

Parents' Weekly Bulletin No. 25  
**Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> March to Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> March 2026**  
**Theme of the Week: Diversity Week**  
**Week 1**

	Events	Notes	Extra-Curricular	Notes
<b>Mon 23 Mar</b>	<b>8.50am:</b> Years 7-13 Registration & Tutor Groups	Various	<b>8.35am:</b> King's Brass	Room 18 Approx. finish 9.00am
	<b>8.55am:</b> Prefects' Meeting	Sixth Form Common Rm	<b>1.25pm:</b> Piano Trio	Room 18 Approx. finish 2.00pm
	<b>8.55am:</b> Recycling Duty – Year 9 students in D8, F8, S8 & W8	Meet 8.55am Sundial Approx. finish 9.10am	<b>1.30pm:</b> Linguistics and Code-Breaking Club – all welcome	Room 48 Approx. finish 2.15pm
	<b>9.10am:</b> Epic Ensemble Rehearsal for Multicultural Celebration	Drama Studio Approx. finish 10.40am	<b>1.30pm:</b> Maths Mentoring – selected Year 8 & 9 students	Room 22 Approx. finish 2.00pm
	<b>9.55am:</b> Singing Workshops with Dan Ludford-Thomas from <i>Ex Cathedra</i>	LFH See schedule below Approx. finish 3.45pm	<b>1.30pm:</b> Chess Club – all welcome	Room 23 Approx. finish 2.15pm
	<b>10.40am:</b> Years 7 & 8 Sports Captains' Meeting	HM Study	<b>1.30pm:</b> Senior Debating Society Years 12-13	Room 32 Approx. finish 2.10pm
	<b>10.40am:</b> <i>Diversity Week:</i> Sale of Rainbow Ribbons, Laces and Nail Painting & Mendhi Station	Sundial	<b>1.30pm:</b> GCSE Art Catch Up Session Years 9-11	Room 36 Approx. finish 2.10pm
	<b>11.15am:</b> Junior Sculling Head at Dorney Lake	Away (SL4 6FJ) Meet 9.15am at venue Approx. finish 12.30pm	<b>1.30pm:</b> Chemistry Society Years 11-13	Room 42 Approx. finish 2.00pm
	<b>11.25am:</b> <i>Diversity Week:</i> Sale of Rainbow Ribbons, Laces and Nail Painting & Mendhi Station	Sundial	<b>1.30pm:</b> Year 9 Greek – selected students	Room 13 Approx. finish 2.15pm
	<b>11.25am:</b> Years 9-13 Sports Captains' Meeting	HM Study	<b>1.35pm:</b> GCSE Biology Support Session Selected Year 11 students	Room 43 Approx. finish 2.10pm
	<b>1.15pm:</b> House Badminton Years 12 & 13 Girls	LFH Approx. finish 2.10pm	<b>1.40pm:</b> Philosophy Society: Years 11-13	Room 30 Approx. finish 2.15pm
	<b>1.15pm:</b> <i>Diversity Week:</i> Showing of <i>Behind the Beautiful Forevers</i> Years 9-13	Drama Studio Approx. finish 2.15pm	<b>1.40pm:</b> Year 7 Book Club	TPS Library Approx. finish 2.10pm
	<b>1.15pm:</b> <i>Diversity Week:</i> Women in STEM Society – Panel Discussion	DC Conference Room Approx. finish 2.15pm	<b>1.40pm:</b> Origami Club	TPS Library Approx. finish 2.10pm
	<b>1.15pm:</b> <i>Diversity Week:</i> Games without Borders	Room 31 Approx. finish 2.15pm	<b>1.40pm:</b> Chinese Society GCSE Mandarin students	Room 12 Approx. finish 2.10pm
<b>1.30pm:</b> <i>Diversity Week:</i> El Classico – Race in the Ancient World	Room 13 Approx. finish 2.00pm	<b>1.45pm:</b> Computer Science Club - all welcome	Room 51 Approx. finish 2.15pm Priority for those with CS homework	

