



# SOMERVALE SCHOOL

## Newsletter: Term 3



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# Headteacher

Dear Parents and Carers

Happy Valentine's Day and Happy Half Term! It has been another busy and slightly soggy half term. We have had loads of fabulous events taking place that you will see more about throughout the newsletter. Hopefully you were able to secure tickets for Beauty and the Beast and were able to experience the amazing breath of talent within our student body. You may have already heard but our production next year will be High School Musical which incredibly turned 20 last month. The try-outs will soon be advertised.

Year 11 are preparing for their second set of internal exams when we return after half term. We are really impressed with the numbers of students attending the after school intervention sessions and practicing the skills we taught them during lesson and tutor sessions. Visiting lessons and walking the school during social time is a real pleasure. Our students are engaged with learning, confident to challenge themselves, hardworking and diligent with their work and most importantly always looking for ways to make further progress.

We had visitors to the school on Monday from a local school outside of the trust and they were overwhelmed with both the students and the school environment. Today I have spoken to all our students in response to the awful things we have seen going on in the world. We have focused on how amazing our community is and how we are stronger when we stand together and show kindness. Somervale is a very good school and we continue to be so due to our amazing staff and students.

However, we also acknowledge that there are always things that we can improve and I would like to remind you that if every have any concerns relating to your child in anyway please make contact with their tutor so that we can work together to ensure that every child is happy and successful. In preparation for next term please can I ask that you check that your child is fully prepared to start the new term in the correct way. Uniform needs to be correct and this includes house ties, only the appropriate school trousers or pleated skirts. NO jersey stretchy trousers are permitted even if they are a flare style. Below is the link to further details on our uniform policy as a refresher.

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1zOHylisFYk8iC8CxW16F5rmvAzAui4u9/view>

I would like to wish you all a lovely relaxing and hopefully rain free half term and look forward to welcoming the students back next term.

Best wishes

Joanna Stettin-Waite



# Attendance

## Attendance Newsletter

Attendance sits at the very heart of all we do here at Somervale, as such we continue to have a laser focus on every child's attendance, punctuality and barriers that may impact on this. This term has been a chance for many students to build upon the strong first half of the academic year and despite external challenges with weather, traffic and illness we continue to have strong attendance at Somervale school.

I am delighted to share that over 280 students improved their attendance between Term two and Term three, and an impressive 386 students having achieved an overall attendance for term three above our target of 97%.

### **Attendance isn't just about being in school; it's about belonging.**

Regular attendance builds self-belief and readiness for life's challenges. Every day your child attends, they're not just learning, they're building routines, strengthening relationships and developing resilience that will serve them throughout life.

Did you know that Attendance below 90% is classed nationally as Persistent Absence This means a child is missing around half a day of school every week over the academic year. **Looking Ahead to term 4.....**

Next term's Focus will be on **Punctuality** We will be continuing to develop the importance of students arriving at school on time. At Somervale our expectation is for students to be sat in their tutor room at 8.50am. So all students need to be arriving through the school gate no later than 8.45am to avoid being marked as late. As parents/careers please continue to support us with this and if you are dropping students off to school please take into account the traffic in the local area and leave with enough time to avoid your child being late.

Kind Regards

Mr B Pearce

**Deputy Headteacher**

# Somervale School Production



## Beauty and the Beast



Welcome to Somervale's production of Beauty and the Beast! There are over 80 students involved across all year groups, both on and off stage, and we are so proud of what we have put together.

The show process at Somervale starts on the last night of the previous performance. We always announce next year's musical to the students by playing one of the songs (last year, actually performed by Mrs Bendrey!). I start choreographing the next one immediately and the dance club starts learning group dances in term 5. For this show, some of the main "Be Our Guest" sections were taught last academic year!

