



Westminster
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Westminster Week, which shows changes to the Diary
and extra events, is displayed on House notice boards

Most of the things that concern you at School are likely to be sorted out informally before they become major problems. We hope that you feel able to share any worries about your work with your teachers and parents. However, there may be other problems occasionally which could require slightly different treatment. For example:

You may feel that you are being unfairly treated by a member of staff or a pupil

You may feel that you are the victim of verbal and/or physical abuse.

You may feel that you are being badly taught in a particular subject.

Someone may have taken something of yours and not returned it.

It is important that you feel able to share concerns such as these with us so that where necessary we can work together to sort out misunderstanding or to take remedial action.

INFORMAL HELP

If you have a concern, you should first talk informally to:

Your Housemaster or
Your House Tutor or
One of your subject teachers or
Any teacher you trust or
A School Matron

If for any reason you do not feel able to share your concern with a member of staff, then you may consider discussing it with one of the Peer Supporters whose names can be found in the School List and on House boards. Some matters of concern to you may cause the person with whom you have talked anxiety that you may be in a vulnerable situation or that you are being hurt in some way. If so, these concerns will need to be shared with another professional to ensure your safety and well-being. Please be assured that this will be managed sensitively, keeping you informed of all actions or plans.

You may of course share your anxiety in confidence with the School Counsellor, Mr Philip Hewitt, who comes to School each week and can also be contacted Monday to Friday on 020 8402 2984 (which is also a fax and answering machine.). You could also talk in confidence to

*The Chaplain, The Reverend Gavin Williams, on 020 7963 1128, or
The School Doctor, Dr Joanna Hayes or
Kidscape- telephone number 0207 730 3300 or
Childline - telephone number 0800 1111 (calls are free)*

FORMAL HELP

If after trying to resolve your concern in this way you are still feeling unhappy, or if for any reason you do not feel that this route is appropriate, then you should ask formally for help. It is often useful to you and to us for you to clarify your thoughts by putting them in writing. This must be signed; as it is not possible to respond to anonymous information. We therefore suggest that you do this and give it to either:

*Your Housemaster or
The Under Master,*

who will then discuss the matter with you. If that action fails to sort things out, then you may pass your written summary to the Head Master. Alternatively, you may prefer to contact the Head Master immediately on 020 7963 1042, rather than getting in touch with others first. A meeting will be arranged to discuss your concern and try to work out a solution. You will probably find it helpful to come to that meeting with someone who understands how you feel, such as your parents, a friend or a trusted member of staff. You can also call Westminster Children's Services Department on 020 7641 7668.

We assure you that once your concern is shared with the School every effort will be made to work with you to sort it out swiftly and sensitively.

If you believe that, for whatever reason, your concerns have not been dealt with satisfactorily, you should ask your parents to follow the complaints procedure.

Being sent an abusive or threatening text message, or seeing nasty comments about yourself on a website can be really upsetting. This code gives you seven important tips to protect yourself and your friends from getting caught up in cyberbullying and advice on to how to report it when it does happen.

1. **Always respect others**

Remember that when you send a message to someone you cannot see the impact that your words or images may have on the other person. That is why it is important to always show respect to people and be careful what you say online or what images you send. What you think is a joke may really hurt someone else. Always ask permission before you take a photo of someone. If you receive a rude or nasty message or picture about someone else, do not forward it. You could be assisting a bully, and even be accused of cyberbullying yourself. You could also be breaking the law.

2. **Think before you send**

It is important to think before you send any images or text about yourself or someone else by email or mobile phone, or before you post information on a website. Remember that what you send can be made public very quickly and could stay online forever. Do you really want your teacher or future employer to see that photo?

3. **Treat your password like your toothbrush**

Don't let anyone know your passwords. It is a good idea to change them on a regular basis. Choosing hard-to-guess passwords with symbols or numbers will help stop people hacking into your account and pretending to be you. Remember to only give your mobile number or personal website address to trusted friends.

4. **Block the Bully**

Most responsible websites and services allow you to block or report someone who is behaving badly. Make use of these features, they are there for a reason!

5. **Don't retaliate or reply!**

Replying to bullying messages, particularly in anger, is just what the bully wants.

6. **Save the evidence**

Learn how to keep records of offending messages, pictures or online conversations. These will help you demonstrate to others what is happening, and can be used by your school, internet service provider, mobile phone company, or even the police, to investigate the cyberbullying.

7. **Make sure you tell**

You have a right not to be harassed and bullied online. There are people that can help:

Tell an adult you trust, who can help you to report it to the right place, or call a helpline like ChildLine on 0800 1111 in confidence.

Tell the provider of the service you have been bullied on (e.g. your mobile phone operator or social network provider). Check their websites to see where to report.

Tell your school. Your teacher or the anti-bullying co-ordinator at your school can support you and can discipline the person bullying you.

Finally, don't just stand there - if you see cyberbullying going on, support the victim and report the bullying. How would you feel if no-one stood up for you?

For further information visit www.thinkuknow.co.uk

**Contingency Plan in Case of a
Terrorist or other Major Incident**

A Short Brief for Teachers and Pupils

1. In the event of a major incident a Crisis Management Group will be formed immediately (see policy document for further details). This team will endeavour to coordinate all actions. In usual circumstances this will meet in the Head Master's Drawing Room. In case of evacuation other sites and telephone numbers will be issued.
2. At all times teachers should stay with pupils. Pupils should not be dispersed without a direction to do so from the CMG. Nor should any other response be put into action without consultation with the CMG.
3. Following an incident which directly affects the members of the School, the usual emergency evacuation procedure should be put into effect and pupils gathered at muster points, and teachers stay with them. A line of communication should be set up with the CMG (if telephones are in operation: HM 020 7963 1042, UM 07810 626457, SM 07957 887840). Then further response will be as directed.
4. If there is a terrorist threat, rather than action, stay put, set up a line of communication with the CMG. Evacuate and muster only if directed.

5. If a group is at Station or other venue on a School visit and there is a terrorist threat, stay put at the venue, and try to establish a line of communication with the CMG, Head Master or the Under Master. Do not disperse until directed by the CMG.
6. If the whole School needs to be evacuated the CMG will organise lines of communication to direct the operation. At all times teachers must stay with their classes. However Housemasters may transfer responsibility to another member of staff if they are needed to check the evacuation of their Houses.
7. Parallel response applies to the non-academic staff. If evacuation is necessary that would be directed by Bursar, who would be in communication with the Head Master.
8. The first response in all circumstances is to stay put, stay with the teacher at all times, evacuate only if directed by the teacher.

Monday, Wednesday and Friday	
Breakfast	7.50 — 8.30am
(Monday)	8.00 — 8.30am
Registration	7.30 — 8.50am
(Wednesday)	7.30 — 8.40am
Latin Prayers / Year Assemblies (Wednesday)	8.45am
Abbey (Monday / Friday)	9.00am
Tutor Meetings (Wednesday)	9.05am
Period 1	9.25 — 10.05am
Period 2	10.10 — 10.50am
Break	10.50 — 11.15am
Period 3	11.15 — 11.55am
Period 4	12.00 — 12.40pm
Lunch (College Hall and Grant's Dining Room)	12.40 — 1.55pm
Afternoon Registration	12.40 — 1.50pm
Period 5	2.00 — 2.40pm
Period 6	2.45 — 3.25pm
Period 7	3.30 — 4.10pm
Tea	4.10 — 4.30pm
Lower School Activities	4.30pm
Junior Supper	6.00 — 6.30pm
Senior Supper	6.30 — 7.00pm
Prep	7.15 — 9.00pm
Tuesday and Thursday	
Breakfast	7.50 — 8.30am
Registration	7.30 — 8.50am
Period 1	9.00 — 9.40am
Period 2	9.45 — 10.25am
Period 3	10.30 — 11.10am
Break	11.10 — 11.35am
Period 4	11.35 — 12.15pm
Period 5	12.20 — 1.00pm
Afternoon Registration	1.00 — 1.50pm
1st Lunch	1.00pm
2nd Lunch	1.20pm
Tea	4.00 — 4.40pm
Junior Supper	6.00 — 6.30pm
Senior Supper	6.30 — 7.00pm
Prep	7.15 — 9.00pm

