



WEEKLY NEWSLETTER 11TH NOVEMBER 2016

Important events

15th November: Year 12 Safe Drive Stay Alive 1300—1500

16th November: Shakespeare School's Festival rehearsal & performance, Wycombe Town Hall

22nd November: Y10 Passport Day Oxford Brookes

24th November: Harry Potter trip (Y10 & Y12/Y13 Media Studies students)

28th/29th November: Two day Field Trip for Year 13 students

29th November: 'Woman in Black' Theatre Trip (Y10 GCSE Drama students)

1st December: Sixth Form Information Evening, 6.30—8.00pm

NB: Reminder :INSET day on Friday 25th November: students will not be in school on this day.

Important: Arrangements for notifying student absence

Please note that, until further notice, if a student is absent from school for any reason, please would parents/carers email the school Office:

office@swr.bucks.sch.uk

Please do not use the address of scarro as your message will not be received. Parents/carers will be advised when a new permanent contact address is available.

School Arrangements in case of Bad Weather, etc

In the event of extreme weather conditions, emergency etc. the SWR website will be updated by 0630 if there is any news on closure or a later start to the school day. This will be the main source of communication to parents/carers.

Letters Home:

Letter to Years 7,8,9 & 10 re 2018 Football trip to Holland— [please click here](#)

Letter re Christmas— [please click here](#)

Y11 & Sixth Form students have been given their Winter Mock/PPE Exam Timetable. Please find [here](#) the link to it on the website.

Ramsay Reader is back!

Two Year 8 editors have written their first issue, and will be writing fortnightly issues. Please see our first issue where Mr Carter shares his favourites with us, and we have exclusive access to the new build!

We are looking for students, teachers and parents /carers alike to join our school newspaper.

Do you have any urgent news? Do you have any celebratory or exciting news to share with the school? Please tell us - and we will include it in our news articles. [Please click here for the article](#)

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Homework Update

Please be advised that some changes have been made to the frequency of homework set for departments.

See the overview table below with changes in red.

Before the end of this term parents /carers and students will be asked to provide feedback in regards to homework setting, this will be via an online survey. The link for this will be sent within the next few weeks.

Miss Redmayne

	7	8	9	10	11
Maths	Fortnightly				
English	Fortnightly				
Science	1 per fortnight				
Geography	1 every 3 weeks		Fortnightly		
History	Fortnightly				
MFL	2 pieces a fortnight		4 pieces fortnightly		
Music	1 every half term		Fortnightly		
Drama	1 half termly		Fortnightly		
Media			Fortnightly		
Tech	4 per rotation				
GCSE Resistant Materials			Fortnightly		
GCSE Food Tech			Weekly		
BTEC Engineering			Fortnightly		
GCSE Textiles			Weekly		
PE			2 per half term		
Art & Photography	1 per term		2 termly		
ICT	2 per half term		Fortnightly		
Business			Fortnightly		
P&E	2 per half term		Fortnightly		
Beauty			Weekly	3 fortnightly	

REMINDER FROM MATRON

A number of SWR students have a severe allergy to nuts and as a result can have a life threatening reaction. In the last month there have been two incidences of severe anaphylaxis where the students have had to receive emergency treatment by paramedics and as a result were taken to hospital.

Anaphylactic shock can occur within seconds of exposure to a nut allergen.

We are requesting that no food containing nuts is sent into school.

This includes: Peanut paste Nutella Peanut cooking oil etc.

Students are encouraged to wash their hands before and after eating and avoid sharing any food with others.

We would ask parents/carers to be appreciative of this and to support us in maintaining a nut free environment.

Many thanks.

Matron