In September 2025, once we had briefly welcomed the new year 7 cohort to Somervale, we launched the audition process and held them in week 3. As always, we were blown away by the talent, enthusiasm and professionalism shown by our cast. At the end of that week, we announced our cast, led by Isla H as Belle, Izzy P as Lumiere, Reuben R as Beast and Sam M as Gaston. It is important to us that our KS4 leads help to uphold the "show family" and make our younger members feel safe and supported on stage. These four are excellent role models and friendly faces at every rehearsal.

We have some new faces in our main cast this year; Poppy M taking on Madame de la Grande Bouche, Sophia P as Chip, Akasha C as our lovely Babette/Dance Lead and Holly H, Summer G, Ruby A and Grace C doing a fabulous job as our hysterical "Les Filles". If you have seen any of our previous shows, you might also recognise Harry D as Cogsworth, Jack T as Lefou, Oscar R as Maurice and Elsie S as Mrs Potts. We are so proud of the cast. They have spent hours learning lines, songs and choreography and this term has been a big one in terms of rehearsal.

Our cast, including chorus and dancers, have attended rehearsals three times a week since auditions. Miss Stephens has also led additional characterisation work for our leads. We run drama, dance and singing rehearsals separately, then watch it all come together at our technical and dress rehearsals, which we held last week. These days are complete chaos, but amazing to finally see it in action. On Wednesday afternoon, we performed a matinée to local primary schools - this always feels like the first big moment and there is lots of nervous energy.

# Somervale School Production

Off stage, we have an excellent team of stage and technical crew; Phoebe W as our Stage Manager, Isaac C/Alice B on sound, and George W/Minnie P on lighting. Overseen by Mr Kehoe, our technical desk is completely student-run. They have spent the last couple of shows learning the ropes and are such a reliable and calm team this year. We feel very lucky to have them. New this year is our Year 7 Creative Team, who have done a fantastic job at designing and orchestrating our entrance foyer.

My favourite thing about the show is the community and the spirit that we have fostered. They are, without a doubt, my favourite group of people to be around at school. We are the biggest extra-curricular group here at Somervale and students are genuinely supportive of each other. Our younger students gain friendly, older faces to see in the corridors and look up to our lead singers and dancers. I am certain that this atmosphere has increased the confidence of many and I am so happy we can provide such a huge performing arts opportunity.

A few thank you's from me:

To the audience, for your support in buying a ticket to watch our show.

To parents and carers who have facilitated rehearsals, bought costumes and helped learn lines.

To our sponsors who have generously funded our costumes, new radios and a smoke machine!

To our amazing cast and crew for your hard work and positivity.

Miss L Wilkinson **Show & Choreography Lead**



# Somervale School Production



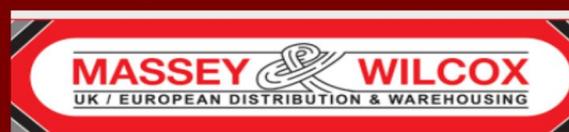
# Somervale School Production



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A special thank you to all the advertised companies for your generous donations towards our school production.

## Special Thanks



Congratulations to Miss Mitchard, parent of Sienna W, year 8, who won the Beauty and the Beast raffle prize.

# Physical Education

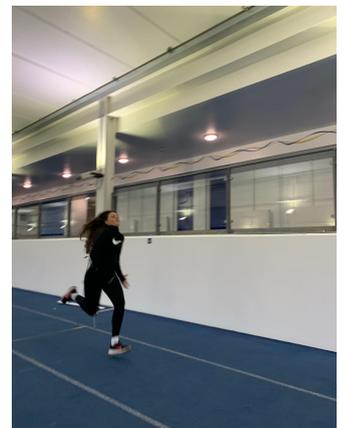
## Boys' Football

The boys' football teams have made an excellent start to the term with an astro turf full of boys every Monday for training. The Year 7 and Year 8 boys have both successfully participated in a BANES tournament here at Somervale. We're looking forward to the league matches next term!



