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Principal's Message

I write to you at the end of a very busy half-term. I would like to thank all parents/carers for your support since the start of the year.

This term has been positive for a number of reasons. I would like to make a special mention about our Year 7 students. They have settled with us and now know their way around the school like experts. I have seen them make new friendships with students from different schools and they are working hard in lessons and doing well.

This week, students in Years 7, 8 and 11 had assemblies from the Sussex Safer Road Partnership. The actors were very complimentary about our students and commented on their exceptional behaviour and attitudes. The students learned about the dangers on the roads, which remains one of the biggest causes of death or serious injury in young people.

Parents/carers will be aware that we tightened our mobile phone policy from September. There is no place for mobile phones in school. We have stopped short of an outright ban, but insist that phones must be off and in bags. We are continuing to do spot-checks on this every day and students are adhering to our high expectations of them.

Year 11 students will have mock exams when they return after the half-term break. They have been given exam papers to complete over half-term to help prepare for this. Please can I ask Year 11 parents/carers to make sure the exams are completed. Thank you.

I will finish by wishing you all a very restful half-term. All our visitors to the school have commented on how calm and purposeful the school is. This is due to the hard work, effort and conduct of your children and the commitment of our staff. Have a lovely break.

Best wishes

Stuart Edwards

Week A | Monday 3 November 2025

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DIARY DATES AND HOUSE POINTS

Fortnightly Ahead

Mon 3 Nov	Yr11 Yr13	Internal Exams All Week Internal Exams All Week
Tue 4 Nov		
Wed 5 Nov		
Thurs 6 Nov		
Fri 7 Nov	All years	Computer Science In Action MRC Firework Event - 5.45pm
Mon 10 Nov	Yr11 Yr13	Internal Exams All Week Internal Exams All Week
Tues 11 Nov		Music for Youth Prom at Royal Albert Hall
Wed 12 Nov	Yr12	Safe Drive Stay Alive Assembly
Thurs 13 Nov		
Fri 14 Nov		

AUSTEN
46,722

KIPLING
45,409

TENNYSON
57,644

WOOLF
43,781

YEAR 11 AND YEAR 13 ASSESSMENT DIARY

The Year 11 and Year 13 Mock Exam window begins after half-term. All year 11 and year 13 students will sit assessments in all subjects from the 10 November onwards.

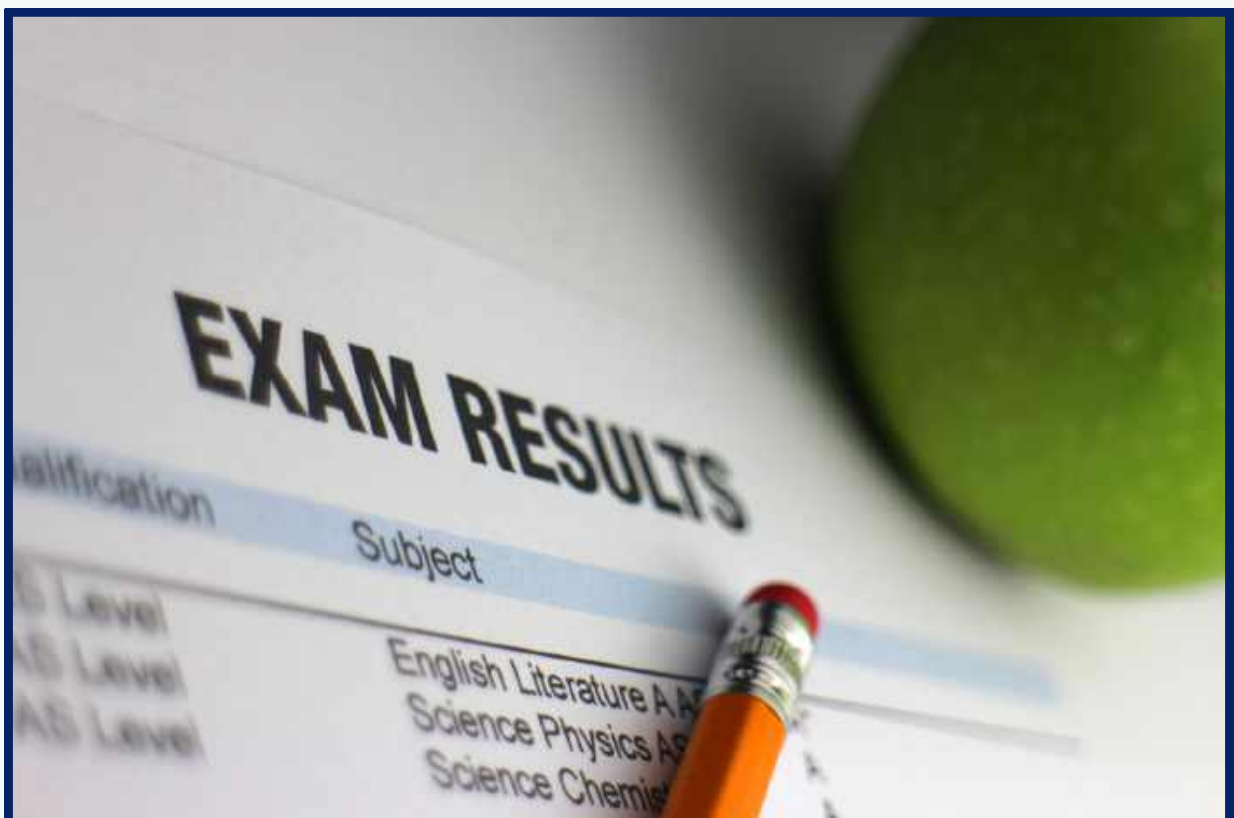
All exams are now visible on students' Arbor timetables (skip forward to November), and should be noted in diaries/calendars to aid revision planning.

