

**Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> April 2026**

### **Whole School**

- Need to learn how to release stress, improve focus or build emotional resilience? Join Wellbeing Wednesdays! Takes place Wednesday lunchtime in RM135. For more information, make contact with Miss MacPhee.
- Do you just adore boardgames? Join the Boardgame Club! Takes place Thursday lunchtime in RM135. For more information, make contact with Miss MacPhee.
- As you know, we are now in the exam diet. From now until 1 June, pupils in S4, S5 and S6 will be sitting the exams that reflect a year of hard work and commitment. These are important moments for them, and everyone in our school community has a part to play in supporting their success. **What we need from you: Follow all signage and instructions.** If areas are blocked off or marked as silent, please respect this fully. Do not move barriers, try to pass through them or talk in these spaces. A brief moment of noise for you can make a real difference to someone sitting an exam. **Take care around key exam areas.** The MPH and Room 231 are used frequently. Do not pass through the barriers outside the MPH—please use the alternative route. If you need to move past Room 213, do so silently and quickly. **Be alert on busy exam days.** On some days, exams will take place in rooms across the school. Look out for signs and respond immediately to any staff instructions to keep noise to a minimum. Thank you for your cooperation, respect, and support. By working together, we can ensure our senior pupils have the calm and focused environment they need to perform at their best.

### **S1**

- Yearn for adventure? Join the S1 Dungeons & Dragons Club! Takes place Monday lunchtime in RM135. For more information, make contact with Miss MacPhee or Mr Boa.
- S1 and S2 are invited to take part in the Science Department's termly poster competition! This term's theme is...**The Science of Summertime.** Create a poster that explores the scientific ideas behind what you are passionate about or enjoy doing – this could include topics such as:
  - The chemistry behind ice cream!
  - The biology behind hay fever!
  - The physics behind UV radiation!

Posters should be in your own words, creative, and factually accurate. 🖼️ Find posters with more detail in the Science corridor. 📅 **Deadline:** Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> May 2026 🏆 Gold, Silver and Bronze Prizes will be awarded for the most original, scientifically accurate and well-presented entries.

- **Science 1B Newton Rooms Trip: Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> 2026 (P1 to P5)** Attend P1 to be registered, then go to straight to the canteen. Bring a snack and a drink in your bag. You are representing the school, so **uniforms must be worn**, and **you must be on your best behaviour**.

## **S2**

- Yearn for adventure? Join the S2 Dungeons & Dragons Club! Takes place Tuesday lunchtime in RM135. For more information, make contact with Miss MacPhee or Mr Boa.
- If any pupil attending the Alton Towers trip missed the meeting on Friday please collect a permission form asap - S2 pupils from Ms Davidson in room 235
- S1 and S2 are invited to take part in the Science Department's termly poster competition! This term's theme is...**The Science of Summertime**. Create a poster that explores the scientific ideas behind what you are passionate about or enjoy doing – this could include topics such as:
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