

## **Staff triumph in another fantastic game against the students**

After a 4 -1 thrashing in 2018 the Staff team were hoping for revenge in the annual Staff vs Year 11 students football game. With a crowd exceeding 100, both teams were anxious to perform. With the stakes high in this April thriller, an exciting game was about to unfold. Following a cagey start by both teams, defensive mistakes allowed the Year 11 team to take a 2 goal lead by Sam Wilding and Sam Ogbonna-Kalu. With the Staff team against the ropes it was up to the experienced side to grasp the game and play in a manner that suited their needs, slowing the game down and using their strengths. With 10 minutes of the 1<sup>st</sup> half left J.Davies on the Staff team scored and gave the Staff hope before the break. The half-time score was 2 -1 to Year 11.

Following a shuffle of personnel the Staff team came out with a fighting spirit in the 2<sup>nd</sup> half, scoring within 5 minutes to equalise the game. With the crowd turning in the Staff's favour, they took the initiative and scored again this time it was D.Perry, sending the Staff team into the lead for the first time. The ever tenacious Lewis Wood worked tirelessly through the 2<sup>nd</sup> half for the students, netting a well-taken goal to level the game, 3-3.

With the possibility of a draw leading to a penalty shoot-out, A.Macphail took the initiative to coolly slot a free kick home after some confusion by the Year 11 team. With minutes remaining, Year 11 pushed hard for an equaliser, however, were undone by their own enthusiasm, conceding a late goal to bring the final score to 5-3. Another fantastic game played by both teams and thank you for the support by the students and staff that attended. We look forward to retaining our title next year!



## Assemblies for week commencing 29 April

This week Reverend Rob Hughes (Baptist Minister) from Mersea will be coming in to deliver his first assembly here at the School.

### 'Poetry Slam'

On Thursday 4th April, Sigma Trust held a 'Poetry Slam': a competition in which students performed poems to a live audience. To compete, students were asked to write and deliver an original poem, along with an existing poem that inspired them.

TLA were boldly represented by Beverley Agyapong (Year 10) and Paige Oldfield (Year 11). Both students worked incredibly hard in preparation for the competition.

Beverley had been inspired by the GCSE Anthology poem 'The Emigrée' by Carol Rumens, and wrote her own compelling poem 'Home' about memories of when she lived in Germany, and large ideas of origin and memory. Paige, meanwhile, wrote a fiery and optimistic poem about hope and self-belief, which she later paired with Maya Angelou's anthem: 'I Rise'.

On the night, the girls faced strong competition from other Sigma Trust schools. Under pressure, both performed brilliantly, delivering their poems with composure and confidence.

Paige Oldfield went on to reach the final, and then, after performing again, won the entire event! Paige had stunned the judges with her poem and performance. Both Paige and Beverley represented the school brilliantly, and brought home a fantastic result for TLA.



Mr K Turakhia and Miss E Locke

### Attendance Winners

This week's attendance winners with 98.52% attendance were 8N-CD. Congratulations!

# Library Activities

2 Week A W/B 29 Apr	Mon	Library Activity	Book Tasting
	Wed	Library Activity	Emoji Book Quiz
3 Week B W/B 7 May	Tue	Book Club	The Territory
	Wed	Library Activity	Comic Book Extravaganza
	Fri	Library Activity	Book Cover Bingo
4 Week A W/B 13 May	Mon	Library Activity	Poetry Creation Station
	Tues	Book Club	Tiger Wars
	Wed	Library Activity	Match the Selfie to the Shelfie
	Thu	Book Club	Boy 87
5 Week B W/B 20 May	Mon	Book Club	Slated
	Tue	Book Club	Skulduggery Pleasant
	Wed	Library Activity	Ultimate Football Heroes
	Thu	Library Activity	Summer Reading Challenge
	Fri	Book Club	Geek Girl

## Warm Weather

With the weather getting warmer, could you please ensure that your child comes to school with a bottle of water to prevent them from becoming dehydrated. They can be refilled using the filter water tap by the Kitchen.

A number of students are turning up at Student Reception complaining of headaches, which often can be attributed to dehydration.



