

YEAR 10 News LETTER

SUMMER 2023

Farewell Year 10 and Hello Year 11 Students!

This has been a very busy term with lots of new experiences and information for you!

Your PPEs went well and were a great experience for the 'real deal' this time next year. Hopefully you used this time wisely, studying at home as well as revising in school, preparing yourself mentally and physically for the pressure of sitting exams.

As you receive your results, hopefully you will see the impact of that preparation and reflect on any areas you feel require more revision or learning to best succeed next year.

This term you experienced what it is like to be on a job interview with various companies from Peterborough and beyond. We received some excellent feedback and the interviewers were very impressed!

There have been trips this term to enrich your learning in subjects; a Geography trip to Hunstanton, a trip to look at construction and a Science trip to Cambridge among others. Our King's Coronation celebration was a great time and I was pleased with how you all got involved and had a lovely afternoon off timetable.

Yet to come is the Dorset Walk, a super event shared with other schools to raise money for the Malcolm Whales Foundation, as well as Activity Day which is thoroughly enjoyed by both staff and students.



Some of the big changes this term include the behaviour policy and Roll Call. We are very keen for you to be successful and following policies and getting your standards right will help you with this. These changes will continue into the new academic year. We have a change to the timings of the day from September. Please familiarise yourselves with these so you are ready upon your return.

Another big change for you is a new tutor team. Your new tutors will be:

- 11-1 Mrs Farrell
- 11-2 Mr Dube
- 11-3 Mr Morrissey / Mrs Barben
- 11-4 Mrs Perkins
- 11-5 Mrs Chalmers / Mrs Smith
- 11-6 Mrs Neelam
- 11-7 Miss Dosworth
- 11-8 Mr Choto
- 11-9 Mr B Delve

Timings of the day for Upper School	
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Intervention / Roll Call	8:45 - 9:00
Unit 1	9:00 - 9:55
Unit 2	9:55 - 10:55
Whole school Break	10:55 - 11:15
Unit 3	11:20 - 12:15
Unit 4	12:15 - 13:15
Pastoral	13:15 - 13:45
Break	13:45 - 14:15
Unit 5	14:20 - 15:15

Your Year Team remains the same with myself and Mrs Pierce but we will have the addition of Mr Conor as Deputy Head of Year. We will all be working hard together, along with your teachers, to ensure you do the very best you can in your exams and as you think about your education beyond Year 11.

I would like to take this opportunity to give a MASSIVE THANKS to your current form tutors who have been a wonderful support to you all this year and for some for the past 4 years! I hope you have all had the opportunity to say goodbye to them although most of you will continue to see around school. Unfortunately for us, Mr Harrington and Miss Marley are moving on to pastures new and will be sorely missed. We wish them both the very best of luck with their new endeavours. Finally, I would like to wish you all a very happy and restful summer break. I hope you manage to have a lot of fun, try new things and stay safe. Myself and Mrs Pierce look forward to seeing you all refreshed and well in September.

Take care of yourselves and each other.

Miss Sothmann
Head of Year 10