By the half-term, class teachers will have shared details of forthcoming assessments with your child, including the length of assessment, type of questions, topics that will be in the assessment and some revision activities that will be useful to help your child prepare. This will be available on Arbor as an assignment.

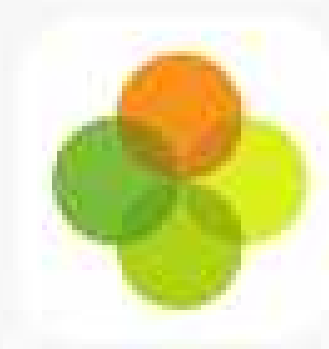
We will also be providing all year 11 students with a set of papers to take home and complete over the half-term break; this is to support students to revise effectively and be familiar with the style and content of exam papers.

Additional information and revision guidance can be found on the college website (<https://www.mrc-academy.org/curriculum/revision-resources>) at any time; this page provides useful ideas and strategies to support independent and effective revision by any child at any time.

We are also mindful that these assessments can create a degree of stress and anxiety. We do not want our students to feel overwhelmed – please do contact Mrs Down for support and advice should this be the case – gemma.down@mrc-academy.org.



REMINDER: DOWNLOAD THE 'ARBOR PARENT APP'



If you haven't already, please ensure you have downloaded the Arbor Parent App. This is our main platform for viewing your child's timetable, homework, trips, behaviour, school shop etc. Link below:

[Arbor App](#)

Once you have signed up, please make sure that notifications are enabled on the app so you don't miss any **key information or announcements from the College.**



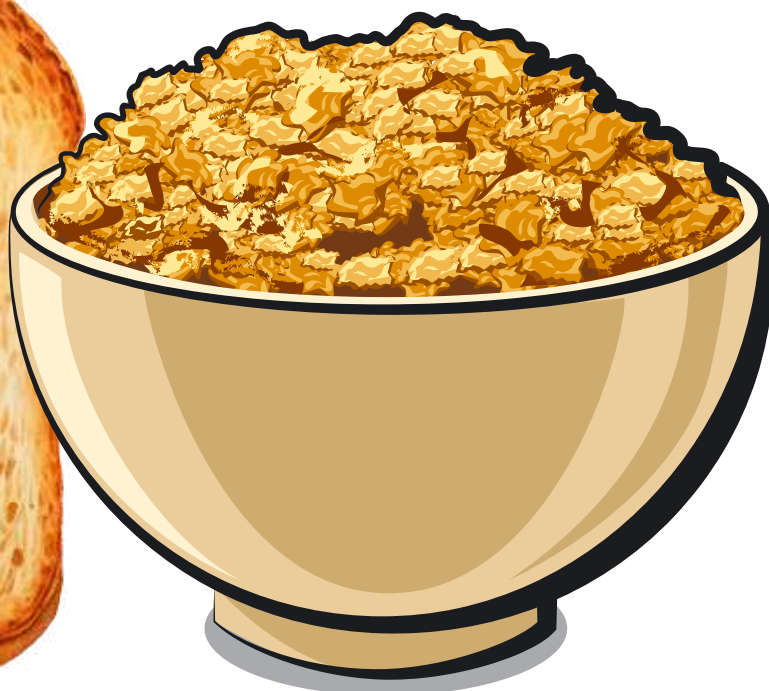
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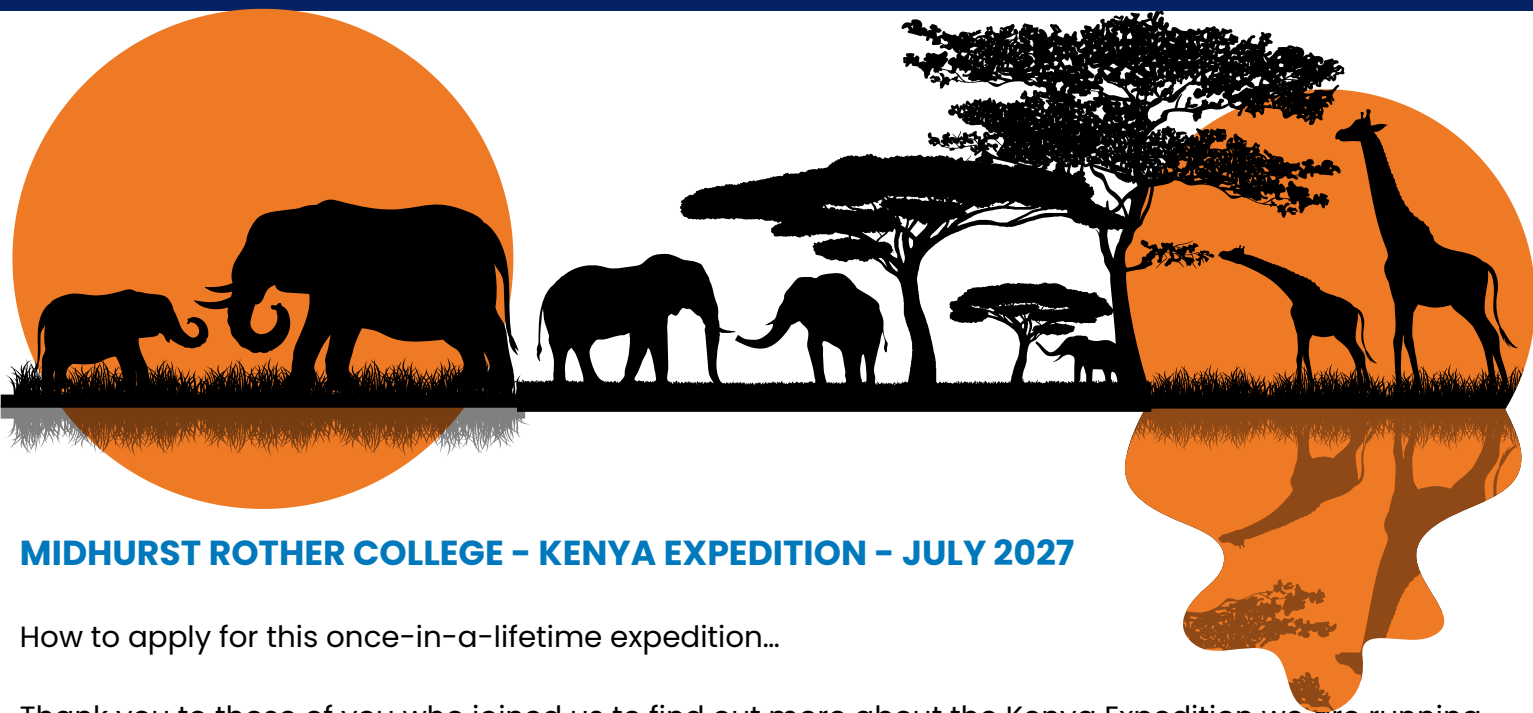
We are aware that some of our college emails may be landing in parents'/carers' spam or junk folders. While we work to resolve this issue, please check these folders regularly to ensure you don't miss any important information.

