

Families Bulletin

Monday 27 January to Friday 31 January 2025

HEADTEACHER'S MESSAGE

Dear Families

It has been a bit of a soggy week in parts but we ended the week with a really successful Higher Education Fair on Thursday evening. Students and families from Years 10-12 got to hear opening presentations around both Higher Education and Apprenticeships, before moving on through to the sportshall where over 35 exhibitors from higher education institutions up and down the country were available to talk 1:1 with our young people and their families.

We also had the next of our Information Evenings as part of our support programme for Year 11 last night. Where they heard key presentations from the Curriculum Leaders of English, maths and science.

If you missed the evening, you can find the slides and further information including the latest GCSE Subject and Academic Support Booklet available on the homepage of our website as seen in the image opposite.

These two evenings and resources are just a couple of many examples where by students, families and school working together, we can maximise our young people's chances of personal success.

On that note, I will leave you with a quote that we started the week with for our students around our focused value this week

Sackville School TOGETHER WE ACHEVE HOME ABOUT US CURRICULUM FAMILIES S Welcome to Sackville Our vision is for a safe and inclusive community which enables every student to reach their full potential and develop a love of learning, by living our values every day. Families Bulletins Year 11 Support Information SOCS - Sports Teams

Teamwork:

"The strength of the team is each individual member. The strength of each member is the team".

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Have a lovely weekend

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Jo Meloni Headteacher

Timetable: 4 + 1

Hot Choc With The Head

I had the pleasure of having students from Angelou Community join me for Hot Chocolate on Thursday this week. Lexie, Lukas (year 7), Jess, Amelia and Bette (year 8), Gethin, Finley (year 9), Lilly, Bethany (year 10), Charlotte and Kye (year 11) were all nominated for modelling our school values, particularly those of Ambition, Integrity and Curiosity.

They were joined by two Sixth Form students from the Attenborough Community who have each shown fantastic hard work and engagement in their Economics A level.

Congratulations to them all.

Ms Jo Meloni Headteacher







Notice Board

- Year 9 Vaccinations Just a reminder the year 9 Meningitis vaccinations will be on Monday 3
 February 2025. If you have not completed the consent form please find it here. If you have any
 concerns please contact the vaccination team on 01273 696011 ext 2043.
- Book Fair The Book Fair will be visiting Sackville between Monday 17 and Thursday 20 March 2025 and will be in our LRC.
- **Team Turing needs your help** As part of our community charity fundraising this half term we will be holding a Turing Treat Tombola on the last week before half term. We are asking for any donations of any sweet treats, crisps or confectionery in BLUE packaging that we can add to the tombola prizes. All money raised will go to Turing's chosen charity for this year which is St Catherine's Hospice. Thank you as always for your support.



- Kings Centre's Big Sister Project the programme is designed for girls to help them get back into fitness once they reach their teenage years, it was designed to support girls to engage and find enjoyment in sports and activity. Big Sister is a free or discounted membership for girls aged 9-15. It includes unlimited swimming, racket sports, unlimited gym access during junior gym times (11-15 year olds), we move class Mondays at 3.45pm with a female instructor (11-15 year olds), free access to our places leisure app, virtual studio which includes the big sister channel. If you are interested and would like to find out more please contact Kings Centre on 01342 328616 or email us at enquirieskingscentre@pfpleisure.org
- Pop Up Uniform Shop Dates that our uniform shop will attend Sackville can be found here on our website.

Key Dates

Wednesday 29 January 2025

School

Thursday 30 January 2025

Tuesday 4 February 2025

Thursday 6 February 2025

Thursday 6 February - Saturday 8 February 2025

Wednesday 12, Thursday 13 and Friday 14 February 2025

Thursday 13 February 2025

Friday 14 February - Saturday 22 February 2025

Monday 17 February - 21 February 2025

Thursday 27 February 2025 Friday 28 February 2025

Thursday 6 March 2025

Autism in School Forum 9.30-11.00am - In

UK Intermediate Maths Challenge - In School

Year 9 Consultation Evening - Revised Date from

6 February 2025

Find It Out Thursday - The Army

Year 11 Art Trip to the Tate Modern

Autism in School Forum 7.30-8.30pm - Online

Find It Out Thursday - Construction

Year 10 History and German Trip to Berlin

SCHOOL SHOW - Footloose

Find It Out Thursday - Engineering

Ski Trip to Tonale, Italy

HALF TERM

Year 7 Consultation Evening

Year 12 Trip to Pinewood Studios

Year 9 Options Evening - Revised Date from 30

January 2025

Current Vacancies

We have two support staff roles available at the moment. If you would be interested in any of the following or know anyone else who may be, please call Katie Dawson, Headteacher's PA for more information, or apply directly following these links:

