

## Weekly Bulletin – Keeping you informed!

### Dates for Diaries!



Date	Who	Detail, Timing and Venue
25 March	Year 11 /13	School Photographs
25 – 28 March	All	Easter Church Services
27 March	All	Employability Skills Day
28 March	All	Students break up for Easter
29 March – 14 April	All	Easter Holidays
15 April	All	All students return to the Academy
16 April	Year 12/13	Biology Trip to 'We the Curious'
23 April	Year 11, 12 and 13	Exam Success Parent Information Evening – 6.00pm - Hall
23 April	Year 9	Summer Showcase – 6pm - Kings' Theatre
25 April	Year 10	Parents' Evening

### **Cyber Attack**

Please see the latest update from Mr Wiltshire attached [here](#).

To stay up to date with live communications, please like/follow us on Facebook, X (formally Twitter) and Instagram.

### **Year 11 and Year 13 School Photographs**

School Photographs will take place on **Monday 25 March 2024** for both Year 11 and Year 13 students.



### **School Lockers**

Our Site Team will be deep cleaning all lockers during the Easter holidays, therefore, please remind your child that they need to clear out their locker before **Thursday 28 March 2024** and take home any belongings.



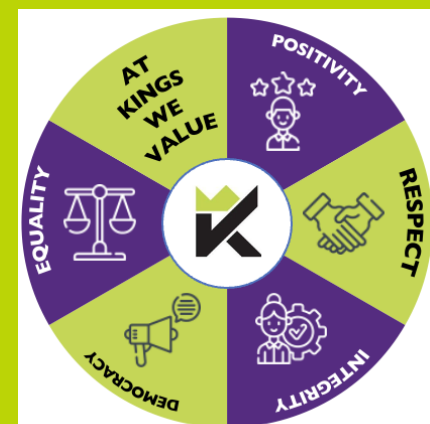
### **Kings' Sixth Applications**

Kings' Sixth applications for September **2024** entry can be submitted online by clicking [here](#). Our Prospectus and Course Guide are available to download from our website. If you missed the most recent Sixth Form Information Evening, or would like to view the PPT please click [here](#).



### **Art, Textiles and Photography Donations Plea**

We are reaching out to our supportive community for contributions of art materials and equipment. If you have any new or gently used art supplies that you would be willing to donate to our Academy, please bring them to the Academy Main Office. Paints, brushes, canvases, water colour papers, easels, mannequins, wool, embroidery thread, fabric, sewing machines, mirrors and fairy lights would all be welcomed. By donating a camera to our GCSE and A Level Photography Program, whether it is digital, DSLR, bridge, compact, mirrorless, or even a 35mm film camera, you would be contributing significantly to our students' access to practical hands-on experience in the field of photography.



## KINGS CORE VALUES

*Where our values give us pride to believe and succeed*

### **Theme of the Week**

Investigation

### **Word of the Week**

Satisficing

### **Current Vacancies**

- Exam Invigilator
- Teacher of Maths
- Teacher of Social Sciences
- Teacher – Enhanced Learning Provision (ELP)
- Governor
- Learning Support Assistant

For more information please [click here](#)

Term Dates for 2023/24 can be found here: [Kings Academy \(kowessex.co.uk\)](#)

Parent Calendar can be found [here](#)



## Year 11 Revision

From **Monday 29 January – Friday 3 May 2024** Year 11 revision sessions will take place. If you would like to book your child on to these, please email Mrs Czajkowski at [PCzajkowski@kowessex.co.uk](mailto:PCzajkowski@kowessex.co.uk). You can view the Revision timetable by clicking [here](#).

## GCSE Exam Information

The dates for the public exams are available on the school website [here](#). GCSEs start on **Thursday 9 May 2024** and continue until **Wednesday 19 June 2024**. **Wednesday 26 June 2024** has been identified by the exam boards as a contingency day and candidates should be available on this date should an exam need to be moved nationally. All students will be issued with personalised timetables closer to the exam period.

## Year 11 Leavers' Sweatshirts/Hoodies

To commemorate their time at Kings Academy, Year 11 sweatshirts and hoodies for the Class of 2024 are now available to order. To order a sweatshirt please click [here](#) or to order a hoodie please click [here](#).

## 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](mailto:absence@kowessex.co.uk).



## Cheddar Valley Foodbank

The Cheddar Valley Foodbank is available to help families who may need extra support. Please click [here](#) for more information. If you would like foodbank vouchers, please contact Ruth Motion at [RMotion@kowessex.co.uk](mailto:RMotion@kowessex.co.uk) or by phone on 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](#).