FREE BREAKFAST



Start your day right – we're offering **free toast, porridge, and cereal every morning** from 8:00am in college! Open to all students, so swing by, fuel up, and get set for the day ahead.





MIDHURST ROTHER COLLEGE – KENYA EXPEDITION – JULY 2027

How to apply for this once-in-a-lifetime expedition...

Thank you to those of you who joined us to find out more about the Kenya Expedition we are running at the start of July 2027. We are really excited about offering this opportunity. Students will start the expedition build-up with a launch meeting which will take them through what to expect over the next 18 months and also start students on their fundraising journey.

To apply for the expedition you will need to click on the following link: <https://true-adventure.co.uk/trip/midhurst-rother-college-kenya-2027/> from here you can select the 'sign up to the expedition' button which will take you through to the trip portal.

Please select whether you are a parent or a venturer (student), you will also be asked to enter your name and your email address along with an expedition ID, this is: MRCKENYA2027

You will then be asked a series of questions about your child to register them onto the expedition and you will also be asked to pay a £300 deposit and then set up instalments of £180 a month which will be taken as a 'direct debit' style payment. Your final balance is payable 3 months prior to departure.

The deadline for applications is Monday 3 November 2025.

If you have any questions or if you would like further information, please contact support@true-adventure.co.uk.

We hope that you will join us on this adventure!



STUDENT SPOTLIGHT



🏆 BLACKDOWN HILL CHALLENGE SUCCESS!

Congratulations to our amazing MRC students who shone at the Blackdown Hill Challenge! Tyddyn P (Y8) secured 3rd place in the boys' category, and Isla J (Y7) raced to victory as 1st girl. Their fantastic efforts helped MRC claim the overall Secondary School Trophy – well done to all involved! 🇬🇧💪



ENGLAND SQUASH SOUTH EAST REGIONAL CHAMPION

Congratulations to Isla J in Year 8, who has been crowned the England Squash South East Regional Champion in the Girls' Under 13 category.

Isla received her trophy from the England Squash Regional Head Coach in recognition of her outstanding performance. As a result of her success, she has also been invited to join the prestigious South of England Performance Squad—a fantastic opportunity to further develop her talent at a high level.

Well done, Isla! 🏆



🏃♂️ CONGRATULATIONS TO TYDDYN P – ANOTHER FANTASTIC RUN! 🏆

We're thrilled to congratulate Tyddyn P in Yr 8 once again for another outstanding achievement – this time in the Junior Great South Run!

Tyddyn completed the race with an impressive time of 9 minutes and 37 seconds, finishing in 21st place overall. What a brilliant performance!

We're incredibly proud of him and can't wait to see what he takes on next!

Well done, Tyddyn – keep going strong! 🌟🌟🌟



EXCITING NEWS: SUSSEX PATHWAY SELECTION FOR TWO YEAR 7 STUDENTS

We're thrilled to announce that Noah Davies and Jacob Lintott, both in Year 7, have been selected for the Sussex Pathway U12s cricket squad.

This is a fantastic accomplishment and reflects the commitment, effort, and passion both boys have shown for the sport. Selection to the Sussex Pathway is highly competitive, and their inclusion is something to be incredibly proud of.

Please join us in congratulating Noah and Jacob on this achievement – we look forward to seeing where their cricketing journeys take them next!

