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School
Almanack

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

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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 07887 908639). 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 /Latin Prayers.....	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.....	6.30 — 7.00pm

The surgery (up Grant's - follow the signs) is open from 8.30am - 9.30am and 10.30am - 4.45pm on weekdays; and from 8.30am - 9.00am and at breaktimes on Saturdays.

An especially good time to see Sister is before school starts, or after 4.15pm, as these are quieter times and Sister will be able to give you her full attention.

You should see the Nursing Sister in the first instance for any of the following reasons:

If you need to lie down or to go home

If you need the School Doctor (the School Nursing Sister may be able to deal with the problem herself or speed up the process.)

If you need a late LO (accidents and emergencies)

If you are worried, lonely or in need of advice, however small the problem may seem.

At all other times, please see the Duty Matron.

Weekday Duty Matrons

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

Weekend Duty Matrons

Tel: 07909 996159

Sat 12 / Sun 13 Sep:	Grant's
Sat 19 - Mon 20 Sep:	Rigaud's
Sat 26 / Sun 27 Sep:	Busby's (No School Saturday)
Sat 3 / Sun 4 Oct:	Exeat Weekend
Sat 10 / Sun 11 Oct:	College
Sat 7 / Sun 8 Oct:	College
Sat 14 / Sun 15 Oct:	Exeat Weekend
Sat 21 / Sun 22 Oct:	Grant's
Sat 28 / Sun 29 Oct:	Rigaud's (No School Saturday)
Sat 5 / Sun 6 Nov:	Liddell's
Sat 12 / Sun 13 Nov:	Busby's

Surgery (up Grant's): 020 7963 1101 (8.25am to 4.45pm)
Medical Mobile: 07770 740507 (24 hours Mon to Fri)

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).....	07988	991474
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 sempiterne 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 praeveni, 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	3D 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	12.45 - 1.15pm	Tour Choir Sectional Tenor / Bass (MMC)
	1.20 - 1.50pm	Tour Choir Sectional Alto (MMC)
	Lunchtime	Tutor meetings
	12.45 - 1.30pm	Big Band
	12.45 - 1.30pm	Instrumental Chamber Music
	4.20 - 5.30pm	Music Theory
	4.30pm	GCSE Art Lower Shell Groups (Art School)
	4.30pm	Lower School Jazz Band (MMC)
	4.30pm	Chess Club
	4.30 - 6.00pm	Abbey Choir Full (MMC)
	4.30 - 5.30pm	Clarinet Choir
	4.30 - 5.30pm	Percussion Workshop
	4.30 - 6.00pm	Jazz Workshop
	4.30 - 6.30pm	Play Rehearsals (MFH)
9.00pm	Gym	
Tuesday	8.00am	Holy Communion in the Shrine
	1.00pm	Senior Brass Group
	2.30pm	Fire Alarm Testing
	4.30 - 6.30pm	Play Rehearsals (MFH)
	7.15 - 9.00pm	Studios Option for A Level Art (Art School)
Wednesday	12.00pm	John Locke Society (Lecture Room)
	12.45 - 1.30pm	Tour Choir Sectional Soprano / Treble (MMC)
	12.45 - 1.30pm	Brass Sinfonia / Chamber Music
	12.45 - 1.30pm	Cello Ensemble
	12.45 - 1.30pm	Violin and Viola Ensemble
	1.00pm	Peer Supporters' Meeting
	1.00pm	Political Society (Hastings Room)
	4.30pm	GCSE Art Lower Shell Groups (Art School)
	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)
5.30 - 6.40pm	Sixth Form A Level Life Class (Art School)	
9.00pm	Gym	

Thursday	1.15 - 2.00pm	Music Theory
	2.30pm	Fire Alarm Testing
	4.30 - 6.30pm	Play Rehearsals (MFH)
	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
	12.45 - 1.30pm	Tour Choir Full (MMC)
	1.00pm	Amnesty (Dungeons)
	1.00pm	Biological Society
	4.30pm	GCSE Art Groups (Art School)
	4.30 - 6.30pm	Play Rehearsals (MFH)
	4.30pm	History Society
4.40 - 6.00pm	Remove A Level Life Class (Art School)	
9.00pm	Gym	

Any changes will be notified on Westminster Week

Play Term

Sunday
6 September

The Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity

Monday Staff INSET day
7 September 9.15am Housemasters' Meeting
10.00am Meeting for Whole School Community (School)

Tuesday Induction Day for new pupils
8 September 10.00am New Sixth Form boarders arrive up House
HW 1730 10.00am New Fifth Form boarders arrive up House
10.30am New Fifth Form day pupils arrive up House
11.00am New Sixth Form day pupils arrive up House
2.15pm Non-new Sixth Form up House
4.30pm Fifth Form Music Award Holders to MMC
6.00pm LS, US and Remove boarders arrive (by 9.00pm)
6.30pm All Sixth Form parents meet Head Master (School)
7.30pm Beginning of Year Service for Parents
of Fifth Form and Sixth Form pupils (Abbey)

