



School Bulletin

Home Edition



Week 19

29/01/24

Upcoming Events



Tuesday, 30th January	Year 9 DTP, Meningitis Vaccination Year 10 DTP, Meningitis Catch-Up
Wednesday, 31st January	Year 10 Maths Challenge
Thursday, 1st February	Years 7 & 8 - BAE Roadshow
Tuesday, 6th February	Year 8 Enterprise Day
Wednesday, 7th February	Year 11 Choice 3 Focus Day
Thursday, 8th February	Year 11 Choice 2 Focus Day
Friday, 9th February	Last Day of HT3
Monday, 19th February	First Day of HT4 - Pupils back in School Year 11 Start of Spring Mocks

Useful Links



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| → Our school calendar | → Our curriculum Google Site | → Our school uniform |
| → Our after-school clubs | → Our parent website page | → Our wellbeing support |

Contacting the School



If you have a query or a specific concern, you can contact the school in a number of ways.

- Call the Main Reception on **01482 342229**
- Contact your child's Pastoral Year Team using their email - year7pastoral@kelvinhall.net, year8pastoral@kelvinhall.net, year9pastoral@kelvinhall.net, year10pastoral@kelvinhall.net, year11pastoral@kelvinhall.net
- Email a query to info@kelvinhall.net

If you have contacted the school and have not been able to speak with the correct person or if you feel that the school has not dealt with your query or concerns properly, you can contact a member of the Senior Leadership Team by emailing info@kelvinhall.net. This email address is checked every day and any concerns will be passed to Mr Leng, the Head of School, or to the most appropriate member of the Senior Leadership Team.

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School Notices



Ofsted Inspection

Thank you to all parents, carers and students for their support of the school during our recent Ofsted Inspection.

Our students did us proud and showed the inspection team the many wonderful aspects of Kelvin Hall School.

A special thanks to those students who spent time speaking with inspectors over the two day period.

Arbor Email Delays

Please be aware, we are experiencing some technical issues with the sending of Arbor emails. This is causing some emails to send later than intended.

Sorry for any inconvenience caused and thank you for your understanding while we work with Arbor to resolve this issue.

School Car Park - Reminders of Rules & General Etiquette



Please be reminded that our school car park is for **visitors and staff use ONLY**. Parents/carers should only use this car park when visiting the school for a meeting or urgent enquiry and not for general pick-up and drop-off.

Parents/carers with a car park pass or a blue badge may use the car park and park in the appropriate spaces. Parents/carers without a pass will not be admitted at the start and end of the school day. The school car parks are not big enough to allow access for parents/carers. Please be aware that you may endanger the safety of students and pedestrians if trying to reverse out of the car park entrance.

Furthermore, **if you do not have a blue badge, please DO NOT park in the dedicated disabled spaces**. These are reserved for blue-badge holders only. There have been a few reports of parents/carers parking on those dedicated spaces without a blue badge, and preventing use by staff and parents/carers with a genuine need.

Year 7 & 8 BAE Roadshow

Thursday 1st February, Period 1 and Period 2.

All Year 7 and Year 8 students are taking part in a BAE roadshow during their Science lessons.

Year 11 Mock Exams

Year 11 students will start to have some of their in-class assessments as part of their Mock Exam season from this week (wc 29/01/24).

As a reminder, the mock exams to be completed in the exam halls start on the first day back after half term (Monday 19th February). Students will receive their personalised exam timetables this week in Focus Group which contain their seat numbers for each exam.

Gab & Grab! Kelvin Hall's Community Pantry

Gab and Grab, our community pantry partnered with FareShare to prevent food wastage, is held 2 - 3 p.m. every Friday. Come and have a chat with the Attendance, Pastoral and SEN teams and grab yourself a bag of shopping for the bargain price of £1! New-to-you school uniform and period products are also available free of charge. Alternatively, just pop along for a bag of shopping.

This week, items included **Ella's Kitchen baby food, flamin' hot Wotsits, Ferrero Rocher, Thorntons chocolates, Pipers crisps, Quaker Oats, Sunpat peanut butter, Little Gem lettuce, yoghurts, gourmet vegetable soup, and bread loaves.**

Lizzie's Corner

Lizzie now comes to school on Tuesdays and Thursdays! This is a change from before the Christmas break.

We will continue to communicate further updates to her timetable in the future!

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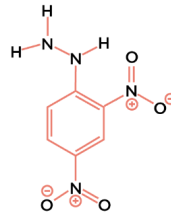
Staying Safeguarding Savvy

Diet pills have been reported as **“public health concern”**.

Use of diet pills amongst girls has been linked to:

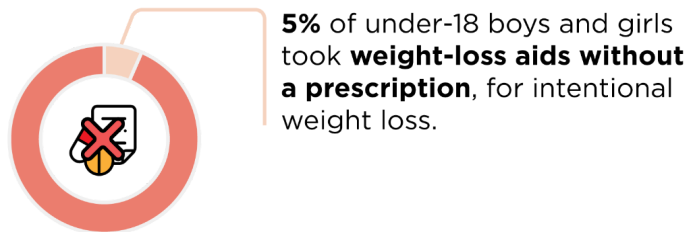
-  **low self-esteem**
-  **peer pressure**
-  **parental influence**
-  **media-driven beauty standards**

In 2023, UK authorities seized **369 fake Ozempic** (weight-loss drugs).



DNP, an active ingredient in some pills, was **reclassified as “poison”** by the Government.

Doug Shipsey, whose daughter died in 2017 after consuming the chemical, had campaigned to highlight DNP’s role in deaths.



For more information on this topic, please read the [following article](#) from Yahoo!News

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Upcoming Year 11 Revision



29/01/24	After school, students can attend these revision sessions				
	Subject	Topic Focus	Staff	Time	Location
Tuesday	French (Foundation)	Presentations	Mrs Russell	15:30	2-26
	French (Higher)	Presentations	Mr Longwa	15:15	2-30
	Spanish (Foundation)	Presentations	Mr Horta	15:15	2-28
	Spanish (Higher)	Presentations	Miss Marshall	15:15	2-29
	Physics (Separates)	Physics (Separate)	Mr Russell	15:20	1-49
	Physics (Higher)	Paper 1 Conservation of energy	Ms Dawes	15:30	1-39
	Physics (Higher)	Paper 2 Particle Model, Forces and Matter	Mr Leng	15:30	1-41
	Physics (Foundation)		Mr Hagar	15:15	1-49
	Biology		Miss Tillett	15:15	1-46
	Biology		Miss Sansam	15:30	1-44
	Chemistry		Mr Ounsworth	15:15	1-47
Wednesday	English Literature	Key Roles and Characters in An Inspector Calls	Mr Ellis	15:15	1-15
	Geography	Urban issues	Mr Griffiths	15:15	G-10
Thursday	Maths (Foundation)	Practice Paper	Mrs Bray Mr Cartlich	15:15	1-18
	Maths (Higher)	Practice Paper	Mr Acey Mr Hawksley	15:15	1-23
	Sociology	Research methods	Mrs Keddy	15:30	G-08
	Sport Science	R181 Task 4	Mr Blaza Mr Grant	15:20	AZ Classroom
	Sport Studies	R186 Task 2	Mr Thompson Miss Stockdale	15:20	AZ Classroom
	Food Technology	NEA2 Practical Support	Mr Hall	15:30 - 17:00	G-35
Friday	Chemistry	Paper 1 Separate Chemistry	Dr Ita	15:15	G-29

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