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TEACHER SPOTLIGHT

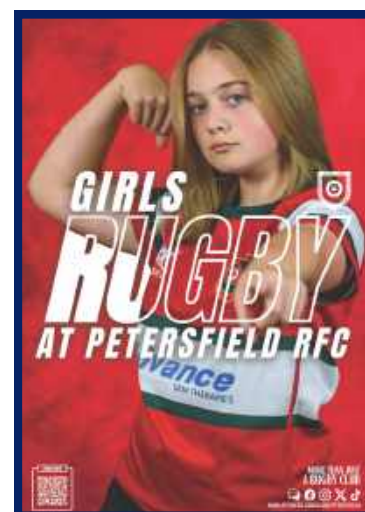
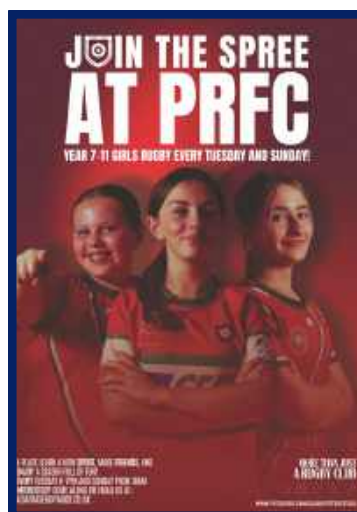
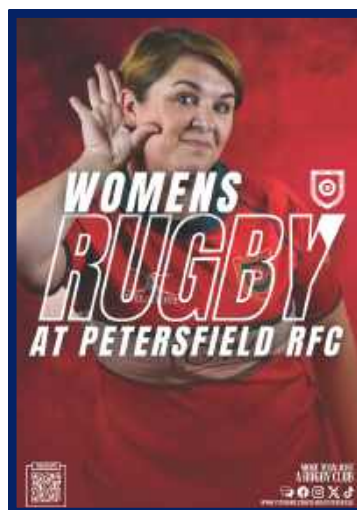


MRS WALLIS

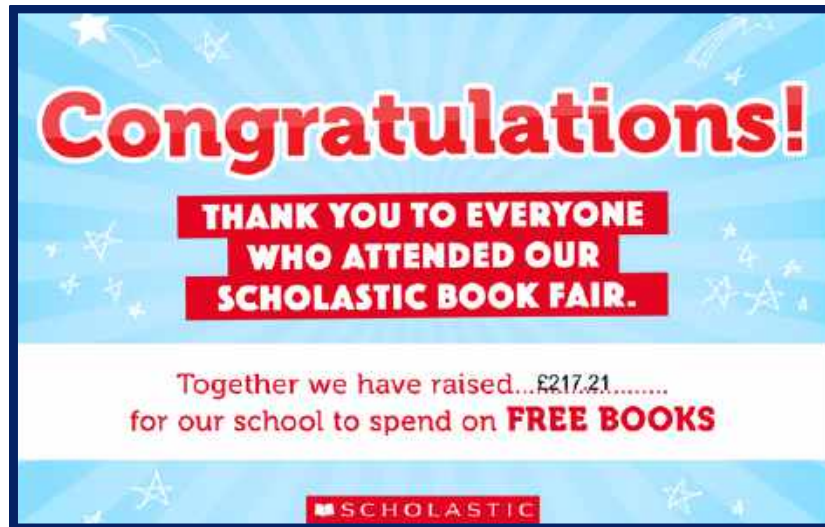
On Sunday I had the great honour of leading out the newly formed Petersfield Ladies Rugby Team as Captain. We launched the team back in August just as the Red Roses took to the pitch for the Women's World Cup. This is such a thriving time for women's sport and I am excited to be back playing a sport that has long been dominated by men. I first put on a Petersfield shirt aged 13 and played until I finished university; having played for Petersfield, Hampshire, Southeast England, Reading and trialing (but failing) for England. Our first game against Littlehampton Lionesses was a win at 22-0 and the team stepped out with the message of "doing this for the girls".

We are a mixture of all professions (mostly teachers) and ages, with half of the team being mums to young children. We also have just been joined by some ex MRC students while they are home from university. We are passionate about showcasing the sport and providing opportunities for the next generation. We would love for more ladies to join us, we train Tuesdays and Thursdays 7.00 - 8.30 at Penns Place, Petersfield.

The club also has excellent opportunities for younger players, and I have included flyers for both primary and secondary aged students - please feel free to ask me any questions about any of these events. leanne.wallis@mrc-academy.org.



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BOOK FAIR

Thank you so much to all the students who browsed or bought something at the Book Fair, students beat the previous record and spent a whopping £543! It means MRC now have over £200 in credit to spend with Scholastic on new books for the school. If any of you have any requests for books you'd like to see in the library, please let the librarian know.