Saturday Morning	
Breakfast	7.50 — 8.30am
Period 1	9.00 — 9.40am
Period 2	9.45 — 10.25am
Period 3	10.30 — 11.10am
Break	11.10 — 11.35am
Period 4	11.35 — 12.15pm
Period 5	12.20 — 1.00pm
Lunch	1.00pm

WEEKEND MEAL TIMES

Saturday	
Breakfast	7.50 — 8.30am
Lunch	1.10pm
Tea	4.30 — 5.00pm
Supper	6.30 — 7.00pm

Sunday	
Brunch	11.00 — 1.00pm
Tea	4.30 — 5.00pm
Supper	6.00 — 6.30pm

If you are feeling unwell

The School Nursing Sister is based up Surgery, which is up Grant's (follow the signs). The telephone no. is 020 7963 1101. Pupils may see Sister during the Surgery opening times, Monday to Friday:

- (1) 8.30 - 9.30; (2) Morning break
(3) 12.30 - 14:00; (4) 16:15 - 17:00

In the case of genuine emergencies, they may also see her at any other time. (If she is unavailable, the Duty Matron should be telephoned on 07909 996159.)

Otherwise, pupils in Boarding Houses (whether day pupils or boarders) should see their Matron in the first instance. Pupils in Day Houses should see the Duty Matron (list below.) The Matron will treat the pupil herself if possible, or refer the pupil to the Surgery if necessary.

Monday	Rigaud's
Tuesday	Liddell's
Wednesday	Busby's
Thursday	Grant's
Friday	College

Summary: pupils should not go directly up surgery, other than during the designated surgery opening hours, or in an emergency, or if they wish to speak to the School Nursing Sister about something that is worrying them.

LOs and Late LOs

Pupils who want an LO for Station should see their Matron or Housemaster first thing in the morning. (Day pupils should bring along a letter or email from their parents.)

If the illness/injury develops during the morning, then pupils must go and see the School Nursing Sister at break or at 13:00 (not later, please).

Evenings and weekends

In the evenings, boarders should see their own Matron, who will get in touch with the Duty Matron as necessary (also available on 07770 740507).

At weekends, please see the Weekend Duty Matron as published in the Diary section of the Almanack.

Athletics	.S D Wurr
Badminton	.N J Simons
Body Step	.Dr J L Cockburn
Community Service	.Mrs A E Cave-Bigley
Cricket	.J D Kershen
Fencing	.R Dudley-Smith
Fives	.A E A Mylne
Football	.J D Kershen
Indoor Football	.G P A Brown
Gym Fitness	.Mrs S M Barry
Hockey	.G J A Simpson
Martial Arts	.S Curran
Netball	.Miss C M Leech
Rock Climbing	.Dr R Agyare-Kwabi
Rounders	.Mrs A J Jorgensen
Sailing / Kayaking	.J N Hooper
Shooting	.Dr H J Prentice
Squash Rackets	.A C Tolley
Swimming	.D R Hemsley-Brown
Tennis	.G A Hayter
Volleyball	.Dr P H Williams
Wakeboarding	.Ms S E Leonard
Water	.C D Riches
Winter Tennis	.S Craft
Yoga	.Miss S Page

Reception.....	7963 1001
Head Master.....	7963 1042
Under Master (Emergency Contact).....	07810 626457
Senior Master (Emergency Contact).....	07957 887840
Duty Housemaster (Emergency Contact).....	07771 812038
Common Room.....	7963 1050
Fax.....	7963 1006
Houses:	
College.....	7963 1035
Matron.....	7963 1039
Grant's.....	7963 1070
Matron.....	7963 1075
Rigaud's.....	7963 1060
Matron.....	7963 1066
Busby's.....	7963 1055
Matron.....	7963 1058
Liddell's.....	7963 1085
Matron.....	7963 1089
Purcell's.....	7963 1132
Matron.....	7963 1131
Ashburnham (Study).....	7963 1079
Wren's (Study).....	7963 1076
Dryden's (Study).....	7963 1077
Hakluyt's (Study).....	7963 1021
Milne's (Study).....	7963 1130
Chaplain.....	7963 1128
Head of Counselling (Philip Hewitt).....	7963 1099
Fax.....	8402 2984
School Doctors	
Grant's Surgery.....	7963 1101
Grant's Surgery Fax....	7963 1100
(Dr Joanna Hayes and Dr Paul Wiseman) Practice	7589 2478
School Nursing Sister	07770 740507
Duty Matron (Mobile)	07909 996159
Development Office	7963 1111
Robert Hooke Science Centre	7963 1140
Boathouse	(Tel / Fax) 8788 0669
..... (Mobile - C D Riches)	07702 564037
Vincent Square	7630 6479
College Hall	7963 1080
School Store	7963 1007
Library	7963 1045
IT Support Desk	7963 1014
Music Department.....	7963 1017
Childline (Freephone counselling)	0800 1111

PRECES IN SCHOLA RECITANDAE I

Head Master: OREMUS

Psalmus LXVII

- 1 Deus misereatur nostri, et bene- | dicat | nobis:
illuminet vultum suum super nos, et mis- | ere- | atur | nostri.
 - 2 Ut cognoscamus in terra | viam | tuam:
in omnibus gentibus | salu- | tare | tuum.
 - 3 Confiteantur tibi | populi | Deus:
confiteantur | tibi | populi | omnes.
 - 4 Laetentur et ex- | ultent | gentes:
quoniam iudicas populos in aequitate, et | gentes · in | terra | dirigis.
 - 5 Confiteantur tibi populi Deus, confiteantur tibi | popu- | li | omnes:
terra | dedit | fructum | suum.
 - 6 Benedicat nos Deus Deus noster, bene- | dicat · nos | Deus:
et metuant eum | omnes | fines | terrae.
- Gloria | Patri · et | Filio:
et | Spiri- | tui | Sancto.
- Sicut erat in principio et | nunc et | semper:
et in saecula saecu | lorum | A- | men.

Head Master: PATER NOSTER

- Pater noster
qui es in coelis,
sanctificetur nomen tuum,
adveniat regnum tuum,
fiat voluntas tua,
sicut in coelo et in terra.
Panem nostrum quotidianum da nobis hodie:
et dimitte nobis debita nostra,
sicut et nos dimittimus debitoribus nostris:
- V. Et ne nos inducas in tentati- o- nem;
R. Sed libera nos a ma- lo.
V. Et veniat super nos misericordia tua, Do- mine;
R. Et salutare tuum secundum eloquium tu- um.
V. Et respice in servos tuos, et in opera tu- a;
R. Et dirige filios e- o- rum.
V. Et sit splendor Domini Dei nostri su- per nos;
R. Et opera manuum nostrarum di- rige.
V. Domine, salvam fac Re- gi- nam;
R. Et exaudi nos cum invo- ca- mus te.
V. Domine, exaudi orationem me- am;
R. Et clamor meus ad te ve- niat.

PRAYERS (Said)

Omnipotens sempiternae Deus, dirige actus nostros in beneplacito tuo, ut in nomine dilecti Filii tui, ejusque gratia adjuti, bonis operibus abundemus. Amen.

