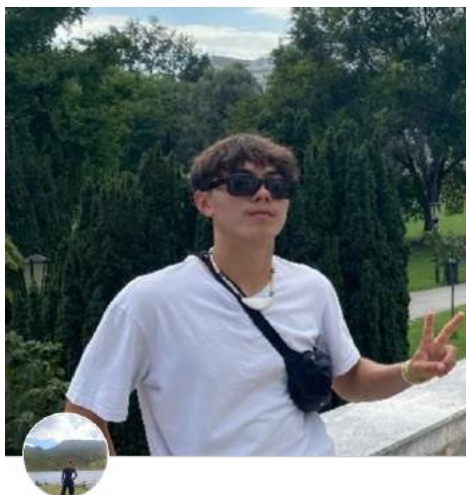


HELP BASIL SUPPORT THE ROYAL MARSDEN CANCER CHARITY



Next Sunday, I will be running the 2024 London Half Marathon with the Royal Marsden cancer charity with a goal of raising £999 towards cancer research. If you are able to donate that would be fab, but if not, a crisp high-five next time you see me would suffice.

The Royal Marsden Cancer Charity raises money solely to support The Royal Marsden, a world-leading cancer centre. They ensure nurses, doctors and research teams can provide the very best care and develop life-saving treatments, which are used across the UK and around the world.

From funding state-of-the-art equipment and groundbreaking research, to creating the very best patient environments, they will never stop looking for ways to improve the lives of people affected by cancer.

Basil H (S7)

[Please donate to support the Royal Marsden cancer charity](#)

ART

Artwork by students in S1, S2 and S3
studying artists: Paul Klee, Giorgio Morandi, Patrick Caulfield and Loui Jover.





VACANCIES

Our Vacancies

Join the Europa community

Primary

- Part-Time Primary Teacher - English
- Part-Time Early Years Teacher - French
- Part-Time Early Years Teacher - Spanish (MAT Cover)
- Part-Time Primary Teacher - French

Secondary

- Part-Time RE Teacher
- Part-Time Careers Coordinator

Support

- Data & Admissions Officer - Part Time

<https://europaschooluk.org/careers-at-europa/>

Any old LAPTOPS?

Any operating system | Any working condition

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If you have any laptops you no longer use, we could give them a new home at Europa.
Please bring them to reception

S3F PROJECT CAKE SALE FOR HELEN & DOUGLAS HOUSE

FRIDAY 26th APRIL 2024

Robyn and
Lorna S3F

CAKE SALE

**FRIDAY
26TH
APRIL**

**50P FOR
SOMETHING
SMALL (COOKIE
AND CUPCAKE)
£1 FOR A SLICE
OF CAKE OR A
DONUT**

**OUTSIDE THE
STAFF ROOM
FOR BREAK AND
LUNCH
BIKE SHED
AFTER SCHOOL
FROM 3:30**

**FUNDRAISING
FOR HELEN
AND
DOUGHLAS
HOUSE**

MUN AT EUROPA SCHOOL

FRIDAY 7th JUNE 2024

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2024



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DISEC

DISARMAMENT AND INTERNATIONAL SECURITY
COMITTEE

ECOSOC

ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL
COUNCIL

HRC

HUMAN RIGHTS
COMITTEE

UNEP

UNITED NATIONS ENVIRONMENT
PROGRAM

SPECPOL

SPECIAL POLITICAL AND DECOLONIZATION
COMITTEE

S3

S4

S5

S6

S7

SMART CLOTHING

SUIT AND TIE FOR
BOYS, THE
EQUIVALENT FOR
GIRLS

NO TRAINERS OR
IMPROPER FOOTWEAR

ORGANISED
BY THE
MUN CLUB

DESIGNED BY
RAYLIE CAPOLI

ABINGDON LIBRARY

CRAFTS AVAILABLE EVERY DAY DURING THE HOLIDAY

Wednesday 03 April 11.30 – 12.30

Author Evelyn Crosskey and illustrator Imogen Ives reading from their magical new book “The Guardians of the Wittenham Clumps”

Signes books available to buy.