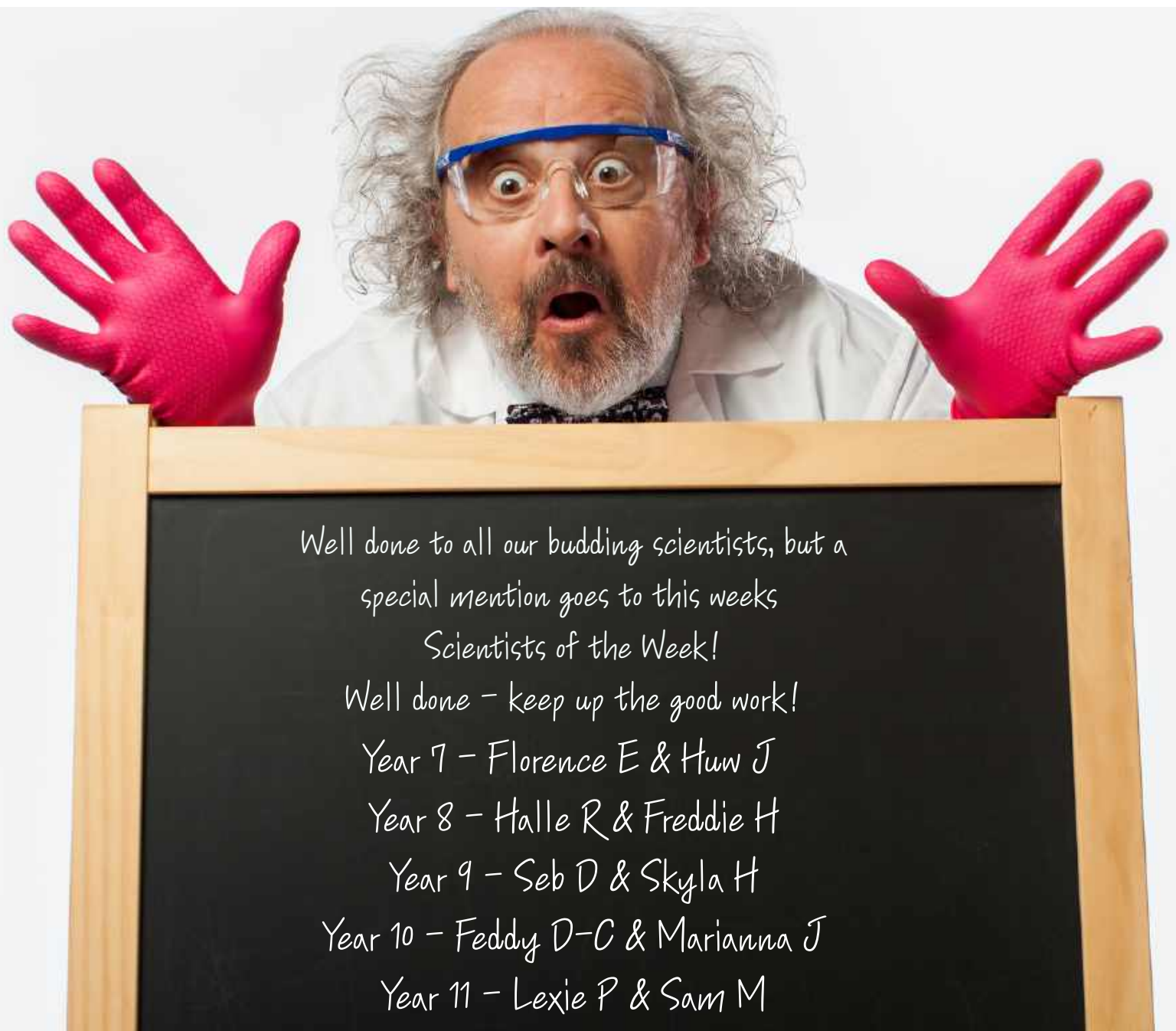
PAIRED READING

Our year 7's have been teamed with kind and enthusiastic volunteers from our Sixth Form to do one-to-one reading twice a week during tutor time. The students are making great progress and growing in confidence with this targeted support, one of the many interventions that the school runs all year.



SCIENTIST

OF THE WEEK





YEAR 11 FOOTBALL

The Year 11 football squad travelled away to Chichester High School this week for what turned out to be a thrilling, goal-filled encounter. Despite missing regular coaches Dom and Charlie, the boys were led superbly by Josh, who stepped up to take on the manager's role and proved to be an excellent leader on the day.

After a challenging start, a tactical formation change sparked a much-improved second-half performance from MRC. Harry R was outstanding in defence, standing firm against a fast and physical opposition. Marley showed great flair down the wing, repeatedly beating his full-back and driving the team forward with confidence.

In attack, Tavi and Valentino combined brilliantly to confuse the Chichester defence, with Valentino finding the net for MRC's first goal. The team's second goal was a beautifully worked move from back to front – starting deep in defence, progressing through midfield, and culminating in Marley once again outpacing his marker before finding Valentino, who threaded a clever pass to Wilf. Wilf's composed touch and precise finish into the far corner capped off a superb team effort, earning MRC a 2–1 win in the second half.

Although the slow start ultimately proved costly in a 5–2 defeat, the performance after the break showed real character, teamwork, and attacking quality. Plenty of positives to take forward into the next fixture!

Mr Marshall



YEAR 10 RUGBY

WHAT A GAME!

Our Yr10 rugby team faced Oaklands Catholic School from Havant last week in an incredibly close and exciting match. Both sides were evenly matched throughout, with MRC narrowly going down by just one try – final score 29 – 22.

There were standout performances from Lucas C, Ivan and Ivo, and the whole team showed terrific attitude and team spirit from start to finish.

A fantastic effort all round – well done, everyone!