Wednesday Weekday Duty Housemasters: MAB, TDP
9 September 9.00am Term begins
9.00am Beginning of Term Service (Abbey) - The Dean
9.45am Lower School Assembly
10.20am Upper School Assembly
Remove Open Day Tour Guides to stay behind
11.15am Period 3: Normal School for All
12.00pm Period 4: Normal School for Lower School
Sixth Form see Housemasters
Remove: UCAS Talk (School)
4.30pm New Sixth Form Orchestral Auditions (MMC)

Thursday 8.30am All pupils with problems with Subject Choices
10 September to see Housemasters
LW 1400 2.00pm Normal Station for LS, US, Remove
and non-new Sixth Form
Meeting for New Sixth Form (School)
Fifth Form Football trials
(meet 1.50pm Liddell's Arch)
7.15pm Fives, Fencing, Water Circus
Grahamstown Show (MFH)

Friday No Abbey
11 September 9.00am House Meetings
1.45pm Meeting for All Sixth Form (School)
4.30pm Drama Auditions (MFH)
4.30pm Classical Society - James Ede on "Tombs and
Antiquarians - Life as a Dealer in Ancient Art"
(Lecture Room)

Saturday Weekend Duty Housemasters: GS, KDT
12 September Weekend Duty Matron: Grant's
LW 1515 9.00am Weekend Master Class for Remove Theatre
Studies Group (until 5.00pm)
12.15pm Head Master to address Fifth Form Parents
(School)
1.15pm Barbecue for Fifth Form pupils and
their parents (up Fields)

Memoranda

Sunday *The Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity*
13 September Weekend Duty Housemasters: GS, KDT
 Weekend Duty Matron: Grant's
 Football: ISFA Sixes at Chigwell
 9.00am Weekend Master Class for Remove Theatre
 Studies Group (until 5.00pm)

Monday Weekday Duty Housemasters: SDW, GDWS
14 September 9.00am Abbey
 12.45pm Drama Auditions (MFH)
 4.30pm Sixth Form Entrance Open Evening
 (School, Camden Room, MMC, Weston's)

Tuesday 8.15am Liddell's Sixth Form Girls' Breakfast
15 September Football v Eton: 1st XI, u15B, u14B (H - kick off 3.00pm);
 HW 1140 2nd XI, 3rd XI, u16A, u16B, u15A, u15A
 (A - leave class at 12.15pm)
 4.30pm Drama Auditions (MFH)

Wednesday 8.45am Fifth Form Assembly
16 September New Sixth Form Assembly
 No Latin Prayers
 Expeditions Briefings
 9.00am Further Assessment Tests for 2010
 (School, Camden Room)
 12.00pm John Locke Society (Lecture Room)
 University Lunch with Geoff Parks
 4.30pm Debating: Introductory Meeting
 6.45pm WSPC Meeting (Busby Library)
 7.00pm Old Grantite Club Dinner
 (Camden Room / College Hall)

Thursday 8.15am Busby's Sixth Form Girls' Breakfast
17 September 3.00pm Long Distance Races
 HW 1400 4.00pm Netball v Emanuel, A and B (A)
 Fives v Lancing (A)
 Bampton Opera Evening, St John's Smith Square

Friday Upper Shell Geography Field Work (all day)
18 September 9.00am Abbey
 Governing Body Investment Committee
 1.10pm Biology Society (Lecture Room)
 4.30pm Classical Society - Dr Raphael Lyne
 (New Hall, Cambridge) on
 "Tragedy from Sophocles to Shakespeare"
 (Lecture Room)
 7.30pm Recital - Florian Boesch (School)

Saturday (*Rosh Hashanah*)
19 September Weekend Duty Housemasters: DJH, PAB
 HW 1535 Weekend Duty Matron: Rigaud's
 Football v John Lyon: 1st XI, u15A, u15B (H);
 2nd XI, 3rd XI, u14A, u14B (A - leave class at 12.15pm)

Memoranda

Sunday *The Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity*
20 September Weekend Duty Housemasters: DJH, PAB
 Weekend Duty Matron: Rigaud's
 11.00am Cross-Country: Towpath Cup, Putney

Monday *St Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist*
21 September Weekday Duty Housemasters: JJK, MHF
 9.00am Abbey
 6.30pm Art History Society - "Cain the Rapist: Picturing
 Identity in Medieval Spain" - Tom Nickson
 (Lecture Room)
 6.30pm College Society AGM and Dinner
 (MMC / College Hall)
 6.45pm Talk for Lower Shell Parents (School)
 followed by drinks up House

Tuesday 8.15am Purcell's (Group 1) Sixth Form Girls' Breakfast
22 September Lower and Upper Shell Expeditions
 HW 1735 Fifth Form Cultural Visits, London
 Football: Boodles ISFA Cup First Round: 1st XI v Ardingly (H)
 Fives v Cheltenham Ladies College (H)
 4.30pm Debating v Malvern College
 4.45pm Challenge Committee Meeting
 7.00pm Fifth Form Boarders' Outings

Wednesday Lower and Upper Shell Expeditions
23 September Fifth Form Cultural Visits, London
 8.45am Latin Prayers for Fifth Form, Sixth Form
 and Remove (School) - ad te levavi / College
 12.00pm John Locke Society (Lecture Room)
 4.30pm House Debating (Preliminary Round)
 7.00pm Fifth Form Boarders' Outings