Suitable for children aged 8+ with a grown up.

Book a free place at the library or by calling 01235 520374 or by email to Abingdon.library@oxfordshire.gov.uk

Thursday 04 April 11.30 – 12.30

Handwriting Zoo workshop with Explore Learning

Suitable for children aged 4 – 7 with a grown up

Booking your free place is essential by calling 01865 595509

Tuesday 09 April 13.00 – 14.00

Free SATS workshop with Explore Learning.

Explore exam techniques and improve your child’s confidence!

Suitable for children in year 6 with a grown up

Booking your free place is essential by calling 01865 595509

Friday 12 April 10.30 – 11.30

Interactive story writing – use Twine to create your own fun adventure on our computers

Suitable for children aged 9 - 11 with a grown up.

Book a free place at the library or by calling 01235 520374 or by email to Abingdon.library@oxfordshire.gov.uk

Oxfordshire County Council, Abingdon Library, The Charter, Abingdon. OX14 3LY

Kim.kearney@oxfordshire.gov.uk www.oxfordshire.gov.uk/libraries

OXFORDSHIRE WILDLIFE RESCUE FUNDRAISER



The poster features a central image of a red fox's face. Above the fox, there is a silhouette of various wildlife including a butterfly, a bird, a deer, a fox, a rabbit, and a hedgehog. The text is arranged in a clear, bold layout. A yellow box in the top right corner says 'FREE ENTRY'. The event title 'OXFORDSHIRE WILDLIFE RESCUE' is in white on a dark background, followed by 'SPRING FAYRE 24' in large white and yellow letters. The date and location '28TH April 2024 - Didcot Football Club' are in white on a dark background. The time '10am-4pm' is in white on a green background. The sponsors 'Proudly sponsored by' are listed with logos for 'OXFORDSHIRE WILDLIFE RESCUE' and 'OXFORDSHIRE WILDLIFE HOSPITAL'. The activities are listed in white on a dark background: 'Fun Fair Rides | Ice Cream | Café', 'Bouncy Castles', 'Tombola | Live Music | Hot Food', and 'Licensed Bar | Craft Stands | Cakes | Sweets'. At the bottom, a circular logo for 'OXFORDSHIRE WILDLIFE HOSPITAL APPEAL' is shown next to the text 'All proceeds are going towards the fundraiser for the build of the 'Oxfordshire wildlife hospital''.

FREE ENTRY

OXFORDSHIRE WILDLIFE RESCUE

SPRING FAYRE 24

28TH April 2024 - Didcot Football Club

10am-4pm Proudly sponsored by

Fun Fair Rides | Ice Cream | Café
Bouncy Castles
Tombola | Live Music | Hot Food
Licensed Bar | Craft Stands | Cakes | Sweets

OXFORDSHIRE WILDLIFE HOSPITAL APPEAL All proceeds are going towards the fundraiser for the build of the 'Oxfordshire wildlife hospital'

SUPPORT AVAILABLE FOR FAMILIES

South Oxfordshire and Vale of White Horse District Councils are working in partnership with organisations including Citizens Advice and Vale Community Impact to help families who are finding it difficult affording food and or energy bills.


If you are financially struggling and live in South Oxfordshire, please contact Citizens Advice who may be able to help and can talk through support available which might include voucher support, (subject to eligibility and voucher criteria).

If you are financially struggling and live in the Vale of White Horse, please contact Citizens Advice or Vale Community Impact who may be able to help and can talk through support available which might include voucher support, (subject to eligibility and voucher criteria).

Please contact Citizens Advice or Vale Community Impact as soon as you can as, subject to being eligible for voucher support, the voucher scheme closes on the 31 March 2024 (or sooner if all funds are spent). They will connect back with you as soon as possible, please note there could be a short wait for an appointment.

Citizens Advice www.citizensadviceosav.org.uk Tel: 0808 278 7907
Vale Community Impact www.vci.org.uk Tel: 01235 765348

PARENT WEBINAR



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Parents are the most important part of young peoples lives and hold the key to helping them. Let us, help you, to help them.