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	<b>2.15pm:</b> Hockey U15A v Queen Mary's Grammar School	Away (WS1 2PG) Meet 12.45pm PE Foyer Approx. finish 3.45pm Approx. return 4.45pm	<b>1.50pm:</b> Year 7 Brass	Room 18 Approx. finish 2.15pm
	<b>2.15pm:</b> Hockey U15B v Queen Mary's Grammar School	Home Meet 1.15pm Manor Rd Approx. finish 3.45pm	<b>1.50pm:</b> Year 7 Clarinets & Saxophones	Room 17 Approx. finish 2.15pm
	<b>2.15pm:</b> Music Mondays (Year 7)	LFH Finish 3.00pm	<b>1.50pm:</b> Years 7 & 8 Flutes & Double Reeds	Room 19 Approx. finish 2.15pm
	<b>4.00pm:</b> Strategic Plan Implementation Group Meeting	DC Conference Room	<b>1.50pm:</b> Years 7 – 9 Percussion Ensemble	PR6 Approx. finish 2.15pm
	<b>4.45pm:</b> Prospective Sixth Form Netball Taster Session	LFH Approx. finish 5.45pm	<b>3.00pm:</b> Year 13 Band	Sixth Form Common Room Approx. finish 4.30pm
	<b>4.45pm:</b> Prospective Sixth Form Orchestral Rehearsal & Taster Session	Gym Approx. finish 5.45pm	<b>4.00pm:</b> Strength and Conditioning – Year 9 Hockey	The Cave Approx. finish 5.00pm
	<b>4.45pm:</b> Prospective Sixth Form Rugby Taster Session	Manor Road Approx. finish 5.45pm	<b>4.00pm:</b> Performance Rowing	SUABC Approx. finish 6.00pm
	<b>4.45pm:</b> Prospective Sixth Form Hockey Taster Session	Manor Road Approx. finish 5.45pm	<b>4.00pm:</b> Progression Rowing Year 10	SUABC Approx. finish 5.00pm
			<b>4.45pm:</b> Strings	Gym Approx. finish 5.45pm
			<b>4.45pm:</b> Concert Band	Gym Approx. finish 5.45pm
<b>Tue 24 Mar</b>	<b><i>Diversity in Dress Day</i></b> - students are encouraged to wear a brightly coloured tie, and/or socks/tights.	Please note this is <u>not</u> a non-uniform day	<b>9.30am:</b> Saxophone Quartet	Room 17 Approx. finish 9.55am
	<b>8.50am:</b> Years 7-13 Registration	Various	<b>1.15pm:</b> Year 10 Band	Room 18 Approx. finish 1.45pm
	<b>8.55am:</b> Whole School Assembly	LFH	<b>1.15pm:</b> Year 11 Mandarin GCSE Speaking Session	Room 27 Approx. finish 2.15pm Please arrive at your allocated time
	<b>8.55am:</b> House Tutors' and Captains' Meeting	TPS Library Approx. finish 9.25am	<b>1.30pm:</b> AI & Cyber Society	Room 52
	<b>9.40am:</b> Personal Development Year 13 to clear chairs	See attached timetable Finish 10.40am	<b>1.30pm:</b> Epic Ensemble Years 7 & 8	Drama Studio Approx. finish 2.15pm
	<b>10.40am:</b> <i>Diversity Week:</i> Sale of Rainbow Ribbons, Laces and Nail Painting & Mendhi Station	Sundial	<b>1.30pm:</b> Sixth Form Martial Arts Club (non-contact)	Gym Approx. finish 2.10pm
	<b>11.25am:</b> <i>Diversity Week:</i> Sale of Rainbow Ribbons, Laces and Nail Painting & Mendhi Station	Sundial	<b>1.30pm:</b> Art & Design Club: Years 7 & 8	Room 36 Approx. finish 2.10pm
	<b>12.30pm:</b> French A Level Mock Speaking Exam – Year 13	Committee Rm & Rm 5 Approx. finish 3.45pm	<b>1.30pm:</b> Biology Society - Years 12 & 13	Room 44 Approx. finish 2.00pm
	<b>1.15pm:</b> House Badminton Years 13 Mixed Doubles	LFH Approx. finish 2.10pm	<b>1.30pm:</b> Physics Problem Solving Club Years 12-13	Room 40 Approx. finish 2:15pm