## Bath University Day

Our Year 11 PE students attended a testing day at Bath University this term in collaboration with Norton Hill. They participated in a number of fitness tests as well as a lab session looking at the gold standard for VO2 Max and Power tests. We're looking forward to you using this experience to help with your A Level studies next year.



# Physical Education

## Girls' Netball

This term we have had a great bunch of students representing the PE department in netball! Our Year 11 squad played in a YR11 tournament where they played against Wellsway, Writhlington and Oldfield. The students played some great netball and did Miss Dury proud! On Monday the 9th February, the Year 10 and Year 11 students



## Girls Football

Our Year 7&8 girls went up to Norton Hill this term to compete in the B&NES Football Tournament. The girls worked incredibly hard but it was not their day to score. After hitting the post several times in various games, they came away with 1 draw and 2 near losses. The camaraderie between the girls was superb to see as they all cheered and motivated each other on. Keep it up girls!



# Physical Education

## This Girl Can

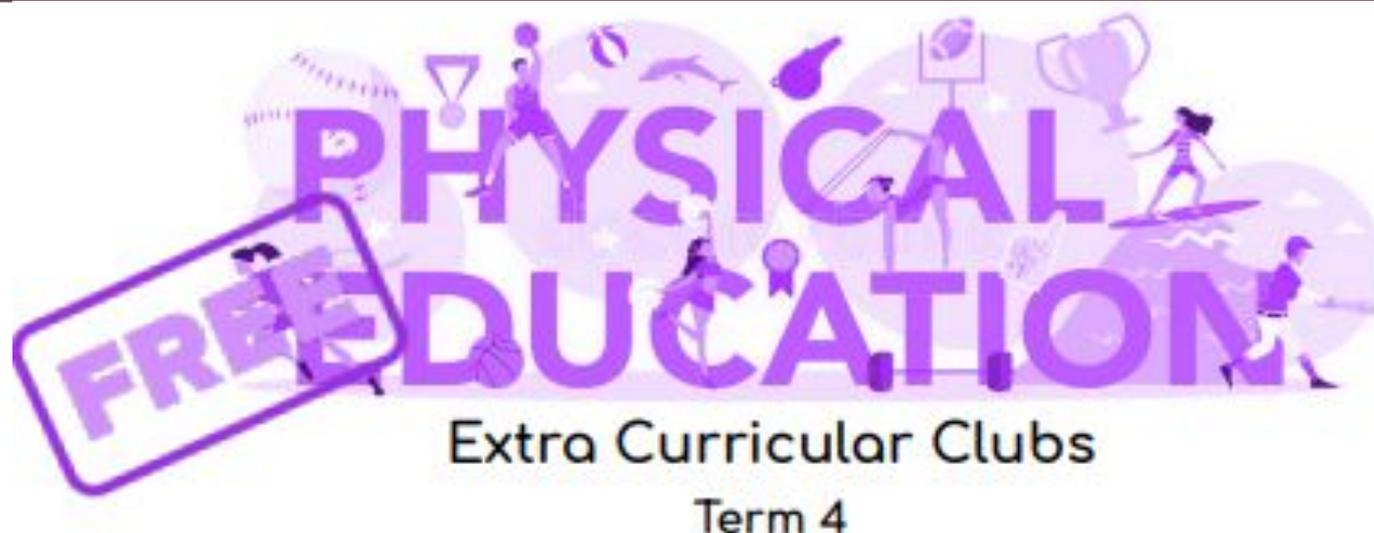
A group of our female sports leaders had the day out at Bath University this term to take part in the This Girl Can Leadership Campaign to boost confidence and leadership. In the morning the girls had to use their leadership skills to create a new game and then lead it to another group before spending the afternoon using the University's amazing facilities including the indoor athletics track.



## Dance Umbrella

This year we are performing a dance at Dance Umbrella. Miss Wilkinson will be auditioning a troupe of 25 this term and we will be performing at the Bath Forum on 23rd March!

