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Bulletin - Week 5 Monday 30 September – Friday 4 October 2013

| I can identify what is important | Commitment for the Week | PSHCE Theme |
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| for me and what I expect from | I will raise my hand and ask | |
| myself, taking into account the | questions in class if I do not | Aspire and Achieve |
| beliefs and expectations that | understand something | |
| others have of me | | |
| Seal outcome | | |

Key Dates

Black History month
International Space Week – 4-10 October
Feast of the Guardian Angels (a Catholic festival celebrated annually in honour of guardian angels) – 2 October
Navaratri – a Hindu festival that symbolises the triumph of good over evil – 5 October

Literacy Objectives

Speaking and Listening: Weeks 3 and 6

To be able to speak in full, formal sentences. To be able to use connectives when speaking to develop ideas. To develop a shared vocabulary.

Writing Literacy Objectives: Weeks 4 and 7

To be able to use connectives to develop ideas and vary sentences. To be able to accurately use full stops and commas. Mark for literacy.

Reading Objectives: Weeks 5 and 8

To be able to confidently locate and retrieve information from different places/sources.

To be able to use PEE.

- 1. Welcome to Miss Martin who joins the Humanities department for the remainder of the academic year.
- 2. Welcome to Mr Fontaine our new Foreign Language Assistant who starts with us on Tuesday.
- 3. We begin our Year 11 mentoring programme this week with 11 KEV on Tuesday and 11 PEN on Thursday. Students will meet their mentor in the designated room and will have their Reflection Logs with them to complete during the session. Staff please see the email from Mrs Casson for further information. Thank you to staff for their support with this programme.
- 4. We are entering two English classes for the iGCSE this autumn which gives an additional opportunity for students to obtain a level 2 qualification in English. In order to support this, Set 3 will be undertaking a workshop on Monday and Set 4 a workshop on Tuesday. Thank you to Mrs Palmer, Mrs Watkins and Mrs Ayhan for supporting this. Students will have Speaking and Listening preparation and their individual oral exam next week.
- 5. The Senior Leadership Team will be looking at marking and assessment for a week from Wednesday in English, Maths and Science departments via lesson drop-ins. Please have exercise books / folders available in classrooms. Any lessons which would be a problem, please let Miss Jenkins know.
- 6. Thank you to the students and staff who performed at the Looe Music Festival last Saturday.
- 7. Last Thursday there was an excellent afternoon of netball, rugby and sportsmanship. We were were hosts for netball and rugby fixtures against Torpoint Community College. There

- were netball matches for Years 7,8,9, 10, 11 and rugby matches for Under 13 and Under 16. It was fantastic to have so many students representing Looe Community Academy at the same time. The afternoon saw some competitive matches Years 7,9 and 11 netball teams were victorious over rivals Torpoint. Well done to all involved!
- 8. This week sees the introduction of new arrangements for students to do homework in school. The first is an optional 'Homework Club' for those students who wish to study in school. The second is a compulsory 'Homework Support' which students will be directed to attend by Mr Damerell, including notification to parents/carers, following recommendation from Leaders of Learning. Both will be daily from this week.
- 9. We look forward to welcoming prospective parents/carers and students to our Year 6 Open Evening this Thursday from 6pm. We will also be open by appointment on Monday 7 and Tuesday 8 October for those who are unable to attend on the evening. Staff should sign up in the staff room if they require a meal at 5pm. Student helpers should return their permission to attend letters (available from Student Services) and arrive by 6pm.
- 10. Our School Band will start rehearsals this Saturday in preparation for the Schools Prom on Wednesday 13 November at the Royal Albert Hall in London. Along with nearly 600 other Cornish musicians, they will be performing a specially composed work by Joe Broughton as part of the Schools Prom 2013. This is an extremely exciting opportunity for our musicians to perform in one of the best concert halls in the world! The event is being organised by the National Music For Youth organisation and Music Cornwall are organising the Cornish part of the project. Thank you to Miss Dixon for leading this superb experience for our students.
- 11. Please advise students that this Friday is an INSET day and so will therefore be closed to students.

Miss Jenkins, Headteacher

Monday 30 September

| 8.30-8.40am | Staff Briefing |
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| 8.40am | PSHCE with Tutors |
| 8.50am | Miss Jenkins meeting Mrs J Jones |
| 9.05am | Miss Jenkins meeting Mrs Hallworth |
| P1-P5 | iGCSE English workshops Year 11 Set 3, Small Hall and Library |
| 9.05-12.25pm | Head of Year meetings with Ms Powles, Education Welfare Officer, medical room |
| | (weekly meeting) |
| 9.05am | Mrs Richardson and Mrs Watkins meeting parents of Year 7 student, COM2 |
| 9.30am | Ms Flynn, Behaviour Support Advisor in school to see Year 10 student |
| 11.30am | Mr Keveth meeting Miss Curtis, PE (weekly) |
| 11.30am | Miss Jenkins and Mrs Casson meeting Ms Lawes, School Nurse |
| Lunchtime | School Nurse drop-in service, SEN office (weekly) |