Almighty, everlasting God, direct our actions in thy good pleasure, that in the name of thy beloved Son, and aided by his grace, we may abound in good works. Amen.

Actiones nostras, quaesumus, Domine, aspirando praevieni, et adjuvando prosequere, ut cuncta nostra operatio a te semper incipiat, et per te progrediatur ac feliciter finiatur, per Christum Dominum nostrum. Amen.

Prevent us, O Lord, in all our doings with thy most gracious favour, and further us with thy continual help; that in all our works begun, continued, and ended in thee, we may glorify thy holy name, and finally by thy mercy obtain everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Gratia Domini nostri Jesu Christi, et caritas Dei patris, et communicatio Spiritus Sancti sit semper cum omnibus nobis.

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with us all evermore. Amen.

R. AMEN.

PRECES IN SCHOLA RECITANDAE II

Head Master: OREMUS

Psalmus CXXIII

1 Ad te levavi | ocu- los | meos:
qui | habi- | tas in | coelis.

2 Ecce sicut ocu- | li ser- | vorum:
in manibus | domi- | norum · su- | orum.

3 Sicut oculi ancillae in manibus | domin · ae | suae:
ita oculi nostri ad Dominum Deum nostrum
donec mi- | sere- | atur | nostri.

4 Miserere nostri Domine, mise- | rere | nostri:
quia multum repleti | sumus · des- | pecti- | one.

5 Quia multum repleta est | ani- ma | nostra:
opprobrium abundantibus et des- | pecti- | o su- | perbis.

Gloria | Patri · et | Filio:
et | Spiri- | tui | Sancto.

Sicut erat in principio et | nunc et | semper:
et in saecula saecu- | lorum | A- | men.

Head Master: PATER NOSTER

Pater noster
qui es in coelis,
sanctificetur nomen tuum,
adveniat regnum tuum,
fiat voluntas tua,
sicut in coelo et in terra.
Panem nostrum quotidianum da nobis hodie;
et dimitte nobis debita nostra,
sicut et nos dimittimus debitoribus nostris:

V. Et ne nos inducas in tentati- o- nem;

R. Sed libera nos a ma- lo.

V. In memoria aeterna erit jus- tus;

R. Ab auditu malo non ti- me- bit.

V. Justorum animae in manu De- i sunt;

R. Nec attinget illas cruci- a- tus.

PRAYERS (Said)

Domine Deus, resurrectio et vita credentium, qui semper es laudandus tam in viventibus quam in defunctis, agimus tibi gratias pro fundatrice nostra Elizabetha Prima Regina, ceterisque benefactoribus nostris, quorum beneficiis hic ad pietatem et studia litterarum alimur, rogantes ut nos his donis recte ad tuam gloriam utentes una cum fidelibus omnibus ad resurrectionis gloriam immortalem perveniamus, per Christum Dominum nostrum. Amen.

O Lord God, the resurrection and the life of believers, who art ever to be praised in this life and that which is to come: We yield thee hearty thanks for our Foundress Queen Elizabeth the First, and all our other benefactors, by whose gift it cometh that in this place we are encouraged to holiness of life and the pursuit of learning. And we ask thy grace that we may use these gifts for thy glory, and together with all the faithful may attain to the everlasting glory of the resurrection: through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Gratia Domini nostri Jesu Christi, et caritas Dei patris, et communicatio Spiritus Sancti, sit semper cum omnibus nobis.

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with us all evermore. Amen.

R. AMEN.

The School Prayer

We yield thee hearty thanks, most merciful Father, for our foundress Queen Elizabeth the First, and all our other benefactors, whose bounty thou hast given us to enjoy. Grant us, we beseech thee, grace to use thy manifold blessings in our life here, that becoming profitable members of this church and nation, we may glorify thy holy name, and finally by thy mercy obtain everlasting life, through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

<i>Room No.</i>	<i>Subject</i>	<i>Location</i>
1-4		Wren's Corridor, 1st floor
5	Chaplaincy	College Basement (via Wren's Corridor)
10	Camden Room	Ashburnham House, Ground floor
11	Gibbon Room	Ashburnham House, Ground floor
12	Hastings Room	Ashburnham House, Ground floor
13		Ashburnham House, Ground floor
14	Toplady Room	Ashburnham Garden, Steps to School
15	Lecture Room	Ashburnham House, 1st floor
20-23	Maths	Ashburnham House, 2nd floor
24	Computer Room	Ashburnham House, 2nd floor
26-29	Maths	Ashburnham House, 2nd floor
30-32	Maths	Ashburnham House, 3rd floor
35	Busby Library	Entrance to School
36	John Sargeaunt Room	In Library
37	Markham Room	Far end of School
38	Christie Room	In Library
50	Remove Painting Studio	Sutcliff's, Basement
51	Geography	Sutcliff's, Ground floor
52-54	Classics	Sutcliff's, Ground floor
60	VI / Remove Art Studio	Sutcliff's, 1st floor
62-63	Geography	Sutcliff's, 1st floor
70	Lower School Art Studio	Sutcliff's, 2nd floor
71	Lower School Art Studio	Sutcliff's, 2nd floor
80 - 82	Theology and Philosophy	Sutcliff's, 3rd floor
83	Lower School Art Studio	Sutcliff's, 3rd floor
CO	Classics Office	Sutcliff's, Basement
DOS	Director of Studies' Office	Sutcliff's, Ground Floor
D01&09	History of Art	Weston's, Ground Floor
D02-06	Economics	Weston's, Ground Floor
D07-08	Modern Languages	Weston's, Ground Floor
D10-19	Modern Languages	Weston's, 1st Floor
D20-29	English	Weston's, 2nd Floor
D30-39	History	Weston's, 3rd Floor
M1-M3	Music	Manoukian Music Centre

<i>Room No.</i>	<i>Floor</i>	<i>Room</i>
B05	Basement	Classroom
B08	Basement	Laboratory
G03	Ground	Electronics 1
G04	Ground	Electronics 2
G05	Ground	Technology
102	1st	Advanced Physics 1
105	1st	Advanced Physics 2
201	2nd	Physics 1
205	2nd	Physics 2
202	2nd	Physics 3
301	3rd	Chemistry 1
304	3rd	Chemistry 2
401	4th	Chemistry 3
404	4th	Chemistry 4
501	5th	Biology 1
504	5th	Biology 2
605	6th	Biology 3
602	6th	Biology 4

Monday	1.00pm	International Culture Society (Lecture Room)
	1.00pm	Philosophy Society (Camden Room)
	1.15pm	Environment Society (Dungeons)
	12.45 - 1.30pm	Big Band
	12.45 - 1.30pm	Instrumental Chamber Music
	4.20 - 5.30pm	Music Theory
	4.30pm	Art School open to all
	4.30pm	Lower School Jazz Band (MMC)
	4.30pm	Choral Society (MMC)
	4.30pm	Chess Club
	4.30 - 6.00pm	Full Choir Rehearsal (MMC)
	4.30 - 5.30pm	Clarinet Choir
	4.30 - 5.30pm	Percussion Workshop
	4.30 - 6.00pm	Senior Jazz Band (MMC)
	4.30 - 6.30pm	Play Rehearsals (MFH)
	9.00pm	Gym
	Tuesday	8.00am
8.10 - 8.55am		Chamber Choir (MMC)
1.00pm		Senior Brass Group
2.30pm		Fire Alarm Testing
4.30 - 6.30pm		Play Rehearsals (MFH)
7.15 - 9.00pm	Studios Option for all (Art School)	
Wednesday	Noon	John Locke Society (Lecture Room)
	12.45 - 1.30pm	Brass Sinfonia / Chamber Music
	12.45 - 1.30pm	Cello Ensemble
	12.45 - 1.30pm	Violin and Viola Ensemble
	12.50 - 1.40pm	Peer Supporters' Meeting
	1.00pm	Political Society (Camden Room)
	4.30pm	Art School open to all
	4.30 - 6.15pm	Symphony Orchestra (MMC)
	4.30 - 6.00pm	Symphonic Wind Orchestra
	4.30 - 6.00pm	String Sinfonia
	4.30pm	Debating (Camden Room)
	4.30 - 6.30pm	Play Rehearsals (MFH)
4.30 - 6.00pm	Sixth Form A Level Life Class (Art School)	
9.00pm	Gym	