Thursday 8.15am Purcell's (Group 2) Sixth Form Girls' Breakfast
24 September Lower and Upper Shell Expeditions
 LW 1400 Fifth Form Cultural Visits, London
 Netball v Latymer Upper: A&B Teams (A)
 Wren's Society Dinner
 7.00pm Fifth Form Boarders' Outings

Friday Lower and Upper Shell Expeditions
25 September Fifth Form Cultural Visits, London
 9.00am Abbey
 4.30pm History Society (Lecture Room)

Saturday Lower and Upper Shell Expeditions
26 September **No School for Fifth Form**
 LW 1500 Weekend Duty Housemasters: MAB, TDP
 Weekend Duty Matron: Busby's
 Internal Deadline for Online Completion of UCAS Forms
 Football v Brentwood: 2nd XI, 3rd XI (H);
 1st XI, u14A, u14B (A) (leave class at 12.15pm)
 Water: Isis Sculls
 Beijing Exchange arrives

Memoranda

Sunday *The Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity*
27 September Weekend Duty Housemasters: MAB, TDP
 Weekend Duty Matron: Busby's
 8.30am Team Triathlon, Tooting Lido

Monday *(Yom Kippur)*
28 September Weekend Duty Housemasters: AJ, KDT
 9.00am Abbey

Tuesday *St Michael and All Angels*
29 September 8.15am College Sixth Form Girls' Breakfast
 HW 1110 Exhibition of Suad Al Attar - "Memories of Baghdad"
 (Weston's D01)
 Period 4/5 5J Mid-Yis Tests (Room 24)
 Hockey 1st XI v Charterhouse (A) (leave class at 12.15pm)
 Football: ISFA Cup - u15 v Stanborough
 (leave class at 12.15pm)
 Netball v City of London Girls' School: A&B Teams (A)
 4.45pm Pastoral Planning Committee (Hastings Room)

Wednesday Remove Geography Field Work (all day)
30 September 8.45am Latin Prayers (School) - Deus misereatur / Grant's
 Lower Shell Assembly
 Period 1/2 5W Mid-Yis Tests (Room 24)
 12.00pm John Locke Society (Lecture Room)
 2.00pm 5R Mid-Yis Tests (Room 24) (until 3.00pm)
 3.00pm 5B Mid-Yis Tests (Room 24) (until 4.00pm)
 4.30pm House Debating (Preliminary Round)
 4.45pm William Camden History Society:
 Michael Word on "King Athelstan - England's forgotten Hero"
 (Lecture Room)
 5.00pm Westminster and Imperial College Science Lecture
 (School) - Dr Konstantin Nikolic on "Neural Implants"

Thursday 8.15am Ashburnham Sixth Form Girls' Breakfast
1 October (Judges Service)
 HW 1330 Football v Forest: 1st XI, u14A (H); 2nd XI, u15A (A)
 (leave class at 12.15pm)
 Fives v Emanuel (A)
 6.00pm Westminster School Society (Busby Library)
 6.45pm Informal Concert (MMC)
 7.30pm Prep School Heads' Dinner (School)
 8.15pm Prep School Heads' Dinner (College Hall)

Friday 8.45am School Communion in Henry VII's Lady Chapel
2 October Period 1/2 5H Mid-Yis Tests (Room 24)
 9.30am Matrons' Meeting (Hastings Room)
 1.10pm Biology Society (Lecture Room)
 Period 6/7 5M Mid-Yis Tests (Room 24)
 4.30pm Exeat Weekend begins
 4.30pm Expeditions Society departs
 (Bouldering in Fontainebleau, Paris)

Saturday *(Sukkot)*
3 October **No School**
 HW 1450 Exeat Weekend (No boarders overnight)
 Water: Wallingford Sculls

Memoranda

Sunday *The Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity*
4 October Exeat Weekend (No boarders overnight)
 Expeditions Society returns from Paris
 6.00pm Boarders return (by 9.00pm)

Monday Weekday Duty Housemasters: PAH, PDH
5 October 9.00am Abbey
 4.30pm Common Room Meeting

Tuesday 8.15am Milne's Sixth Form Girls' House Breakfast
6 October Period 3/4 PSHE Talk for LSC, LSL, LSH
 Netball v St Paul's Girls' School: A&B Teams (A)
 7.00pm EFA Meeting (Hastings Room)
 7.30pm Sir Adrian Boult Memorial Concert
 Allegri String Quartet (School)

Wednesday 8.45am Lower Shell Assembly
7 October Sixth Form and Remove see Tutors
 No Latin Prayers
 Period 1/2 PSHE Talk for LSR, LSM, LSF
 12.00pm John Locke Society (Lecture Room)
 3.00pm Cross-Country: King's Trophy, Wimbledon Common
 4.30pm House Debating - Super Eights
 5.00pm Westminster and Imperial College
 Science Lecture (School) - Dr Robert Fenton