# Physical Education



	Lunchtime (12.40-1.25pm)	Afterschool (3.30-4.25pm)
Monday	Astro Turf open to all year groups. Studied boots or astro boots required.	Boys' Team Football Training <i>Trampolining Club*</i>
Tuesday	Astro Turf open to all year groups. Studied boots or astro boots required.	Girls' Football Club
Wednesday	Indoor Cricket	Netball Club
Thursday	Astro Turf open to all year groups. Studied boots or astro boots required.	Dance Club
Friday	Astro Turf open to all year groups. Studied boots or astro boots required.	Exam Group Catch-ups

\* Trampolining is sign up only. £4.50 per session. Please email [kelly@somervaleschool.com](mailto:kelly@somervaleschool.com) for details.

If you want to join a club, meet the PE department in the changing rooms straight after school. All clubs finish at 4.25pm.

No sign up required.

All fixtures are on the Google Classroom: [j37g7zg](#)



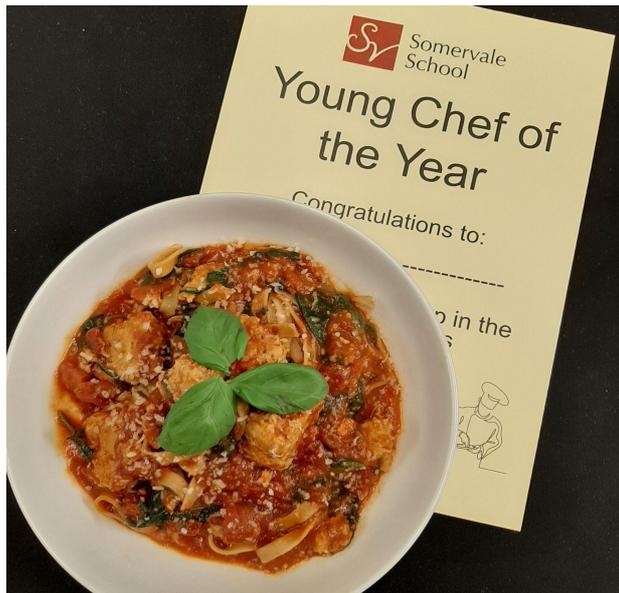
# Design & Technology

## Year 9 MNSP Young Chef Final!

It has been a busy term in the Technology Department with lots of cooking through all the years. We were very excited to host our round of the Year 9 MNSP Young Chef. We had 7 talented Year 9 students which wowed us with their jam tarts. Mrs Ellett and Ms Hoyle found it so hard to choose students to go through to round 2. Round 2 was to create a main meal for 2 people using local ingredients. Our runner up Iris created a delicious vegetarian chilli with potato wedges, and our winner Liv produced an amazing dish of chicken meatballs and pasta.

A huge well done to all our budding chefs. Everyone produced amazing food. Also a big thank you to everyone at home supporting your budding chef's with ingredients and shopping.

Liv will now go on to represent Somervale School at the MSNP Young Chef competition at Writhlington School on the 3rd of March. Good Luck Liv!



# Art & Design Department

## ARTIST OF THE WEEK



Lena P

Lena P made this as part of her year 10 coursework, a mono print inspired by the artist Georgina Luck. Such a brilliant outcome, well done Lena. Keep up the great work.

We loved this response to the Artist Hilma Klint By Piper R in year 7  
Year 7 students took a deep dive in to colour theory and came up with some amazing work.

## ARTIST OF THE WEEK



Piper R Year 7

# Library News

## WHAT'S ON

in the



Somervale School

## LIBRARY

### BOOK

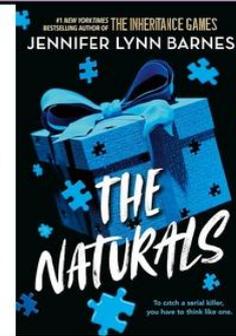
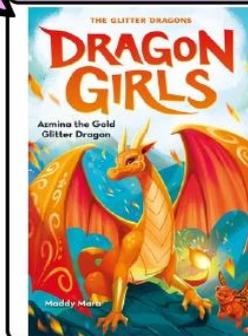
review