## Finance Notices

1. Sharp el-531 calculators available via ParentPay
2. TLA school tie and replacement locker key available via ParentPay
3. Year 10 Science Revision guides - available via ParentPay
4. Year 8 French Residential Trip - final instalment **NOW OVERDUE**
5. Year 7 Mersea Camp - final instalment **NOW OVERDUE**
6. Year 10 Ypres and the Somme - final instalment due 31 May 2019
7. Year 9 English Revision guides available via ParentPay
8. Year 10 Geography Tollgate Retail Park – payment requested by 22 May 2019
9. Year 9 Geography Field Trip - payment requested by 14 June 2019

NB: Please note Year 11 students will not be permitted to purchase a Prom Ticket if there is any outstanding balance on ParentPay

**Please ensure that lunch money payments are up to date using ParentPay, our online payment system. Any queries please contact the Main Office.**

## Diary Dates

Monday 29 April	Sigma Grade 9 Masterclass
Thursday 2 May	Year 7 Parents' Evening
Monday 6 May	Bank Holiday - School is closed
Wednesday 8 May	Year 11 Grade 9 Masterclass
Monday 13 May	Colchester Athletics
Wednesday 15 May	Have Your Say Competition
Thursday 16 May	Year 9 Parents' Evening



# TLA Catering Department

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>Toad in the Hole</b> (Wheat Milk Egg) <b>Tomato Pasta Bake</b> (Wheat Gluten) <b>Parsley Potatoes</b> <b>Steamed Sweetcorn</b> <b>Jam Sponge</b> (Wheat Milk Egg ) <b>Custard</b> (Wheat Milk Egg )	<b>Sweet &amp; Sour Chicken with Brown Rice</b> (Wheat Gluten) <b>Spaghetti Bolognese V</b> ( Wheat Barley) <b>Potato Wedges</b> <b>Baked Beans</b> <b>Cheesecake</b> (Wheat Milk)	<b>Roast of the Day</b> <b>Roast Potatoes</b> <b>Carrots</b> <b>Savoy Cabbage</b> <b>Cheese &amp; Leek Tart</b> (Cheese Milk Egg Wheat Gluten) <b>Lemon Sponge</b> (Milk Egg)	<b>Cottage Pie</b> (Soya Barley Wheat Milk) <b>Lyonnais Potato</b> (Celery Gluten Wheat) <b>Sweetcorn</b> <b>Quorn Chilli &amp; Rice</b> (Wheat Soya Gluten) <b>Cornflake Cake</b> (Wheat Gluten) <b>Custard</b> (Milk)	<b>Chicken Goujons</b> (Wheat Egg Milk Gluten) <b>Chips</b> <b>Peas</b> <b>Vegetable Bake</b> (Gluten Wheat Egg) <b>Apple Pie</b> (Wheat Gluten) <b>Custard</b> (Milk)

## Sandwiches

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>Chicken &amp; Bacon Sandwich</b> <b>Cheese Salad Wrap</b> <b>Sausage Sandwich</b> <b>Ham Sub</b> <b>Cheese Sub</b>	<b>Chicken Mayo Sandwich</b> <b>BLT</b> <b>Cheese Sandwich</b> <b>Cheese Sub</b> <b>Chicken Sub</b>	<b>All Day Breakfast</b> <b>Ham Sandwich</b> <b>Chicken Sandwich</b> <b>Cheese Sub</b> <b>Ham Sub</b>	<b>Ham Sandwich</b> <b>Chicken Salad Wrap</b> <b>Cream Cheese &amp; Cucumber</b> <b>Chicken Sub</b> <b>Cheese Sub</b>	<b>Cheese Sandwich</b> <b>Chicken Sandwich</b> <b>BLT</b> <b>Cheese Sub</b> <b>Ham Sub</b>

**HOT & COLD FOOD TO TAKE AWAY DAILY**

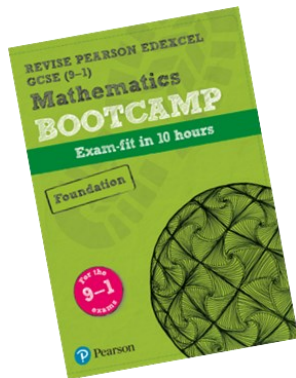
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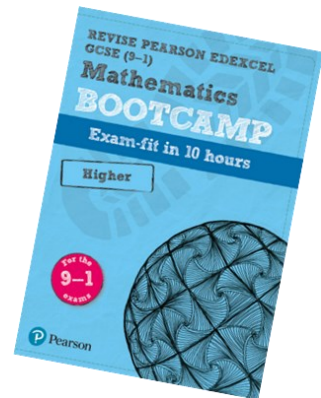
**SPECIALS WILL BE ANNOUNCED DAILY ON THE INFORMATION TVS**







## Last minute maths revision



New REVISE Pearson Edexcel GCSE (9-1) Mathematics Higher & Foundation 'Bootcamp' empowers students to help plan their revision more effectively for exam success. Ideal for the run-up to their GCSEs, 'Bootcamp' breaks down subject content into 36 key areas which can each be covered in 20 minutes, helping them effectively review the whole subject in just 10 hours.