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	<b>1.15pm:</b> <i>Diversity Week:</i> Showing of <i>Spirited Away</i> All welcome	Room 36 Approx. finish 2.15pm	<b>1.40pm:</b> GCSE Mandarin Speaking Session – Years 10 & 11	Room 27 Approx. finish 2.15pm
	<b>1.15pm:</b> <i>Diversity Week:</i> Games without Borders	Room 31 Approx. finish 2.15pm	<b>1.45pm:</b> GCSE Latin & Greek Mentoring	Room 13 Approx. finish 2.15pm
	<b>1.30pm:</b> <i>Diversity Week:</i> El Classico – Women in the Ancient World	Room 13 Approx. finish 2.00pm	<b>1.50pm:</b> Year 7 Strings	Room 18 Approx. finish 2.15pm
	<b>1.30pm:</b> Rugby Sevens U13A & U12A Sibford Sevens Festival	Away (OX15 5QL) Meet 10.40am PE Foyer Approx. finish 4.30pm Approx. return 6.00pm	<b>1.50pm:</b> Years 7 & 8 Guitars	Room 19 Approx. finish 2.15pm
	<b>2.15pm:</b> Green Futures Workshop – selected students	Room 18	<b>3.45pm:</b> Robotics Club – Year 8	Room 28 Approx. finish 5.15pm
	<b>2.15pm:</b> Year 5 Maths Mentoring Programme – selected students	Room 21 Meet 2.00pm Approx. finish 3.00pm	<b>3.50pm:</b> Chapel Choir	Room 18 Approx. finish 4.50pm
	<b>2.15pm:</b> Hockey U14A v Queen Mary's Grammar School	Away (WS1 2PG) Meet 12.45pm PE Foyer Approx. finish 3.45pm Approx. return 4.45pm	<b>4.00pm:</b> Strength and Conditioning – 1 <sup>st</sup> & 2 <sup>nd</sup> XI Hockey	The Cave Approx. finish 5.00pm
	<b>2.15pm:</b> Hockey U14B v Queen Mary's Grammar School	Home Meet 1.15pm Manor Rd Approx. finish 3.45pm	<b>4.15pm:</b> Year 12 Football Club	Manor Road Approx. finish 5.00pm
	<b>6.30pm:</b> GCSE <i>Plus</i> Options Evening Year 8 students & parents	LFH Approx. finish 8.15pm	<b>4.15pm</b> Year 7 Cricket Nets – 7E	Manor Road Approx. finish 5.00pm
<b>Wed 25 Mar</b>	<b>8.50am:</b> Years 7-13 Registration	Various	<b>8.30am:</b> Chapel Choir	Guild Chapel Approx. finish 8.50am
	<b>8.55am:</b> Years 11 & 13 Assembly Year 12 Assembly	LFH (CD) Chapel (HM)	<b>1.15pm:</b> Indian Music Group	Room 19 Approx. finish 1.45pm
	<b>8.55am:</b> Years 7-10 Tutor Groups	Various	<b>1.30pm:</b> Trading Card Club	Room 27 Approx. finish 2.00pm
	<b>8.55am:</b> Year 12 Mentoring – all Year 12 students from VTGs S5-S8	Sixth Form Common Rm	<b>1.30pm:</b> Scrabble Club – all welcome	TPS Library Approx. finish 2.05pm
	<b>9.10am:</b> Curriculum Discussion: History – selected students	Committee Room Finish 9.55am	<b>1.30pm:</b> Junior Debating Society Years 7-9	Room 47 Approx. finish 2.00pm
	<b>9.55am:</b> Curriculum Discussion: Music – selected students	Committee Room Finish 10.40am	<b>1.30pm:</b> Chinese Culture Club – Year 8	Room 12 Approx. finish 2.10pm
	<b>10.40am:</b> KES Small Change Bake Sale	Sun Dial	<b>1.30pm:</b> Middle School Book Club	Room 48 Approx. finish 2.05pm
	<b>11.25am:</b> KES Small Change Bake Sale	Sun Dial	<b>1.30pm:</b> K.E.S. Sounds	Room 18 Approx. finish 2.00pm
	<b>11.45am:</b> Curriculum Discussion: Physics – selected students	DC Conference Room Finish 12.30pm	<b>3.45pm:</b> Ultimate Frisbee Training Years 7-13	LFH Approx. finish 5.00pm
	<b>1.15pm:</b> <i>Diversity Week:</i> Games without Borders	Room 31 Approx. finish 2.15pm	<b>3.45pm:</b> Fencing – Year 7	Gym Approx. finish 5.15pm
	<b>1.15pm:</b> <i>Diversity Week:</i> Showing of <i>Behind the Beautiful Forevers</i> Years 9-13	Drama Studio Approx. finish 2.15pm	<b>4.00pm:</b> Strength and Conditioning – Year 10 Hockey	The Cave Approx. finish 5.00pm