Thursday 8.15am Dryden's Sixth Form Girls' House Breakfast
8 October Pre-interview Tests for 2011 Entrants (School, Camden Room)
 HW 1740 Fencing v Eton (H)
 Fives v Charterhouse (H)
 6.30pm Young Gaudy (School)

Friday 9.00am Induction of The Queen's Scholars (Abbey)
9 October 4.30pm Sixth Form Entry Open Evening
 (School / Camden Room / Weston's)
 4.30pm Classical Society - James Ede on
 "Classical Antiquities" (Lecture Room)
 Fifth and LS Order Sheets

Saturday Weekend Duty Housemasters: GS, MHF
10 October Weekend Duty Matron: College
 LW 1415 11+ Open Morning (School)
 Football v Alley's: 1st XI, u15A, u15B (H);
 2nd XI, 3rd XI, u16A, u14A, u14B (A)
 2.00pm September Saturday (BBQ from 1.15pm)

Memoranda

Sunday *St Luke the Evangelist*
18 October Expeditions Society: Lyke Wake Walk
 (London Mayor's Association Reception - School)
 Upper Shell Hispanists depart for Cadiz and Granada
 Upper Shell Russian trip departs
 Water: Head of the Charles, Boston, USA

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Monday EXEAT
19 October LS and US DT trip to Italy departs
 Expeditions Society: Lyke Wake Walk

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Tuesday EXEAT
20 October Lower Shell Rome trip returns
 HW 1630

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Wednesday EXEAT
21 October Water returns from Boston, USA

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Thursday EXEAT
22 October Lower Shell Iceland trip returns
 HW 1745

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Friday EXEAT
23 October Upper Shell Russian trip returns

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Saturday EXEAT
24 October LS and US DT trip returns from Italy
 LW 1400
 Upper Shell German trip to Berlin returns
 Upper Shell Cadiz trip returns
 Water: World Coastal Championships, Plymouth

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Memoranda

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Sunday *Last Sunday after Trinity*
25 October EXEAT
Upper Shell Granada trip returns
10.00am Choir Tour Rehearsal (MMC) (until 5.00pm)
Water: World Coastal Championships, Plymouth

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Monday EXEAT
26 October Choir Tour to Holland departs
Gold Duke of Edinburgh Expedition (Remove) departs

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Tuesday EXEAT
27 October
LW 1510

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Wednesday *St Simon and St Jude, Apostles*
28 October

Thursday EXEAT
29 October Water departs for Switzerland
HW 1030

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Friday EXEAT
30 October

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Saturday EXEAT
31 October Water: The Armada Cup (Berne Switzerland)
HW 1230

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Memoranda

Sunday *All Saints' Day*
1 November EXEAT
 Choir tour returns
 Water returns from Switzerland
 Water: Upper Thames (Henley) Head
 6.00pm Boarders return (by 9.00pm)
 Gold Duke of Edinburgh Expedition (Remove) returns

Monday *All Souls' Day*
2 November Weekday Duty Housemasters: MAB, TDP
 Milne's Fifth Form depart for Alston
 9.00am EXEAT ends
 9.00am Abbey
 6.00pm Ashburnham Fifth Form Parents' Meeting (up House)
 7.00pm Busby's Fifth Form Parents' Meeting (up House)
 7.00pm Dryden's Fifth Form Parents' Meeting (Camden Room)
 7.30pm College Fifth Form Parents' Meeting (up House)

Tuesday 8.15am Rigaud's Sixth Form Girls' House Breakfast
3 November 4.45pm Heads of Departments' Meeting
 HW 1430 6.00pm Rigaud's Fifth Form Parents' Meeting (Camden Room)
 6.00pm Hakluyt's Fifth Form Parents' Meeting (Gibbon Room)
 7.00pm Grant's Fifth Form Parents' Meeting (up House)

Wednesday 8.45am No Latin Prayers
4 November LS see Tutors
 Sixth Form Girls' Assembly
 9.30am University Entrance Tests (inc BMAT, HAT, ELAT)
 (School)
 12.00pm John Locke Society (Lecture Room)
 4.30pm Economics Society Lecture -
 Professor Hamid Sabourian (Weston's D11)
 4.30pm House Debating - Super Eights
 6.30pm Art History Society - Dr John Goodall
 (Courtauld Institute) on "Medieval Castles"
 6.45pm WSPC Meeting (Busby Library)
 7.00pm Wren's Fifth Form Parents' Meeting (up House)
 7.00pm Liddell's Fifth Form Parents' Meeting (up House)

Thursday 8.15am Grant's Sixth Form Girls' House Breakfast
5 November Schools Maths Challenge (School) (9.45am and 11.15am)
 HW 1545 Fives v Emanuel (H)
 Governing Body Finance Sub-committee

Friday Milne's Fifth Form return from Alston
6 November Sixth Form and Remove Art Historians All Day Conference
 9.00am Abbey
 1.10pm Biology Society (Lecture Room)
 Governing Body Under School Sub-committee
 4.30pm History Society (Lecture Room)
 4.30pm Classical Society - Prof Philomen Probert
 (Wolfson College, Oxford) on "The Origins of Latin"
 (Lecture Room)
 6.30pm The Great Debate and Henry VIII (Lecture Room)
 6.45pm Grant's House Concert (MMC)

