



Highcliffe School Student Bulletin

Monday 19th – Friday 23rd March 2018: Week A

General Notices

Charity Netball Game (MWR)

On Friday 23rd March (during lunch), the staff and sixth formers are competing in a battle of the sexes netball game. This is a charity event so please bring some money to donate. This will be taking place on the netball courts at 1.30pm.

Cholet 2018 French Exchange (LKL)

There will be a Parents Information Evening in the Chapel at **Ballard School** at 5.45pm for approximately an hour on Wednesday 21st March. All students taking part in the exchange should attend with a parent, guardian or adult representative, please.

Year 8 Dance Performance Group Final Round of Auditions (AWS)

Your last chance to audition for this performance group will be during lunchtime on Wednesday 21st March. If you dance outside of school and are grade 4 or above in any style you have an automatic invitation to this company. So please come along to our first rehearsal and find out about workshop and performance opportunities coming up in the summer term.

The first rehearsal is on Tuesday 17th April after school until 4:15 in the dance studio.

Mrs Wills

Year 11 Science Booster sessions (RCN)

Date	Year 11 Open Session
March 20 th 2018	Physics Sc6
March 27 th 2018	Biology Sc4
EASTER	
April 17 th 2018	Biology Sc4
April 24 th 2018	Biology Sc4
May 1 st 2018	Biology Sc4
May 8 th 2018	Biology Sc4
May 15 th 2018	Skills Sc10
May 22 nd 2018	Skills Sc1
HALF TERM	

Science Booster Change of Date

Students attending the Year 11 Chemistry Masterclass (Grades 7-9) - Invite Only on Tuesday 20th March.

This Booster has now been changed to Wednesday 21st March in Sc7. Please sign up as normal.

Artisan

Do you have a budding performer at home?

THIS EASTER, join in the fun with Artisan Theatre School...

'Revolting Children' (Inspired from Roald Dahl's 'Matilda')

Act, Dance, Sing!

Perform an entire show in just 4 days!

Ages: 4-16 years old

When: Tuesday 3rd April - Friday 6th April

Times: Full day 9am-3pm/Half Day 9am-12pm

Cost: Full day £30 / Half Day £15

** EARLY BIRD DISCOUNT ** Book your child's place before 28/02 and receive 10% off!

Get in touch to book your place

Contact: Samantha - 07752061382/ office@artisantheatreschool.com



Music Notices

Day	Lunch	After school
Monday	Percussion club Ex3 All years welcome Creative use of Music Technology Ex5 All years welcome	
Tuesday	Highcliffe Choir and choir band Ex2 All years welcome	
Wednesday	Ukulele Club Ex2 Guitar Club Ex3 All years welcome Musical Theatre Choir Ex1 All years welcome	Creative use of Music Technology Ex5 All years welcome
Thursday	Senior Choir Ex5 - Audition only Music Theory Ex2 All years welcome	
Friday	Concert band Ex3 Grade 3+ on your instrument Jamming Club Ex2 All years welcome	

PE Notices

FIXTURES/PRACTICES 19 th -23 rd March		
	LUNCHTIME (1.25-1.55pm)	AFTER SCHOOL (3.05-4.10pm)
Monday	Year 7 Basketball Club (NJS)	U13 Girls Football Dorset Schools Games Finals @ David English (HWH) ALL DAY
Tuesday	Year 10/11 Football (SHM)	Year 9 Rugby v Priestlands (A) (JDN) Year 9/10/11 Netball v TH (A) (MWR) Table Tennis Club Year 7 Rugby Training (NJS)
Wednesday	Year 8 Basketball Club (NJS)	Year 7 & 8 Netball v BSG (H) (HWH) 6th form Football v Twynham (A) (SHM) NO Netball Club
Thursday		Year 9/10/11 Netball v Twynham (H) (MWR) Girls Rugby Club (WES) Year 7 Rugby Training (NJS)
Friday	Staff & Sixth Form Charity Netball Game Johoku v highcliffe Basketball Match	Year 10 Rugby Sevens @ Wareham RFC (JDN) Leave 11am

The Best Words. In the Best Place.

This week's "Word of the Week" is ...

Austerity

What does "austerity" mean? Does it mean ...?

- 1/ A period in which the government cuts public expenditure making for difficult economic conditions
- 2/ Something that looks like it comes from Australia
- 3/ Having a feeling of power

Answer:

The answer is 1. It is a noun.

Examples:

Times are hard for people in this period of **austerity**.

The government **austerity** measures mean that there is little money to repair roads.

Critical Thinking:

Why might a government introduce **austerity** measures?

What are the advantages and disadvantages of such a policy?

Commendation Opportunities:

You might understand the meaning of this word now, but can you use it?

Try and use this word in class in writing or in speech. You might get commended for an effective use of it!

Break-through commendation: If you use it incorrectly first time, but try again, you might receive a break-through commendation!