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	<b>1.30pm:</b> <i>Diversity Week: El Classico – Sexuality in the Ancient World</i>	Room 13 Approx. finish 2.00pm	<b>5.30pm:</b> Fencing Club – Years 8-13	Gym Approx. finish 7.30pm
	<b>1.30pm:</b> Stratford Schools: Shakespeare Lecture – Year 13 English students	Stratford Town Hall Meet 1.15pm School Office Approx. finish 3.30pm		
	<b>2.00pm:</b> Hockey 3 <sup>rd</sup> XI v Princethorpe College	Away (B93 9LW) Meet 1.00pm PE Foyer Approx. finish 3.00pm Approx. return 4.00pm		
	<b>2.15pm:</b> Hockey Girls' 1 <sup>st</sup> XI v Princethorpe College	Away (CV23 9PX) Meet 1.00pm PE Foyer Approx. finish 3.45pm Approx. return 4.30pm		
	<b>2.15pm:</b> Hockey 1 <sup>st</sup> XI v Queen Mary's Grammar School	Home Meet 1.15pm Manor Rd Approx. finish 3.45pm		
	<b>2.15pm:</b> Hockey 2 <sup>nd</sup> XI v Queen Mary's Grammar School	Away (B43 7AJ) Meet 1.00pm PE Foyer Approx. finish 3.45pm Approx. return 4.45pm		
	<b>2.30pm:</b> Netball 2 <sup>nd</sup> VII Fast 5 Tournament	Away (B15 2UB) Meet 1.00pm PE Foyer Approx. finish 4.30pm Approx. return 5.30pm		
	<b>7.15pm:</b> A Level Drama and 9E Trip to RSC's <i>Henry V</i>	RSC Meet 7.00pm RSC Steps Approx. finish 9.45pm		
<b>Thur 26 Mar</b>	<b><i>Diversity Week: Cultural Dress / Non-Uniform Day</i></b>	<i>Donations please via ParentPay</i>	<b>8.40am:</b> Sixth Form Choir	Room 18 Approx. finish 9.10am
	<b>8.50am:</b> Years 7-13 Registration	Various	<b>8.40am:</b> Middle School Choir: Years 10 & 11	Drama Studio Approx. finish 9.10am
	<b>8.55am:</b> Years 7 & 8 Assembly Years 9-11 Assembly	Chapel (SM) Gym (LWG)	<b>1.15pm:</b> Year 11 Mandarin GCSE Speaking Session	Room 12 Approx. finish 2.15pm Please arrive at your allocated time
	<b>8.55am:</b> Years 12 & 13 Tutor Groups	Various	<b>1.15pm:</b> Year 9 Band A	Room 18 Approx. finish 1.45pm
	<b>9.10am:</b> Multicultural Celebration Rehearsals	LFH See separate schedule Approx. finish 3.45pm	<b>1.30pm:</b> Maths and Physics Society Guest Speaker: Prof. Huffman, Oxford University	DC Conference Room Approx. finish 2.15pm
	<b>9.55am:</b> Curriculum Discussion: French – selected students	Committee Room Finish 10.40am	<b>1.30pm:</b> History Society – all welcome	Room 31 Approx. finish 2.10pm
	<b>10.00am:</b> Warwickshire Book Awards Ceremony – selected Year 7 students	King's High School Meet 9.15am Spender Qd Approx. return 1.15pm	<b>1.30pm:</b> GCSE Music Composition Years 10 & 11	Room 17 Approx. finish 2.00pm