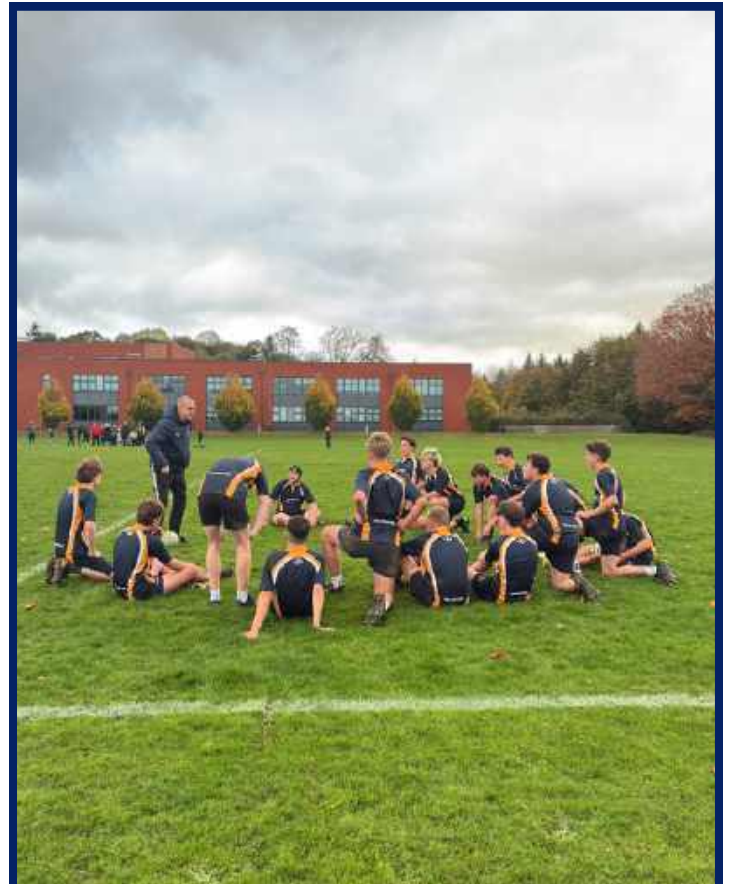
Mr Hills



YEAR 10 RUGBY

Great way to end the half term with a brilliant 55–17 victory over TPS last night! 💪🏉

Keio, Lucas, Oscar and Frank C were outstanding — but honestly, the whole team were a credit today! 🔥👏





YEAR 10 POTATO PERFECTION!

Year 10 students have successfully completed their practical on potato accompaniments, showcasing an impressive range of culinary skills. From creamy Dauphinoise and buttery Champ, to crisp Rösti, elegant Fondant, and piped Duchess potatoes, each dish was prepared with care and creativity.

A special congratulations goes to Dylan, who earned the title of Top Chef for the lesson and now proudly wears the coveted pin badge until the next cook-off! Well done to all students for their hard work and delicious results!



Mrs Emery's kitchen classroom – cooking up confidence!



SUSSEX SAFER ROADS PARTNERSHIP ROADSHOW

On Thursday 23 October, students in Years 7, 8, and 11 took part in a powerful and engaging road safety theatre experience delivered by the Sussex Safer Roads Partnership (SSRP). This event was part of our PSHE curriculum and aimed to raise awareness of personal safety and responsible behaviour on the roads.

The SSRP is a collaboration between East Sussex County Council, Brighton and Hove City Council, West Sussex County Council, Sussex Police, National Highways, and local Fire and Rescue Services. Their work focuses on promoting road safety through education and community engagement.

Students in Years 7 and 8 watched “Look Up!”, a performance set on the streets of Sussex that encouraged reflection on personal growth and awareness in everyday situations, including being on your phone as you are walking down the road.

Year 11 students experienced “Take a Second”, a thought-provoking show featuring real-life scenarios and testimonies from emergency service personnel. The performance explored critical issues such as drink and drug driving, distractions behind the wheel, in-car safety, and the consequences of choices made as passengers and future drivers.

We were also delighted to welcome Councillor Simon Oakley, Chairman of the Communities, Highways and Environment Scrutiny Committee, who joined us for the morning show.

The roadshow was a valuable and impactful experience for our students, helping them to think more deeply about safety, responsibility, and the real world implications of their actions.

Mr Lamb – Subject Lead PSHE





Reaching Families

Are you a parent or carer of a child or young person who has, or may have, special educational needs and disabilities in West Sussex?



Reaching Families is a parent-carer led charity which aims to empower parent-carers and families of children & young people with special educational needs and disabilities in West Sussex through the delivery of information, training and peer support.

Making Sense of it All

In-depth parent-carer guide covering SEND issues from birth to adulthood

Fact sheets

Covering a range of SEND issues localised to the needs of West Sussex families

Umbrellas

Parent support groups based at locations across West Sussex and online, via Zoom

Benefits Advice Service

1-2-1 advice & claim checking support for families applying for DLA, PIP & Carers Allowance

Training

Workshops and courses on a variety of issues delivered online, via Zoom

NDP Navigation Service

Support service for parent-carers of children undergoing assessment on the West Sussex Neurodevelopmental Pathway (via referral from a professional)

Face-2-Face

Peer based befriending for parents of children undergoing diagnosis

Facebook Group

An online parent support group providing news, information and peer support

Animations

Short animated films on a variety of subjects

If you would like more information about how Reaching Families can help, please contact:

Email: admin@reachingfamilies.org.uk
Telephone: 01903 366 360

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Reaching Families

www.reachingfamilies.org.uk

Umbrellas

Parent Support Group Autumn Term 2025

Would you like to connect with other local parent carers?

If you are a parent or carer of a child or young person with special educational needs and disabilities in West Sussex, please join us at one of our local support groups or from the comfort of your own home.



Shoreham Umbrellas

Tuesdays, 10 am - 11.30 am

Adur East Family Hub (Shoreham)

9th Sep / 7th Oct / 4th Nov / 2nd Dec

Horsham Umbrellas

Wednesdays, 10 am - 11.30 am

Horsham Family Hub

17th Sep / 15th Oct / 19th Nov / 17th Dec

Littlehampton Umbrellas

Wednesdays, 10 am - 11.30 am

Creative Heart Community Hub (upstairs)

10th Sep / 8th Oct / 5th Nov / 3rd Dec

Chichester Umbrellas

Thursdays, 10 am - 11.30 am

Donnington Parish Hall

25th Sep / 23rd Oct / 20th Nov / 11th Dec

Worthing Umbrellas

Tuesdays, 10 am - 11.30 am

Durrington Community Centre

16th Sep / 14th Oct / 11th Nov / 9th Dec

Burgess Hill Umbrellas

Tuesdays, 10 am - 11.30 am

The Cherry Tree Centre

23rd Sep / 21st Oct / 25th Nov / 16th Dec

If you would like more information about our Umbrellas Support Group or would like the link to join Umbrellas online, please contact the outreach team.

