



Highcliffe School Student Bulletin

Monday 28th January - Friday 1st February 2013: **Week A**

Thought For The Week:

If you learn from defeat, you haven't really lost." - Zig Ziglar

Literacy Focus: Horrible Homophones

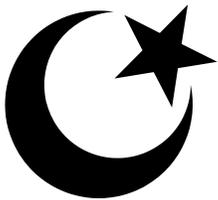
Here are some homophones that are often confused. Which is correct?

Where do you live? or Wear do you live?

Year 8 Geography students! As you know the **Year 8 exams** are fast approaching. Please make sure that you revise for your exam which will be on the following:

Ecosystems and their locations around the world	The climate of different ecosystems	The rainforest - location, climate, vegetation, animals and destruction.
Natural disasters - The structure of the Earth	Plate tectonics and how they move	Deforestation of the rainforest.

If you need any extra information please ask you Geography teacher.



Year 8 Students - RP Exam: Your RP examination will take place on Thursday 31st January. You will be examined on **Islam**. To revise, you should look at all of the work you did last term on Islam. In addition there is a revision worksheet which can be found on the shared documents. Go to: Shared documents > Humanities > Religious Education > At the bottom is a PDF document 'Yr 8 Islam revision'.

Year 10 Ski Trip to Pila February 2013: Please bring in passports and Ehic cards to Miss Alldis in Ma4 this week. Check they are in date as well before handing them in!

A message to all year groups: The **Mary Glasgow MFL magazines** are now ready to collect from the Library. If you subscribed, please collect your magazine from Mrs Nagel-Smith as soon as possible.

Dance Club: Years 7 and 8 - After-school Thursdays (3.15pm - 4.15pm) - in the Dance Studio - come along and have fun learning new dance routines this term. Bring your PE kit! See you there, Miss Barrett and Mrs Wills!



ICT room changes: If you are taught by Mr Clement you will now be in room IT2 and if you are taught by Mr Coughlan you will now be in IT4.

Instrumental Music teaching January 2013:

Day	Room	Instrument
Monday 8.40am - 10.10am	Ex1a	Violin
Tuesday 10.00am-1.20pm	Ex1a	piano
Tuesday 8.40am -3.00pm	Ex1b	Voice
Wednesday 9.00am - 3.00pm	Ex1a/ Ex1b	Guitar
Thursday 1.00am -3.00pm	Studio	Drums

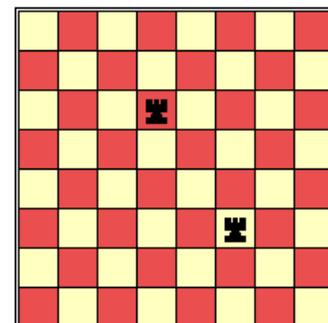
Year 10 Maths Edexcel Unit 2 revision plan: Tuesday 3.05pm - 4.05pm. In the maths huts, posters will be up to say which rooms to go to! **Year 11 re-sitters are also welcome to attend.**

Unit 2 Higher	Unit 2 Foundation
Session 2: Tuesday 5 th February 2013 Algebra	Session 2: Tuesday 5 th February 2013 Algebra
Session 3: Tuesday 12 th February 2013 Graphs	Session 3: Tuesday 12 th February 2013 Sequences & Graphs
Session 4: Tuesday 26 th February 2013 Angles, area, volume, surface area & circle theorems	Session 4: Tuesday 26 th February 2013 Angles, Perimeter, Area, Volume, & Surface Area

Numeracy Challenge:

How Many Squares?

How many squares, of any size, can you find on this chess board which do not contain a rook?



Answers to be placed in the box in MA7 by 1.20pm on Friday 1st February.

The first correct answer drawn will win a prize!

The winner of the 'How many in the Photograph?' challenge was Mrs Riley in the Upper School Office - well done!

Music Department Extra-Curricular Activities

Day	Lunch Time	After School
Monday 	<u>Theory Club: Ex5</u> For all GCSE/6 th formers needing help with their music theory. Come along at 1.30pm in Ex5.	- 
Tuesday	<u>Guitar Club: Ex2</u> For all guitarists and ukuleles at any level. If you can play a chord or more come along at 1.30pm in Ex2.	<u>The Highcliffe Harmonics: Ex3</u> For those who want to be part of the Christmas Concert and can commit to rehearsing, come along at 3.15pm – 4.00pm in Ex3.
Wednesday	-	-
Thursday	<u>BTEC Ensemble: Ex3</u> For all BTEC students who are wanting to rehearse their ensemble coursework. Come along at 1.30pm in Ex3.	
Friday	-	-

I WONDER ...

If we move the entire school and everything and everybody in it to Africa, would it still be the same school?

PE DEPARTMENT

EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

PLEASE CHECK PE WHITEBOARD FOR CHANGES OF FIXTURES & CLUBS



	LUNCHTIME	AFTER SCHOOL
MONDAY	1.25pm - 1.55pm Year 8 Basketball Club (SHM)	3.05pm - 4.10pm
TUESDAY	1.25pm - 1.55pm Year 10/11 Fitness Club (NJS)	3.05pm - 4.10pm Year 7 & 8 Girls' Football Club (CFM) <i>it is vital you attend as the team will be picked from training.</i> Year 9 Football vs BCS (A) (NJS)
WEDNESDAY	1.25pm - 1.55pm Years 10/11 Basketball Club (SHM)	3.05pm - 4.10pm Years 9 & 10 Volleyball Club Year 7 & 8 Netball Club (MWR & LSN) Year 7 Football vs BCS (H) (GMT) Year 8 Football (A) (JPO) 6 th form Football vs Arnewood (A)
THURSDAY	1.25pm - 1.55pm Year 10/11 Fitness Club (NJS)	3.05pm - 4.10pm Year 8 Boys' football club (JPO) Year 7 Basketball Club (JDN) Year 11 football vs BCS (A) (SHM) Year 7 Girls football Dorset School Games @ Littledown Centre (A)
FRIDAY		