Tuesday 1 October

| 8.30-8.40am | Staff Briefing |
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| 8.45am | Whole school assembly, Miss Jenkins, Main Hall |
| | 11 KEV mentoring sessions |
| P1-P5 | iGCSE English workshops Year 11 Set 4, Small Hall and Library |
| 9.15-10.15am | Multi Agency meeting, Mr Damerell and outside agencies |
| 10.00am | Miss Jenkins meeting Mr Armstrong, External Education Consultant |
| 10.15am | Mr Damerell meeting Ms Skinner, Children in Care Education Support Service |
| 2.10pm | Multi Agency meeting, Mr Damerell, Mrs Richardson and Miss Gray and |
| | outside agencies, COM2 |

Wednesday 2 October

Mrs Howarth off site, SIMS Personnel training, Bodmin

8.30-8.40am Staff Briefing 8.45am PSHCE with Tutors

8.50am Teaching Assistants meeting with Mr Damerell, Library (weekly)

9.05am Miss Jenkins meeting Miss Curtis

11.25am Visitor Mrs Field working with 7 PEN on 'Mazed' Project, 205

11.25am Miss Jenkins meeting Mrs Palmer 12.25-1.25pm Senior Leadership meeting – bulletin

3.30pm Senior Leadership meeting

Thursday 3 October

8.30-8.40am Staff Briefing

8.45am Whole school assembly, Miss Jenkins, Main Hall

11 PEN mentoring sessions

9.05-3.10pm Mentoring Intervention Programme, Mr Saddler

11.25-1.25pm Senior Leadership meeting

11.30am Multi Agency meeting, Mrs Richardson and outside agencies, COM2

11.30-4.00pm Small Secondary Schools Curriculum meeting, Mr Keveth, The Roseland Community

College

2.30pm Miss Jenkins meeting Mrs Howarth

6.00-8.00pm Open Evening

Friday 4 October INSET day – school closed to students

Miss Jenkins off site, Cornwall Association of Secondary Headteachers Day, Bedruthan Steps

8.30-10.30am Department INSET 10.30-10.45am Coffee in the Small Hall

10.45-12.45pm Carousel of INSET – details emailed to staff

12.45-1.30pm Lunch

1.30-3.30pm Whole school focus on homework

Saturday 5 October

2.30-5.30pm Royal Albert Hall Project rehearsal, Liskeard School and Community College, Miss

Dixon and students

Notices



Rehearsals

| Day | Parts | Time | Location | |
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| Thursday | Cast, dancers and chorus | 3.30-5.30pm | Cast – Drama Studio | |
| | | | Dancers – Dance studio | |
| | | | Chorus – Music | |

| Week commencing 30 September - detentions issued on | | | |
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| Monday 30 September | will be done on | Wednesday 2 October | |
| Tuesday 17 October will be done on Ti | | Thursday 3 October | |
| Wednesday 2 October | will be done on | Friday 4 October | |
| Thursday 3 October | will be done on | Monday 7 October | |
| Friday 4 October | will be done on | Tuesday 8 October | |

| After School Detention Rota Week Commencing 30 September | | | |
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| Date | Teacher | TA | |
| Monday 30 September | Ms Meakin | Mrs Bailey | |
| Tuesday 1 October | Mrs Bennett | Miss Oldham | |
| Wednesday 2 October | Miss Wood | Mrs Parkes | |
| Thursday 3 October | Dr Ollerenshaw | Mrs Stevens | |
| Friday 4 October | Mrs Palmer | Mrs White | |

| After School Detention Rota Week Commencing 7 October | | | |
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| Date | Teacher | TA | |
| Monday 7 October | Mrs Watkins | Mrs Bailey | |
| Tuesday 8 October | Mr Keveth | | |
| Wednesday 9 October | Mrs Casson Mrs J Jones | | |
| Thursday 10 October | Mr Pilling Mrs White | | |
| Friday 11 October | Mrs Leeds Miss Kinver | | |

Please note that it is the responsibility of the member of staff to arrange cover for all duty rotas if they are absent from school

Student Extra Curricular Clubs, Activities and Rehearsals

| Monday | Astro time for Year 11 | Lunchtime | Astro |
|---------|--|-------------|--------------|
| | Basketball | Lunchtime | PE |
| | GCSE Art Club and G & T KS3 Art Club | Lunchtime | Art |
| | Homework club | 3.15-4.15pm | 005 |
| | Homework support | 3.15-4.15pm | 206 |
| | Looe Dance Theatre Company – all years | 3.15-4.15pm | Dance Studio |
| | School Band | 3.15-4.15pm | Music |
| | Chamber Ensemble | 4.15-4.45pm | Music |
| | Football | 3.30pm | PE |
| | Netball (Year7-8) | 3.30pm | PE |
| Tuesday | School magazine team | Lunchtime | 112 |
| | Contemporary Dance Club (Years 7, 8 & 9) | Lunchtime | Dance Studio |
| | Basketball (Boys) | Lunchtime | PE |
| | KS3 Art Club, Art Room | Lunchtime | Art room |
| | Astro time for Year 10 | Lunchtime | Astro |
| | Table Tennis | Lunchtime | PE |

