

Dear Families,

Walking around site and seeing the year groups in their areas at social time is a lovely experience. They are all settled into the new academic year now and enjoying being back with their friends. Year 7 are enjoying The Shore at social time, and they have been trying to teach me to hula hoop! So far, I can only do one rotation, but I will keep you posted on my progress!

Welcome to GCSE Year 10 Parent Learning Event at 5pm-6pm on Thursday 3rd October

We are holding a 'Welcome to Key Stage 4' evening on Thursday 3rd October from 5pm to 6pm in the school hall. This event will provide valuable information on what to expect during Years 10 and 11, including an overview of GCSEs, assessment methods, key dates, and the support we offer both in and out of the classroom. It will also be a chance to meet key staff who will be working closely with your child over the next two years. At the event we will be offering you a chance to purchase GCSE revision guides at a reduced price, so please bring some cash with you.

Illness or Medical Appointments – How to let us know every day:

Option 1 - Ring the absence line no later than 8.30am on 01691 664400 (Option 1), leave a message stating your child's name, year group, tutor group and brief details. A call is needed every day of absence unless you have spoken directly with the Attendance Officer.

Option 2 – Email the Attendance team by no later than 8:30am at marattendance@mar.mmat.co.uk

Option 3 - Send a WhatsApp message with your child's name, year group, tutor group and brief details to 'Marches Attendance Office' WhatsApp group on **07572 971076**.



REMINDERS & NOTICES

Meet our New Student Leadership Group

Head Students

Maggie Morris, Henry Gillham and Lillie Shrimpton.



Senior Prefect

Emily Ellis.

House Captains

Jeslie Nang-Bayi, Theo Addison, Lily-Ella Jennings, Lowri Jones and Nathan Doggett.



We are excited see what they have in store this year!

Extra-Curricular Clubs start

This week has seen a record number of students attend clubs after school. On Tuesday evening, we had over 150 in PE alone!



Senior Prefects



Girls' Football has started strong



FOCUS



The Shore Activity Timetable at Social Time.

Year 7 social time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Breaktime	Quiet space-reading/colouring The Heart room	Quiet space-reading/colouring The Heart room	Quiet space-reading/colouring The Heart room	Quiet space-reading/colouring The Heart room	Quiet space-reading/colouring The Heart room
Lunchtime	Arts and crafts- Mrs Parrott – Shore 5 Outside sports- Mrs Newey Quiet space-reading/colouring The Heart room	Games club -Mr Syson H- Shore 6 Sports leaders Quiet space-reading/colouring The Heart room	Outside sports – Mrs Newey Quiet space-reading/colouring The Heart room	Outside sports -Mrs Newey Quiet space-reading/colouring The Heart room	Dodgeball – Mr Morris-Gym Sports leaders Quiet space-reading/colouring The Heart room

UPCOMING EVENTS

Click [here](#) to view our upcoming events. Events at a glance:



Thursday 26th September - Year 12 Parents' Evening & Welcome to Sixth Form
Thursday 3rd October - Welcome to GCSE - Year 11 Parent Learning Event
Thursday 10th October – Year 7 End of Transition Parent Event

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NEWS

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