- Exam Invigilators
- Cover Supervisor

Extra Curricular Activities

Spring 2025 Term

Sackville News

For all the latest news here at Sackville, follow the link below to the news section of our website -

Sackville News

We also publish a half termly newsletter and the latest edition can be seen here **Sackville Newsletter**Part 1 and Part 2. Next publication date: W/B 14 February, 2025.

Year 11 and 13 Exam Information

Please find the schedule for our upcoming Year 11 and 13 mocks below.

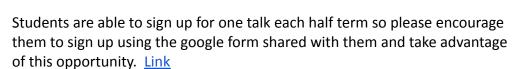
		Year	13 - February 2025		
TIME	MONDAY 3RD	TUESDAY 4TH	WEDNESDAY 5TH	THURSDAY 6TH	FRIDAY 7TH
08:45	Business 1 - 2hrs	Economics - 2 hours	Business 2 - 2hrs	Core Maths 1 - 1hr 45mins	Geography - 2hr 15mins
	Chemistry 1 - 1hr 45mins	English Language 1 - 2hr 30mins	Chemistry 2 - 1hr 45mins	English Language 2 - 2hr 30mins	Physics - 2hrs
	English Literature 1 - 2hr 30mins	T&T 1 - 1hr 30mins	English Literature 2 - 3hrs	T&T (yr12) - 1hr 30mins	PE 2 - 2hr
	DT 1 - 2hr 30mins	Philosophy 1 - 3hrs	DT 2- 1hr 30mins	Philosophy 2 -3hrs	Film Studies - 2hr 30 mins
		Spanish/French listening & reading - 2hrs			Criminology - 1hr
		YR 12 English Language - 1hr 45min		Spanish/French writing - 2hr 40mins	
13:00	Biology 1 - 2hr 15mins	Psychology 1 - 2hr	Biology 2 - 1hr 30mins	Psychology 2 - 2hr	Applied Science (yr12) - 1hr 30mi
	Law 1 - 1hr 30mins	Politics 1 - 2hrs	Law 2 - 1hr 30mins	Politics 2 - 2hrs	Further maths 3 - 1hr 30mins
	Maths 1 - 2hrs	PE 1 - 2hr		Maths 2 - 1hr 30mins	HSC - 1hr 30mins
	Further maths 1 - 1hr 30mins	Yr12 HSC - thr 30mins	Further maths 2 - 1hr 30mins	Yr12 Child Dev - level 2 1hr 30mins	Law 3 - 1hr 30mins
	History 1 - 1hr 30mins		History 2 - 2hr 30mins		Core Maths 2 - 1hr 45mins
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TIME	MONDAY 24TH	TUESDAY 25TH	WEDNESDAY 26TH	THURSDAY 27TH	FRIDAY 28TH
08:45	English Literature - 1hr 45mins	Maths 1 - non calc - 1hr 30mins	Physics	English Language - 1hr 45mins	Chemistry
			Foundation/higher - 1hr 15mins		Foundation/higher 1hr 15mins
			Triple Physics - 1hr 45mins		Triple Chemistry 1hr 45mins
13:00	MFL writing Foundation - 1hr 15mins Higher - 1hr 20 mins	History 1 - 1hr 20mins	Catering & Hospitality - 1hr 20mins Sociology - 1h 45mins	Computer Science 1 - 1hr PE 1 - 1hr 15mins	Geography - 1hr 30mins Timelabled clash students
TIME	MONDAY 3RD	TUESDAY 4TH	WEDNESDAY 5TH	THURSDAY 6TH	FRIDAY 7TH
08:45	DT - 2hrs	Maths 2 - calc - 1hr 30mins	Health & Social Care - 2hrs	Biology	Maths 3 - calc - 1hr 30mins
	Drama - 1hr 45mins		Imedia - 1hr 30mins	Foundation/higher - 1hr 15mins	
	Film Studies - 1hr 30mins		PE 2 - 1hr 15mins	Triple Biology - 1hr 45mins	
13:00	History 2 - 1hr 30mins	MFL reading	Business - 1hr 45mins	B&V - 1hr 20mins	Computer Science 2 - 1hr
		Foundation - 45mins			
		Higher - 1hr			Timetabled clash students
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If you have any questions or concerns, please email the exam team - examsstaff@mysackville.co.uk.

