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NEWSLETTER

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MESSAGE FROM THE HEAD OF SCHOOL

Next week we will be holding our Open Door tours where current and prospective parents are able to book a time to come in and have a tour around the school during school hours.

There is a GCSE Art and Textile exhibition for all parents and carers of the Year 11 Art and Textile classes on Tuesday from 5:30pm to 7pm. A report with pictures will be in next week's newsletter. The children are welcome to go and have a look during their break and lunchtime.

The Resource Centre will now close at 4pm until the end of term. Apologies for any inconvenience caused.

I am really looking forward to celebrating with the Year 11s at the Leavers' Ball tonight.

Mr Alexander

SPOTLIGHT

STUDENT SPOTLIGHT

Year 7	Class 7RB who produced a fantastic 12 bar blues performance in music, which included keyboard and ukulele playing.
Year 8	The performers who took part at the Celebration of Success evening last week.
Year 9	Ryan Glossop for a huge improvement on Thursday and Friday this week.
Year 10	Fahmina Khan for being dedicated and coming in to school on her study leave to revise.

BEST ATTENDANCE

Year 7	7VKE	99.3%
Year 8	8SCA, 8SMI	100%
Year 9	9JMR	99%

COMMENDATION AWARDS

	w/c 4/6/19	w/c 11/6/18
Year 7	7AME	7GJE
Year 8	8JKE	8JKE
Year 9	9MKI	9MKI
Year 10	10MBR	10LRD

UPCOMING DATES

Monday 25 th June	Water sports at Mercer's Lake 9MKI Movie night in school
Tuesday 26 th June	9JMR form trip to Team Sport, Crawley GCSE Art Exhibition
Wednesday 27 th June	Yr 9 GCSE Geography Olympic Park trip for Group 1 Science trip to The Big Bang Festival, Ardingly Young Leaders to help at Dovers Green Sports Day
Thursday 28 th June	8JMA form trip to Lazer World, Crawley Yr 9 GCSE Geography Olympic Park trip for Group 2 7MDA/ 7LWA Movie and Pizza night in school
Friday 29 th June	9HSK Movie night in school Student librarian conference, Tomlinscote School, Frimley

ART LESSON AT WRAY COMMON PRIMARY SCHOOL

On Monday the 11th of June, six of us were chosen to go to Wray Common Primary School to give the Year 4 children a lesson on how to draw people.



We taught two classes for an hour each. In that time, we gave them a crash course on drawing. The children started by drawing their very best stick men, which then evolved into oval men. Once that was done, they added body shape, shading and clothes to make their people look more realistic. After they had mastered that, they then tried drawing from a live model aka their teacher.



From looking at their first stick man to what they achieved at the end, it was obvious that they had improved greatly in such a short space of time. I hope the children enjoyed the experience just as much as we did, as the whole thing was very enjoyable. The teachers said that many of the children went home and taught their parents what they had learnt that day!

Reported by Scarlett Pearce 9JKA

NEWS AND EVENTS

SHANE PRESENTS TO REIGATE AND BANSTEAD'S SURREY FAMILY SERVICES TEAM

On Wednesday 9th May, four young people were invited to represent 121SPACE mentoring (Learning Space) and give a presentation to Reigate and Banstead Family Services. Shane represented Reigate School and did an outstanding job.

"I enjoyed doing the presentation; talking about my experience of mentoring and using my skills to present to others. As a member of the youth council, we are looking to get funding to run activities over the summer. These projects really benefit others. It really helps those who struggle to learn and fit in and allows people with different needs to get involved". – Shane.

"Shane presented to Reigate and Banstead Surrey Family Services team, along with two peers from the Learning Space group he attends. Shane talked about how much he has gained personally from having 1:1 sessions and from joining the group. It was obvious that the three young people had developed a strong bond from attending the group and are now friends outside the group too. To speak to a group of 15 unknown adults is daunting for anyone and Shane showed no fear and appeared confident and relaxed. He was a great addition to our team meeting!" - Family Service Manager for Reigate and Banstead.