Thursday	8.10 - 8.55am	Chamber Choir (MMC)
	1.15 - 2.00pm	Music Theory
	2.30pm	Fire Alarm Testing
	4.30 - 6.30pm	Play Rehearsals (MFH)
	4.30 - 6.00pm	Art School open to all
	8.00 - 10.00pm	Fives Abbey Club Training / Matches
Friday	12.45pm	Chess Problem Solving
	12.45 - 1.30pm	Instrumental Chamber Music (MMC)
	12.45 - 1.30pm	Saxophone Quartet
	1.00pm	Amnesty International (Dungeons)
	1.00pm	Biology Society (Lecture Room)
	4.30pm	Art School open to all
	4.30 - 6.30pm	Play Rehearsals (MFH)
	4.30pm	History Society
	4.30 - 6.00pm	Remove Life Class (Art School)
	9.00pm	Gym

Any changes will be notified on Westminster Week

24 Week 2 DIARY

Sunday *The Baptism of Christ*
10 January Weekend Duty Housemasters: PAB, PDH
 Weekend Duty Matron: Liddell's
 All day technical and dress rehearsal, MFH

Monday Weekday Duty Housemasters: JJK, PAB
11 January Asburnham Fifth Form departs for Alston
 9.00am Abbey
 9.30am AS Mathematics: Mechanics 2, C1, C2
 2.00pm AS Critical Thinking: F501
 4.30pm Liddell's Remove Girls' Tea with Head of Girls
 7.15pm Play - Exhibition Row (MFH)

Tuesday 9.30am AS Biology: F211, F212
12 January 6.30pm Hooke Science Lecture Series:
 HW 1205 "Hacking the Brain", Dr Lewis Dartnell
 (Lecture Room)
 7.15pm Play - Exhibition Row (MFH)

Wednesday 8.45am No Latin Prayers
13 January Fifth Form Assembly (MMC)
 9.05am Tutorials for All
 9.30am AS Physics: G491, G492;
 AS Religious Studies: G571, G572
 Noon John Locke Society (Lecture Room)
 2.00pm AS Electronics: ET1; AS Economics: 6EC01
 4.30pm Busby's Remove Girls' Tea with Head of Girls
 4.30pm SODAC (Room 63)
 7.15pm The 2010 Inaugural Lecture: Susan Doran on
 "The English Renaissance and Reformation: The Refoundation
 of Westminster School in Context" (School)
 7.15pm Play - Exhibition Row (MFH)

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Thursday All day: Teach First Geography Subject Studies
14 January 9.30am AS Chemistry: 6CH01
 HW 1350 2.00pm AS History: F961, F962
 4.00pm Netball v Grey Coat Hospital School (A)
 6.45pm Informal Concert (MMC)
 Football: 1st XI v Corinthian Casuals (H)
 Football: u14A, u14B v Latymer Upper (A)

Friday Ashburnham Fifth Form returns from Alston
15 January 9.00am Abbey
 1.00pm Biology Society (Lecture Room)
 2.00pm AS/A2 Mathematics: C2, C4
 4.30pm Ben Jonson Literary Society: Adam O'Riordan:
 award-winning poet (Lecture Room)
 4.30pm History Society

Saturday Weekend Duty Housemasters: MHF, GS
16 January Weekend Duty Matron: College
 HW 1510 11.00am Community Choir Rehearsal (MMC)
 2.30pm Cross-country: Knole Run, Sevenoaks
 Football v King's Canterbury: 3rd XI, 4th XI, u16B (H);
 1st XI, 2nd XI, u16A (A - leave class at 12.15pm)

Memoranda

Sunday *The Second Sunday of Epiphany*
17 January Weekend Duty Housemasters: MHF, GS
 Weekend Duty Matron: College
 11.15am Abbey Eucharist

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Monday Weekday Duty Housemasters: SDW, JRGB
18 January Upper Shell Examinations
 Liddell's Fifth Form departs for Alston
 9.00am Abbey
 2.00pm A2 Physics:2864
 4.30pm Common Room Meeting
 4.30pm Liddell's Remove Girls' Tea with Head of Girls

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Tuesday Upper Shell Examinations
19 January 9.30am AS Critical Thinking: F502
 HW 1645 4.30pm Fire Course
 4.45pm Challenge Committee

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Wednesday 8.45am Latin Prayers - ad te levavi / Wren's
20 January (except for Upper Shell)
 9.05am Tutorials for All (except Upper Shell)
 Upper Shell Examinations (am only)
 9.30am AS History: F964
 Noon John Locke Society (Lecture Room)
 2.00pm A2 Mathematics: Core Mathematics 3, S3, FP2
 4.30pm Fives v Highgate (Girls)
 4.30pm House Debating: Super Eights
 6.30pm History of Art Society: Nick Ross on
 "Art and the City of Florence" (School)

Thursday Football v St Paul's: u15A, u15B (A)
21 January Shooting v Wellington (H)
 HW 1755 Hockey: 1st XI v King Alfred's (3pm Chiswick)
 2.00pm AS Chemistry: 6CH02
 A2 Chemistry Practical
 2.15pm Fives v Highgate: u15, u14 (A)
 2.30pm Cross Country v Winchester (A)
 4.15pm Fives v Highgate: u16 (A)
 4.30pm Fire Course
 6.30pm Community Choir Rehearsal (MMC)

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Friday Liddell's Fifth Form returns from Alston
22 January 9.00am Abbey
 1.30pm Hispanic Society Lecture (Lecture Room)
 followed by a visit to the British Museum
 (Sixth Form and Remove Hispanists)
 Sixth Form Art History Trip to Canterbury (all day)
 4.30pm EXEAT Weekend Begins

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Saturday EXEAT Weekend
23 January (No Boarders Overnight)
 LW 1400 Chile Exchange arrives
 Bristol Schools Debating Competition (Bristol)

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Memoranda

Sunday *The Third Sunday of Epiphany*
24 January EXEAT Weekend
 (No Boarders on Saturday night)
 6.00pm Boarders Return (before 9.00pm)
 Southern Indoor Climbing Competition (London Bridge)

Monday Weekday Duty Housemasters: MAB, GDWS
25 January 9.00am Abbey
 9.30am AS Mathematics: Statistics 1 / 2
 2.00pm A2 Biology: 2805
 4.45pm Fifth Form Parents' Evening and Reception

Tuesday Football v Harrow: 1st XI, u14A, u14B (H);
26 January 2nd XI, 3rd XI, u16A, u16B, u15A, u15B (A)
 LW 1640 (leave class at 12.15pm)
 Hockey: Middlesex U18 hockey tournament (Merchant Taylors)
 4.00pm Piano Competition - Junior Section (MMC)
 4.30pm Oxford Schools Debating Competition
 (Pimlico Academy)
 4.30pm Fives v Sutton Valence School: u18, u16, u14 (H)
 4.00pm Netball v St Paul's: A & B Teams (A)
 4.45pm Pastoral Planning Committee
 Shooting v RGS Guildford (A)
 7.15pm Remove Devised Plays (MFH)