Futures - Find It Out Thursday

This is a chance for students to explore different professions and learn from people that are in that industry.

Each week a different professional comes in to talk to students about the different aspects of their job, how they entered that industry, the skills and qualifications required and the different routes available to students thinking of joining that sector. Students have the opportunity to ask those in the know and get first hand information.





Time table for next half term

Next half term we are lucky enough to have the following people coming in to speak to students

30 January 2025 - The Army

Are you interested in finding out about all the opportunities that the Army has to offer? Did you know that the Army is one of the top Apprenticeship providers?

6 February 2025 - Construction

Learn about the opportunities that are open to you in the construction industry. A representative from Morgan Sindal is coming in to explain what the construction industry encompasses and the huge range of roles that it covers .

13 February 2025 - **Engineering**

Hamilton Jet are a local company that produces one of the most innovative and advanced marine propulsion system. Come and find out what opportunities could be for you.

If you or someone you know would be willing to come in and speak to students about your profession, how you joined it, what qualifications and routes there are open to people. Hearing from people that are doing it day to day is invaluable to students while they explore options open to them. If you would be willing to come in and inspire the younger generation please contact Helen Smith on hsmith@sackvilleschool.org.uk.

This hands-on event is open to students aged 14 and over and offers a fantastic opportunity to experience life on a land-based campus. From getting up close with our animals to exploring the world of agriculture and environmental studies, this day is designed to inspire and inform students about the diverse and rewarding careers in the land-based industries.

Our sessions include: Agriculture, Animal Care,
Blacksmithing, Equine, Furniture Making, Upholstery,
Cardoning and Londonning (Horticulture) and Tree Surge

Gardening and Landscaping (Horticulture) and Tree Surgery (Arboriculture)

TASTER DAY

real learning
for the real world

Tuesday 18 February 2025

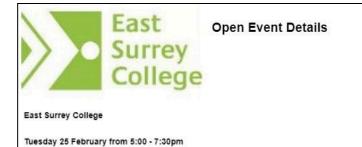
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Thales January 2025 Newsletter can be found here



Click here to register



On the day you can:

Thursday 26 June from 5:00 - 7:30pm

- Attend presentations including: The Principal's Welcome Talk, Apprenticeships, T Levels and Higher Education
- . Chat 1:1 with our tutors across a range of Full-time and Part-time courses
- · Enjoy a guided tour of our state-of-the-art facilities
- . Discover more about Apprenticeships. Higher Education and T Levels
- · Speak to specialist advisers to discuss Additional Learning Support
- Talk to our finance and bursary advisers for up-to-date advice on Financial Support
- Find out more about our exciting new GCSE re-sit programme and Animal Management Level 1 course.

Please use this <u>link</u> to book a ticket for 25th February
Please use this <u>link</u> to book a ticket for 26th June

Homework In Science - Year 7 Students

Homework in Science for Y7-11 is now being set using an online platform called Carousel Learning. Your child's Science teacher(s) will be setting regular Carousel Learning homework, and may also set other homework in addition to this (e.g. past paper exam questions).

Your child will be set homework viewable on the MCAS and student app, with a link to click to take them through to their Carousel Learning homework task.

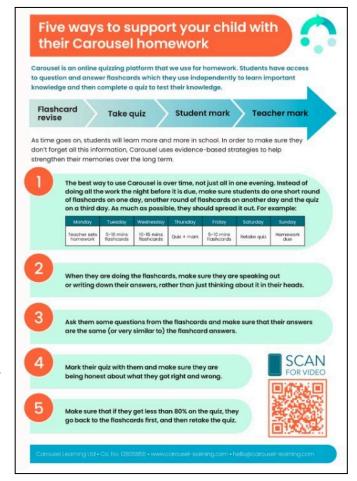
They do not require a username or password to access the website, they simply log in using their name. Below is a guide on how best to support your child with getting the most from this platform. Please note we endeavour to leave a reasonable period of time between homework being set and due, but in some cases this may be less than a week, in which case the suggested schedule below will need to be shortened.

