

Weekly Bulletin – Keeping you informed!

Dates for Diaries!

Date	Who	Detail, Timing and Venue
20 – 29 November	Year 13	Pre-Public Exams
20 November – 1 December	Year 11	MFL Speaking Exams
22 November	Year 11	Sixth Form Induction Day
30 November and 1 December	Year 9 - 11	Flu Vaccinations
4 – 8 December	All	Charities Week
6 December	Year 11	Sixth Form Music Open Evening – 6pm – The Corrick
7 December	Year 11	Parents’ Evening – 4pm
11 December	All	Christmas Jumper Day

Charities Week – 4 December – 8 December 2023

Our ‘famous’ annual Charities Week is finally here and is a Kings’ tradition that has run every year since the early 1990s! It’s a week jam-packed full of events and activities to raise money for our selected charities, which this year, are UNICEF and The Space. The events will be running during break and lunchtimes and to gain access to ALL of these, students will need to purchase a wristband – **only 250 available! Wristbands cost £5.**



More information to follow with regards to purchasing the Wristbands

Kings’ Sixth Form Applications - 2024



To secure your child’s Sixth Form place for 2024, please encourage them to submit their application form by clicking [here](#). Copies of the prospectus are available to download from the website.

The Sixth Form Taster Day will be on Wednesday 22 November 2023.

Sixth Form Music Evening – 6 December 2023

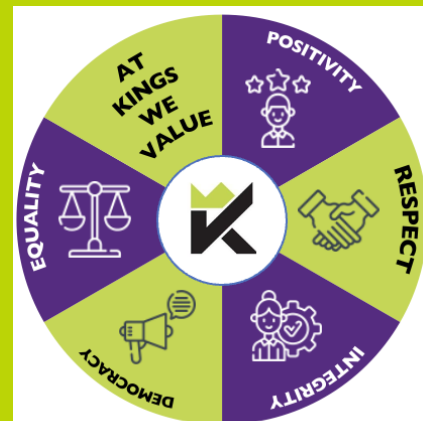
We are delighted to be able to confirm the date for Kings’ Sixth Music Open Evening. If your child is interested in studying A Level Music and would like further details on the available courses, and what they entail, then please come along. There will be a music performance at 6pm along with mince pies and mocktails for all guests.

Flu Vaccinations

We sent a letter to all Parents/Carers of students in Years 9, 10 and 11 with regards to Flu Vaccinations. Please see below link for further information please [click here](#).

Year 11 Revision Timetable

From **Monday 9 October to Friday 24 November 2023** Year 11 revision sessions will take place. For more information, please click [here](#). If you would like to book your child on to any of the sessions, please email Mrs Czajkowski on PCzajkowski@kovessex.co.uk.



KINGS CORE VALUES

Where our values give us pride to believe and succeed

Theme of the Week

Friendship

Word of the Week

Agape

Current Vacancies

Teacher of Humanities (Maternity Cover)

Teacher of Mathematics (Maternity Cover)

Teacher of Computer Science and Digital Media

Exam Invigilator

Governor

For more information please [click here](#)

Term Dates for 2023/24 can be found here: [Kings Academy](#)

[\(kovessex.co.uk\)](http://kovessex.co.uk)

Parent Calendar can be found [here](#)



Year 11 Prom – date for your diary

Our Year 11 Prom will be held on **Thursday 4 July 2024** at The Batch Country House. More information to follow.



Santa Family Fun Run – Saturday 16 December 2023

A family fun run/walk with a festive twist – If you would like to take part and raise money for a worthy cause, please register by clicking [here](#). All entrants aged 14 and over will receive a complimentary Santa suit, and for those aged 13 and under, there will be a best Elf / Santa Fancy Dress Competition. Each entrant will receive a medal, and a drink and mince pie for completing the run.



Governor Vacancy

We have opportunities for people to become a Governor here at the Academy. We are very keen to see what skill sets people can offer. No school experience is particularly needed. The role of a governor would be to support school leaders with your skill set and be the checks and balances. For more information please click [here](#) or alternatively please contact PMatthews@kowessex.co.uk.

Giles Hicks – Drum Jam 6

Saturday 16 December 2023 – 6.30pm at Kings Academy.

Doors open from 6pm – Adults: £12 and Children: £6. **Tickets to be purchased on the door only.** Up to 100 drummers on stage as well as special guest performers! Come along and enjoy a vibrant, festive drumming performance!



ClassCharts

ClassCharts is our online system and available to download as an APP. We encourage parents to use this, as it is a very valuable tool that we use to communicate students' progress, behaviour, and homework tasks, so that you are always updated. If your child is **absent**, it must be reported to the Academy via ClassCharts, or by emailing absence@kowessex.co.uk.



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 [here](#). If you would like foodbank vouchers please contact Ruth Motion on RMotion@kowessex.co.uk or by phone 01934 742608.



Kings 16-19 Bursary Fund

The **16-19 Bursary Fund** is a scheme to provide financial support with educational-related costs for students facing financial hardship. For more information, please click [here](#).