Designed for independent study, 'Bootcamp' provides:-

Memorable chunks of short revision points to help students consolidate Maths concepts;

Exam-style practice questions with hints and tips;

Write-on format: everything in one place;

Trackers on every page to help students mark their revision progress.

**RRP £8.99 TLA price £4**

**Books can be purchased via ParentPay**

(Please allow up to 5 days for collection)

NB: If your child is entitled to Pupil Premium Grant (PPG) there will be no charge and your child will be issued one by their maths teacher.

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### Child Protection Policy

The Thomas Lord Audley School's Child Protection Policy is available via the School Website



### GCSE TIMETABLE SUMMER 2019

Date	Start	Length	Board	Component Title
Mon 13 May	08:45	01:30	OCR	Computer Science: Systems
Mon 13 May	13:00	00:00	AQA	RE: Christianity & Islam
Tue 14 May	13:00	01:10	EDEXL	Biology paper 1
Tue 14 May	13:00	01:45	EDEXL	Triple Science: Biology paper 1
Wed 15 May	08:45	01:00	OCR	PE: Physical Factors Affecting Performance
Wed 15 May	13:00	01:45	AQA	English Literature paper 1
Thu 16 May	08:45	01:10	EDEXL	Chemistry paper 1
Thu 16 May	08:45	01:45	EDEXL	Triple Science: Chemistry paper 1
Thu 16 May	13:00	01:30	OCR	Computer Science: Algorithms & Programing
Fri 17 May	13:00	01:30	OCR	Drama
Fri 17 May	13:00	01:00	OCR	PE: Paper 2
Mon 20 May	08:45	01:45	AQA	Religious Studies A paper 2
Tue 21 May	08:45	01:30	EDEXL	Maths: Non Calculator
Tue 21 May	13:00	01:30	AQA	Geography paper 1
Wed 22 May	13:00	01:10	EDEXL	Physics paper 1
Wed 22 May	13:00	01:45	EDEXL	Triple Science: Physics paper 1
Thu 23 May	08:45	02:15	AQA	English Literature paper 2
Mon 03 Jun	08:45	01:15	EDEXL	History: Medicine in Britain
Mon 03 Jun	13:00	01:15	OCR	Creative iMedia
Mon 03 Jun	13:00	01:30	WJEC	Media Studies: Exploring Media
Tue 04 Jun	08:45	01:45	AQA	English Language paper 1
Tue 04 Jun	13:00	01:30	OCR	Music: Listening and Appraising
Wed 05 Jun	13:00	01:30	AQA	Geography Paper 2
Thu 06 Jun	08:45	01:30	EDEXL	Maths: Calculator
Thu 06 Jun	13:00	01:45	EDEXL	History: American West, Saxon & Norman
Fri 07 Jun	08:45	01:45	AQA	English Language paper 2
Fri 07 Jun	13:00	01:10	EDEXL	Biology paper 2
Fri 07 Jun	13:00	01:45	EDEXL	Triple Science: Biology paper 2
Mon 10 Jun	08:45	01:30	OCR	Food Preparation & Nutrition
Mon 10 Jun	13:00	01:15	OCR	Child Development
Mon 10 Jun	13:00	01:00	OCR	Health & Social Care
Mon 10 Jun	13:00	01:30	WJEC	Media Studies: Understanding Media
Tue 11 Jun	08:45	01:30	EDEXL	Maths: Calculator
Tue 11 Jun	13:00	01:20	EDEXL	History: Weimar & Nazi Germany
Wed 12 Jun	08:45	01:10	EDEXL	Chemistry paper 2
Wed 12 Jun	08:45	01:45	EDEXL	Triple Science: Chemistry paper 2
Wed 12 Jun	13:00	35/45m	AQA	German Listening
Wed 12 Jun	13:00	45m/1h	AQA	German Reading
Wed 12 Jun	13:00	01:45	EDEXL	Citizenship paper 1
Thu 13 Jun	08:45	01:15	AQA	Geography paper 3
Thu 13 Jun	13:00	01:30	EDEXL	Statistics paper 1F
Fri 14 Jun	08:45	01:10	EDEXL	Physics paper 2
Fri 14 Jun	08:45	01:45	EDEXL	Triple Science: Physics paper 2
Mon 17 Jun	08:45	1h/1h 15	AQA	German Writing
Mon 17 Jun	08:45	01:45	EDEXL	Citizenship paper 2
Tue 18 Jun	08:45	01:30	EDEXL	Statistics paper 2F

