

Upcoming Events



Monday, 21st November	Year 11 Mock French and Spanish speaking tests begin
Monday, 21st November	Start of White Ribbon Week
Tuesday, 22nd November 18:30 - 20:00	Winter Music Concert
Wednesday, 23rd November 15:15 - 20:00	Year 11 Art - targeted intervention night
Monday, 28th November	Start of Year 11 Mock Exam Season
Thursday, 1st December 16:00 - 18:30	Year 10D Progress Evening
Thursday, 8th December 16:00 - 18:30	Year 10N Progress Evening
Friday, 16th December	Last day of the Autumn Term
Tuesday, 3rd January	Staff Training Day - school closed to students
Wednesday, 4th January	First day of the Spring Term - all students return to school
Thursday, 5th January	Year 9 Vaccinations

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 the most appropriate member of the Senior Leadership Team.

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School Notices



Elevate Parent & Carer Workshops

For the last two years, we have worked with Elevate Education to provide study skills workshops for students. We're excited to announce that next week Elevate Education will be hosting another free webinar for parents and carers.

Elevate Education works with our students, delivering high-impact workshops on study skills, motivation, wellbeing, and exam preparation. By tuning into their webinar series you will learn how you can help better support your children at home by reinforcing the skills they learn at school.

Tuesday 29th November 18:00 - 19:00
Resilience

[Click Here to Register for Free!](#)

Year 11 Exams

Our exams newsletter has now been updated with the confirmed Summer exam timetable. You can access it on our website and on the link below.

[Exams Newsletter](#)

You can find the details of our December mock exams on the link below. Students will receive their individual timetables on Monday during their Focus Group time.

[Year 11 Mock Timetable](#)

Winter Music Concert

Our Winter Music Concert is on Tuesday 22nd November 18:30 - 20:00.

There will be performances from all year groups. Performances will include:

Brass Ensemble
Woodwind Group
Percussion Ensemble
Choir
Soloists
Duets
String Groups
Guitarists

Tickets are £2 each and can be purchased through ParentPay.

We hope to see you there!

Year 10 Progress Evenings

To book your appointment, you will need to use the Arbor Parent & Guardian Portal. If you have not yet signed up to the portal, login details have been shared with you again recently. Below, you will find the link for the portal and help guides on how to get started and how to book the appointments.

[Parent & Guardian Portal - Log In](#)
[Parent & Guardian Portal - Help Guide](#)
[Booking Appointments - Help Guide](#)

10D will be able to book appointments from Tuesday 22nd November at 08:45.

10N will be able to book appointments from Tuesday 29th November at 08:45.

If you do not have your login details, if you have any issues with using the portal, or need help booking the appointment, please contact arbor@kelvinhall.net.

Focus Group Reading

During our Focus Group lessons, students in Years 7 - 10 read with their Focus Group Teacher. You can see a summary of the books we read on the link below.

[Our Focus Group Reading List](#)

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Upcoming Year 11 Revision



Tuesday 22nd November	Science - 15:15 Separate Chemistry, Mr Shaw - 1-47 Separate Biology, Miss Sansam- 1-46 Separate Physics, Miss Dawes - 1-39 Biology (Foundation), Miss Tillett - 1-50 Chemistry, Dr Ita - G-25 Physics, Mr Leng - 1-41	MFL - Lunch Spanish Higher, Mrs Jackson - 2-29 Spanish Foundation, Miss Holland - 2-27 MFL - 15:15 French Higher, Mrs Russell - 2-26 French Foundation, Mr Longwa - 2-31 Spanish Higher, Mrs Jackson - 2-29 Spanish Foundation, Miss Holland - 2-27 Spanish Foundation, Mr Horta-Chulian - 2-28
Wednesday 23rd November	English A Christmas Carol, Dr Jones, Miss Hanger - 1-17	Humanities History (Elizabeth), Miss Dent - G-12 Geography (Resource Management), Mrs Thompson & Mrs Coultish - G-07
Thursday 24th November	Maths Maths Foundation, Mr Acey, Mr Cartlich - 1-18 Maths Higher, Mr Carlisle, Mrs Pearson - 1-23	Choice Subjects Art, Mr Welburn - Studio 1 Art, Ms Robins & Miss Alsop - Studio 2 Art, Miss Chadwick - Studio 3 Creative iMedia, Mr Comins & Mr Mowle - 2-24 Drama, Mr Foot - G-44 Enterprise & Marketing, Mrs Bowden - 2-01 Music (GCSE & BTEC), Mrs James - 1-07 Sociology (exam skills), Mrs Hilton - G-18
Friday 25th November		Choice Subjects Music (GCSE & BTEC), Mrs James - 1-07 Drama, Mr Foot - G-44

Extracurricular Celebration



Mighty Minds Robotics with the RAF!

On Friday 11th November, 70 students from Years 7 and 8 attended the Mighty Minds Robotic event run by the RAF. During the day, students experienced and learnt how to design and build their own robots (using Lego Mindstorms), how to program them and how to manoeuvre their robots. They also learnt how to use sensors to turn motors on to help navigate through the challenges such as, saving a mini astronaut, moving a large rocket and delivering humanitarian aid to a colony. With RAF medals at stake, everyone worked really hard and had lots of fun! With comments like 'best day ever', 'superb', and 'brilliant, I've learnt how to do loads' being reflected by several students. In the end, the RAF said it was too close to call and there was a joint first place. Congratulations to everyone who took part.

First Place

Team 18: Oliwier S, Sam S, Tabatha B
 Team 7: Heidi A, Jess D

Second Place

Team 12: Lucy P, Peter D, Bella C, Chloe W

Third Place

Team 14: Kenneth H, Harrison D, Harry B

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