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## Key Dates

2 <sup>nd</sup> - 20 <sup>th</sup> June	GCSE Exams
11 <sup>th</sup> June	All Years Athletics
16 <sup>th</sup> – 20 <sup>th</sup> June	School Sports Week Travel to School Week
16 <sup>th</sup> June	Last Day for Year 11
18 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 7 Parent / Carer Evening
20 <sup>th</sup> June	Pride Day / Non-Uniform – Lessons Will Be as Normal
19 <sup>th</sup> June – 3 <sup>rd</sup> July	Year 10 Mock Exams
25 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 11 Prom
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26 <sup>th</sup> June	KS3 Production
1 <sup>st</sup> July	Cabots Got Talent
2 <sup>nd</sup> July	Year 6 Taster Day
3 <sup>rd</sup> July	Sports Day
4 <sup>th</sup> July	NSET Day – School Closed to Pupils
7 <sup>th</sup> July	INSET Day – School Closed to Pupils
9 <sup>th</sup> / 10 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 10 Geography Field Trip
11 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 7 – 9 Progress Reports to Parents
14 <sup>th</sup> – 18 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 10 Work Experience Week
16 <sup>th</sup> July	Summer Concert
17 <sup>th</sup> July	Reserve Sports Day
21 <sup>st</sup> July	Year 10 Progress Reports to Parents
22 <sup>nd</sup> July	Last Day of Term – School Closes



#### JCA Routines – Uniform

The change in season represents a great time to remind families of uniform expectations. Please do ensure your child has the correct uniform both for PE and for school. Tailored shorts are now part of our uniform, which may help as the temperatures begin to rise across June and July.

Students not in the correct uniform will spend time in the SLR if they are unwilling to borrow the right piece.

#### **Outer layers:**

As the weather continues to be variable, students are not able to wear outer layers when inside the school building. This means that students, should they wish to wear anything over their shirt and tie or PE top, must have one of the following:

- · School blazer
- · School jumper
- · PE hoodie (these may be worn over 'regular' school uniform as well as over PE kit).

Please do ensure your child/children have at least one of the above that fits them; we have lots of spare uniform available (which includes hardly worn items!)

Any concerns, please do contact the pastoral team

Nathan Richardson Assistant Principal

Active Travel Week



ACTIVE TRAVEL WEEK 16th—20th June



For this week we encourage you and your tutor group to travel actively to school. You could consider car sharing, walking, cycling or scooting to school! This will help improve your health & wellbeing and it will have a positive impact on the environment.

#### Why should you get involved in the event?

-Fun and good for you!

-You can win a £10 amazon voucher or your tutor group could win a prize! Even your tutor can win a voucher if they get involved!

-You will be helping us reach our goal of sustaining active travel in our school.



**GET INVOLVED TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE!** 



Residential Parent Information Evening

Pupils are to come to school in their usual school uniform and only wear PE on their PE day. They can bring trainers / boots to change their footwear at break.



Attend 3 sessions and receive a sports week certificate - get involved!

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Lunchtime: (Year 9) Football challenges on	Lunchtime: (Year 10) Football challenges on	Lunchtime: (Year 7) Football challenges on	Lunchtime:	Lunch time: (Year 8) Football challenges on
Small Astro. Basketball	Small Astro. Basketball	Small Astro. Basketball		Small Astro.
shootout on Hardcourts	shootout on Hardcourts.	shootout on Hardcourts.		Basketball shootout on Hardcourts.
	After school:	After school: N/A	After school:	
After school:	Doubles Tennis		Doubles Tennis	After school:
1.Softball	Tournament and ultimate		Tournament (Finals).	Football tournament.
2.Pickleball	frisbee on Large Astro.			Sign up required
3.Gaelic Football				Limited spaces
				7 people per team
				Max 4 teams per year
				group. (girls, boys and mixed teams)

Residential Parent Information Evening

For those attending the residential trip at the start of year 9, there will be a parent meeting on Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> June from 5:00 - 5:30pm in the main hall.