### NEW Library Books

**Fear Files by Christopher Edge**

Reviewed by AM Year 8

*A boy goes on holiday and gets lost in an abandoned town. He sees many other children playing a horrific game of hide and seek, with a mysterious figure watching over them!*



### BORROWER profile



Noah was one of our first Word Millionaires this year! He is one of our super readers and super borrowers! Loves to read Diary of a Wimpy Kid and even got to meet Jeff Kinney at Bath Festivals



### STUDENT LIBRARIAN

### upcoming EVENTS



Poppy loves helping at the desk with her friends. They always enjoying getting a first look at the new library books and helping to sort them and put them out on the shelves for students to read.

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| 3 <sup>rd</sup> February: | Poetry by Heart Final                       |
| 5 <sup>th</sup> March     | World Book Day 2026                         |
| 6 <sup>th</sup> March     | Author/Careers Event Day                    |
| 19 <sup>th</sup> March    | NLT Reading Champions Quiz - regional heats |



# Library News

## Dungeons and Dragons - Five Dice Club

Our new lunchtime Dungeons and Dragons Club is proving really popular. It's seen a resurgence in recent times, due to the popularity of the Netflix series 'Stranger Things'

Come along on Monday Week B lunchtime to find out more!

# DUNGEONS & DRAGONS

Five Dice Club



## The Midsomer Norton Schools Partnership Library Book Award 2026



Our panel of students have now read this year's shortlisted titles and are now casting their final few votes.

All schools will collate votes after February half term, to find this year's overall winner.

The winning author will be announced at the Awards Ceremony in April!

# Library News



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School

Somervale Library

Word  
Millionaires

LEADERBOARD

Hollie Sc	1,798,299
Erin B	1,738,904
Thomas R	1,533,001
Noah R	1,516,807
Edie S	1,425,823
Harrison F	1,235,453
Lucy W	1,195,579
Lily M	1,150,257
Erin B	1,047,567
Albert C	1,020,520
Freya W	1,000,656

Find 'love' in a new book this Valentine's Day!



Proud to support  
The National Year  
of Reading 2026.

**GO  
ALL  
IN.**

2026 is The National Year of Reading.  
The theme is 'Go All In'

"...Reading expands our world and sharpens our minds, yet fewer people are making time to read. A Department for Education initiative, in collaboration with the National Literacy Trust, the campaign aims to tackle the profound decline in reading enjoyment in the UK and reconnect people of all ages with reading as a relevant and immediately rewarding activity. The campaign asks the nation to Go All In on their passions and interests for 2026 and discover how reading can unlock the things they already love – be that music, football, baking, family-time, sci-fi, or ... anything..."

# English Department

## Year 8's Poetry by Heart Competition

Our Year 8 students spent this term learning poems by heart for the Poetry by Heart competition, a national event that invites students of all ages to learn poems and recite them from memory.

Every student in the year group had to learn a poem, individually or in groups, and perform it in their classes. Students could choose any poem they liked if they were competing in the freestyle category, or two poems from a selection of pre and post 1914 poems if they were competing in the classic category.

The first round involved a knock-out stage during English lessons and class teachers chose their winners.

The winner from each class went to the school final in the Library on 29th January. Our judges, Mrs Yates, Mrs Vale and Mrs Cornick, had a tough job picking the school winners for each category.

Our school winners will now record videos of their performances and these will be sent to the national competition: if selected, they will be in the Grand Final in London at the Globe theatre!

Well done to all competitors! And good luck to the winners! We've got our fingers crossed for you.



# English Department

## Year 10 - Yale International Essay Writing Competition

This term, five students in Year 10 have taken part in the Yale International Essay Writing Competition.

They have attended webinars and online masterclasses and written original essays with mentoring from under-graduate students from Yale University in the U.S.A..