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	<b>11.00am:</b> Year 7 & 8 Singers (selected students) Rehearsal for Multicultural Celebration	LFH Approx. finish 11.45am	<b>1.30pm:</b> GCSE Computer Science Revision Session – Year 11	Room 51 Approx. finish 2.10pm
	<b>11.45am:</b> Epic Ensemble Rehearsal for Multicultural Celebration	LFH Approx. finish 12.30pm	<b>1.30pm:</b> GCSE Art Catch Up Session Years 9-11	Room 36 Approx. finish 2.10pm
	<b>12.30pm:</b> Curriculum Discussion: Classics – selected students	DC Conference Room Finish 1.15pm	<b>1.30pm:</b> GCSE Physics Catch Up Session - Year 11	Room 40 Approx. finish 2.10pm
	<b>1.15pm:</b> Senior Prefects' Meeting	Committee Room Approx. finish 1.45pm	<b>1.30pm:</b> Senior Quiz - Years 9-13	Room 28 Approx. finish 2.10pm
	<b>1.15pm:</b> <i>Diversity Week:</i> Games without Borders	Room 31 Approx. finish 2.15pm	<b>1.30pm:</b> Sixth Form Book Club	Room 47 Approx. finish 2.10pm
	<b>1.15pm:</b> Dance for the Plants – all welcome	LFH Approx. finish 2.00pm Donations of £2.00 via <i>ParentPay</i> or on the door	<b>1.30pm:</b> Middle School Drama Club	Drama Studio Approx. finish 2.15pm
	<b>1.15pm:</b> <i>Diversity Week:</i> Showing of <i>Spirited Away</i> All welcome	Room 36 Approx. finish 2.15pm	<b>1.30pm:</b> Science Club – Years 9-11	CGL Approx. finish 2.00pm
	<b>1.30pm:</b> <i>Diversity Week:</i> El Classico – Religion in the Ancient World	Room 13 Approx. finish 2.00pm	<b>1.45pm:</b> Cube Club	TPS Library Approx. finish 2.15pm
	<b>1.30pm:</b> Rugby Sevens U15A & U14A Sibford Sevens Festival	Away (OX15 5QL) Meet 10.40am PE Foyer Approx. finish 4.30pm Approx. return 6.00pm	<b>1.50pm:</b> Year 9 Band B	PR6 Approx. finish 2.15pm
	<b>2.15pm:</b> Hockey U13A, U13B & 13C v Queen Mary's Grammar School	Home Meet 1.15pm Manor Rd Approx. finish 3.30pm	<b>1.50pm:</b> GuitarKEstra	Room 18 Approx. finish 2.15pm
	<b>2.15pm:</b> Hockey U13D & 13E v Queen Mary's Grammar School	Away (WS1 2PG) Meet 12.45pm PE Foyer Approx. finish 3.30pm Approx. return 4.45pm	<b>3.45pm:</b> Fencing Year 7	Gym Approx. finish 5.15pm
	<b>3.50pm:</b> School Detention (SM)	DC Conference Room Finish 4.50pm	<b>3.50pm:</b> KERBB	Room 18 Approx. finish 5.00pm
	<b>6.30pm:</b> <i>Diversity Week:</i> Multicultural Celebration	LFH Approx. finish 8.30pm	<b>4.00pm:</b> Strength and Conditioning – Group 1	The Cave Approx. finish 5.00pm
			<b>5.30pm:</b> Fencing Years 8-13	Gym Approx. finish 7.30pm
<b>Fri 27 Mar</b>	<b>8.50am:</b> Years 7-13 Registration and Tutor Groups	Various	<b>8.40pm:</b> Middle School Choir (Year 9)	Big School Approx. finish 9.10am
	<b>9.55am:</b> Final Assembly Rehearsal Junior and Senior House Music Competition Winners	LFH Approx. finish 10.20am	<b>2.00pm:</b> Performance Rowing	SUABC Approx. finish 4.00pm
	<b>11.45am:</b> Tutor Groups	Various	<b>4.00pm:</b> Strength and Conditioning – Rowing	The Cave Approx. finish 5.00pm
	<b>12 noon:</b> Final Assembly	LFH	<b>5.30pm:</b> Fencing Squad	Gym Approx. finish 7.30pm