CAMHS
Child and Adolescent
Mental Health Service

MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS SESSIONS FOR PARENTS AND CARERS



SUBJECTS INCLUDE

- TEEN ANXIETY
- SELF HARM
- LOW MOOD
- HOW TO TALK TO YOUR DISTRESSED CHILD

WWW.OXFORDHEALTH.NHS.UK/CAMHS/OXON/SIR/WEBINARS

Oxford Health School In-Reach team hold several webinars for parents over the year. These awareness sessions contain useful information about how to support your child with some of the commonly seen emotional and mental health concerns:

[Parent webinars | Oxford Health CAMHS Oxford Health CAMHS](#)

CALLING ALL PARENTS!

We are currently compiling a presentation folder for all of our parents. Inside the folder there will be space to include

ADVERTISEMENTS FOR LOCAL COMPANIES AND BUSINESSES

3,000 FOLDERS WILL BE PRODUCED

and distributed to the parents of all our pupils, teachers and any others who request information about the school. Advertising revenue will generate income to boost school funds.



If you wish to take this opportunity to support the school and promote your business, act now to reserve your spot - *space is limited*. Please register your interest with **FSE** on **01933 303520**.

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Funding Solutions for Education
www.fundingse.co.uk

FamilyFirst

Proudly supporting  **NHS** in improving the physical & mental wellbeing of families living in England



FamilyFirst

FREE - SPRING 2024

RECIPES TO COOK AS A FAMILY

KIDS EAT FOR FREE THIS EASTER

The best baby carriers

How to create a wildflower meadow

KELVIN & LIZ FLETCHER
on fame, family and farming

Enjoy the experts' advice on family life

Kids eat FREE this Easter | FREE Family Days Out | Travel & Tourism | Parenting Hacks | Plus more!