Email: outreach.training@reachingfamilies.org.uk



Reaching Families

www.reachingfamilies.org.uk

Umbrellas Online

Thursdays via Zoom

11th Sep	7.30 pm - 9 pm
9th Oct	7.30 pm - 9 pm
6th Nov	7.30 pm - 9 pm
4th Dec	7.30 pm - 9 pm

TRAINING AUTUMN TERM 2025



WORKSHOPS

Making Sense of Mathing	Tuesday 11 th November	10.30am - 12.30pm
Wellbeing - Communication skills for parents and carers	Tuesday 18 th November	10.30 am - 12 pm
Understanding Autism in Girls	Wednesday 19 th November	7.30 - 9.30 pm
Making sense of Disability Living Allowance (DLA)	Thursday 27 th November	10.30am - 12.30pm
Making Sense of Anxiety in Children (Primary age)	Tuesday 3 rd December	7.30 - 9.30 pm
Making Sense of Adult Life - Supporting Adolescents	Thursday 11 th December	7.30 - 9.30 pm
Understanding Sensory Processing Differences	Friday 12 th December	10.30am - 12.30pm

All of the above training will be delivered on Zoom

For further information visit our website or email: outreach-training@reachingfamilies.org.uk



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All our workshops are free of charge. For more information or to book a place, please visit our Eventbrite page or scan the QR code.

reachingfamilies.eventbrite.com



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YEAR GROUP NEWS



YEAR 8 RELOAD STUDENTS

Our incredible Year 8 RELOAD students have had a fantastic term, showing enthusiasm, teamwork, and growing resilience each week. They've taken part in fire drills and hose running, enjoyed an exciting visit from the Police Dog unit, and recently experienced an engaging trip to Cowdray Farm. It's been wonderful to see their confidence and commitment flourish through these hands-on learning opportunities — we are so proud of everything they're achieving!

Mr Clement
Head of Year 8



CAREERS INTERVIEWS – MONDAY 3 NOVEMBER & MONDAY 10 NOVEMBER

The following students have been scheduled to receive a one to one careers interview with our independent careers advisor at the following date and times. The location and time will also be on their Arbor timetable.

Following the interview the students report will be uploaded to their Unifrog account for you to view with them and which you may wish to discuss at home.

Careers Interviews - Monday 3 November		Tutor Gp	Period	To go to:
Maizey	H	9T-CSS	REG (08:30) - 09:10	A117
Osric	W	11T-NRZ	09:10 - 09:52 (p1)	A117
Freddie	R	11A-JLE	10:00 - 10:42 (p2)	A117
Amy	C	11T-HES	11:10 - 11:52 (p3)	A117
Lucy	T	11K-DSS	12:00 - 12:46 (p4)	A117
Oliver	K	9W-SHG	13:30 - 14:11 (p5)	A117
Harry	A	9A-CRN	14:15 - 15:05 (p6)	A117
Careers Interviews - Monday 10 November		Tutor Gp	Period	To go to:
Hattie	B	9A-CRN	REG (08:30) - 09:10	A117
Benjamin	B	9A-CRN	09:10 - 09:52 (p1)	A117
Ria-Mai	B	9A-CRN	10:00 - 10:42 (p2)	A117
Ted	C	9A-CRN	11:10 - 11:52 (p3)	A117
Gracie	C	9A-CRN	12:00 - 12:46 (p4)	A117
Tyler	C	9A-CRN	13:30 - 14:11 (p5)	A117
Maisy	D	9A-CRN	14:15 - 15:05 (p6)	A117

A poster for Midhurst Rother College Fireworks Night. The background is dark with several large, vibrant fireworks exploding in shades of red, orange, and white. The text is overlaid on this background. At the top, the title 'MIDHURST ROTHER COLLEGE FIREWORKS NIGHT' is written in a large, bold, gold-colored serif font. Below the title, the date 'FRIDAY 7 NOVEMBER 2025' and the time 'GATES OPEN FROM 5.45PM' are written in a smaller, gold-colored serif font. Further down, 'TICKETS ON EVENTBRITE' is written in a white, bold, sans-serif font. To the right, the word 'ADMISSION' is in a large, bold, white serif font, followed by the ticket prices: 'FAMILY OF 4 - £20', 'ADULT - £8', and 'CHILD - £4'. On the left side, there is a list of features and information, each preceded by a small firework icon: 'HOT FOOD & SNACKS', 'LICENSED BAR', 'RAFFLE TO START THE DISPLAY', and 'NO PARKING ON-SITE (DISABLED PARKING AVAILABLE IF BOOKED IN ADVANCE)'. At the bottom left, under the heading 'SPONSORED BY:', the names of the sponsors are listed: 'MACDONALD OATES LLP SOLICITORS', 'AFTERBURN GYM', 'PORTER ESTATE AGENTS', and 'SKY PARK FARM'. At the bottom right, there is a logo for Midhurst Rother College, which includes a stylized flower icon and the text 'Midhurst Rother College The best in everyone!'.

MIDHURST ROTHER COLLEGE
FIREWORKS NIGHT
FRIDAY 7 NOVEMBER 2025
GATES OPEN FROM 5.45PM
TICKETS ON EVENTBRITE

ADMISSION
FAMILY OF 4 - £20
ADULT - £8
CHILD - £4

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MRC FIREWORKS

Tickets available here: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/mrc-firework-night-tickets-1729899699569?aff=ebdssbdestsearch>

YOUTH IMPACT

What's in it for you?