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	<b>12.55pm:</b> Tutor Groups and Registration	Various		
	<b>1.00pm:</b> Gold DofE Practice Expedition departs	Meet 1.00pm Spender Quad		
	<b>1.00pm:</b> Silver DofE Practice Expedition departs	Meet 1.00pm in the Art Garden		
	<b>1.00pm:</b> Art GCSE Unit 2 Catch up Session - Year 11	Room 36 Approx. finish 5.00pm		
	<b>1.00pm:</b> Headmaster's Detention	TPS Library Finish 3.45pm		
	<b>1.00pm:</b> <b>School finishes approx.</b>			
	<b>1.00pm:</b> Farewell to Nicki Dargan, Head of Netball	LFH Café Approx. finish 1.45pm		
	<b>2.00pm:</b> Fencing Shakespeare's Swords Junior Competition: Year 7 & 8 fencers	Gym Approx. finish 4.00pm		
<b>Sat 28 Mar</b>	<b>7.45am:</b> Edward's Boys' Company departs for London & France	Meet 7.45am Drama Studio		
	<b>5.00pm:</b> Edward's Boys Performance of <i>The Knight of the Burning Pestle</i> at The Charterhouse, Clerkenwell, London	Charterhouse Square (EC1M 6AN) Approx. finish 7.15pm		
	<b>9.20pm:</b> Year 13 German Trip returns	Meet 9.20pm at Costa Coffee, Birmingham Airport		
<b>Sun 29 Mar</b>	<b>8.00am:</b> Edward's Boys' Company departs for Montpellier	8.00am departure from St Pancras Approx. return Saturday 4 <sup>th</sup> April 1.00am to Dairy Gate		
	<b>8.00pm:</b> Silver DofE Practice Expedition returns	Approx. return 8.00pm Dairy Gate		
<b>Mon 30 Mar</b>	<b>7.30pm:</b> Gold DofE Practice Expedition returns	Approx. return 7.30pm Dairy Gate		

<b>Parent Notices:</b>	<p><b>Official re-opening of Manor Road Sports Ground: Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> April</b></p> <p>We would like to remind parents of the deadline of <b>Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March</b> to confirm your attendance at the Official re-opening of Manor Road. This will allow us to gauge numbers for catering and photography purposes. We do hope you will join us for this landmark occasion.</p>
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### **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:

<b>Date</b>	<b>Duty Boy</b>	<b>Lunch Duty</b>		
Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> Mar	Shriyansh Nayak	Krishh Mohammed Gomathi	Isa Gazali	Jeffrey Zhou
Tuesday 24 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Harley O'Donnell	Anvit Pathak	Susshant Singh	Aren Dias
Wednesday 25 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Jason Ohabuike	Rajat Jadhav	Thomas Wright	Peter Baker
Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Atakan Ozkan	Michael Li	Gabriel McTigue	Jae Yoo

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](mailto:cal@kes.net). Those on Lunch Duty should report to the Prefects in the Dining Hall at **1.45pm**.

### **Singing workshops with Dan Ludford-Thomas from Ex Cathedra**

The Music Department are excited to be welcoming Dan Ludford-Thomas from [Ex Cathedra](#), who will be working with our singers throughout the School on **Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> March** in the Levi Fox Hall.

- 9.55am – Middle School Choir: Year 9
- 10.40am – Middle School Choir: Year 10
- 11.45am – Lower School Choir: Year 7&8
- 12.30pm – selected students Year 7&8 to prepare for Multicultural Evening
- 2.15pm – Year 7 (Music Mondays)
- 3.00pm – Chapel Choir: Years 7-13 (Chapel)

### **GCSE Plus Options Evening: Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> March**

GCSE Plus Options Evening takes place on **Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> March**. The evening will start promptly at **6.30pm** with a presentation in the Levi Fox Hall about the procedure for making these choices. If any student needs to remain on site at the end of the School day, they should bring a packed dinner and go straight to the TPS Library.

### **Diversity in Dress Day: Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> March,**

For our *Diversity in Dress Day* on Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> March, students are encouraged to brighten up their usual uniform by coming into School wearing a brightly coloured tie, and/or socks/tights. Please note that this is not a non-uniform day. We hope everyone's uniform will be unique on this day to celebrate the diversity of our School community.

### **Multicultural Celebration: Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> March at 6.30pm**

Preparations for the Multicultural Celebration on **Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> March** are progressing well, and this event continues to be one of our most popular. Guests are invited to contribute a dish to share. FoKES kindly requests that you contact Helen James at [foodforfokes@gmail.com](mailto:foodforfokes@gmail.com) to confirm the dish you will be bringing, including a brief description and a list of ingredients, highlighting any allergens. It is a family friendly event and all are welcome to attend, share in the food and enjoy the entertainment. Tickets are available via the School Boox Office [www.ticketsource.co.uk/kes](http://www.ticketsource.co.uk/kes) and we look forward to seeing you there.