Wednesday 8.45am Latin Prayers - Deus misereatur / Purcell's
27 January Upper Shell Assembly (MMC)
 9.05am Tutorials for all (except Upper Shell)
 9.30am A2 Chemistry: Units 4, 5
 Noon John Locke Society (Lecture Room)
 2.00pm AS/A2 Mathematics: M1
 4.30pm Purcell's Remove Girls' Tea with Head of Girls
 6.30pm Open Evening for 2012 Parents (School)
 6.30pm Hooke Science Lecture Series - Dr Bill Proud
 on "The Science of High Speed Events" (Lecture Room)
 7.15pm Remove Devised Plays (MFH)

Thursday 9.30am A2 Biology: 2804
28 January 2.30pm Fives v Emanuel: u14 (Away at Eton)
 HW 1230 4.00pm Piano Competition - Senior Section (MMC)
 Hockey v UCS: 1st XI, u15 (5.00pm Chiswick)

Friday 8.45am School Communion in Henry VII's Lady Chapel
29 January 9.30am Matrons' Meeting (Hastings Room)
 1.00pm Biology Society (Lecture Room)
 2.00pm A2 Economics: 6EC03; 6354, 6355
 A2 Electronics: ET4
 4.30pm Classical Society - Professor AC Grayling
 (Birkbeck College) on "The Ethics of Enlightenment"
 (Lecture Room)
 7.15pm Contemporary Music Concert (School)
 4.30pm History Society

Saturday Weekend Duty Housemasters: MAB, GDWS
30 January Weekend Duty Matron: Rigaud's
 HW 1420 11.00am Community Choir Rehearsal (MMC)
 1.30pm Fives v Cambridge University: Girls (H)
 Football v Hampton: 2nd XI, u14A, u14B (H);
 1st XI, u15A, u15B (A - leave class at 12.15pm)
 Water: Quintin Head

Memoranda

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31 January *The Fourth Sunday of Epiphany*
Weekend Duty Housemasters: MAB, GDWS
Weekend Duty Matron: Rigaud's
Sixth Form Munich Exchange Students arrive

Monday
1 February Weekday Duty Housemasters: PAH, TDP
9.00am Abbey
9.30am A2 Chemistry: Unit 6B
4.45pm Upper Shell Parents' Evening and Reception

Tuesday
2 February *Candlemas*
HW 1640 Music Scholarship Auditions (MMC)
Hakluyt's Fifth Form departs for Alston
2.00pm A2 Economics: Unit 6
2.30pm Fives v Eton (A): u18, u16, u15, u14
House Climbing (Mile End)
4.00pm Fives v Highgate: Girls (A)
4.30pm House Festival Technical Rehearsals (School)
7.30pm Parenting Forum: Jonnie Leach, a former drug addict, on "What helped me and what you need to know" (Grant's Dining Room)

Wednesday
3 February 8.45am Latin Prayers - ad te levavi / Dryden's (except for Sixth Form)
9.05am Tutorials for All
Music Scholarship Auditions (MMC)
Noon John Locke Society (Lecture Room)
1.00pm HPV Surgery - Boarding Girls (by invitation)
1.00pm Cross-Country: London Schools Championships, Hampstead Heath
4.30pm House Debating: Super Eights
4.30pm House Festival Technical Rehearsals (School)
7.00pm Brock Lecture - Rebecca Stephens MBE
First British Woman To Climb Everest and The Seven Summits

Thursday
4 February 9.30am Pre-Interview Tests for 2012 Entrants (School)
HW 1800 Intermediate Maths Competition (am)
Football: Senior House 6-a-sides I
House Climbing (Mile End)
4.00pm Netball v Emanuel School: A & B Teams (A)
4.30pm Fives v Lancing (H)
4.30pm House Festival Technical Rehearsals (School)
6.45pm Informal Concert (MMC)

Friday
5 February Fifth Form and LS Order Sheets
9.00am Abbey
4.30pm Classical Society: Dr B Ward-Perkins (Trinity College, Oxford) on "The End of Civilization at the Fall of Rome" (Lecture Room)
4.30pm House Festival Technical Rehearsals (School)
6.45pm Wren's / Dryden's House Concert (MMC)
7.00pm Ashburnham House Parents' Reception (Camden Room)

Saturday
6 February Weekend Duty Housemasters: KDT, JRGB
HW 1420 Weekend Duty Matron: Grant's
Hakluyt's Fifth Form returns from Alston
11.00am Community Choir Rehearsal (MMC)
Common Room Spanish Evening
Water: Hampton Head

Memoranda

Sunday *The Second Sunday before Lent*
7 February Weekend Duty Housemasters: KDT, JRGB
 Weekend Duty Matron: Grant's
 10.00am Dress Rehearsals for House Festival (until 9.00pm)

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Monday Weekday Duty Housemasters: GS, PDH
8 February 9.00am Abbey
 7.15pm House Drama Festival (School)

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Tuesday Football: Senior House 6-a-sides II
9 February Shooting v Epsom (A)
 LW 1700 Hockey: 1st XI v Latymer Upper (4.30pm Chiswick)
 2.15pm Fives v Berkhamsted (A): u18, u16
 6.30pm Community Choir Rehearsal (MMC)
 7.15pm House Drama Festival (School)

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Wednesday Purcell's Carnations Day
10 February Remove Geography Field Trip
 8.45am Remove Assembly (School)
 Lower Shell Assembly (MMC)
 9.05am Tutorials for All
 Noon John Locke Society (Lecture Room)
 2.00pm Fives v Shrewsbury: u18, u16, u15, u14 (at Eton)
 4.30pm House Debating: Super Eights
 7.15pm House Drama Festival (School)

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Thursday Governing Body Finance Sub-committee
11 February Football v Highgate: u14A, u14B (H); u15A, u15B (A)
 HW 1245 2.30pm Cross-Country: Radley Relays
 4.00pm Netball v Notting Hill and Ealing School: A&B (A)
 4.30pm Fives v Charterhouse: u18, u16 (H)
 6.45pm Informal Concert (MMC)
 7.15pm House Drama Festival Final (School)

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Friday 9.00am Abbey
12 February Climbing Expedition departs for Corsica
 12.00pm Remove Historians Study Trip departs to Ireland
 1.00pm Biology Society (Lecture Room)
 4.30pm GCSE Astronomy Field Trip departs
 4.30pm EXEAT begins

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Saturday Water: Henley Fours Head
13 February
 HW 1420

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Memoranda

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Sunday *The First Sunday of Lent*
21 February Finland Ice Marathon returns
 Art Historians return from Barcelona

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Monday Weekday Duty Housemasters: JJK, GDWS
22 February 9.00am EXEAT Ends
 9.00am Abbey
 Remove Exams
 12.45pm Lent Lunch
 3.45pm Health and Safety Committee (HMDR)

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Tuesday Remove Exams
23 February Football: Junior House 6-a-sides
 LW 1445 2.30pm Fives v Highgate: u14 (A)
 4.30pm Fives v Highgate: Girls (H)
 4.45pm Heads of Departments' Meeting

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Wednesday No Latin Prayers
24 February 9.05am Tutorials for All
 Noon John Locke Society (Lecture Room)
 4.30pm Rigaud's Remove Girls' Tea with Head of Girls
 7.15pm Camden Lecture - Professor Tim Blanning on
 "The Triumph of Music" (School)

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Thursday Cambridge Schools Debating Competition (Finals Day)
25 February 9.30am Diphtheria, Tetanus, Polio Boosters
 HW 1050 (Grant's Dining Room)
 10.30am Governing Body Under School Committee (WUS)
 2.30pm Fives v Harrow (Westway)
 4.30pm Fives v Harrow (H)
 3.00pm Bringsty Relay
 4.00pm Netball v Godolphin and Latymer: A&B (A)
 5.00pm Geography Tacitus Lecture (Guildhall)
 6.30pm Open Evening for 2012 Parents (School)
 7.00pm Duo Competition (MMC)