Despite having to attend webinars every Saturday over four weeks, and then writing a 500-word essay, they have all relished this opportunity, and enjoyed researching and writing about the effects of technology in their lives.

Their essays will be competing against pieces submitted by students from all over the world.

Good luck to Dylan, Albie, John, Jacob and Thomas!

We'll be looking forward to finding out if they won in term 4.



# English Department

## Year 11

### Walking-Talking Mock

On 21st January, the whole cohort of Year 11 students sat a Literature walking-talking mock in the hall. Their attitude to learning was incredibly aspirational: they worked hard over four periods and showed that they are not only capable but also willing to go the extra mile to achieve their grades.

Their work was marked by their teachers and most students were able to achieve a higher grade than what they achieved in their Literature mock exam in November.

### Extracurricular activities

Our **Thursday clubs** have also been busy this term. If you are keen on reading and writing, why not join Mrs Yates' Creative Writing Club after school in UG5? You will learn to take your creativity to the next level!



If you prefer the spoken word, try Public Speaking Club with Mrs Thompson at lunchtime in UG2. We are preparing for our first competition, so why not challenge yourself and give it a go?



# English Department

## February Mock Exams and Beyond

The February mock exams are around the corner.

All Year 11 students will have received resources and guidance from their teachers and will have spent the last weeks preparing for their Language mock exam. It's now time to revise at home and consolidate all the hard work that has been done this term.

Just a reminder that for their English Language mock exam they will sit an AQA GCSE English Language Paper 1 (fiction and descriptive writing) and an AQA GCSE English Literature Paper 1 (Macbeth and A Christmas Carol).

We will continue to run our Monday evenings Lesson 7 and after school revision sessions so why not pop along on Monday 23rd and complete a practice question or two? The revision schedule for term 4 is below:

4	23/2/26	Literature Paper 1 Essay Skills	CPA
	2/3/26	Unseen Poetry Exam Practice	RZI
	9/3/26	An Inspector Calls Revision	SDA
	16/3/26	Poetry Anthology - Power and Conflict Revision	CPA
	23/3/26	Language Paper 2 Exam Practice	ALA
	30/3/26	Language Paper 1 Exam Practice	

# Careers

## Careers Programme

As part of our careers programme, we had the opportunity to take a group of our students to attend Bath Spa University on Friday 30th January. Students undertook a variety of workshops at the Newton St Loe Campus, as well as learning about the options that are available to them in Higher Education Post-18.



One of our students enjoyed standing in as a judge in the law department during a debate about banning under 16s from Social Media. We also went to the media department and were shown how sound is added to films. Feedback from students was very positive and it was lovely to hear them discussing their potential future careers.

# Careers

Another exciting term for Careers here at Somervale School. Year 9 were provided with workshops on University courses, Year 10 were given an expert assembly on Apprenticeships. Year 11 are also in the process of having their final careers guidance appointments with Ros Windsor and they are well into the interview season with their potential Post 16 placements, for example, at MSN Sixth and also Bath College.

Next term will be a BIG term for Careers, as we celebrate National Careers Week. Years 7 and 8 will also be provided with an exciting Careers event during World Book Week with more information to follow!

## **Work Experience Requests**

**We are in the final stages of finding Work Experience placements for Year 10. If you, or someone you know, has availability from 13th-17th July to take one of our lovely students, please contact [sdavis@somervaleschool.com](mailto:sdavis@somervaleschool.com)**

# House News

## Students of the term

During this term we have had a competition to design postcards so that we can show students our appreciation for their hard work supporting the house system. Below is a selection of the great designs brought forward, ready to be made into postcards.

