

News from the Sixth Form Team

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Hello all

As they say, 'after the rain comes the sunshine!' Or something like that.

Anyway, I hope you are back to being able to enjoy the sunshine after what seemed like 10 days of autumn thrown in early!

Strange to think that in a 'normal' year most of you would be coming to the end of your exams, I can't quite decide if it's better or worse this way round, I'm sure you've got your own views.

Last reminder here to please, please, please complete the [welfare survey](#) on itslearning before the end of Friday 19 June, so we know if you still feel ok.

As things continue to open, stay safe and look after yourselves and each other.

Mr. C



The Future

Applying for uni? Did you see the email sent to you last week regarding the [UCAS confirmation deadline](#) and the [BBC News article](#) on their news website?

BRIGHT
NETWORK

Internships go virtual

The graduate recruitment company [Bright Network](#) is offering up to 800,000 "virtual internships for people aged above 18 and leaving school this year. The scheme covers sectors such as investment banking, technology, business operations and marketing, finance and professional services.



Virtual Talks from Speakers for Schools – click here

Future speakers include

Charlotte Stacey, Head of UK Apprenticeships Programme, BP
Richard Waterworth, General Manager, TikTok (UK & EU)
Tamara Holgren, Engineer & Project Manager, BP



Virtual Work Experience Opportunities – click here

Opportunities with Spotify, PWC, BP, Co-op and many more including a hairdressing virtual.



Operation Wallacea - On-line work experience opportunities available from this commercial company.

There is a cost of £100 to take part in this work experience.

KJS doesn't endorse this company. We are just making you aware of all possible opportunities available to you.

If you need any information, advice or guidance please contact to contact Lucy Hazelton via
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[University of Leeds offering STEM on-line taster courses in Food Science and Nutrition: From the Farm to You](#) | [Ecology and Wildlife Conservation](#) | [Atmospheric Chemistry: Planets and Life beyond Earth](#) | [Exploring Cancer Medicines](#)

Here's this week's jokes of choice from Mr C...

Two Eskimos sitting in a kayak were chilly, so they lit a fire in the craft.
Unsurprisingly it sank, proving once again that you can't have your kayak and heat it too.

A rubber band pistol was confiscated from algebra class,
because it was a weapon of math disruption.



You may have already read about the success of two of our Year 13 students in the short story writing competition. To find out more, and read their competition winning stories, visit the Library on ItsLearning.

Competition Time!

Inspired by the success of our short story winners?
Why not try your hand at one of these?

Leeds Trinity University - Photography Competition

Theme: The Environment | Deadline 28 Aug 2020
Click on the image for further details



British Sociological Association – The National A Level Sociology competition for students!

Question "The corona generation? Using your sociological imagination, examine how Covid-19 may change young people's lives."
Closing date : 2 November 2020 | Click on image for further details



Looking after yourself...

We will keep the [wellbeing page](#) on the Sixth Form section of the website updated with information to help you look after your mental health and wellbeing while school is closed.

Please check the [main school information page](#) for the latest information.

20 JUNE World Juggling Day

World Juggling Day is held annually on a Saturday closest to June 17 to commemorate the anniversary of the foundation of the International Jugglers Association (IJA) in 1975.

Why not try your hand with juggling. Just make sure, you start with small items. So **no** sharp or heavy items, ok?

Did You Know... the earliest record of juggling objects dates back to 15th century Egypt?

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