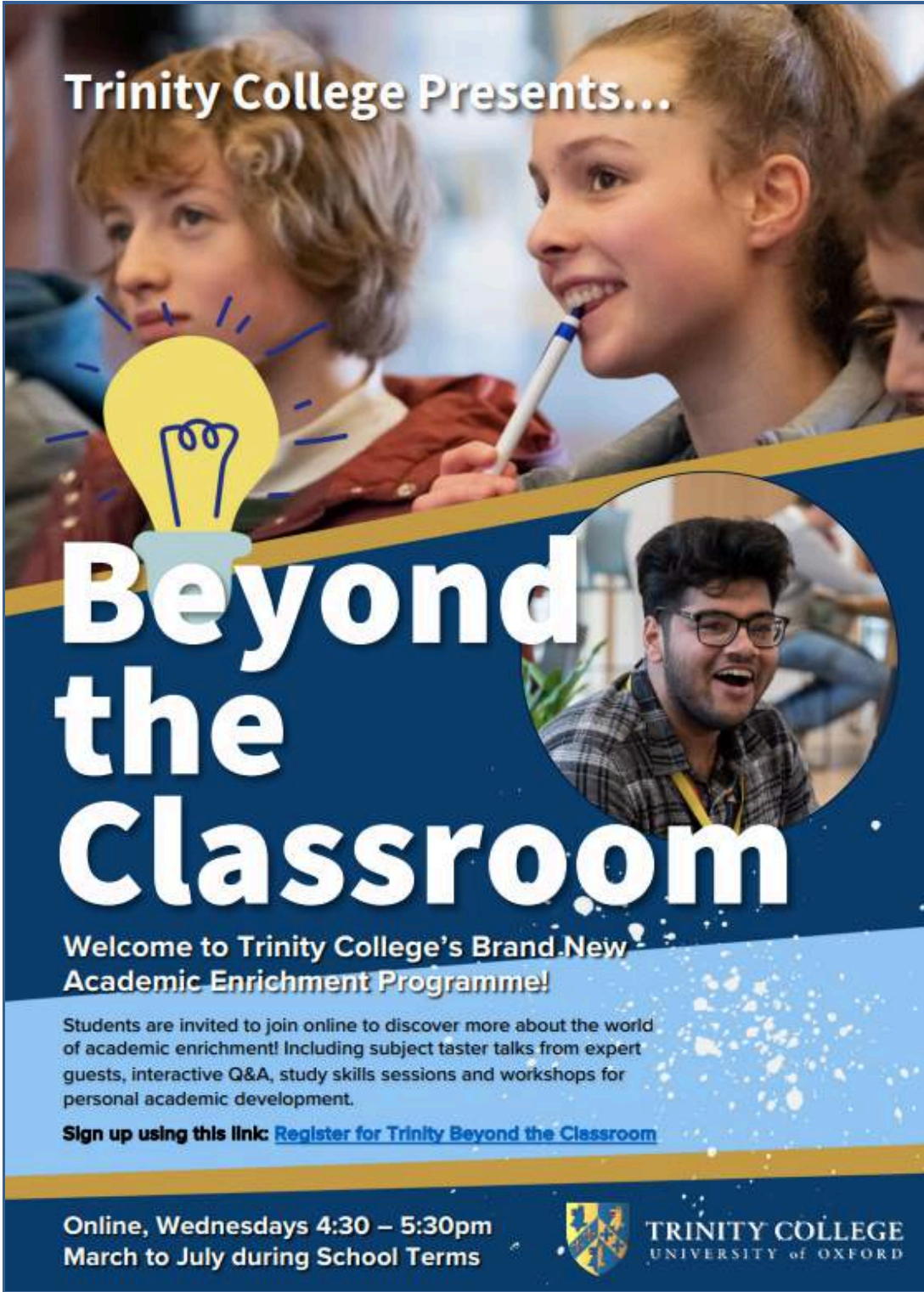
CLICK HERE TO READ OUR LATEST EDITION

familyfirst.co.uk



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https://issuu.com/sevenstarmedia/docs/ff_spring2024_digital210324



The poster features a background image of two young students, a boy and a girl, looking thoughtful. A yellow lightbulb icon with a hand-drawn filament is overlaid on the image. A circular inset shows a young man with glasses smiling. The text is arranged in a clear hierarchy, starting with 'Trinity College Presents...' at the top, followed by the main title 'Beyond the Classroom' in large white letters on a dark blue background. Below the title, there is a welcome message, a description of the programme, a sign-up link, and the event details. The Trinity College University of Oxford logo is in the bottom right corner.

Trinity College Presents...


Beyond the Classroom

Welcome to Trinity College's Brand New Academic Enrichment Programme!

Students are invited to join online to discover more about the world of academic enrichment! Including subject taster talks from expert guests, interactive Q&A, study skills sessions and workshops for personal academic development.

Sign up using this link: [Register for Trinity Beyond the Classroom](#)

Online, Wednesdays 4:30 – 5:30pm
March to July during School Terms

 TRINITY COLLEGE
UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD

The event will include a keynote speech from Consultant Immunologist Will Bermingham, subject-specific application and career advice, and a Q&A.

Students are welcome to attend with parents/guardians.

To sign up, please use this link: <https://forms.office.com/e/tAHPezUGNN>

S3 AND S4 BOOK CLUB

Mondays 13h00 - 13h20 Drama studio



COMICS AND MANGA CLUB FOR S1 - S6

Tuesday lunchtimes in the Drama studio



"Do you like comics? Do you like manga? Have you never read anything of the sort but want somewhere to start?

Whatever the case, consider joining the comics and manga club!

This club will be for all Secondary year groups and is about discussing the art form, as well as opinions on current and past series and general culture surrounding both manga and comics (think movies and tv shows!).

If you want to attend or have any questions, please don't hesitate to email me a dros24@europaschool.uk. I hope to see you soon!"