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Friday 8.45am School Communion in Henry VII's Lady Chapel
26 February 1.00pm Biology Society (Lecture Room)
 4.30pm History Society (Lecture Room)
 6.00pm College Open Evening
 6.45pm Busby's House Concert (MMC)

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Saturday Weekend Duty Housemasters: TDP, SDW
27 February Weekend Duty Matron: Busby's
 HW 1315 Football v St Paul's: u16A, u16B (H)
 9.00am Remove Art Historians to
 Articulation Prize Semi-Finals at St Paul's Girls' School
 11.00am Community Choir Rehearsal (MMC)

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Memoranda

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Sunday
28 February *The Second Sunday of Lent*
Weekend Duty Housemasters: TDP, SDW
Weekend Duty Matron: Busby's
German Munich Exchange students depart
Southern Indoor Climbing Competition (Mile End)
Water: Hammersmith Junior Head

Monday
1 March Weekday Duty Housemasters: SDW, GS
Grant's Fifth Form departs for Alston
9.00am Abbey
12.45pm Lent Lunch
4.30pm Hakluyt's Remove Girls' Tea with Head of Girls
5.15pm Heads of Departments' Meeting with WUS
(Camden Room)
6.30pm Visiting Music Teacher Parents' Evening (MMC)

Tuesday
2 March IGCSE French Orals begin
HW 1530 11.00am The Greaze (School)
Period 4/5 LS PSHE Talk for LSC, LSL, LSH (Lecture Room)
1.30pm Governing Body Executive Committee
4.30pm Fives v Berkhamsted: u15, u14 (A); Girls (H)
4.45pm Pastoral Planning Committee (Hastings Room)
6.30pm Hooke Science Lecture Series: Dr Mike Clugston
on "The Ten Greatest Ideas in Science" (Lecture Room)
WSPC Shrove Tuesday Dinner

Wednesday
3 March All Day: Teach First Geography Subject Studies
8.45am Latin Prayers - Deus misereatur / Hakluyt's
Fifth Form Assembly (MMC)
9.05am Tutorials for All
Period 1 / 2 LS PSHE Talk for LSR, LSM, LSF (Lecture Room)
11.00am World Book Day Sale (Camden Room) (until 2.00pm)
Noon John Locke Society (Lecture Room)
1.00pm HPV Surgery for Boarding Girls (by invitation)
4.30pm House Debating Final (Camden Room)
4.30pm SODAC (Room 63)
6.30pm Visiting Music Teacher Parents' Evening (MMC)
6.30pm Art History Society Lecture - Eva Bosch on
"Art and the City of Barcelona" (Lecture Room)
7.30pm Cantandum Concert - St Stephen's Rochester Row

Thursday
4 March Football: House matches I
HW 1650 2.00pm TSCC / NTSCC (HMDR)
2.00pm Biology Olympiad (Hooke)
4.30pm Fives v Emanuel: u15, u16 (A)
5.00pm Rock Concert (School)

Friday
5 March Grant's Fifth Form returns from Alston
9.00am Abbey
Period 1 Fifth Form PSHE Lecture (Lecture Room)
4.30pm Common Room Meeting
4.30pm Philosophy Society: Jonathan Glover on
"The Theories of Right and Wrong" (Lecture Room)
6.45pm Milne's / Ashburnham House Concert (MMC)

Saturday
6 March Weekend Duty Housemasters: KDT, AJ
HW 1805 Weekend Duty Matron: Rigaud's
9.30am Remove Art Historians to Clare College,
Cambridge, for Articulation Prize Finals
11.00am Community Choir Rehearsal (MMC)
2.30pm Cross-Country: South East Schools Championships,
Harrow
Sixth Form Entrants' Lunch
King's Student Summit (MUN)

Memoranda

**Sunday
7 March** *The Third Sunday of Lent*
Weekend Duty Housemasters: KDT, AJ
Weekend Duty Matron: Rigaud's
King's Student Summit (MUN)

**Monday
8 March** Weekday Duty Housemasters: MHF, MAB
No Abbey (Commonwealth Observance Day)
12.45pm Lent Lunch
4.30pm Ashburnham Remove Girls' Tea with Head of Girls
4.30pm Lower Shell Biology Challenge (Hooke)
6.00pm HE Meeting for Sixth Form Parents
and Pupils (School)

**Tuesday
9 March** Football: House Matches II
LW 1510 2.00pm Fives v Cranleigh: u15, u14 (A)
HW 0825 4.00pm Hockey: 1st XI v Allyn's (A)
4.00pm Netball v Streatham and Clapham HS: A&B (A)
4.30pm Fives v Cranleigh: u18, Girls (H)
4.45pm Head Master's Meeting with Common Room
(Lecture Room)
7.30pm Chamber Choir "A Concert of Passiontide Music"
(School)

**Wednesday
10 March** 8.45am Latin Prayers - ad te levavi / Milne's
Girls' Assembly (MMC)
9.05am Tutorials for All
Noon John Locke Society (Lecture Room)
4.30pm Fives v Highgate: u18, Girls (H)
4.30pm Wren's Remove Girls' Tea with Head of Girls
5.00pm Hispanic Society - Dr Rosemary Clark
(Lecture Room)
7.15pm 2010 Lecture - Mark Easton on "Education Policy
in an Age of Globalization" (School)

**Thursday
11 March** Gold D of E Training Expedition departs
HW 1115 10.45am "Chemistry in Action" Lecture Series at
the Institute of Education
Fives v St Olave's: u16, u15 (A)
Schools Head of the River Race (start 1.00pm)
Common Room Progressive Supper
6.00pm School Society Council Meeting (Busby Library)
6.30pm Community Choir Rehearsal (MMC)
Debating v Eton (Westminster)

**Friday
12 March** 9.00am Abbey
9.30am Matrons' Meeting (Hastings Room)
1.00pm Biology Society (Lecture Room)
National Junior Sculling Head, Eton
4.30pm Milne's Remove Girls' Tea with Head of Girls
4.30pm Classical Society Lecture - Prof. Sir Brian Vickers
on "Rhetoric and Feeling in Shakespeare's Sonnets"
(Lecture Room)
4.30pm History Society
6.00pm Submission Deadline for the Funaki Art Prize
7.15pm Ensembles Concert (School)

**Saturday
13 March** Weekend Duty Housemasters: PAB, PAH
HW 1310 Weekend Duty Matron: Liddell's
No School (Dean's Play)
History visit to Aachen
Exchange Students from Berlin arrive
Oxford Schools Debating Competition (Finals Day, Oxford)

Memoranda

**Sunday
14 March** *The Fourth Sunday of Lent (Mothering Sunday)*
Weekend Duty Housemasters: PAB, PAH
Weekend Duty Matron: Liddell's
Gold D of E Training Expedition returns
Francis Holland Lower School MUN
All day technical rehearsal (MFH)

**Monday
15 March** Weekday Duty Housemasters: PAH, PDH
9.00am Abbey
12.45pm Lent Lunch
4.45pm Remove Parents' Evening
Funaki Art Prize Exhibition (Carleton Gallery, Library)

**Tuesday
16 March
HW 1455** College Fifth Form departs for Alston
Public Schools Fencing Championships, Crystal Palace (all day)
Football v St Paul's: 1st, 2nd, 3rd XI (A - 4.30pm)
Football v Latymer Upper: u15A, u15B (H)
4.45pm Challenge Committee
6.30pm Community Choir Rehearsal (MMC)
7.15pm Play (MFH)