This will be an opportunity to find out what will be happening on the trip, to receive a kit list, and to ask any questions you may have

Sarah Church Head of PE Sign-up sheets are on the PE Office door!



#### **MCAS** Information

Please be aware that in MCAS, although there is the ability to directly message your child's teachers, JCA are not able to monitor these messages initially. We hope to enable this function at a later date.

If you need to contact your child's teachers, please continue to use JCAinfo@clf.uk

Inter-Community Rounders

Students in Key Stage 3 participated in three events, demonstrating excellent skills and team spirit. They competed in their tutor groups, showing great energy, enthusiasm, and sportsmanship.

There were lots of smiles, big hits, and team celebrations.





#### Preloved School Uniform

Thank you to everyone who has donated Preloved School Uniform. This has been very popular especially with our new Year 7s. We will be very grateful for any further donations of uniform, PE clothes and shoes. Any items can be given to reception.

Thank you.

Dance Trip Opportunity



We are planning a trip to Disneyland Paris with students who are interested in and participate in Dance at John Cabot Academy. The commitment shown by students towards Dance has been incredibly high, and we thought it worthy of taking their performance on the road.

If your son/daughter would like to audition for this trip, then they will need to speak to a member of the PE team as soon as possible and collect a permission form. We are holding auditions on Friday 13<sup>th</sup> June, after school. A fast turnaround is required because we have to teach and record two audition pieces to send to Disney this term. Those successful in the audition will be given a rehearsal schedule.

Year 7 Parent and Carer Evening 18<sup>th</sup> June

Bookings will open for the year 7 parent and carer evening on Wednesday 6th June at 6pm, please log onto your MCAS account to reserve your slots then.

Revision guides will be available to purchase on the evening and payment.

If you have any questions regarding this, please email JCAinfo@clf.uk



#### Sports Day

There are two key dates to note this term as we approach our annual Sports Day.

On Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> July, from 12:50 - 14:40, students will be competing in throwing events and the high jump. The afternoon session is for competitors only, and those taking part should come to school in their PE kit. These students will be reminded closer to the date.

On Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> July, all students in Years 7, 8, 9, and 10 will be involved in a whole school Sports Day from 10:40 - 15:00. It is on this day that they can wear their community colour, together with other sports clothing. A letter with full details will be sent out to all parents and carers two weeks prior.

In the event of wet weather, a decision to postpone will be made on the day. The reserve date is Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> July.

### Year 9 Spanish

We've just completed a fantastic piece of work where students described their school (using the present tense) and their dream school (using the conditional tense).

They labelled images of themselves and both schools, writing about the subjects they study, their uniform, school rules and teachers. They gave and explained their opinions.

They made lots of mistakes but every single student tried really hard and wrote some GCSE-level Spanish. We are so proud of them all!

Senora Searle Assistant Principal



Clubs for Term 6

SPORTS CLUBS TERM 6 3:15 - 4:00					
Year	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
Year 7		Rounders Dance Running Cricket		Tennis	
Year 8		Rounders Dance Running Cricket		Tennis	
Year 9	Dance	Rounders Running Cricket		Tennis	
Year 10	Dance	Rounders Running Cricket		Tennis	
Year 11		Rounders Running Cricket		Tennis	

All clubs are open to boys and girls. Dance is for competition only. Please change for clubs on non-PE days in the changing rooms



Empower yourself. Empower our Community



# **ENRICHMENT CLUBS TERM 6**

Year	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
Year 7	Dungeons & Dragons Club	KS3 Drama Production Rehearsal Drama Club Warhammer Club Movie Club	Book Club Art Club	LGBT+	Choir
Year 8	Dungeons & Dragons Club	KS3 Drama Production Rehearsal Drama Club Warhammer Club Movie Club	Book Club	LGBT+	Choir
Year 9	Dungeons & Dragons Club	KS3 Drama Production Rehearsal Drama Club Warhammer Club Movie Club	Book Club	LGBT+	Choir
Year 10	Dungeons & Dragons Club	Warhammer Club	Book Club	Music Coursework LGBT+ Further Maths	Choir
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