Saturday Sixth Form Entrance Examinations (Methodist Central Hall)
7 November Weekend Duty Housemasters: GS, MHF
 HW 1710 Weekend Duty Matron: College
 Football v Latymer Upper: 1st XI, 2nd XI, 3rd XI (H)
 Water: Henley Sculls

Memoranda

Sunday *Remembrance Sunday*
8 November Weekend Duty Housemasters: GS, MHF
 Weekend Duty Matron: College
 10.30am Remembrance Day Service
 Play - All day technical rehearsal (MFH)
 Water: Teddington Sculls

Monday Weekday Duty Housemasters: DJH, KDT
9 November Dryden's Fifth Form depart for Alston
 9.00am Abbey - School Remembrance Service
 4.45pm Sixth Form Parents' Evening and Reception
 Play - Dress Rehearsal (MFH)

Tuesday Football v Charterhouse: 2nd XI, u15A, u15B (H - 2.45pm ko)
10 November 1st XI, 3rd XI, u16A, u16B (A)
 LW 1505 (leave class at.12.15pm)
 7.00pm EFA Meeting (Hastings Room)
 7.15pm Play - "Waiting for Godot" (MFH)

Wednesday 8.00am Sixth Form Entrance Steering Group (HMDR)
11 November 8.45am Latin Prayers (School) - Deus misereatur / Busby's
 Remove see Tutors
 9.00am Flu Vaccinations (Grant's Dining Room)
 12.00pm John Locke Society (Lecture Room)
 2.45pm Cross-Country: RGS Guildford Relays
 4.30pm House Debating - Super Eights
 4.30pm Music Rehearsal (Lecture Room)
 5.00pm Westminster and Imperial College Science Lecture
 Dr Conrad Lichtenstein on "Magical Designer Babies" (School)
 6.00pm Milne's Fifth Form Parents' Meeting (Camden Room)
 6.30pm Meeting with Head Master for
 Parents of 2010 Candidates (School)
 7.15pm Play - "Waiting for Godot" (MFH)

Thursday Netball v Godolphin and Latymer: A&B Team (A)
12 November Fives v Charterhouse (A)
 LW 1800 2.00pm TSSC / NTSSC Meeting (HMDR)
 6.45pm Informal Concert (MMC)
 7.15pm Elizabethan Club Dinner (School / College Hall)
 7.15pm Play - "Waiting for Godot" (MFH)

Friday 9.00am Abbey
13 November Sixth Form Entrance Selection Panel (HMDR)
 Dryden's Fifth Form return from Alston
 4.30pm Exeat Weekend begins
 7.30pm Little Commemoration (Abbey)

Saturday **No School**
14 November Exeat Weekend
 HW 1215 Water: Fours Head

Memoranda

Sunday *The Second Sunday before Advent*
15 November Exeat Weekend
 6.00pm Boarders return (by 9.00pm)

Monday Weekday Duty Housemasters: PAH, PDH
16 November Fund for Westminster Telethon begins (Room 37) (until 27 Nov)
 Wren's Fifth Form depart for Alston
 9.00am Abbey
 6.30pm Reception with Head Master and Boarding
 Housemasters for parents of 2012 WUS Candidates (MMC)
 Fifth Form Geography World Wide Quiz

Tuesday Netball v SCHS: A&B Teams (A)
17 November Fives v St Olave's (A)
 HW 1430 4.45pm Pastoral Planning Committee (Hastings Room)

Wednesday 8.45am Latin Prayers (School) - ad te levavi / Liddell's
18 November Lower Shell Assembly
 12.00pm John Locke Society (Lecture Room)
 4.30pm Music Rehearsal (Grant's Dining Room)
 4.45pm SODAC (Room 63)
 4.45pm Common Room Fifth Form Meeting (Lecture Room)
 5.00pm Westminster and Imperial College Science Lecture
 Dr Judit Nagy on "Proteomics, the solution for
 personalised medicine" (School)

Thursday Governing Body Executive Committee
19 November Fencing v Winchester (A) (leave class at 12.15pm)
 HW 1550 Fives v Lancing (H)
 6.00pm Westminster School Society (Busby Library)
 6.45pm Rigaud's House Concert (MMC)

Friday Wren's Fifth Form return from Alston
20 November 9.00am Abbey
 9.30am Matrons' Meeting (Hastings Room)
 1.10pm Biology Society (Lecture Room)
 4.30pm History Society (Lecture Room)
 7.15pm Ensembles Concert (School)

Saturday Busby's Fifth Form depart for Alston
21 November Weekend Duty Housemasters: MAB, GDWS
 HW 1700 Weekend Duty Matron: Grant's
 Football v Chigwell: 1st XI, u14A, u14B (H);
 2nd XI, 3rd XI, u16A, u15A, u15B (A) (leave class at 12.15pm)
 Water: Cambridge Winter Head

Memoranda

Sunday *Christ the King*
22 November Weekend Duty Housemasters: MAB, GDWS
 Weekend Duty Matron: Grant's
 Play - All day technical rehearsal (MFH)

