



Highcliffe School Student Bulletin

Monday 31st March - Friday 4th April 2014: Week A

Thought For The Week:

Live as if you were to die tomorrow. Learn as if you were to live forever. Mahatma Gandhi

Literacy Focus: DEAR -

Well done this week with DEAR! It's great to see so many of you regularly reading. Let's get it 100% this week! Why not get something out of the library for the Easter break? Thank you.



The Governors are pleased to announce that following the two day interview process, Mr Patrick Earnshaw was appointed as the new Headteacher of Highcliffe School in September 2014.

The Governors appreciated the contribution made by the students and for making the applicants welcome. The candidates were very impressed with the student panel and the student tour guides.

Mr Earnshaw is an experienced Headteacher currently leading a large, high-performing, 11 to 18 secondary school in a market town setting in the north west of England. He has family and friends in Dorset and Hampshire. We look forward to welcoming Mr Earnshaw to Highcliffe School!

Johoku Visit: A big thank you to the students for all your help with the Johoku students. They have been really pleased and impressed with the warm and friendly welcome. They liked the way Highcliffe students said, "Konnichi-wa" to them in the corridor. Mr Bryden.

Maths boosters for year 11: Foundation and higher maths linear GCSE boosters start on the first day back after Easter. Students will be split according to tier of entry and group. Posters will be up in all of the maths huts and your teachers will tell you which room you need to go to. The first 5 sessions will be a mixture of graded topics and questions. The last session will be a drop in session for students bring along any questions they have and to have a go at some exam questions.

Tuesday 22nd April, 29th April, 6th May, 13th May, 20th May and 3rd June

There will be a drop in session with Mr Edmonds for those sitting the algebra level 3 paper on Monday 28th April in Ma5.

Music trip to Paris: There is an important meeting for all students who are attending the Music Paris trip during Activities Week on Monday. This will start at 1.30pm in EX5. It is compulsory that you attend!



Good luck to the Year 7, 8 and 9 students who are participating in the indoor rowing finals in the Dorset School Games on Wednesday 2nd April! If you are involved, please remember to come to the gym at 11.00am. We should be returning to school approx. 5.45pm. Bring some lunch and refreshments and warm clothing for when you are not competing.



'Bookies' Book Club
Easter Fun and Games
Competition & Prizes!

Friday 4th April
 11am Brunch
 In the Library

New Members Welcome

The poster features a blue background with yellow text. On the left, there is a colorful illustration of a rabbit, flowers, and Easter eggs. The text is arranged in a clear, bold font.



Congratulations to Lauren Rogers (8-1), who has raised over £100 for Sport Relief by taking part in a sponsored swim on Saturday 22nd March!

Sixth Form BTEC Acting students will be performing in an improvisation event on Wednesday 23rd April at 3.30pm in the Performance Hall. Tickets are £1.50 available from Mrs McGrath and all proceeds will be donated to Help for Heroes.

Music Activities this week:

Monday	Year 7 All Boys' Choir - Ex2 - 1.30pm - 2.00pm
Tuesday	Highcliffe Harmonics main school choir - Ex3 - 3.05pm - 4.00pm
	Cubase Club: Year 8-11 current & future music technology students - Ex5 - 1.30pm - 2.00pm
Wednesday	Ukulele Club - Ex2 - 3.15pm - 4.00pm
	Jazz Band - Ex3 - 3.15pm - 4.00pm
	Cubase Club: Year 8-11 current & future music technology students - Ex5 - 1.30pm - 2.00pm
Thursday	GCSE Music coursework intervention - Ex5 - 3.05 - 4.00pm

Numeracy Challenge: Problem

Find the smallest multiple of nine containing only even digits.

Answers to be placed in the box in MA7 by 1.20pm on Friday 4th April 2014.

The first correct answer drawn will win a prize!

P.E. FIXTURES/PRACTICES

(Please check the PE board at the start of each week)

	LUNCHTIME	AFTER SCHOOL
Monday	Year 10&11 Fitness Club	Year 8 Basketball Dorset School Games Finals 9.00am (JDN)
Tuesday	Year 10 & 11 indoor football	YEAR 7 COUNTY CUP FOOTBALL FINAL v St. Peters KO 2.30pm (A) (JPO & NJS) TOWN CUP FOOTBALL FINALS Year 7-8 Girls' Football v St Peters (H) (CFM) Year 10 Duke Of Edinburgh
Wednesday	Year 11 GCSE Fitness Circuits catch up (Gym) Year 10 & 11 Fitness Club	GCSE PRACTICAL ASSESSMENTS ALL DAY YEAR 7,8 7 9 Rowing Dorset School Games Finals 11.00am (A) (MWR & JPO) U16 Girls' Football county cup v BSG (H) (CFM)
Thursday	6 th Form indoor football league	GCSE PRACTICAL ASSESSMENTS ALL DAY TOWN CUP FOOTBALL FINALS Year 7 & 8 Girls' Football v Grange (H) (CFM)
Friday	Year 9 Boys' indoor football	GCSE PRACTICAL ASSESSMENTS ALL DAY YEAR 11 GCSE Booster Class MA1 (CFM)

I WONDER... How many atoms are there in a Brussel sprout?