

29 September 2023



We held our Biennial Inspection of our Combined Cadet Force this week and it was a wonderful occasion! Please <u>click here</u> to read the full news story and see the pictures from the day.

Sixth Form Parents' Evenings and grade cards

Sixth Form parents evenings are coming up very soon. Year 13 will have their Parents' evening on Tuesday 3 October from 5.30-7.30pm. Year 12 will have their Parents' evening on Wednesday 11 October from 5.30-7.30pm. All parents will have received a letter inviting them to Parents' evenings. Grade cards for Y13 have been emailed to parents and published on the parent portal today. Year 12 grade cards will be emailed and on the parent portal on Monday 9 October

Y13 Geography visit to Juniper Hall



Our Year 13 Geographers arrived at Juniper Hall today and immediately started work, both inside and outside. Early reports are that they have thrown themselves into this residential trip and Mrs Andrew and Mr Hawkins have been very impressed with them, as has the residential tutor. Keep up the great work!



PTA Fireworks Saturday 14 October

Mr Hope is looking for Year 12 and Year 13 volunteers to help with car parking and catering. Many of our Y13 school leaders will be there to help and any Year 12s who have aspirations to become school leaders will find that assisting at key fundraising events like this will really help when it comes to submitting applications later in the year.

It will take place at Claires Court Juniors (SL6 4QQ) with gates opening from 5pm. There will be a discount for tickets bought in advance



Important Information

Absence reporting - Please report all absences to the school office before 8.45am either on 01628 327560, or by email to

sixthform@clairescourt.com

Information on what to wear in Sixth Form may be found <u>here</u> The Key Information booklet on Sixth Form can be found <u>here</u>

Principal's Blog

Please do read Mr Wilding's blog A Principled view here

Insight to PwC - Flying start degree programmes, Work experience, Internship & apprenticeship opportunities

We have our first Big 4 Event of the year kicking off on Monday 2 October with PwC, 5pm - 6pm! This insight event will be to showcase all the

opportunities PwC have on offer for students this year including their Flying Start Degree Programmes and Work Experience opportunities. PwC offer some of the very best school leaver opportunities in the space in Business, Accounting, Technology and Consulting.

Secure Your Spot: https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/PwcFlyingStart

General or Specialised Engineering at Uni? University Insights for KS5 - Sheffield & Nottingham - Tuesday 10 October

On Tuesday 10 October, we welcome sixth form students interested in Engineering and contemplating, 'Should I do a General Engineering course or should I specialise?'

In this session we will focus on both general and specialised Engineering degrees and how students might navigate the wealth of opportunities to make a decision that is right for them.

We will be joined by Dr David Hargreaves from the Faculty of Engineering at Nottingham and Dr Andy Nichols from The University of Sheffield, along with undergraduates, who will discuss the academic content of their modules, bring to life how undergraduates are taught, and explore the question of general versus specialised.

 October 10 @ 16:15 - 17:15 Engineering - General vs Specialism
- University Insights - Sheffield & Nottingham (KS5) <u>Find out</u> <u>more »</u> [NEW]