### **Cultural Dress Day: Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> March,**

For *Cultural Dress Day* on **Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> March**, students are encouraged to wear clothes to School that represent their culture or heritage, this is a non-uniform day for all students and we would request a **£2.00** donation per family via *ParentPay*. Thank you.

### Year 9 Activities Week Residential to France

We would like to remind parents that **Friday 6<sup>th</sup> March** was the deadline for the next instalment of **£200.00** for this trip as per Mr Gardiner's letter on **Friday 17<sup>th</sup> October**. We would kindly request payment in line with the schedule so that School can make payments to the tour operator. Payments are scheduled below, so parents should now have paid a total of £600 including the initial deposit of £100:

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|-------------|------|---------------------------------|-------------|------|------------------------------|
| • Payment 1 | £100 | Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> December | • Payment 3 | £200 | Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> March |
| • Payment 2 | £200 | Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> February | • Payment 4 | £200 | Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> April |

Please contact Mr Gardiner ([lwq@kes.net](mailto:lwq@kes.net)) if you have any queries.

### 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, pencil cases 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.

### Lockers, Padlocks & Musical Instruments

Students are reminded that all lockers must be emptied and padlocks taken home by **Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March** at the latest. Site staff will be asked to remove any remaining locks and all contents will be disposed of during. **Musical instruments** must also be taken home.

### Sports Awards Dinner: Friday 17<sup>th</sup> April

Tickets for the Sports Awards Dinner on **Friday 17<sup>th</sup> April** are now available via the School's [Box Office](#). The ticket price of **£25.00** includes an Indian themed meal, comprising a grazing board to start, plus a main course, which you will need to select at the time of booking, followed by dessert. Tickets will need to be purchased by **12 noon on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> April** in order to confirm numbers for catering. The dress code is smart loungewear and students in Year 7-11 will be expected to wear full School Uniform for the evening. Kindly note that students will not be permitted to consume alcohol at the event, even if they are over 18. We look forward to seeing you there for an uplifting evening of celebration.

### This week's Parents' Bulletin attachments

This week's Dispatch includes the following:

#### Whole School

End of Lent Term Arrangements 2026 – TMW  
Family Events SLF May 2026  
Shakespeare Birthday Parade Flowers 2026 – *faux pas*

#### Year 7

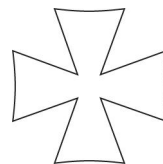
Year 7 Activities Week 2026 – ST  
Year 7 Community Day 2026 – ST  
Year 7 Concert Invitation – RSM

**Other (Selected students)**

A Level Design and Technology NEA Deadlines Update – MEB  
 GCSE Design and Technology NEA Deadlines Update – MEB  
 China Trip Refund Information – JHW  
 Gold DofE Practice Expedition – LCW  
 Music Lessons Inset Day – DCM  
 Silver DofE Practice Expedition – LCW  
 Year 7 Concert letter for Year 8 Musicians – DCM  
 Year 10 Work Experience Reminder – FJR

**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>	Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>INSET Day (No School for students)</b>
	Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>Lent Term Begins</b>
	Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>Sports Team Photographs</b>
	Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>Sports Awards Dinner</b>
	Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>FoKES Meeting</b>
	Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> April	<b>Year 7 Concert Rehearsals</b>
	Saturday 25 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>Shakespeare's Birthday Parade</b>
	Saturday 25 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>Official re-opening of Manor Road Sports Ground</b>
	Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>Year 12 Mock A Level Exams Begin</b>
	Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>Year 8 Parents Evening (online)</b>
	Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>May Day Bank Holiday (No School for students)</b>
	Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>Year 11 Activity Day and Study Leave begins</b>
	Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup> May – Saturday 9 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>Year 10 Geography trip Iceland</b>
	Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>Year 13 Leavers' Photograph</b>
	Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>Year 13 Activity Day and Study Leave begins</b>
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> May – Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Public GCSE and A Level Examinations</b>	



## Personal Development: Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> March

### Years 7-11

<b>Pillar</b>	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
<b>K</b>	JRH – Room 49	NWA – Room 15	ADP – Room 23	JJW – Room 27	CD – Room 30
<b>E</b>	TMW – Room 13	AHS – Room 21	LWG – Room 24	LJN – Drama Studio	EE – Room 31
<b>S</b>	DCL – Room 14	TJW – Room 22	ALR – Room 25	TJG – Room 29	JHW – Room 32

### Sixth Form

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