Monday Weekday Duty Housemasters: JJK, GDWS
23 November 9.00am Abbey
 4.45pm William Camden History Society: Dr Steven Gunn
 (Merton College, Oxford) on "The Court of Henry VII"
 (Lecture Room)
 Play - Dress rehearsal (MFH)

Tuesday Fives v Harrow (H)
24 November Netball v North London Collegiate School: A&B Teams (A)
 LW 1345 Football v Aldenham: 2nd XI, u15A, u15B (H);
 1st XI, 3rd XI, u16A, u16B, u14A, u14B (A)
 (leave class at 12.15pm)
 3.00pm Cross-Country: Harrow Match (A)
 4.45pm Challenge Committee Meeting
 7.15pm Play (MFH)

Wednesday Busby's Fifth Form return from Alston
25 November 8.45am Latin Prayers (School) - Deus misereatur / Ashburnham
 Sixth Form see Tutors
 Fifth Form Assembly
 12.00pm John Locke Society (Lecture Room)
 4.30pm House Debating - Super Eights
 4.45pm Common Room LS Meeting (Lecture Room)
 7.15pm Play (MFH)

Thursday 9.00am Pre-interview Tests for 2012 Candidates
26 November (School / Camden Room)
 LW 1535 Football v Bradfield: 3rd XI, u16B, u15B, u14B (A)
 (leave class at 12.15pm)
 Fives v Emanuel (H)
 7.30pm Choral and Orchestral Concert,
 St John's Smith Square

Friday Fund for Westminster Telethon ends
27 November 9.00am Abbey
 6.30pm Busby Society Dinner
 (Busby Library / College Hall)
 6.45pm Christopher Wren's Birthday Party (MMC)
 7.15pm Cantandum Concert (School)

Saturday Weekend Duty Housemasters: AJ, TDP
28 November Weekend Duty Matron: Rigaud's
 HW 1030 **No School**
 Sixth Form Entry Interviews
 Football v Bradfield: 1st XI, u15A, u14A (H);
 2nd XI, u16A (A) (leave class at 12.15pm)
 Netball: Emanuel Tournament
 Water: Scullers Head, Putney
 Water: Hampton Head

Memoranda

Sunday *The First Sunday of Advent*
29 November Weekend Duty Housemasters: AJ, TDP
 Weekend Duty Matron: Rigaud's

Monday *St Andrew the Apostle*
30 November Weekday Duty Housemasters: SDW, GS
 9.00am Abbey
 9.00am Pre-interview Tests for 2012 Candidates
 (School / Camden Room)
 4.30pm Common Room Meeting

Tuesday Fifth Form Exams (all day)
1 December Sixth Form Entry Selection Meeting
 HW 1315

Wednesday Fifth Form Exams
2 December No Latin Prayers
 8.45am Upper Shell Assembly
 12.00pm John Locke Society (Lecture Room)
 4.30pm House Debating - Super Eights

Thursday 9.00am British Mathematical Olympiad (Lecture Room)
3 December Fifth Form Exams (am only)
 HW 1450 Fifth Form Outings (pm)
 Fives v Shrewsbury
 Governing Body Meeting and Annual Dinner

Friday Lower Shell Exams
4 December 8.45am School Communion in Henry VII's Lady Chapel
 1.10pm Biology Society (Lecture Room)
 4.30pm Ben Jonson Literary Society (Lecture Room)
 Dr Ian Patterson, Fellow of Queen's College, Cambridge, on
 "Poetry and the Subliminal"
 4.30pm History Society (Camden Room)

Saturday Weekend Duty Housemasters: JJK, PAH
5 December Weekend Duty Matron: Liddell's
 HW 1620 Lower Shell Exams
 Upper School Chamber Music Weekend
 Football v KES Witley: 3rd XI, u15B, u14B (H);
 1st XI, u15C, u14A (A) (leave class at 12.15pm)

Memoranda

Sunday *The Second Sunday of Advent*
6 December Weekend Duty Housemasters: JJK, PAH
 Weekend Duty Matron: Liddell's
 Upper School Chamber Music Weekend
 IGCSE Drama Performances - All day technical rehearsal (MFH)
 10.30am Cross-Country: The Grim Challenge, Aldershot
 Water: Wallingford Head (Fours and Eights)

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Monday Rigaud's Fifth Form depart for Alston
7 December Weekday Duty Housemasters: AJ, MHF
 Lower Shell Exams
 9.00am Abbey
 Debating v Scotch College, Melbourne
 6.30pm IGCSE Drama Performances (MFH)

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Tuesday Lower Shell Exams
8 December Netball v St Paul's: Team A&B (A)
 LW 1410 Hockey 1st XI v Common Room (5.00pm Battersea)
 6.30pm IGCSE Drama Performances (MFH)

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Wednesday Upper Shell Exams
9 December No Latin Prayers
 8.45am Fifth Form see Tutors
 Sixth Form see Tutors
 12.00pm John Locke Society (Lecture Room)

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Thursday Upper Shell Exams
10 December Bring a boy to Body Step
 LW 1600

