

18th November 2022



Hello Everyone,

It has been another busy week here at TBS. Our Year 11 students have started their Mock Exams and have another week to go before they are completed. Best of luck to you all Year 11! Remember you will get out what you put in!

Today is also Children In Need Day and here at school we held a non-uniform day with a £1 donation for charity. Parents and students contributed cakes and treats for a bake off. Well done to all who entered the competition. Winners will be announced in next week's edition. The cakes were sold off at break time. At lunch time some of the secondary students volunteered to be sponged. They were supported by Inspector Barry who also volunteered and joined in with the fun. All monies raised will be donated to the Children in Need charity.

Photos and total money raised will be published in the next newsletter.

On Sunday 20th November we will hold our Annual Sports Day at the TB Field. Although a bit later than planned due to COVID, the students are all gearing up to take part and compete for their houses. The day will start shortly after 9am and finish at around 12.30. There will be a tuck shop available on the day. Food has been pre-ordered, however there will be a limited amount of chicken/vegetarian pilau and burgers on sale. The bus will leave Georgetown at 8.20am and all other students should be at the field for 8.30am. Thank you in advance to all who have volunteered their help and we look forward to seeing you there on Sunday morning.

Thank you to TBS PTA for hosting the Colour Run last weekend. What a fantastic amount of money was collected. You have set the bar high. Thank you to all who took part and donated money. The students are eagerly waiting to see what new equipment they get. Some additional photos are included this week.

As we are moving quickly towards the end of Term 1b here is a reminder of some of our key festivities dates:

Christingle service will be held at the Church on Sunday 4th December at 6.30pm. The students will make their Christingles in school on Friday 2nd December.

Our Christmas Production "Stable Manners" will take place in the school Hall at 6.30pm on Tuesday 6th December.

Christmas lunch for all staff and students will take place on Thursday 8th December.

School will closed for the Christmas break at 12.30 on Friday 9th December.

Three weeks to the end of this term! Not that I am counting!

That's it for now

Mrs Maggott



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Greetings from Year 10

Hi there... we are swiftly heading towards the end of Term 1 and what a topsy-turvy term it has been! As it's the first year of our iGCSEs, it has been exciting and full of expectation as we embark on specific courses we have chosen to study. We have settled in well and so far, are enjoying our chosen courses and the challenges they present.

I chose Geography, DT, Business Studies and French as my iGCSE options- I am also taking Triple Science.

I chose French as an extra subject, because I wanted to take Business Studies as well, but they were in the same option block. So far, I am really enjoying all of my subjects.

In Business Studies, we are learning about business size, and in DT, we are making mini wooden storage boxes. In Geography, we have been practicing fieldwork skills, and in French, I am learning how to write sentences in the past tense.





For my IGCSE options I have chosen History, Geography, and Business Studies (and also Triple Science).

I chose these subjects because I really enjoy them and I like being challenged. History is fun for me because I like learning about the past; it is very interesting.

Geography tests my knowledge on the how the planet is made up (also $\overline{1}$ didn't want to do Art because $\overline{1}$ do <u>not</u> have the patience for it!)

Business Studies is something new and challenging. I also think it will be useful for when I finish school. (Also I chose this subject because I feel I was bad at French - Mrs. Giles may say otherwise).

I love challenges and I really enjoy doing harder subjects.

In our Double Science lessons, we have been learning about forces and moments. We were able to identify the different types of forces, the effects of forces and how to calculate the resultant force.

We learnt what the word equilibrium means and how it has no resultant force. We also know the difference between weight and mass. When learning about moments, we particularly enjoyed trying to balance the ruler on the pivot to put it into equilibrium.





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This week from 14 – 18 November is also "ANTI-BULLYING" week.

The theme this year is REACH OUT. (<a href="https://anti-bullyingalliance.org.uk/anti-bullying-week/anti-bul

Bullying is repetitive, intentional hurting of one person or a group of people; this could happen face to face or even online.



Bullying affects millions of lives and can leave us feeling hopeless. But it doesn't have to be this way. If we challenge it, we can change it. And it starts by reaching out.

Whether it's in school, at home, in the community or online, let's reach out and show each other the support we need.

- Reach out to someone you trust if you need to talk.
- Reach out to someone you know is being bullied.
- Reach out and consider a new approach.

We all have a responsibility to help each other reach out.

Reflect on our own behaviour, set positive examples and create kinder communities.

It takes courage, but it can change lives.

Children In Need funds thousands of charities and projects

in every corner

Say "No"

to bullying



of the UK, that supports children and young people to feel and be safer, have improved mental health and wellbeing, perform better, more positive relationships and be given more equal opportunities to flourish. Some involve providing activities for children with disabilities, some support children who care for a disabled parent, and some provide funding to help families who have suffered the death of a child or parent.

Here at Two Boats School, we are also fund raising for children in need. We will have activities like a non-uniform day, TBS bake-off and sponging a student and Inspector Barry has kindly agreed to get sponged!



Pudsey Bear has been the BBC Children in Need's mascot since 1985.



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Two Boats PTA Colour Run - £1600 raised and still counting















THANK YOU FROM ALL OF THE PTA