Shane pictured above on one of his 121Space activity days.

SPORTS NEWS

YEAR 7 CRICKET 'SMASH IT' V BEACON ON TUESDAY 19TH JUNE

Reigate School hosted The Beacon School in a 'smash it' cricket match where the game consists of four seeded pairs. All pairs bat, bowl and keep wicket so it is truly a game of collective all round skill and performance. Captain Sam Potten organised and led the side from the start as ever, leading by example as was evident in his scoring. Reigate batted first setting a commanding total of 88 runs to beat, with all pairs contributing to the team total. Beacon came in to bat with some optimism but sheer excellence in the field from Reigate crushed any real Beacon threat from the outset. Overawed by the Reigate spirit and the quality of fielding and catching, Beacon scored a total of 41 runs. Well done Reigate!



Team: Jake Adams, Callan Wood, William Loft, Sam Potten, Jamie Cattermole, Alexander Blair, Samuel Roberts and Jacob Khan.

HEGARTYMATHS

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Congratulations to the following children who have clocked up the most learning hours on HegartyMaths this week



Top 10 Correct Answers 15th – 22nd June

Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10
Luella Hickman Alex Cheung Emily Dansie-Smith Abigail Hayden Eleanor March Riddhi Chudasama Nyah Fisher Jessica Leary Felipe Brasil Annabel Hobbs	Joshua Saunders Dane Horn Bertram Bramham Ashleigh Norman Shannon Lavery Andrew Ball James Musk Hannah Ruffle Millie Wickens Angus Walton	Chloe Kenward Anisa Rahman Faith Bayode Madeleine Parkes Freya Sharkey Molly Lucas Adam Adam Victoria Grandison Amber Knight Chloe Hedges	Caspar Pierce Isabelle Zandi Joshua Stopher Henry Clarke Kieran Hook Fian Rota Raife Eskisan Natasha Maynard Reeves Valentino Phillips Montgomery O'Connor

NOTICES

STUDENT SERVICES

Year 7 girls: Please could parents and carers ensure we get the completed HPV forms back to Student Services by the end of term as the inoculation is due to take place at the beginning of the autumn term. Thank you.

Lost property: Purse, watch, ring, bracelet, key ring, keys, wristband, usual PE kits, shoes, trainers, hoodies and jumpers.

SWOTS EARLY BIRD SALE 2018 – 10% DISCOUNT

Swots is offering a 10% discount on all uniform purchased between 23rd to 30th June 2018. Items may be purchased in the Swots shop on Church Street or:
by telephone - 01737 243825
via the website - www.schooluniformsonline.co.uk
by mail-order - swots@btconnect.com.



24 Church Street, Reigate, RH2 0AN



*You are about to go on a journey
A journey back to a time when Michael Jackson and Rick Astley were the Kings of Pop ...
A journey back to a time when bubble skirts and blue eye shadow were cool ...
A journey back to a time when the Atari was cutting edge technology ...
That's right dudes ... you are about to go on a journey ...*

BACK TO THE 80'S!!

Join the graduating class of William Ocean High School as they live through their final senior year – as they experience the fun, the heartbreak, the loves and the loneliness of growing up All set to the biggest hits of the 80's!!

The Harlequin Theatre on 4th and 5th July at 7pm with a matinee on 4th at 1pm.
Tickets can be obtained by calling the box office on 01737 276500
or ordered via their website www.harlequintheatre.co.uk.

VACANCIES

COVER SUPERVISOR/TRAINEE TEACHER

September start – 32.5 hours per week, term time only
Salary - £16,594 (actual)

This is an exciting opportunity for a committed, enthusiastic and high calibre person to join Reigate School. We are looking for an efficient and organised person to cover lessons from all teaching departments as required to ensure continuity of approach for the children when teachers are absent.

