

School News



Friday 21st June 2019

Dear Parents/Carers,



Ascension Explorers

Letters went out a while ago about Ascension Explorers which runs events for children over the holidays from 24th July to 21st August. If you haven't yet returned your slip, please do so as soon as possible. If you lost your letter, Mrs John will be able to give you another one.

Year 11 Leavers

Our year 11 pupils have now left school and we had a farewell assembly for them on Thursday. There is also a party planned at Two Boats Club on Saturday night.



We wish them all the very best for the future.

Mock Interviews

I would like to thank Catherine Leo, Patsy Moyce and Paul Mildon who came to school this week to put the year 11's through some mock interviews in preparation for the world of work. I am pleased to say that our students impressed the panels.

Staffing update

Following a meeting with the Director of Resources, I can confirm that Mrs Carolyn Yon will be Acting Headteacher from October to Christmas.

Interviews for a humanities teacher will take place this week. A re-advertisement for a DT teacher, a primary teacher and a Headteacher will be going out very soon. The appointment of another primary teacher means that we will revert to 4 primary classes as we have had this year.

Mrs Catherine Mildon has tendered her resignation and will leave her post at the end of term.

SATs

Pupils in year 2 and year 6 have completed their SATs. We are very pleased with the progress children have made across the board. We must wait for the thresholds to be published before scores can be calculated and shared with parents.

Governors

A meeting, which was attended by the Director of Resources, took place on Wednesday of this week. Mrs Natasha Timm and Mr Paul Mildon tendered their resignations. I would like to thank them both for the support they have shown to the school and to me personally in their time of office.

Our Chair of Governors, Mr Mick Hill, will seek to replace Mr Mildon with a business representative and we will hold an election for a parent Governors in the near future.



Alison Emmerson Headteacher



