

Daily Pupil Briefing

Thursday 31st August 2023



Today at a glance...



Events

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After School Activities (3.20 – 4.20)

- Please see below Timetable



New Announcements

		Additional Info	Exp Date
1	<u>Careers Appointments</u> The following pupils have Careers appointments scheduled for this week. Please report to A2 at your allocated time. <u>Thursday 31st</u> 9.30 Jayden Saxton 10.15 Nico Bailey-Burnley 11.20 Georgi Frame 12.10 Rhys Kennedy 13.40 Robyn Farrar 14.30 Kerr Buchanan	Office	31.08.23
2	<u>Letters to collect from the Office</u> Could the following pupils please collect a letter from the School Office: <u>S1</u>	Office	31.08.23

<p>Hayleigh Hedley</p> <p><u>S2</u> Daniel Malone</p> <p><u>S4</u> Freddy Hughes, Szymon Palubicki, Dylan Alexander, Joshua Tipping</p>		
<p>3 <u>Wigtown Book Festival- Bloggers wanted!</u></p> <p>Our colleagues at the Festival are looking for motivated young people to be part of a dynamic team of reviewers and bloggers for the duration of the Festival. The festival runs this year from 22/9 until 1/10.</p> <p>DEHS students would have an <u>access-all-areas pass</u> and you too could meet Michael Morpurgo and Nicola Sturgeon among many, many other visiting authors and contributors.</p> <p>There will be two workshops in DEHS run by the Festival: Tuesday 5th September during p5 and 6, then a photographer will come in to train you how to use a Smartphone for events photography on Thursday 21st September.</p> <p>This is a <u>chance-in-a lifetime for students at the DEHS.</u> No other student in Scotland will have a similar opportunity.</p> <p>Don't miss YOUR chance to be involved. Festival staff will be available next Tuesday 5th September to provide more details.</p> <p>This would suit anyone considering careers in events management, journalism or the media. If you have an interest in content creation or blogging, this is also right up your street as well.</p> <p><u>It will be the responsibility of all students involved to keep up with all work that they will miss while they are out of school. Students, therefore, must be highly-motivated and be able to work independently</u></p> <p>For more information and if you would like to part of this exciting experience, <u>please let Mr Davies know by Friday 1/9/23 and no later than the 4/9/23.</u></p>	G.Davies	05.09.23



Repeat Notices

		Additional Info	Exp Date
1	<p><u>Flu Vaccine Letters</u></p> <p>If any pupil has not received their Flu vaccine letter, please see your SET teacher or the school office. These must be returned to the School ASAP.</p>	Office	31.08.23
2	<p><u>SQA Art Folios</u></p> <p>Any National 5 or Higher art student (2022-23) wishing to receive their folio back from the SQA after marking should use the following link. The cost is £3:91 and can be paid for via debit or credit card. The closing date for requests is 29th September. If anyone is unable to do so or requires help they should contact Mr Fulton in the Art dept.</p> <p>https://www.sqa.org.uk/onlinepayments/candidate-form</p>	J Fulton	01.09.23
3	<p><u>Employability Skills Session in A1 on 26th September 2-3pm</u></p> <p>Closing date 12th September, 14+</p> <p>If you're going to be a winter-leaver or just want to arm yourself with knowledge for the future, then join Jamie from Bell Group to get yourself ready for employment on 26th September, 2-3pm. There's a lot to think about so it can feel very daunting and that's OK! We want to help you with a flying start.</p> <p>Preparation is key when you go for your first job. From what to put in your CV and what to leave out, to tips to help with your first interview; this Virtual Insight Session will cover the topics you need to know about to help you prepare, give you the tools you need to be confident in these situations and give you a heads up on what to expect.</p> <p>Please see Kelly McCreadie for further information</p>	K McCreadie	12.09.23

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Netball

Senior netball starts on Wednesday 30th August 3.20 in the sports hall.
S1 - S3 netball starts on Thursday 31st August 3.20 in the sports hall.

Anyone interested in playing please come along.

A Francis

31.08.23



Thought for the Day

The following After School Activities, Study Classes and Lunch Activities are available this term:

**Please note that unless indicated below, sessions run between 15:20 and 16:30.*

	*Time	Title	Organiser	Location	Yr Groups
Monday	<i>LUNCH</i>	Chess Club All Welcome, no experience required. Please bring lunch.	Mr Smith	A23	S1-S6
	<i>3.20 – 4.30</i>	Physics N5 & Higher (Starting 18th September)	Mr Baxter	C1	S4-S6
	<i>3.20-4.30</i>	N5 Biology	Miss Wilson	C5	S4 – S6
	<i>3.20 - 4.30</i>	War Hammer Club	Mrs Rowley A Hannah	Back room of ASN Base	All Welcome
Tuesday	<i>LUNCH</i>	Sports Club	Mrs Graham	Bottom Field or Sports Hall	S1 - S2

	<i>3.20 – 4.30</i>	Football (Boys & Girls) All Welcome	Mrs Graham Mr Smith	3G (meet at the PE base)	S1 – S6
	<i>3.20 – 4.30</i>	Music (N5- AH) – by Appointment Only	Mr Riddick	D1	S4-S6
	<i>3.20 – 4.30</i>	Maths (To be agreed in advance)	Mr Gilmour	A24	S4 – S6
Wednesday	<i>LUNCH</i>	War Hammer Club	Mrs Rowley A Hannah	Back room of ASN Base	All welcome
	<i>3.20-4.30</i>	Senior Netball	Mrs Francis	PE Base	S4-S6
Thursday	<i><u>LUNCH</u></i>	Coding Club	Mr Smith	A30	S1 – S6
	<i>3.20 - 4.30</i>	Netball	Mrs Francis	PE Base	S1-S3
	<i>3.20 - 4.30</i>	Maths	Mr Gilmour	A24	S3 – S4