The QR code will take you to this website

Boost Your Memory and Improve Results: an introd...

Andy Blackmore

Curriculum Team Leader for Science
ablackmore@sackvilleschool.org.uk



Medication, Illness and Vaccines

Medication

To ensure that we continue to support students when they are unwell, we need to make sure our records are up-to-date. As a school we will continue to administer ad-hoc medication as per the consent slip you have completed. If you wish for this to change, please contact the relevant year team. Should your child be diagnosed with any new medical condition please contact us. In addition, should your child's medical condition change (i.e., they no longer need to use their inhaler) please contact their community team.

We will continue to provide the support and medical assistance you have already agreed to unless we hear from you.

Illness

In order to keep the more vulnerable members of our school community safe, a reminder to inform the school if your child contracts any of the following: Chickenpox, Shingles, Measles or Mumps. Please call the relevant community office, thank you in advance.

Vaccinations

Just a reminder of the following vaccination dates for this year as below:

Monday 3 February 2025 - Meningitis ACWY and Td/Pv for Year 9 (x2 vaccinations one in each arm) Friday 11 July 2025 - HPV vaccination for Year 8

The consent will be online and details will be sent out 4-6 weeks prior to these dates. If you have any queries please contact the immunisation team on 01273 696011 ext 2043.

Lost Property



Please could you ensure that all items of school uniform, PE kits and pencil cases are labelled. This will make reuniting property a lot faster, easier and more successful.

We are trialling a new system to help get unlabelled lost property back to students, we have a google document that is updated regularly with any garments that find their way to the lost property, if you believe an item is something you are looking for, please

contact Mrs Hill (shill@sackvilleschool.org.uk).

Lost Property Itinerary - as of Friday 24 January 2025.

We advise that if students ever lose any uniform or property then they should visit their community office after they have checked with Mrs Hill if their property has been handed in.

External Clubs, Services and Events

Mind Parenting Course - West Sussex





Candlelit Concert



Inter School Equestrian Event

Please find the link here for the poster offering information for this event on Sunday 23 March 2025 at Felbridge Showground, RH19 2NU

Kings Centre



WSCC Drop In Clinic



Unite Fitness Gym



TeamForge



Visit <u>www.questmentoring/</u> <u>teamforge</u> to apply and get more information.

Here is the <u>link</u> for more information on this event.

East Grinstead Volunteer Fair



External Sports Clubs and Events

Cricket







Art Of The Week



Pop Art Still Life by Phoebe Jempson 9FSH (Turing)



Pop Art Still Life by Eva Peaty 9HMY (Yousafzai)

Safeguarding

As always, if you are aware or have any worries regarding the safety of our students then contact our safeguarding team. Contact details below:

Safeguarding Leads:

Mr Millican - amillican@sackvilleschool.org.uk

Mr Street - pstreet@sackvilleschool.org.uk

Mrs Steer - asteer@sackvilleschool.org.uk

Mrs Flude - dflude@sackvilleschool.org.uk

Safeguarding Team:

Mr Endersby - iendersby@sackvilleschool.org.uk

Mrs Hunt - shunt@sackvilleschool.org.uk

Mr Pearson - jpearson@sackvilleschool.org.uk

Mrs Valentine - hvalentine@sackvilleschool.org.uk

Mr Dupoy - jdupoy@sackvilleschool.org.uk

Mr Cowlin - pcowlin@sackvilleschool.org.uk

Mrs Bull - sbull@sackvilleschool.org.uk

Mr Vallally-Godfrey - avallallygodfrey@sackvilleschool.org.uk



MAMHET

MULTI-AGENCY MENTAL HEALTH EDUCATION TRIAGE (MAMHET) The MAMHET brings together professionals to help identify and respond to presentations of children in mainstream secondary schools and Alternative Provision Colleges (WSAPC) where the school are concerned about the child's emotional health and the potential risk of suicide.

Please follow the link to read about the referral pathway: MAMHET