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Friday Rigaud's Fifth Form return from Alston
11 December 9.00am Abbey
 1.15pm Lunchtime Informal Concert (MMC)
 7.00pm Jazz Concert (MMC)

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Saturday (*Hanukkah*)
12 December Weekend Duty Housemasters: SDW, PDH
 HW 1040 Weekend Duty Matron: Busby's
 Football v Highgate: 1st XI, u15A, u15B (H);
 2nd XI, 3rd XI, u16A, u16B, u14A, u14B (A)
 2.30pm Cross-Country: Alumni race, Wimbledon Common
 Water: Walton Small Boats Head

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Sunday *The Third Sunday of Advent*
13 December Weekend Duty Housemasters: SDW, PDH
 Weekend Duty Matron: Busby's
 Milton Academy, Harvard visits and Ski Trip departs

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Monday Weekday Duty Housemasters: MAB, PAB
14 December Associated Board Examinations
 9.00am Abbey
 Period 4 Tutor Period / Christmas Lunch
 7.00pm Carol Service (Abbey)

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Tuesday Associated Board Examinations
15 December Football: 2nd XI v Common Room
 HW 1330 Hockey: 1st XI v OWW (2.00pm Battersea)

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Wednesday 9.00am End of Term Service (Abbey)
16 December 12.00pm Term Ends
 Expeditions Society departs for Lake District

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17 December
 HW 1455

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18 December

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Saturday Expeditions Society returns from Lake District
19 December
 HW 1610

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Memoranda

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13 Dec - 21 Dec

Ski trip to Killington, Vermont

Lent Term 2010

Tue 5 January	Boarders return
Wed 6 January	Term begins (9.00am)
Fri 22 January	Exeat Weekend (from 4.30pm Fri)
to Sun 24 January	
Fri 12 February.....	EXEAT begins (4.30pm)
Mon 22 February	EXEAT ends (9.00am)
Sat 13 March.....	No School (Dean's Play)
Fri 26 March	Term ends (12.40pm)

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 2010

Mon 6 September	Staff INSET
Tue 7 September	Induction Day for New Pupils
	Boarders return
Wed 8 September	Terms begins (9.00am)
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 outlined here aim to summarise the more detailed notices and policies that are circulated to all parents and are posted both on House notice boards and on the School intranet.

Code of Behaviour:

Pupils should remember above all that the School community is in a very public setting with many close neighbours, and they must behave accordingly. They should at all times respect the well-being and safety of both people and property, show tolerance and courtesy towards others, and respect the right to privacy of each individual.

When the Regulations apply:

to boarders, throughout each week of term from the time boarders leave home at the beginning of the week until they have returned home at the end of the week;

to day pupils, daily from the time they leave home in the morning until they have returned home in the evening.

The General Regulations are not restricted solely to the School precincts, but apply wherever a pupil may be at the above times. During these times, pupils are regarded as being "at School". They also apply should pupils come to School or be engaged on School activities at the weekends. Some of the Regulations are specific to activities within the School; however, most apply during all School activities, including all trips and expeditions. Pupils must abide by the laws of the land at all times.

1. **ALCOHOL:** The Policy on Alcohol should be referred to for full details (see intranet). It is against School rules for any pupil to purchase, to be in possession of, or to consume alcohol, or to go to a pub. It is also an offence for any pupil to associate with anyone so doing. No pupil may have or consume alcohol in School or on a School trip (unless under the supervision of a member of staff who has obtained the prior approval of the Under Master).

2. **AT HOME:** The Housemaster must always be advised in good time when parents are away from home. Boarders are not allowed home at weekends when their parents are away, but they may, with the permission of their Housemaster on the advice of parents, stay with hosts other than their own parents. Day pupils may not live at home when their parents are away unless there is other approved adult supervision; their Housemaster must be contacted if there is such a need.

3. **BICYCLES, MOTOR CARS, MOTOR CYCLES:** No pupil of the School may drive to or from School or any School activity unless accompanied by his or her parent. This regulation must not be evaded by parking at some distance from School or any other destination. Pupils may not drive mopeds or motorbikes to School. Housemasters may give permission to a day boy or girl to travel to and from School and/or Station by bicycle; they should be referred to for further details and for a parental consent form, which includes the undertaking that a cycling helmet will be worn.

4. **BOARDERS' STUDY-BEDROOMS:** Boys and girls are generally expected to congregate in public areas rather than study-bedrooms. Girls should not spend time in boys' study-bedrooms without the consent of the Housemaster. Purcell's and the girls' corridors and rooms up Busby's are out of bounds to boys at all times.

5. **BOUNDS:** The precincts include Dean's Yard, Little Dean's Yard, the Cloisters, and the routes to the other School departments lying outside Dean's Yard. Members of the Lower School (Fifth Form, Lower Shell, Upper Shell) may not leave the precincts during School hours except with the permission of their Housemaster. School hours include break and lunch as well as the teaching timetable. Members of the Upper School (Sixth Form and Remove) may go out of the School precincts during the lunch break, though they are required to attend lunch in School. The Remove only may go out at morning break. Day pupils may leave early if they have a PS during the last lesson and they have no further commitment after School. Permission for this must always be sought by the pupil from his/her Housemaster. During the School week, Boarders in the Lower School must not leave the Westminster / Victoria area without their Housemaster's permission (a separate notice specifies these wider bounds.) Fifth Form and Lower Shell Boarders must be back within the precincts by 18.00 in time for supper in College Hall. The same applies to Upper Shell Boarders in the Play Term and until Exeat in the Lent Term.