**Wednesday
17 March** Higher Education Morning
Public Schools Fencing Championships, Crystal Palace (all day)
8.45am Latin Prayers - Deus misereatur / College
9.05am Tutorials for All
4.30pm Dryden's Remove Girls' Tea with Head of Girls
Noon John Locke Society (Lecture Room)
6.30pm Hooke Science Lecture - Professor Mike Edmunds
on "The Antikythera Mechanism" (Lecture Room)
6.30pm Art History Society Lecture - Diane Silverthorne
on "Art and the City of Vienna" (School)
7.15pm Play (MFH)

**Thursday
18 March
HW 1550** Public Schools Fencing Championships, Crystal Palace (all day)
Intermediate Mathematical Olympiad (am)
Shooting v St Bedes (H)
4.00pm Netball v City of London: A&B Teams (A)
4.30pm Fives v Mill Hill: u18, u15 (H); u15, u14 (A)
6.45pm Liddell's / Hakluyt's House Concert (MMC)
7.15pm Play (MFH)

**Friday
19 March** Remove Biology Field Trip
9.00am Abbey
4.30pm Ben Jonson Literary Society (Lecture Room)
6.30pm Milne's Parents' Dinner
(Camden Room / College Hall)

**Saturday
20 March
HW 1700** Weekend Duty Housemasters: MHF, JJK
Weekend Duty Matron: College
College Fifth Form returns from Alston
11.00am Community Choir Rehearsal (MMC)
Water: Kingston Head
Durham Schools Debating Competition (Durham)
US Exchange Students return to Berlin
City of London School MUN
Fives: Nationals (Highgate)
Football v Dulwich: 2nd XI, u15A, u15B (H);
1st XI, 3rd XI, u16A, u16B, u14A, u14B (A)
Cross-Country: Ranelagh Schools Cup, Richmond (2.00pm)
Cross-Country: English Schools Championships, Manchester

Memoranda

Sunday *The Fifth Sunday of Lent*
21 March Weekend Duty Housemasters: MHF, JJK
 Weekend Duty Matron: College
 11.15am Abbey Eucharist
 Fives: Nationals (Highgate)
 Durham Schools Debating Competition (Durham)
 Independent Schools Climbing Competition (Mile End)

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Monday Weekday Duty Housemasters: AJ, TDP
22 March Fives: Nationals (Highgate)
 9.00am Abbey
 4.30pm College Remove Girls' Tea with Head of Girls
 5.45pm School Choral Concert Rehearsal (Abbey)
 (until approx 9.30pm)

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Tuesday Hockey: 1st XI v Common Room (5.00pm Battersea Park)
23 March Fives: Nationals (Highgate)
 LW 1330 2.00pm Governing Body Meeting (Jerusalem Chamber)
 2.15pm House Netball
 5.00pm GB and Common Room Drinks
 5.45pm Rehearsal for School Concert (Abbey) until 6.45pm
 7.30pm School Choral Concert (Westminster Abbey)

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Wednesday Fives: Nationals (Highgate)
24 March 8.45am Latin Prayers - ad te levavi
 Upper Shell Assembly (MMC)
 9.05am Tutorials for All (except Upper Shell)
 Noon John Locke Society (Lecture Room)
 Football v City of London School: 1st, 2nd, 3rd XI (H - 4.30pm)
 4.30pm Netball v Latymer Upper: A&B Teams (H)
 6.00pm Sixth Form Art Historians visit to
 Abbey Roof space

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Thursday *The Annunciation of our Lord to the Blessed Virgin Mary*
25 March Fives: Nationals (Highgate)
 LW 1600 Period 3 All pupils see their Tutors
 Football: Leavers v Common Room
 Greek Trip departs

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Friday 9.00am End of Term Service (Abbey)
26 March 9.30am Assembly in St John's Smith Square
 12.40pm Term Ends
 Expedition Society departs for Skye
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Saturday Habs MUN
27 March Water: Tideway Head of the River (start 1.15pm)
 HW 1200

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25 Mar - 4 Apr	Lower School Greek Trip
26 Mar - 3 Apr	Expeditions Society Skye Camp
27 Mar - 1 Apr	6th Form Geography Field Course in Swansea
27 Mar - 30 Mar	GB J18 Assessment Sculling
28 Mar - 4 Apr	Ski Trip to Les Menuires
28 Mar - 9 Apr	6th Form Russianists visit St Petersburg
28 Mar - 8 Apr	1st XI Cricket Tour to Barbados
29 Mar - 2 Apr	Sixth Form Medievalists History trip to Normandy
30 Mar - 2 Apr	GB J18 Assessment Sweep
31 Mar - 3 Apr	Sixth Form Spanish trip to Madrid
2 Apr - 4 Apr	Rowing Amstel Sculling Head, Amsterdam
7 Apr - 14 Apr	Upper Shell Greek Study trip to Chios
8 Apr - 13 Apr	Art History trip to New York
9 Apr - 18 Apr	Rowing, Training Camp in Belgium

Election Term 2010

Mon 19 April	Staff INSET Boarders return
Tue 20 April	Term begins (9.00am)
Sat 1 May	No School
Sun 2 May	Exeat Weekend
and Mon 3 May	
Sat 29 May	EXEAT begins (1.00pm)
Mon 7 June	EXEAT ends (9.00am)
Thu 1 July	Lower School Expeditions
to Mon 5 July	
Sat 3 July	No School (Expeditions)
Wed 7 July	Term ends (11.00am)

Play Term 2010

Mon 6 September	Staff INSET
Tue 7 September	Induction Day for New Pupils Boarders return
Wed 8 September	Terms begins (9.00am)
Tue 21 September	Expeditions
to Sat 25 September	
Fri 1 October	Exeat Weekend
to Sun 3 October	
Sat 16 October	EXEAT begins (1.00pm)
Mon 1 November	EXEAT ends (9.00am)
Sat 20 November	Exeat Weekend
and Sun 21 November	
Wed 15 December	Term ends (12.40pm)

The General Regulations exist to promote the values which underpin a Westminster education; to foster the sense of personal integrity, responsibility and mutual respect that is expected of all pupils; to nurture the appropriate exercise of rights and the constructive fulfilment of responsibilities as both increase during a pupil's time at the School; and to ensure that the School provides an environment conducive to good education and the development of a responsible sense of independence within the wider community.

All pupils are bound by the General Regulations by virtue of their parents' or guardians' acceptance of the Standard Terms and Conditions. With the exception of the Regulation on Drugs, which applies to pupils at all times whilst they are members of the School, the General Regulations apply to day pupils from the time that they leave home to go to School or any School activity until they have returned home, and to boarders at all times other than periods at home such as weekends and Exeats.

Whenever the General Regulations apply, pupils must also abide by the other School notices and policies, which can be accessed via the School Intranet, including the Dress Regulations, the Notice on Bounds, the Notice on College Garden; the Policy on the Acceptable Use of the Computer Network, the Policy on Alcohol, the Policy on Bullying, the Policy on Electronic Pupil Registration, the Policy on Drugs, and the Policy on Smoking. Pupils must additionally abide by the laws of the land at all times.

Breaches of the General Regulations and other lapses of behaviour will be punished in accordance with the Policy on Behaviour, Rewards and Sanctions and, where appropriate, the Policy on Exclusion.

