



# WEEKLY BULLETIN

Week Ending: 16 June 2017

## KEY MESSAGES

- Parent Forum: Monday, 19 June 2017 in the Suthers Building (College) - 6pm for Years 7 and 8; 7pm for Years 9 and above
- Please donate any unwanted/outgrown blazers, skirts and ties to School
- Please ensure your child brings a water bottle to School

## YEAR 7

Several Year 7 English classes have been studying Shakespeare's plays recently and this week they have focused on 'A Midsummer Night's Dream'. Whilst completing a treasure hunt, students considered the use of the supernatural and fairies by Shakespeare during this play.

During their active tutoring this half term, students are looking at the 'creative' character focus. Students have already discussed what it means to be creative and will be researching careers within the creative field in the next few weeks.

Head of Year 7: Mrs L Munro



## YEAR 8

Walking around Year 8 lessons this week has been an absolute pleasure. The dedication shown by students in their assessments has been excellent and you will be able to check your child's progress in the next report that will be available in July. It is important you look at the CAL numbers and speak to class teachers about how your child can grow their numbers in the different subjects.

Good luck to the Year 8 Athletics Team who are competing in the regional finals next week at Harvey Hadden Stadium in Nottingham. In other sporting news, a huge congratulations to Tayla Yeomans who, two weeks ago, qualified for the All England National Dance Finals.

I am very proud of the Year 8 students involved in teaching languages in primary schools this week and I hope this has been a positive experience for all of the students involved.

Head of Year 8: Mr A Modi



## YEAR 9

The Geography department embarked on their first trip to Skegness this week with over 100 pupils. The trip focused on surveying the impact of tourism on the town as well as providing pupils with the opportunity to study beach defences. Both staff and pupils really enjoyed the day and we are all looking forward to the second trip next week. Hopefully the weather will be just as kind as it was on Wednesday!

Preparations are well underway for T-Fest. Time has been set aside for tutor groups to plan their stalls and activities as the event quickly approaches. Momentum is really building for what should be a fantastic occasion.

Head of Year 9: Mr D Lynas



## YEAR 10

Year 10 assessments commence on Monday, 19 June and will last for two weeks. Revision material is on the website and students will have been given revision timetables from their tutors.

Latest information regarding university trips has been posted to parents. The return date for consent forms and payments is Wednesday, 21 June.

Heads of Year 10: Ms L Hughes & Mr R Wickens

Year	Subject	Start Date	End Date	Assessment Type	Weighting
10	Maths	19/06	21/06	Written	20%
10	Science	19/06	21/06	Written	20%
10	English	19/06	21/06	Written	20%
10	History	19/06	21/06	Written	20%
10	Geography	19/06	21/06	Written	20%
10	Art	19/06	21/06	Portfolio	20%
10	Music	19/06	21/06	Performance	20%
10	PE	19/06	21/06	Practical	20%
10	RE	19/06	21/06	Written	20%
10	PSHE	19/06	21/06	Written	20%

## YEAR 11

Shirt signing (see pic right) on Tuesday, 13 June was the final time that the Year group were all together and they were an absolute delight! It was very pleasing to see the camaraderie within the Year group. For the remaining exams and warm-up sessions, pupils can attend in non-uniform.

In order for your child to attend Prom, it is imperative that we receive any outstanding payments and options outlining food allergies and bus options by Tuesday, 20 June.

The deadline for Hoodie letters is Friday, 23 June.

Spare Prom and Hoodie letters are available at Reception.

Head of Year 11: Mrs J Gray



### Art Exhibition

Reminder that you are invited to attend the GCSE Art display evening on 29 June 2017. This is a chance to see the phenomenal work that was created during the Art exams and is well worth a visit.

### The Summer Digital Jam

Do you have a computer and know how to use it? This is a chance to make Nottingham work better. Design an app to solve a problem, develop a new kind of social network, anything as long as it makes Nottingham a smarter city. Register on-line now [www.thenva.com/sdj](http://www.thenva.com/sdj)  
Closing date: 19 June 2017  
Launch event: 24 June 2017 from 10am-3pm at the National Videogame Arcade, Nottingham.

### Activities Week 2017

Please remember that your child's place on their activity at Activities Week is only secured once a signed consent form has been received. Please return your child's consent form urgently if you haven't already done so. General enquiries ([mtinsley@toothillschool.co.uk](mailto:mtinsley@toothillschool.co.uk)). Finance enquiries ([jpackard@toothillschool.co.uk](mailto:jpackard@toothillschool.co.uk))