Dylan (S7)

LEGO CLUB FOR SECONDARY STUDENTS

Fridays 12.45 to 13.20 - Study room





GO ECOLO CLUB

You would like to improve the Ecology of the school, come to **Room 331 every Monday from 12h45 to 13h15**

The **GO ECOLO CLUB** members do projects and actions in the school. We try to Rewild areas in school, to find a solution to recycle rubbish in suitable bins, to have less plastic in the canteen, to have free Meat lunch, to protect the owls, to meet specialists of nature, to create films about the planet with the Goldsmith University, to have fun...



Come and share your ideas and actions!

For more information please contact Dr Sandrine Philippot-Gasc: s.philippot-gasc@europaschool.uk

Model United Nations : MUN



COP delegation

S4, S5, S6, S7 students attend the MUN Club to become a delegate or an ambassador of the United Nations and participate in a Model of the United Nations in Toulouse, Brussels or Milan.

The MUN Club takes place in Room 331 every **Monday** after school, Wednesday morning break and Friday lunchtime.

For more information please contact Dr Sandrine Philippot-Gasc : s.philippot-gasc@europaschool.uk

CULHAM

INTERACT CLUB

Culham Interact Club : Come and take action NOW!

Come to the **Culham Interact Club** to become an interactor and participate to improve the world. We meet every **Friday** at 9h50 to 10h10 room 331.

The **Culham Interact Club** organises at least two projects every year, one that helps their school or community and one that promotes international understanding. The local Rotary Club of Abingdon in the person of Astrid Nielsen is organising the projects with me .
<https://www.rotary.org/en/get-involved/interact-clubs>

During the last years **Culham Interact Club** helped for examples :

*Planting two plantations of mango trees in Senegal and developing villages :

<https://www.association-irrigasc.org/>

*Construction of a fuel saving eco-stove at Mugalodde Primary School in Uganda/ saves trees in Uganda" :

<https://youtu.be/7Z8VlwhehTs>

*Action with Cultiva to plant trees in Chili : <https://www.reforestationworld.org/project/corporacion-cultiva>

*Make a wish: help to grant life-changing wishes for children with critical illness.

<https://www.make-a-wish.org.uk/>

*Harry's hat: to help children diagnosis with hydrocephalus (water on the brain) <https://harrys-hat.org>

*Mary's meals: to feed very poor children in England and around the world : <https://www.marysmeals.org.uk>

*Alzheimer's Society

*Funsani charity to help orphan house in Zambia : <https://www.funsani.com/>

Examples of actions for raising money :

Quiz evening, catwalk show, cake sales, Halloween movie evening, battle of the bands evening...

Culham Interact Club gives as well the possibility to students over 14 years old to get a diploma of the **Institute of Leadership and Management in London**.

In 2020, Five students passed the diploma and on the 13th September 2023, five new students received the Diploma of Leadership and Management with the highest grade : Distinction!



For more information please contact Dr Sandrine Philippot-Gasc: s.philippot-gasc@europaschool.uk

NATIONAL BADMINTON

4 X WEEKS COACHING FOR JUST £10



4x WEEKS COACHING

FOR JUST £10!

Professional group badminton coaching

Interested in badminton? Get on court with a weekly group coaching session and get your first 4x sessions for £10!



REGISTER AT [NATIONALBADMINTON.ORG.UK/PLAY](https://nationalbadminton.org.uk/play)



BASKETBALL AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITY

Basketball is run by after school activities, the cost for the term is £80. You will be able to book your child onto the after school activities through the parent portal. This will be opening next week for the spring term 2024.



EUROPA SCHOOL BASKETBALL DRAGONS NEEDED!



Come join Europa School Basketball on Saturday Mornings!

A handful of parents have joined forces to coach basketball on Saturday mornings at Europa. Our aim is to build a school team to be able to compete against other schools in the area.

We are all passionate about promoting fun, teamwork and resilience through basketball. Come and experience the fun on a Saturday mornings and help us get Europa back to its former basketball glory.



