Science homework
			1.50pm: Year 7 Strings	Room 18 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			1.50pm: Rock Band	PR6 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			1.50pm: GuitarKEstra (senior guitarists)	Room 19 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			3.45pm: Fencing Year 7	Gym Approx. finish 5.15pm
			3.45pm: <i>Robin Hood</i> Rehearsal	LFH Approx. finish 5.30pm
			3.50pm: KERBB	Room 18 Approx. finish 5.15pm
Fri 18 Oct	Non-Uniform Day	Donations via <i>ParentPay</i>	8.40am: Lower School Choir	Room 18 Approx. finish 9.10am
	8.55am: Years 7 & 8 Assembly Years 9 & 10 Assembly Year 11 Subject Assembly Years 12 & 13 Assembly	Gym (SM) Chapel (HM) Drama Studio (BLL) LFH (AB)	8.40am: Sixth Form Choir	DC Conference Room Approx. finish 9.10am
	10.30am: Saxophone Quartet Workshop and Concert at Stratford Town Hall – selected students	Room 19 Approx. finish 1.15pm	1.15pm: Jazzsquad!	Room 18 Approx. finish 1.45pm
	11.45am: Junior Rugby & Hockey Tour departs	Meet 11.25am PE Foyer	1.15pm: Genealogy Club Years 12 & 13	Area 51 Approx. finish 2.15pm
	3.45pm: 7K Residential Trip returns	Approx. return 3.45pm to Dairy Gate	1.15pm: <i>A Capella</i> Club	Room 19 Approx. finish 1.45pm
			1.30pm: <i>Robin Hood</i> Rehearsal	Drama Studio Approx. finish 2.15pm

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			1.30pm: Bar Mock Trial (Barristers & Witnesses)	DC Conference Room Approx. finish 2.15pm
			1.30pm: Chinese Culture Club: Year 8	Room 12 Approx. finish 2.10pm
			1.30pm: A-Level Biology Clinic – selected Year 13 students	Room 43 Approx. finish 2.10pm
			1.30pm: Photography Society Years 8 - 13	Room 36 Approx. finish 2.10pm
			1.30pm: KESonomics: Years 9 & 10	Room 16 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			1.30pm: Book Club: Years 8 & 9	Room 49 Approx. finish 2.00pm
			1.35pm: El Classico!	Room 13 Approx. finish 2.10pm
			1.40pm: The Ethics Cup: Years 11-13	Room 30 Approx. finish 2.10pm
			1.50pm: Saxophone Choir (Years 8-11)	Room 18 Approx. finish 2.15pm
			3.45pm: Ultimate Frisbee – Year 9	LFH Approx. finish 5.00pm
			3.45pm: <i>Robin Hood</i> Rehearsal	Drama Studio Approx. finish 5.30pm
			5.00pm: Fencing Squad	Gym Approx. finish 7.00pm
Sat 19 Oct				
Sun 20 Oct	6.00pm: Junior Rugby & Hockey Tour returns	Approx. return 6.00pm to Dairy Gate		

Parent Notices:	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 14 th Oct	Tim Gao	Gregory Latuszynski	Arnav Sahai	William Tomas
	Tuesday 15 th Oct	Kit Gaston	Kaushall Kommareddy	Oisin Kurmi	Aiden Nelloora
	Wednesday 16 th Oct	Max Gibbs	George Kaloghirou	Xander de Jong	Noah Rush
	Thursday 17 th Oct	William Gray	Ethan Meyer	Shrey Pagaria	Kian Sharif
	Friday 18 th Oct	Otis Green	George Cooper	Harry Coulson	Gabe Daniels
	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 .				
	IST Report Reply Forms – Year 13				
	IST Reports are being issued to Year 13 students on Wednesday 16th October . We would kindly request that parents complete the Yellow Reply Form which accompanies the IST Report as soon as possible and ask their son/daughter to hand it in to their Tutor. Thank you for your assistance.				

Non-Uniform Day: Friday 18th October

We will hold our termly Non-Uniform Day on Friday for our School charities 'Boys in Mind' and 'Just Small Change'. 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 18th 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 and locker key to School.