Reigate School will support and develop you to become a strong practitioner and this post is ideal for someone considering a career in teaching. You would be timetabled to spend time in a department of your choice.

Responsibilities will include delivering lessons based on pre-prepared work to full classes, managing the classroom environment to promote good behaviour for learning and liaising with teaching colleagues on their return to promote good continuity for the children.

The right person would:

- Have GCSE English and Maths, or equivalent;
- Be adaptable, resilient with the ability to think on their feet;
- Have the ability to communicate effectively with a wide range of people;
- Have strong ICT skills.

LEARNING MENTORS (one for Maths and one for English)

September start – 4 days per week, 6 hours per day, 24 hours per week, term time only
Salary - £10,937 (actual) *FTE £19,245 (S5)*

This is an exciting opportunity for committed and enthusiastic people to join Reigate School as Learning Mentors. We are looking for efficient and organised people to assist with children's progress with additional learning in Maths and in English.

Candidates should have:

- GCSE English and Maths, or equivalent;
- The desire to make a difference in children's school lives;
- The ability to be adaptable, resilient with the ability to think on their feet;
- Have the ability to communicate effectively with a wide range of people;
- Have strong ICT skills.

RESOURCE MANAGER

September start - 31.25 hours per week, term time + 1 weeks
Salary - £14,606 (actual) (*FTE £19,245 – S5*)

This position would suit an enthusiastic person to manage and maintain the busy Resource Centre/Library to meet the demands of the curriculum and promote a reading culture within school.

The right person would be able to identify and buy quality resources, within a budget, for the department to deliver the National Curriculum and support equality and diversity issues. They would also be able to promote the enjoyment of reading. Librarian qualifications are desirable but not a necessity – full training may be given

We are looking for someone who:

- Has GCSE English and Maths, or equivalent;
- Has excellent communication skills;
- Be adaptable, resilient with the ability to think on their feet;
- Have the ability to communicate effectively with a wide range of people;
- Have strong ICT skills;
- Is creative, pays attention to detail and focuses on quality.

The School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children. An enhanced DBS check will be required. Further details and application forms can be found on the website www.reigate-school.surrey.sch.uk by telephone: 01737 243166 or by email: s.carr@reigate-school.surrey.sch.uk.

Closing date for all three positions: Friday 6th July at 9:00am

CAREERS

EAST SURREY COLLEGE OPENING DAYS

East Surrey College is opening its doors for an opportunity to look around the facilities and discuss courses with lecturers.

Wednesday 26 th September 2018	17:30 - 20:00
Thursday 11 th October 2018	17:30 - 20:00
Saturday 17 th November 2018	10:00 - 14:00
Wednesday 27 th February 2019	17:30 - 19:30
Saturday 15 th June 2019	10:00 - 13:00

VISIT US AT OUR OPEN EVENT

- Welcome talk from Jayne Dickinson, Principal and Chief Executive and Kevin Standish, Deputy Principal, Curriculum and Standards
- Apprenticeship information talk
- Higher Education information talk
- Discuss the best course for your chosen career
- Access advice and guidance on English & Maths qualifications
- Tour our top quality facilities and discover our range of support services
- Take part in interactive activities around the college
- Chat to existing students and industry specialists
- Find out how work experience and employability skills are embedded into all our courses
- Apply for your place!

"The quality of teaching, learning and assessment is good"

Ofsted Report, January 2015

"Teachers focus strongly on supporting students to develop employability skills through work experience or work-related projects"

Ofsted Report, January 2015

OFSTED RATED OUTSTANDING AREAS:

- Early Years & Playwork
- Health & Social Care
- Media & Communication
- Visual Arts

PRE-REGISTER ONLINE

www.esc.ac.uk

East Surrey College, Gatton Point, London Road, Redhill, Surrey RH1 2JX

CAREERS ADVICE IN SURREY – WHAT'S YOUR NEXT MOVE PORTAL

For full time study, work, apprenticeships or training options, Surrey's Participation Team offer advice and guidance around any aspect of post 16 options. Some of the features of this portal include:

- A FAQ section for parents/carers and young people
- A news and events section
- Participation information for those with SEND
- Volunteering information



Whether you need inspiration to help you decide what to do with your future or whether you're just looking for a bit of advice, the "What's your next move?" portal can help.

