# Friday 7 October Issue no. 158



### Weekly Bulletin – Keeping you informed!

**Dates for Diaries!** 

Date	Who	Detail, Timing and Venue	
W/C 10 October	Year 12	Assessment Week	
11 October	Year 11	Pre PPE Maths Exam	
12 October	Year 11	Sixth Form Open Evening – 5.45pm Year 11 Data Collection published online	
3 November	Year 11	Preparation for Success Evening – 5.30pm	

## Sixth Form Open Evening – Wednesday 12 October 2022

Our Sixth Form Open Evening will take place on Wednesday 12 October 2022 at 5.30pm. All Year 11 Students will have received a Sixth Form prospectus from their tutors this week. The online application process will open on Monday 17 October 2022.



### **Careers** Fair

Kings Academy Careers Fair will take place on Wednesday 19 October 2022. We will have approximately 30 employers from a wide range of industries joining us and our students for the day. This is a great opportunity for students to broaden their career thinking and discuss different career possibilities. Our event is open to Parents and Carers from 3.15pm until 5.00pm at Kings Fitness and Leisure.

### Year 11 Revision Sessions

Subject revision sessions for Year 11 will commence on Monday 10 October 2022. Once students have met with their mentors, parents/carers will be able to view their child's revision sessions on the Parent Evening booking system. We advise parents/carers to check both over the weekend and towards the end of next week to see the individual bookings that have been added. We thank you in advance for supporting students in attending these sessions.

### Year 13 Reports

Year 13 grade reports are now available to view on Firefly. If you have any problems logging into your Firefly account, please email the office.

### Date for your Diary

We will be holding a Year 11 Preparation for Success Evening on Thursday 3 November 2022. More information to follow.



Our values

**'Kings' Principles of PRIDE'** 

'Blessed are those who have not seen yet believe' (John 20:24-29 ESV)

> Theme of the Week Name Word of the Week Nationality

### PRIDE

Positivity and Perseverance, Respect and Reconciliation, Integrity and Innovation, Democracy and Diplomacy, Equality and Empathy.

Where our values give us pride to believe and succeed!

# **Current Job Vacancies**

We are currently looking for Teacher of Social Sciences

To apply for any of these positions, please follow the link <u>here</u>

# **Exam Invigilators**

We are seeking to appoint Examination Invigilators to provide efficient and effective invigilation, supporting the work of the Examinations Department by supervising candidates in both internal and external examinations. To apply for this position, please follow the link <u>here</u>

# **Term Dates 2022/23**

Term dates for 2022/23 can be found here

**Parent Calendar** 

can be found here



## Year 9 Flu Vaccinations

The Somerset Immunisation Team is visiting Kings on Tuesday 17 January 2023. Please follow the link <u>here</u> to the letter from the Immunisation Team which includes the e-consent form link.

## Sports Results

U14 Boys' Football Vs Writhlington - Won 4-1 – Goal scorers were Archie and Dillion with 3 and player of the match was Dillion.

U14 Girls' Football Vs Westfield – Won 10-0 – Goal scorers were Verity 3, Bonnie 3, Abbie 2 and Evie. Player of the match was Evie.

#### Your Voice Counts 126 Bus Route

We are aware of the disruption being caused by the changes and cancellation of the 126-bus route and have been in contact with local MPs to raise this concern. If this is having an impact on your child/ren, we would encourage you to let your MP know, and help us raise awareness.

### Uniform and Equipment

All lower school students are expected to be in full Academy uniform every day, with a school bag and correct equipment to ensure they are ready to learn.

Sports Clubs - Term 1	
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Monday	Netball	Year 9 to 11 Girls and	Sports Field
		Boys	
Tuesday	Rugby	Year 9 to 11 Girls and	Sports Field
		Boys	
Wednesday	Hockey	Year 9 to 11 Girls and	Astro Pitch
		Boys	
Thursday	Football	Year 9 to 11 Girls and	Sports Field
		Boys	

### **Recycling Uniform**

We recognise students quickly grow out of their uniform, requiring regular replacements. If you have old items of uniform which are in good condition, please would you consider donating them to school so that we can help other families. If you would like to donate uniform, please bring the items into school and leave them in the box in Reception.

### Free School Meals – Somerset Schools

Applications for Free School Meals are processed by Somerset County Council and can be made online <u>here</u>. If you are successful in your application, the Academy will be notified by Somerset County Council and your child will have a daily credit applied to their account to enable them to collect food at the Kings Café.

### Community News

### Cheddar Valley Foodbank

The Cheddar Valley Foodbank is available to help families who may need extra support. Their location, email address, opening hours and further information can be located <u>here</u>. If you would like foodbank vouchers please contact the school by email <u>rmotion@kowessex.co.uk</u> or by phone 01934 742608.

### Somerset County Council – training sessions

The Somerset County Council is running Self Harm Awareness training sessions for Parents, Carers and Family members. All courses are delivered virtually online, either on MS Teams or Zoom. For more information please follow the link <u>here.</u>