6. **CHEATING:** Any kind of cheating or plagiarism is not permitted.
7. **CLIMBING:** Climbing onto School buildings and adjacent buildings is dangerous and is not permitted.
8. **DRUGS AND ILLEGAL SUBSTANCES:** The Policy on Drugs and Illegal Substances should be referred to for full details (see intranet). The supply, possession and/or use of these substances are strictly prohibited. Any pupil found in breach of this regulation must expect to be excluded.
9. **ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT:** Electrical appliances which are brought to the School must be safe and meet appropriate UK/EC standards. The School regularly carries out an external inspection of these appliances.
10. **EVENING HOURS:** After the end of afternoon school pupils may, within the parameters outlined separately under 'Bounds', be outside the School precincts. Lower School boarders (including the Upper Shell until the Lent term of that year) must be back in School for supper at 6.00 p.m. No boarder may go out of the precincts during Prep (7.15 - 9.00) except with the prior permission of their Housemaster. After 9.00 p.m., as a general rule only pupils in the Upper School may leave the precincts; Housemasters should always be informed, and during the Play term members of the 6th form must additionally carry a chit signed by their Housemaster. All Boarders must be back up House by 10.00 p.m. and Houses must be quiet after that time. If Boarders have reason to return to School after 10.00 p.m. they need to have written permission from their Housemasters so they can identify themselves to the Abbey Beadle on the gate.
11. **GAMBLING:** All forms of gambling (including playing cards with chips or internet gambling via the School intranet) are strictly forbidden.
12. **IDENTITY CARDS:** it is not permitted to procure or possess any kind of ID card (or other form of identification) which does not accurately state the bearer's age and/or other personal details.

13. **INFORMAL CLOTHES** may be worn by pupils at times when formal clothes are not required; but at no time should they be either untidy or ostentatious. A School jacket may not be worn with informal clothes; nor may School Dress be worn untidily/informally.
14. **MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS:** Musical instruments (other than authorized instrumental practice), hi-fi systems, radios and similar equipment may not be played during lessons or after 10.00 p.m. At no time may they be played so loudly as to inconvenience others.
15. **PERSONAL / SEXUAL RELATIONS:** Westminster is an inclusive School in which all pupils should be able to feel comfortable. To this end, pupils are asked to keep public displays of affection to a minimum. Sexual relations between pupils whilst at School are strictly forbidden and will be treated as a very serious disciplinary matter.
16. **PRIVATE STUDIES:** During private study periods (PSs) all members of the School (except for the Remove) must be up House, in the Library, in the computer rooms, or in the music practice rooms. Only members of the Remove have the privilege of being allowed to go out of the precincts during their PSs. NB: all pupils, including the Remove, must remain in School during the John Locke period (Wednesday period 4, 12.00-12.40.)
17. **SCHOOL DRESS** (as defined in separate notices) is worn in School, in Abbey, lunch and assemblies, for examinations, for visits of a formal nature such as away matches and public lectures, and for any other such occasions as the Head Master shall from time to time decide.
18. **SMOKING:** The Policy on Smoking should be referred to for full details (see intranet). Pupils may not bring cigarettes into the School, nor smoke on School premises. Outside the School, if a pupil is discovered smoking, or is associating with anyone who is smoking, and in so doing is clearly in school uniform or identified or likely to be identified by the public as belonging to Westminster School, then s/he must expect to be gated. Any pupil found smoking on School premises must expect to be temporarily excluded.

19. **USE OF COMPUTERS AND OTHER ELECTRONIC, MOBILE OR DIGITAL DEVICES:** The following are all strictly forbidden: 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 the computer for purposes of plagiarism; any other online activity likely to bring the School into disrepute. Bullying online will be treated in the same way as bullying in the real world: for details, refer to the School's Policy on Bullying. Tampering with hardware is also strictly forbidden. Pupils may not bring into School laptops, mobile phones or any other electronic equipment or storage devices containing obscene or offensive material. For a more detailed statement the Policy on Acceptable Use for the Computer Network should be consulted. This Policy is introduced to new pupils each year by the Under Master, and must be read and accepted by each pupil when they first log onto the School Network.

20. **YARD AND GREEN:** Pupils in Yard are expected to be courteous and sensible at all times. The playing of ball games such as football, cricket and basketball in Yard (though only the latter is permitted during morning break) is a privilege which must not be abused. Ball games may be played on Green so long as the surface is not deemed unplayable, indicated by a red disc. Trainers, not school shoes or boots, must be worn. Pupils may sit on Green during the lunch break and after School, but not in PSs. Pupils are not to use Green as a short-cut at any time.

Dr G.J. Savage
January 2009

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

LOWER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

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