1. ALCOHOL: Unless they are under the supervision of a member of staff who has secured the prior agreement of the Under Master, pupils are forbidden from purchasing, possessing or consuming alcohol; going to public houses; and associating with anyone so doing.
2. BICYCLES / MOTOR VEHICLES: Pupils who wish to cycle to School and/or to Station must give their Housemaster a written consent form signed by their parents, which includes the undertaking that a cycling helmet will be worn at all times. Driving a motor car, unless accompanied by a parent or guardian, and driving any other kind of motor vehicle is forbidden - including on Saturday mornings.
3. BOARDERS' STUDY-BEDROOMS: Purcell's and the girls' corridors and rooms up Busby's and Liddell's are out of bounds to boys at all times. Girls should not spend time in boys' study-bedrooms without the knowledge and consent of the Housemaster or other adult on duty. Whenever occupied, study-bedrooms should not be locked.
4. BOUNDS / PRECINCTS: The bounds, as specifically defined in the relevant Notice, broadly include the Westminster and Victoria areas. The precincts include all School buildings, Dean's Yard, Little Dean's Yard, the Abbey, and the routes to School buildings within the bounds. During the School day, members of the Lower School may not leave the precincts; members of the Sixth Form may only leave the precincts during Lunch; and members of the Remove may only leave the precincts during Break, Lunch and their Private Study Periods, but not during the John Locke Period. All pupils must attend School Lunch. During Private Study Periods (PSSs), all pupils who are in School must either be up House, up Library, up computer rooms, or up music practice rooms. After the School day has ended, Lower School boarders are allowed out of the precincts, but must remain within the bounds and be back in School for Supper by 18:00. Upper School boarders are allowed out of the bounds, but must be back in School in good time for Prep at 19:15. Between 21:00 and 22:00 members of the Upper School may leave the precincts, but only with the permission of their Housemaster. Otherwise, pupils must either be accompanied by a member of staff or have a chit from their Housemaster if they wish to be allowed out of the precincts or the bounds at a time when they would not normally be able to.

5. **CHEATING:** Cheating, including all forms plagiarism, is forbidden.
6. **CLIMBING:** Climbing into, onto or out of buildings is forbidden.
7. **COMPUTERS AND OTHER ELECTRONIC, MOBILE OR DIGITAL DEVICES:** Accessing, or attempting to access, an account or files other than the user's own; sending anonymous e-mails, posting or viewing obscene or offensive photographs, videos or information on the internet; use of a computer or network for purposes of bullying or plagiarism; tampering with hardware or the network; and any other online or computer-based activity likely to bring the School into disrepute are all forbidden. Pupils may not bring into School laptops, mobile phones or any other electronic equipment or storage devices containing obscene or offensive material.
8. **DRESS:** School dress, as defined in the Dress Regulations, must be worn tidily to lessons, Abbey, Latin Prayers, Assemblies and Lunch; for examinations; for visits of a formal nature; and for any other occasions as the Head Master shall decide. Shag may be worn at times when School dress is not required, but must be neither untidy nor ostentatious. School dress must not be worn with informal clothes.
9. **DRUGS:** Pupils are forbidden from supplying, possessing or using controlled drugs or other products, whether legal or illegal, that generate an intoxicating or hallucinating effect.
10. **ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT:** Electrical appliances which are brought to School must be safe and meet all necessary legal requirements.
11. **GAMBLING:** All forms of gambling (including via the internet) are forbidden.

12. **GREEN:** Pupils are forbidden from using Green during lessons unless they are accompanied by a member of staff. Ball games may only be played on Green by pupils wearing trainers and so long as the surface is playable, as indicated by the presence of a green disc on the relevant side of the central tree. Pupils may not use Green as a shortcut, nor congregate there during PSs.
13. **IDENTIFICATION:** Pupils are forbidden from supplying, procuring, possessing or using any form of identification that misrepresents the intended bearer's age or other personal details.
14. **MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS AND HI-FI SYSTEMS:** Pupils are forbidden from playing musical instruments and hi-fi systems so loudly as to inconvenience others; and from playing these during lessons or between 10.00 pm and 7.30 am, except during the course of authorised instrumental practice.
15. **PERSONAL / SEXUAL RELATIONS:** Public displays of affection should be kept to a minimum. Sexual relations between pupils whilst at School are forbidden.
16. **SMOKING:** Pupils are forbidden from possessing or smoking cigarettes or tobacco, and from associating with anyone so doing.
17. **YARD:** Pupils in Yard are expected to be sensible and considerate at all times. Pupils may not loiter in Yard during lessons. Basketball is the only ball game that may be played in Yard during morning break.

Dr G.J. Savage
2010

GENERAL

Pupils must wear clean, tidy School Dress at all times during the working day and when travelling to and from school, as well as for formal visits (e.g. away matches, public lectures) and for such occasions as the Head Master shall from time to time indicate. Boarders may change into informal clothes (which should be neither untidy nor ostentatious, nor worn in combination with School Dress) after 16:10 on Monday, Wednesday and Friday and after 13:00 on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

BOYS

School Dress for boys consists of a two-piece dark grey suit obtained from the School Store, worn with a white shirt and a blue or black or Colours tie. Shoes should be normal black leather; they should not be trainers nor carry coloured decoration or logos. Socks should be plain grey or black. School Monitors may wear coloured sweaters or waistcoats. Other pupils may wear black, dark grey or navy blue plain knitted sweaters of the type supplied by the School Store with (but not in place of) a school suit jacket. Cardigans, jumpers with logos and hooded tops may not be worn.

GIRLS

School Dress for girls consists of a matching plain dark grey, navy or black trouser or knee-length skirt suit; a white or plain coloured shirt (with the exception of a pink shirt which is reserved for those who are awarded School Colours) with a collar; neutral, navy or black tights; and robust, smart, black or navy shoes. Suit jackets should be worn whenever the boys are wearing jackets. In cold weather, a dark grey, navy or black sweater may also be worn. School Monitors may wear coloured sweaters.

ACCESSORIES

Coats should be plain black, dark grey or navy blue; they may not be made of leather or denim and may not be worn to Abbey or in lessons. Scarves should be plain black, dark grey or navy blue. Hats, caps and non-School scarves may not be worn with School Dress. Hair for all pupils should be of a single natural colour and be of a sensible style. Boys are not permitted to wear jewellery, including earrings or studs. Girls' jewellery should be minimal, and piercings may only be worn in the lobes of the ear, with no more than one earring per ear. Any make-up should be discreet.

Station kit should be that which is available from the School Store, and appropriate to the particular activity.

Dr M S Spurr
May 2009

The Code of Conduct seeks to enshrine, very broadly, the kinds of behaviour which members of the School community believe are appropriate and desirable in order to foster a safe, positive environment.

All members of the School community are therefore expected to:

PROMOTE A SAFE AND HEALTHY ENVIRONMENT:

Show good manners to members, guests and neighbours of the School.
Show regard for legitimate authority and for individual privacy and sensitivity.
Show a proper appreciation of risk, both with regard to yourself and to others.
Avoid bad, offensive or discriminatory language (including any kind of racist, sexist or homophobic remarks) and any behaviour which might cause offence.
Follow and support the School's anti-bullying policy, and report any abuses.

SHOW RESPECT AND COMPASSION FOR OTHERS:

Respect difference and diversity of individuals, institutions and faiths.
Respect the property of others; look after the fabric and property of the School.
Respect our shared working and living environment by avoiding undue noise, litter or other disruptive behaviour.

MAKE A POSITIVE CONTRIBUTION TO THE COMMUNITY:

Take pride in membership of the School and be its ambassador at all times.
Be self-disciplined and committed; dress tidily at all times.
Be trustworthy, honest and punctual in all your dealings.
Support activities to help the wider community outside School.

ENJOY AND ACHIEVE, AND HELP OTHERS TO DO SO:

Take responsibility for your own learning and academic progress.
Help promote a positive learning atmosphere in the classroom and elsewhere.
Fully participate in extra-curricular activities; value effort and achievement.
Prepare for life after School by developing good work habits and social skills.

Dr M.S. Spurr
September 2009

LOWER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

Day	LSA and Time	LSA and Time
Monday		
Tuesday		
Wednesday		
Thursday		
Friday		
Saturday		