

## Weekly Communication to Parents/Carers | Friday 27 May 2022

Dear Parents/Carers

Here are the latest school messages and updates for your information plus details of any letter sent home during the last week.

MESSAGES		
Mrs Crompton	Whole school	<p><b>Coffee Morning with the Headteacher</b></p> <p>The next meeting will be held on 14 June at 1500-1600. Please contact Mrs Crompton via <a href="mailto:school@skdrive.org">school@skdrive.org</a> or reception on 01275 373737 if you would like to attend. Light refreshments will be provided, we look forward to seeing you.</p>
Miss F Bonora	Year 9 Science	<p><b>Folly farm trip</b></p> <p>Please complete the essential information <a href="#">form</a> and hand this into reception. Payment is on parent pay or directly to the finance office.</p>
Mr Court	Year 11	<p><b>SK Prom '22</b></p> <p>With year 11 showing diligence and dedication in their GCSE and BTEC assessments, it is important that we look ahead to how we will celebrate their time with us. The deadline for purchasing prom tickets through ParentPay is June 10th. Can I ask that if you intend to purchase a ticket, you do so sooner rather than later. This will allow us to confirm the details of the evening. For those students who are concerned about the environmental impact of fast fashion or do not want to purchase an outfit that they will quickly grow out of, we are partnering with some great local organisations.</p> <p><a href="#">PROMALLY</a> and <a href="#">PRELOVED PROM</a> both offer prom outfits to be loaned for the evening. This is a wonderful and sustainable initiative, which we thoroughly recommend.</p>
Mrs Collins	Year 10 Performing Arts	<p><b>Deadline reminders:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Component 1 coursework is this <b>Friday 27th May</b></li> <li>• Solo performance prepared and ready to show <b>first week back</b> after half term</li> <li>• Organising rehearsals for group performance <b>minimum 1 hour extra</b> a week - lunchtime or afterschool - to be planned with Mrs Collins</li> </ul>
Mr Hake	Year 7 Science	<p>The Year 7 end of year assessment will take place on Friday 17th June. Year 7 classes will be set seneca homework to revise and the test will be on the following topics:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• states of matter</li> <li>• atoms, elements and compounds</li> <li>• cells</li> <li>• body systems (just levels of organisation, skeleton, joints and muscles)</li> <li>• forces</li> <li>• chemical reactions</li> </ul>
Miss Cave	Whole school	<p><b>Free School Meals</b> - if you think you are entitled to claim a free school meal benefit because of your income or circumstances it's essential you apply. For each eligible child, the school receives funding for the next six years, even if their parents go back to full-time paid work. You can apply to North Somerset <a href="#">here</a> or Bristol City Council <a href="#">here</a>. If you have any queries or would like the school to support you with your application please contact reception.</p>
Mrs Ivey	Year 11	<p>After half term we will be offering more after school revision sessions as follows:</p>

		<p>Tuesday Miss Ardell Physics lab 1                  Wednesday Miss Ardell Physics lab 1                  Thursday Mrs Crocker Biology lab 2</p>
Mrs Jenkins	Food and Nutrition students	<p><b>Practical lessons for next week:</b>                  Monday 6th June - 7R Croque Monsieur                  Monday 6th June - 7L Croque Monsieur                  Tuesday 7th June - 9L Swiss roll                  Tuesday 7th June - 8L Macaroni cheese                  Wednesday 8th June - 10C Chicken thigh recipe                  Thursday 9th June - 8R Macaroni cheese                  Thursday 9th June - 10D Chicken thigh recipe                  Friday 10th June -9R Swiss roll</p> <p>Please ensure all students bring in an apron from home. All practicals have been set as homework on ClassCharts.</p>
Mr Francis Black	All Years	<p>From time to time it is necessary for some lessons to be delivered by staff other than the normal classroom teacher. Under these circumstances all lessons will now be delivered via the use of Chromebooks in the Cover Hub. To make these sessions as productive as possible it would be helpful if all students could have, as part of their daily equipment, a <b>small set of headphones with a standard 3.5mm jack</b>. Whilst we do not recommend any particular brand and example of a suitable set of headphones can be seen <a href="#">here</a>.</p>
Mr Francis Black	Year 9	<p>Letters have been posted home regarding the allocation of KS4 option subjects. Please check these carefully and if you would like to discuss any changes please contact me at the start of term 6. I would like to ensure that all options are finalised within the first 4 weeks of next term.</p>
Miss Wilsher	Year 10 Health and Social Care	<p>In preparation for the Cambridge National exam on 16th June, there is a revision morning in half term on <b>Weds 1st June</b> from 9.30-12.30.</p>

**LETTERS** - click [here](#) to see all letters

**UPCOMING EVENTS** - click [here](#) to see all upcoming events

Term 5	BTEC GCSE AND A LEVEL EXAMS
Term 5	Primary Transition visits
27 May	End of term 5