Our first winners of student of the term are:

**Ammerdown** - Taiya P (YR7)

**Greyfield** - Riley W (YR11)

**Harridge** - Rokque L (YR9)

**Stockhill** - Thomas H (Y8)

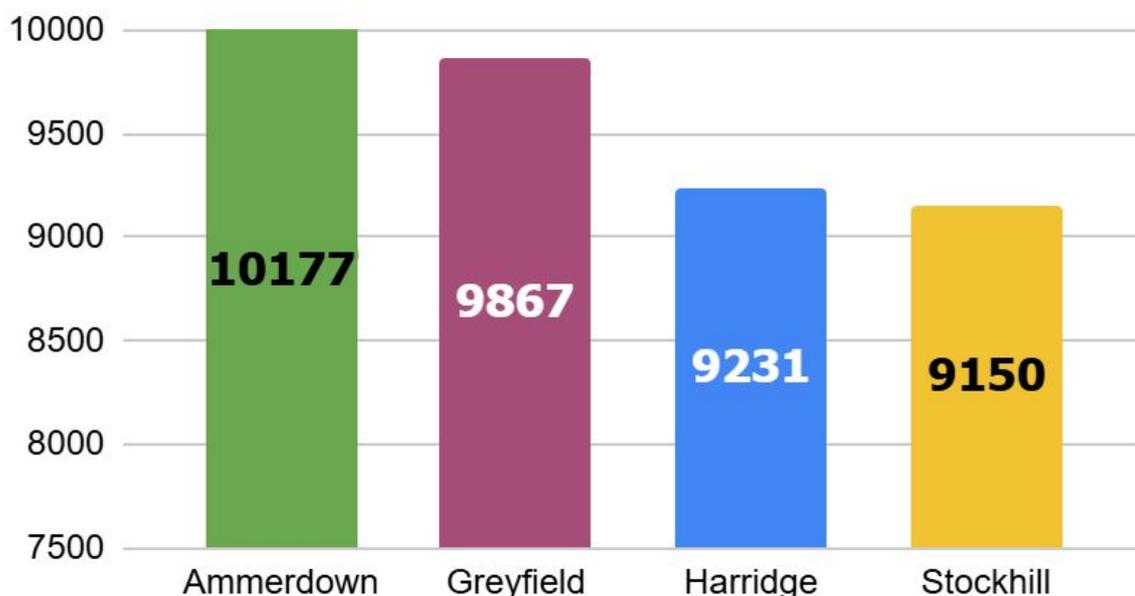
Thank you all for your work this term!



## **Total House Points**

Below are the overall House Points for Term 3! Ammerdown is in the lead with 10177, Greyfield second with 9867, Harridge in third with 9231 and Stockhill coming in fourth with 9150.

## **Overall House Points Total**

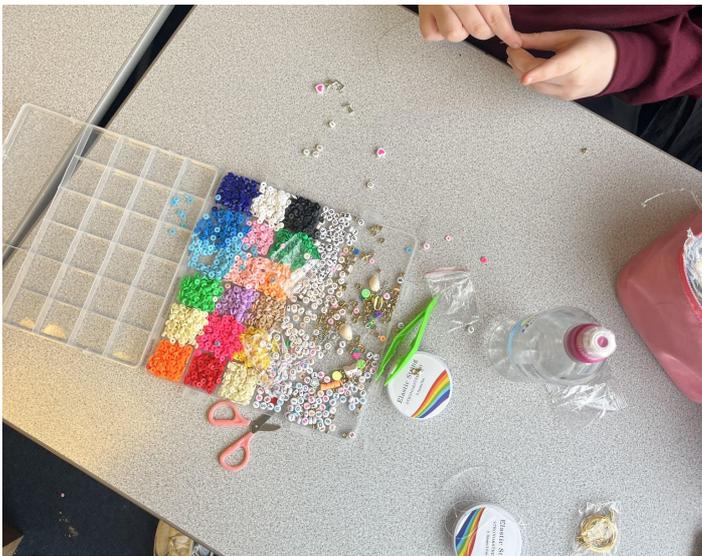


# House News

## Stockhill Vs Ammerdown Charity week

The 2nd-6th February marked the Stockhill and Ammerdown charity week! Students really got stuck in to all the events and it was great to see so many students support these events for our charity. A huge shout out to the Ammerdown and Stockhill council for their hard work during this week and a special mention to Sam M, Will C and Isla H (House captains) for their dedication, organisation and hard work during this week!