Session Details:

Year 1 - Year 5	09:00 to 10:00 – Primary Gym
Boys Year 6 - S3	09:00 to 10:30 – New Gym
Boys S4 - S7	10:30 to 12:30 – New Gym
Girls S1 - S4	11:30 to 13:00 – Primary Gym

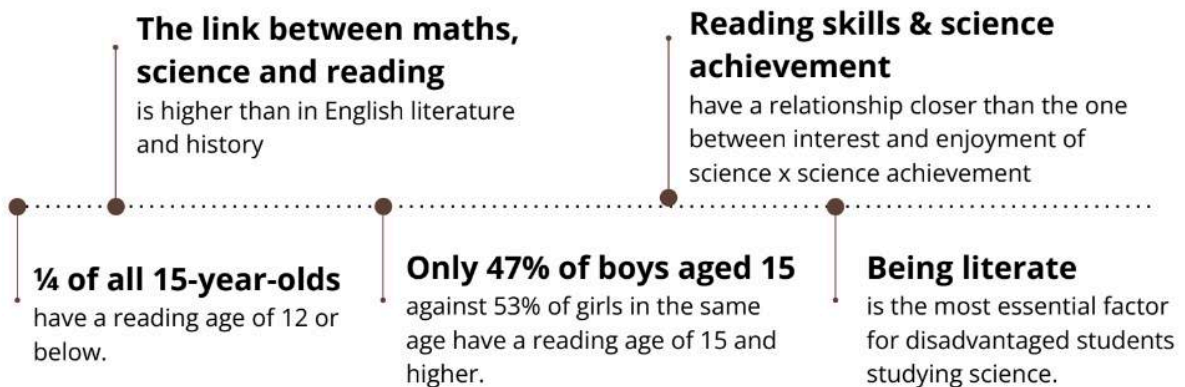
NB: We hold an adult scrimmage session in the new gym every Wednesday evening from 20:00 to 21:30 to raise money for the Dragons. £5 at the door. It's fun and burns a ton of calories!



Contact details (Ismail)
Mobile: 07834 118648
Email: ismailekadiri@gmail.com

Help your children to read and succeed in Science and Maths

370,000 secondary school students tested



Data from GL Assessment, research from 2018-2019, report found at <http://www.gl-assessment.co.uk/whyreading>

Five things we've learned from UN climate report

UK release survival guide to avoid climate disaster

UK water expert 'worries' global water use

Deep XPR - affecting 9%

2022 WILSON IN TALE

Have you 5 minutes?
Ask your child to read the headlines on their mobile phone and tell you which one seems more interesting or intriguing, and why.

Pet dogs a threat to nesting birds in South Walney - warning

Deep are not allowed in the UK unless they are assistance animals.

Nature reserves off the coast of Northumbria see seabirds as Arctic terns, gull-birds and other birds are present and particularly vulnerable between March and April.

"Sadly we're getting lots of reports of recreational disturbance of wildlife by people and their pets, which is particularly alarming given nesting is under way."

"It can be really hard to see the speckled birds' eggs and the little chicks can be extremely well camouflaged too, and it's not possible to spot amongst the algae that's found all around the intertidal South Walney."

"We'd have a very well-looked after bird with some birds away from their nests."

If you have 10 minutes
Ask them to read a short article and summarise it. Then you could ask: do you agree with what the article said? Why or why not?

When you have 30 minutes
Choose an article and read together. Ask each other why you prefer this or that subject. Discuss what the author really meant and if your children had seen the topic in school already.

plastic pollution
Named Feed the Fish, the then taken away to be re-

Read more >

Images from BBC News - Science, accessed on the 25th March 23.

EMAILING THE SCHOOL

Emailing regarding Absence

Please can all Parent's remember to send their emails for any absences: (ie sickness, holidays, medical appointments etc) to absence@europaschool.uk and not to Reception.

General email to the school

Please can all parents put the full name of the child and the class they are in, into the subject line of the email. This saves us a lot of time should any urgent message need to be communicated quickly.

LOST PROPERTY

The Lost Property room will be open every **Tuesday from 3pm to 4 pm**.

Please come and check the room when it is open for your lost items.

A huge thank you to Irene Larraona and Zohra Fatima-Jenkinson for managing this.