FoKES Update

FoKES are very excited to announce that we are looking for someone to take over the role of Chair of our committee. We'd love to hear from you if you're passionate about making a positive impact & have strong organisational skills. This is a fantastic opportunity to lead a friendly & supportive committee to help raise funds for, and support, our School community. Please get in touch with Dawn (our secretary) on via email at friendsofkestratford@gmail.com for more information or if you are interested in joining us. Thank you for considering this important role!

Stratford-upon-Avon Music Festival

Mrs Arnold, one of our Piano teachers, is performing as part of the Warwick Piano Trio on **Saturday 19th October at 7.30pm** in Holy Trinity Church. This concert, the final concert of the Stratford-upon-Avon Music Festival, which takes place throughout next week. Saxophone Quartet will be taking part in a workshop with the Yugen Saxophone Quartet before attending their lunchtime concert on Friday at the Town Hall. For further details please see <https://stratfordmusicfestival.com/festival-events-2024/>

Lost Property Reminder

Please can we remind parents and students of the following:

- All named items that are handed in to Student Services are returned directly to students, so please ensure all items are clearly named (especially any items you have bought second-hand at our regular uniform sales which may have the original owner's name on it).
- Unnamed items are taken to the Lost Property Store, where students can re-claim lost items
- The Lost Property Store is opened daily at the start of both break times; please encourage your sons & daughters to check the lost property store thoroughly if they have mislaid an item
- Any unnamed lost property will be retained for a few weeks
- Please note that valuables such as calculators, keys, glasses and electronic items are kept in the School Office

Any unclaimed items, including coats, water bottles etc are donated to charity at the end of each half-term.

Number 57 Schoolwear

The School's uniform provider, Number 57 Schoolwear, have advised us that the shop will be closed for the first week of half-term. They will re-open on **Tuesday 29th October**.

This week's Parents' Bulletin attachments

This week's Dispatch includes the following:

Whole School

WS Michaelmas Concert Invitation – DCM

Year 9
Year 9 Activities Week Residential 2025 – LWG

Year 13
Year 13 Oxbridge Mock Interviews – AB

Other (Selected Students)
A Level Art Trip – ESC
Music Lessons Lent Term Payment Request – DCM
Speech Day Absence – TMW
Year 7 Residential Trip Meeting Absence – ST

Please note archived copies of Parents' Weekly Bulletins and letters can be accessed via the Parent Portal. The portal can be found via www.kes.net/parents. The login is 'parent' and the password is 'bigschool'. 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.

Forthcoming Events	Monday 4 th November	Year 11 GCSE Mock Examinations Begin
	Wednesday 6 th - Friday 8 th November	7E Residential
	Friday 8 th November	A Level Art Trip
	Wednesday 13 th - Friday 15 th November	7S Residential
	Thursday 14 th November	Michaelmas Concert
	Tuesday 19 th November	Year 12 Chemistry Trip
	Thursday 28 th – Saturday 30 th November	Robin Hood Evening performances
	Friday 29 th November	Mandarin Trip – Years 9-13
	Monday 2 nd December	Year 13 Parents' Evening
	Thursday 5 th December	Christmas Concert
	Tuesday 17 th December	Nine Lesson and Carols – Holy Trinity Church

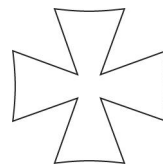
Safeguarding: The Designated Safeguarding Lead at King Edward VI School is Mr Chris Dunford, Assistant Head. In his absence, the second designated persons are Mr Ben Lanoe and Miss Rachel Biggs. If neither of these members of staff are available, reference should be made to the Headmaster.



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Personal Development: Tuesday 15th 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.
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	Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Year 11
K	ZVL - Room 49	AHS - Room 15	AXW - Room 23	PG - Room 27	JHW - Room 30
E	AJD - Room 47	SKL - Room 21	JWH - Room 24	RMB - Room 28	SM - Room 31
S	NPT - Room 48	ST - Room 22	CLS - Room 25	SEM - Room 29	CD - Room 32

Sixth Form

Pillar	Leadership: Attributes & Styles'	Dealing with a Health Emergency	e Safety	Driving and Car Maintenance	Democracy and the Rule of Law	Diversity and Social Justice	Consumer Rights	Personal Strengths
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	Group 1	Group 2	Group 3	Group 4	Group 5	Group 6	Group 7	Group 8
Year 12	HM – 46	GHM – 14	ORR – 42	SC – 43	BLL – 44	AC – 39	MEB – 45	FRJ – 40
Year 13	Lecture - LFH							