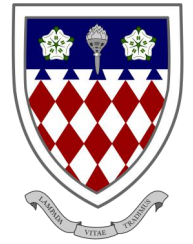


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Weekly Bulletin

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Latest News and Events

I would like to say well done to Year 11 and Year 13 who are now very nearly at the end of their examination season. Year 11 finish today and Year 13, tomorrow. Students have faced the challenges of the examination season with determination and maturity. They have all been a credit to themselves and the School. It has been a pleasure to hear how students have found the papers as the exams have progressed. Now they need to enjoy a bit of a rest and I hope that we will see them at the Y11 Prom and the Y13 Leavers' Ball and in the summer for Results Days.

Yet more good sporting news this week – congratulations to the U13 Cricket Team and Rounders Team. Well done on some amazing results!

Mrs M Anderson

History Department

“The lack of a sense of history is the damnation of the modern world .”

What have we been studying this term?

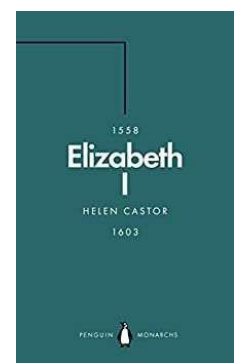
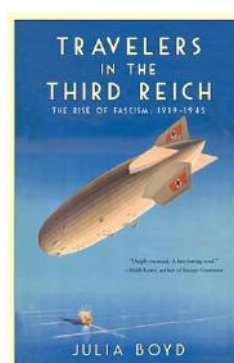
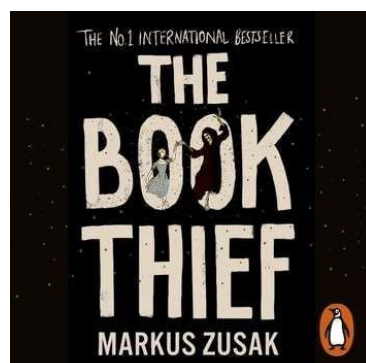
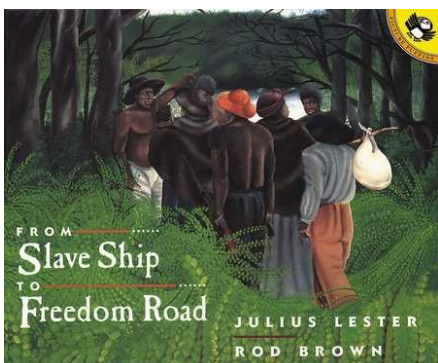
Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Year 12
				
The Transatlantic Slave Trade and its abolition	The contribution of Bomber Command to WW2	The NSDAP's rise to power in Germany after WW1	The Catholic threat to Elizabeth I, at home and abroad	Coursework preparation

Dates for your diary:

Y12 – Friday July 15 – Coursework Resource Record due

How can I support learning at home?

1. Quizzing your child: ask for their homework booklet and the recent areas they have studied—there is a knowledge organiser for each.
2. Ask your child about the reasons for key events they have studied: check which events they have covered recently e.g. Hyperinflation in 1923—ask them to explain to you why it happened.



Cricket

Well done to the U13 cricket team who won the U13 Lincolnshire Schools' soft-ball cricket tournament on 16th June. The team were unbeaten throughout the tournament with victories over schools from across Lincolnshire including Bourne Grammar, Kesteven & Grantham Girls High School & Stamford Welland Academy. The team will now represent Lincolnshire at the East Midlands regional final on 27th June at Loughborough University.

Congratulations and best of luck in the regional final.



Rounders

On Monday 21st June nineteen Year 9 students represented the School at a rounders tournament. It was a fun filled evening with some fantastic batting, bowling and fielding. Students demonstrated great levels of enthusiasm and team work. SHS Team 1 finished 2nd place in the tournament missing out on first place by one rounder. SHS Team 2 finished 3rd. Well done to both teams that played!

The PE department



Careers Update

Year 10 Work Experience Week – 4th- 8th July

Year 10 students will be attending their work experience placements from 4th- 8th July. If students have not done so recently, they should ensure they have made contact with their employers to confirm arrangements for the week, such as starting and finishing times each day and what they should wear. Parents/carers were sent a letter from Mrs O'Brien on Tuesday this week with final details about work experience.

National Citizen Service (NCS)

21 Year 11 students have signed up to take part in the NCS summer programme. NCS is a great way for students to build on communications skills, learn new skills and make new friends whilst carrying out activities to support the local community. Year 10 students will meet some NCS representatives on 11th July to learn about the programme in readiness for applying when they are in Year 11. Activities such as taking part in NCS stand out on a CV or application. More information can be found here:

<https://wearencs.com/what-is-ncs>

UniTasterDays Website

The UniTasterDays website showcases a wide range of on-demand videos which introduce university courses. The latest impartial webinar releases include Animation, Visual Effects and Games, Architectural Technology and Global Sustainable Development.

<https://www.unitasterdays.com/ondemand>

Celebrating NHS Careers – 5th July at 5.30pm

The NHS celebrates its 74th birthday on 5th July. To mark the occasion there will be a live panel conversation from 5.30pm on the day on YouTube. There will be first-hand accounts from an apprentice administrator, a paediatric physiotherapist, a student mental health nurse and a trainee physical sciences bioinformatician. They will describe what they do, their route into it and give tips to anyone thinking of that career path. There will also be the opportunity to ask questions.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-nRC8ToyOos>

Support

As always, we can be contacted by email if parents or students in any year group have any queries:

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