CONTACT EMAILS

If you have any questions regarding the IB Diploma Programme (S5, S6 and S7) please email Mrs Simpson at ibdiplomacoordinator@europaschool.uk

If you have any questions regarding the IB Middle Years Programme (S1, S2, S3 and S4) please email Mrs Butcher at ibmypcoordinator@europaschool.uk

If you are an external student and would like to apply to the school to do the IB Diploma please contact Mrs Fabulet at admissions@europaschool.uk

If you have any questions regarding UCAS and S4 Work Experience please contact Mrs Charalambous at i.charalambous@europaschool.uk

If you have any questions regarding Careers please contact Mrs Powell at l.powell@europsachool.uk

If you have any questions regarding public (GCSE/MYP and DP) or internal examinations (years S4-S7) please contact Mme Jouhandin at examsofficer@europaschool.uk

If your child is absent please email absence@europaschool.uk before 09h00

FUNDRAISING - EUROPA SCHOOL UK

If you would like to donate to the school fund please use this link [Fundraising – Europa School UK](#)

Our request is a voluntary contribution of £1 per pupil per day or £2 if you can afford it, either by giving a lump sum or making a regular monthly donation.

[More information about how we use the school fund.](#)

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

EASTER HOLIDAY - Friday 29th March to Friday 12th April 2024

April 2024

Wednesday 17th April	S6 University Fair Farnborough
Thursday 18th April	S6 cake sale for the Nettlecombe trip
Monday 22nd April	S7 Study Day
Tuesday 23rd April	S7 Study Day
Wednesday 24th April	S7 IB External Exams - First day (until 17/05/24) - Chapel IB ESS Workshop
Thursday 25th April	S7 IB External Exams - Chapel
Friday 26th April	S7 IB External Exams - Chapel 9h50 / 12h35 / 15h45 - S3 Project cake sale for Helen & Douglas House
Monday 29th April	S7 IB External Exams - Chapel
Tuesday 30th April	S7 IB External Exams - Chapel

May 2024

Wednesday 1st May	S7 IB External Exams - Chapel
Thursday 2nd May	S7 IB External Exams - Chapel S5 Exam leave 19h00 - CAMHS presentation for S1-S3 parents - Schuman Hall
Friday 3rd May	S7 IB External Exams - Chapel
Monday 6th May	BANK HOLIDAY - No school for students except S7 IB students who have an exam on this day. S7 IB External Exams - Chapel
Tuesday 7th May	S7 IB External Exams - Chapel S5 MYP Exams (until 17/05/24)
Wednesday 8th May	S7 IB External Exams - Chapel S6 Exams S5 MYP Exams S2 Carnegie Quiz
Thursday 9th May	S7 IB External Exams - Chapel S6 Study leave
Friday 10th May	S7 IB External Exams - Chapel S6 Exams S3 Bronze DofE practice
Monday 13th May	S7 IB External Exams - Chapel S6 Exams S5 MYP Exams
Tuesday 14th May	S7 IB External Exams - Chapel S6 Exams S5 MYP Exams
Wednesday 15th May	S7 IB External Exams - Chapel S6 Exams S5 MYP Exams
Thursday 16th May	S7 IB External Exams - Chapel S6 Exams S5 MYP Exams
Friday 17th May	S7 IB External Exams - Chapel - Final day S6 Exams S5 MYP Exams - Final day
Monday 20th May	S6 Exams S6 GEO Nettlecombe - Depart S5 Work Experience S7 Crepe Sale
Tuesday 21st May	S6 Exams S6 GEO Nettlecombe S5 Work Experience
Wednesday 22nd May	S6 Exams final day

	S6 GEO Nettlecombe - Return
	S6 BIO/ESS Nettlecombe - Depart
	S5 Work Experience
	S7 Talent Show - Schuman Hall
Thursday 23rd May	S6 BIO/ESS Nettlecombe
	S5 Work Experience
Friday 24th May	S3 TDp/MenACWY vaccination session
	S5 Work Experience
	S6 BIO/ESS Nettlecombe - Return

MAY HALF TERM - Monday 27th May to Friday 31st May 2024