



| Date              | Who            | Detail, Timing and Venue   |
|-------------------|----------------|----------------------------|
| 29 June to 3 July | Year 12        | Work Experience Week       |
| 30 June to 1 July | Year 10        | Art/Textiles PPE           |
| 30 June           | Year 8         | Meet the Tutor Evening     |
| 1 July            | Year 8         | Transition Day             |
| 2 July            | Year 11        | Prom – Batch Country House |
| 3 July            | Years 9 and 10 | Vaccination Catch Up       |
| 6 July to 10 July | Year 10        | Work Experience Week       |

### Activities Day

Following the success of last year's Enrichment Week, we are pleased to announce that we will be holding an Activities Day on Wednesday 15 July 2026. This will be a full-day event during which the normal timetable will be suspended, allowing students to participate in a range of engaging and enriching activities. Throughout the day, students will be able to choose from five different activities. Please note that two of these activities will require a financial contribution towards the cost of participation; all other activities will be provided at no additional cost.

To enable us to make the necessary arrangements, please complete the [form](#) indicating your child's first and second choices for both the morning and afternoon sessions. The deadline for submitting responses is Friday 3 July 2026.

### Weather Update – Return to Normal Uniform

Following the recent heatwave, the forecast indicates that temperatures will return to more typical seasonal levels from Monday 29 June 2026. We would therefore ask that all students attend school in their full academy uniform from the start of the week. As always, we will continue to monitor the weather closely throughout the week and, should conditions change, we will communicate any necessary updates to you. Thank you for your continued support.

### Year 12 Work Experience

We would like to wish all our Year 12 students good luck as they start their Year 12 work experience from Monday 29 June. For those students who were unable to secure work experience, they are expected into school and will take part in many activities provided by Thatchers and Bath Spa University.

### Year 9 Grade Review Report

Year 9 Grade Review reports have been published today and can be viewed on your Parent/Carer Bromcom portal. Please navigate to the reports section where you will find the latest grade review for your child.

### Last Day of Term

The Academy will close to students at 12.30pm on Friday 17 July 2026. For those students who use school transport, buses will be here at 12.30pm

### Allergen Information – Action Required

We have sent a letter to Parents/Carers this week regarding the new catering provision at Kings Academy. As part of this transition, it is essential that Aspens has accurate and up-to-date information about student dietary needs. All Parents/Carers are required, therefore, to complete an Aspens Allergen Form by Friday 26 June. The form can be found [here](#). When you complete the form, please use the details as below.

- The school your child will be attending in September 2026
- Their year group in September 2026



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

#### Theme of the Week

Belonging

#### Word of the Week

Refuge

#### Current Vacancies

Operations Assistant (Receptionist)  
DT Technician  
LSA – Fixed Term  
Exam Invigilator

For more information, please click [here](#)

Term Dates for 2025/2026 can be found by clicking [here](#)

Term Dates for 2026/2027 can be found by clicking [here](#)

Our Parent Calendar can be found by clicking [here](#)



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### Second Hand Uniform Shop

We appreciate that on occasions Parents/Carers can struggle to meet the cost of replacing school uniform items, particularly as their teenage children grow. We are in the process of replenishing our Second-Hand Uniform Shop here at the Academy. We need **Blazers or Ties** which are in good condition and **not shirts, trousers or skirts**. Please consider donating them to the Academy so that we can help other families and please bring any items to the Main Office by the end of term.



### The Space

The Space Project supports local young people aged between 4-17 living or being educated in the Cheddar Valley area who are experiencing low mental health and emotional resilience and are often in crisis e.g. depression, anxiety etc.

Please get in touch if you think your child or young person may need some help, or indeed, if you are self-referring, by clicking [here](#).



### Cheddar 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.