| | Homework Club | Lunchtime | 005 |
|-----------|--|-------------|------------------|
| | Staff Choir | Lunchtime | Music |
| | Homework club | | 005 |
| | | 3.15-4.15pm | |
| | Homework support Jazz Ensemble | 3.15-4.15pm | 206 |
| | | 3.15-4.00pm | Music |
| | Year 10 /11 Dance Techniques Class | 3.15-4.15pm | Dance Studio |
| | Archery Club | 3.30pm | PE |
| 24/ 1 1 | ARENA fixtures | 3.30pm | PE |
| Wednesday | Astro time for Year 9 | 1.30-2.05pm | Astro |
| | Indoor football (Year 7-8) | Lunchtime | PE |
| | Book Club | Lunchtime | Library |
| | SPLAT Team meeting | Lunchtime | 205 |
| | Chess Club | Lunchtime | 011 |
| | Maths homework (all years) with Mrs N Moon | Lunchtime | 009 |
| | Street Dance Club | Lunchtime | Dance Studio |
| | Homework club | 3.15-4.15pm | 005 |
| | Homework support | 3.15-4.15pm | 206 |
| | LCAD (Looe Community Academy Drama) | 1.30-2.05pm | Drama Studio |
| | Information & Creative Technology coursework | 3.15-4.15pm | DT8 |
| | Stitch It Club | 3.30pm | Textiles |
| | GCSE PE Homework Club | 3.30pm | 006 |
| | Netball (Year 9-11) | 3.30pm | PE |
| Thursday | MFL Key Stage 4 Film Club | Lunchtime | 118 |
| | Rocket Science Club | Lunchtime | Lab 3 |
| | Astro time for Year 8 | Lunchtime | Astro |
| | Dodgeball/handball | Lunchtime | PE |
| | Homework Club with Year 11 Peer Mentors | Lunchtime | 005 |
| | Table Tennis | Lunchtime | PE |
| | Homework club | 3.15-4.15pm | 005 |
| | Homework support | 3.15-4.15pm | 206 |
| | GCSE Psychology (Year 9 and 10) | 3.15-4.15pm | 202 |
| | Year 9 Dance Club | 3.15-4.15pm | Dance Studio |
| | Rugby | 3.30pm | PE |
| | Badminton | 3.30pm | PE |
| Friday | Astro time for Year 7 | Lunchtime | Astro |
| ' | Basketball (Girls) | Lunchtime | PE |
| | Dance Club (Years 7, 8 & 9) | Lunchtime | Dance Studio |
| | Homework club | 3.15-4.15pm | 005 |
| | Homework support | 3.15-4.15pm | 206 |
| | Girls fitness | 3.30pm | PE |
| | Staff sport | 3.30pm | PE |
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Community Diary

| Day | Activity | Time | Location |
|---------|--------------------|-------------|--------------|
| Monday | Looe Theatre Group | 4.30-7.30pm | Drama Studio |
| | Rowing Club Ergos | 6.00-9.00pm | Rowing room |
| | Ladies Football | 6.00-7.00pm | Astro |
| | Yoga | 7.00-9.00pm | Dance Studio |
| | Keltique Choir | 7.00-9.00pm | Music Room |
| | Karate | 8.00-9.00pm | Main Hall |
| Tuesday | Looe Theatre Group | 4.30-7.30pm | Drama Studio |

| | Rowing Club Ergos | 6.00-9.00pm | Rowing room |
|-----------|--|--------------|--------------|
| | Climbing Wall Sessions (all abilities) | 6.00-10.00pm | Sports Hall |
| | Pilates | 6.30-7.30pm | Small Hall |
| | Yoga | 7.00-9.00pm | Dance Studio |
| | Football FA Mars Just Play | 8.00-10.00pm | Astro |
| Wednesday | Rowing Club Ergos | 6.00-9.00pm | Rowing room |
| | Keep Fit | 7.00-8.00pm | Dance Studio |
| | Slimming World | 7.30-9.00pm | Small Hall |
| | Keep Fit Circuits run by Training Zone | 7.00-8.30pm | Sports Hall |
| Thursday | Archery & Target club | 5.30-7.00pm | Sports Hall |
| | Rowing Club Ergos | 6.00-9.00pm | Rowing room |
| | Climbing Wall Sessions (all abilities) | 8.00-10.00pm | Sports Hall |
| | Weight Watchers | 6.00-7.30pm | Small Hall |
| | Zumba | 6.30pm | Dance Studio |
| | Looe Valley Singers | 7.00-8.00pm | Music Room |
| | Table Tennis Club (all abilities) | 7.00-9.00pm | Main Hall |
| | Radio Controlled Helicopter Club | 7.00-8.00pm | Sports Hall |
| Friday | Looe Theatre Group | 4.30-7.30pm | Drama Studio |
| | Rowing Club Ergos | 6.00-9.00pm | Rowing room |
| | Climbing Wall Sessions (all abilities) | 6.00-8.00pm | Sports Hall |
| | Ladies Badminton | 7.00-8.30pm | Sports Hall |
| | Karate (contact David Kirsopp 0788 931 0908) | 7.30-9.30pm | Main Hall |