CAREERS GUIDANCE

We have a careers section on the school website which contains useful information regarding college open events, up and coming careers events at Reigate School, details regarding apprenticeships and how to search and apply for them along with links to useful websites. There is also a link to a quiz which is fun to take and will give children an idea of what kind of careers will suit their personalities. Go to Academic-Careers or Academic-Option at post 16 for details of local college open events. Below are some other very useful websites which have plenty of information regarding further education, apprenticeships and careers choices plus interview techniques and many other tips.



www.barclayslifeskills.com



www.apprenticeships.org.uk



www.allaboutschoollleavers.co.uk



www.notgoingtouni.co.uk



www.icould.com

PARENTAL PORTAL - SLG

What is the Parental Portal (SIMS Learning Gateway)?

SIMS Learning Gateway (SLG) is a system that allows parents/carers to have access to information that we keep about their children.

What information can I access?

Currently SLG allows you to see information about your child's attendance, assessments, conduct log, which includes achievement and behaviour management, as well as their timetable. SLG uses real-time data, so the information is always current. Reigate School takes electronic registers in morning registration and in all five lessons.

Can I see whether my child has arrived in school?

Our tutors finish their morning registers by 9:05am. You will be able to log in to SLG at 9:05am to see whether your child has been marked as present. However, there are several reasons why the register may be late going into the SIMS system (for example, a tutor may not be in school so the register may initially be done on paper by a cover supervisor). If you notice that your child is not registered, please wait and check after 9.30am before contacting the school.

What if I spot inaccuracies in the information?

Data integrity is important to us. While we endeavour to make sure that all of our data is accurate, we realise that mistakes are possible.

Who gets access to this information?

We launched SLG for all children, parents and carers in 2016. We sent out usernames and passwords to all parents and carers who we have registered as the primary point of contact for each child. If you are not the primary contact, or have not received your username, please email slghelpdesk@reigate-school.surrey.sch.uk.

What to do if you forget your username or password

In the first instance email slghelpdesk@reigate-school.surrey.sch.uk if further assistance is required contact our SLG Helpdesk on 01737 229568.

Parental Portal (SIMS Learning Gateway) - Quick Start Guide

The SLG is accessed using a web browser and by entering the details that have been provided to you by the school. The account will give you access to information relating to any children that you have at Reigate School.

The address for the Reigate School SLG is <https://portal.reigate-school.surrey.sch.uk/slg/>

Finding Information on the SLG

Once logged in you should click on the **Parents/Carers** tab at the top of the page. You will then see the home page of the SLG Parent Site containing current SLG notices. On the left hand side of the screen are several sections that will be of interest.

My Account Page – it is advised that you visit this page the first time you log in and change your password to something more memorable. If you forget your password you will need to contact slghelpdesk@reigate-school.surrey.sch.uk to request it to be reset.

My Children Dashboard – here you will find the main information about your child or children. In the main part of the page you will see headline information including attendance.

At the bottom of the page under **My Children Links** you will find three sections:

Student Dashboard – here you will find information regarding behaviour, achievements and timetable.

View Reports – this is where progress reports can be found. Click on the arrow next to the current academic year and a list of available reports will be displayed. Please note you will be unable to view reports when using a smartphone or iPhone as the mobile view doesn't support this.

Data Collection Sheet – Use this section of the SLG to check and update the information that we hold, including home address and home/mobile/work telephone numbers and email addresses. Changes are then submitted electronically and there is no need to telephone the school to advise us of those changes.