During the week we managed to raise **£810.78**, which will be split equally between Ammerdown and Stockhill's charities; In Hope (Ammerdown) and Diversity Voice (Stockhill).



# House News

The big event of the week was our masked singer event! The amount of students who watched was brilliant! A huge thank you to The Unicorn (Mr Allen), The T-Rex (Mr Gentle), The Shark (Mr Pearce), The Koala (Mr Cornish), The Purple Hippo (Mr Lubowa) for their epic performances!!



# SEN News



## Attention Parents

## Are you parenting a child with ADHD?

Join our **Parents Plus 'Children's ADHD Programme'** and meet other parents of children aged 6-12 in a supportive group to help your child reach their full potential.

### Supporting parents to:

- Personally cope and manage stress
- Understand ADHD and how to help your child
- Problem-solve and deal with challenges
- Understand the role of medication

### Supporting children to:

- Have a positive understanding of ADHD
- Gain confidence and self-esteem
- Navigate school and homework
- Manage feelings and build friendships

**When:** Friday 6<sup>th</sup> March 2026 to 15<sup>th</sup> May 2026 (excluding Easter holidays)

**Time:** 10:00 – 12:00

**Where:** Keynsham Children Centre, 65 West View Road, Keynsham, BS31 2UE

For more information, please contact:

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Amy, Year 7 parent

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# White House Guardians

# Important Dates

## Term 4

Monday 23rd February - Return to school - **Week B**

Thursday 26th February - Year 8 Parents Evening

Wednesday 4th March - Year 8 Humanities Trip Day 1

Thursday 5th March - World Book Day

Thursday 19th March - Year 8 Humanities Trip Day 2

Friday 20th March - Move It Trip

Monday 23rd March - Dance Umbrella Trip

Thursday 26th March - Year 8 Immunisations session 2

Thursday 2nd April - Year 9 Options Evening

Thursday 2nd April - Last day of term.

# Term Dates 2025-2026



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## Term Dates Academic Year 2025/2026

### **Term 1**

Monday 1<sup>st</sup> September 2025  
Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October 2025

### **Term 2**

Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2025  
Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December 2025

### **Term 3**

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> January 2026  
Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February 2026

### **Term 4**

Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2026  
Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2026

### **Term 5**

Monday 20<sup>th</sup> April 2026  
Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2026

### **Term 6**

Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June 2026  
Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> July 2026  
*(Friday 18<sup>th</sup> July last day for students)*

## INSET DAYS

### **Inset day 1**

Monday 1<sup>st</sup> September 2025

### **Inset day 2**

Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2025

### **Inset day 3**

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October 2025

### **Inset day 4**

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> January 2026

### **Inset day 5**

Monday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2026

### **Inset day 6**

Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> July 2026

### ***National Bank Holidays:***

*Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> December 2025*

*Friday 26<sup>th</sup> December 2025*

*Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> January 2026*

*Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2026*

*Monday 6<sup>th</sup> April 2026*

*Monday 4<sup>th</sup> May 2026*

*Monday 25<sup>th</sup> May 2026*

*Monday 31<sup>st</sup> August 2026*

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Friday 12<sup>th</sup> February 2027

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Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> March 2027

### **Term 5**

Monday 12<sup>th</sup> April 2027  
Friday 28<sup>th</sup> May 2027

### **Term 6**

Monday 7<sup>th</sup> June 2027  
Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2027

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### **Inset day 6**

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2027

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*Friday 25th December 2026*  
*Saturday 26th December 2026*  
*Monday 28th December 2026*  
*Friday 1st January 2027*  
*Friday 26th March 2027*  
*Monday 29th March 2027*  
*Monday 3rd May 2027*  
*Monday 31st May 2027*  
*Monday 30<sup>th</sup> August 2027*