- Boost your confidence – find your voice and believe in yourself
- Level up your skills – teamwork, leadership & communication
- Do something that matters – hands-on projects with real impact
- Have fun & make friends – meet new people and build connections
- Get future-ready – stand out for college, uni, apprenticeships or jobs

The programme is free for students who receive free school meals.



On the Youth Impact Programme, you'll get stuck into a mix of fun and challenging activities – from a first aid workshop where you learn lifesaving skills, to debating sessions that boost your confidence in speaking up. You'll take on our Dragon's Den challenge, test your strategy skills in the Monopoly Challenge, and even see how far you can go in the Paperclip Challenge. Alongside these, your group will design and deliver a community project, giving you the chance to make a real difference while building teamwork and leadership skills.



Empowering youth to make positive impact.

WHY TAKE PART?

- ✓ Boost your CV
- ✓ Meet new friends
- ✓ Gain confidence
- ✓ Have fun!!!

SIGN UP!

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FACILITIES FOR HIRE



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Midhurst Rother College benefits from state-of-the-art facilities including a large sports hall, a large floodlit 3G pitch and dance studio as well as other sporting and non-sporting facilities. The facilities allow us to provide students with a full range of sporting activities within extra-curricular activities and within the curriculum.

Additionally, the outstanding school facilities are used extensively by the school and local community. We have a diverse portfolio of clubs and activities running every evening and during the weekend. Our lettings are open 6 days a week, Mondays to Saturdays, with closures only on Sundays and during bank holidays and extended opening hours during school holidays. There is ample parking available onsite and our friendly staff are always available to help. Should you wish to clarify anything, please use the messaging feature available on the link below.

Facilities For Hire

3G Football Pitch	Art Room	Atrium	Climbing Wall	Dance Studio
Drama Room	DT Room	Fitness Studio	Food Tech Room	Front Field
Grass Football Pitch	IT Rooms	Learning Resource Centre (Library)	Meeting Rooms	MUGA's
Photography Room	Sports Hall	Classrooms	Textiles Room	Theatre

All our facilities can now be booked online with each facility page having detailed information about what we have available. <https://mrc.schoolhire.co.uk>

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AUTUMN TERM 2025

Friday 28 November	INSET Day
Friday 19 December	Last Day of Term

MRC Performing Arts - Calendar of Events 2025 - 2026

DATE	EVENT	Students involved	VENUE
Autumn 2025			
Friday 25 October	CFMDS – Deadline for entries	Orchestra, jazz, choir plus soloists/individual entries	Chichester
Wednesday 22 October	Petworth festival		Theatre
Wednesday 5 th November	Rotary Concert	Orchestra Choir Jazz Band	MRC Theatre (P5&6 theatre only)
Thursday 6 th November	Bright Sparks	Y10-11	Royal Festival Hall- London
14-16 November	Midhurst Jazz event		Midhurst
	Music for Youth Proms	Trip – All students that wish to attend.	Royal Albert Hall- London
Wednesday 3 December	Winter Concert	Orchestra Choir Jazz Strings, flutes Drama/production groups Soloists (by invite) Bands Ballet group with life piano	MRC Theatre
Thursday 4 December	Tree of hope service	Musicians - Invite only (P6 rehearsals)	Easebourne Church
Monday 8 th December	Pantos	Year 10 GCSE drama	Theatre
Tuesday 16 December	Carol Service	Orchestra Choir Jazz Band	Midhurst Church
Wednesday 17 December	Carol Service	Orchestra Choir Musical Theatre/BTEC Jazz Band	Midhurst Church
Spring 2026			
Saturday 7 th Feb	CFMDS Woodwind Strings	Flute ensemble Clarinet ensemble (+ any soloists who have entered)	New Park, chichester
	Dance House 1	MRC Dance Teams Minibus	Worthing Theatre
Saturday 28 th Feb	CFMDS Festival	Orchestra Jazz Band Flute ensemble	St Pauls, Chichester
Saturday 14 th March	CFMDS	Choirs	St Pauls, Chichester. From 9am
Tuesday 10 th Feb	YR 11 Component 2 exam (1)	GCSE Drama YR11	MRC Theatre
Wednesday 11 Feb	YR 11 Component 2 exam (2)	GCSE Drama YR11	MRC Theatre

CALENDAR – PERFORMING ARTS

Thursday 12 Feb	Yr 13 Component 2	A level Drama	MRC Theatre
Friday 13 th March	6 th form show	Drama Y12/13	Theatre
Thursday 19 March	Gilbert Hannam day	Orchestra	St. Mary Magdalene & St. Denys
Wednesday 25 March	Spring Concert	Orchestra Choir Jazz Strings, flutes Drama/production groups Soloists (by invite) Bands	MRC Theatre
	Choreography showcase event	Y11 Dance Plus dance groups	MRC Theatre
	Rother Valley Arts Festival	MRC Dance Teams	MRC Theatre
Summer 2026			
April TBC	Y13 Music recital	Y13	MRC Theatre
Thursday 3 April	Dance showcase event	Y11/10	MRC Theatre
Wednesday 30 April	Dance House 2	MRC Dance Teams Minibus	Worthing Festival Theatre
Thursday 23 April	YR 10 Drama Performance	GCSE Drama YR10	MRC Theatre
Friday 24 th April	YR 12 Drama Performance	GCSE Drama YR12	MRC Theatre
June TBC	Drama Day		MRC Theatre
Wednesday 1 st July	Pre tour concert/info	Tour students	Theatre or amphitheatre
Monday 6 th July	Austria Tour!	Performing arts group	Salzburg
Tuesday 14 July	Drama and Music House Cup	YR 7	MRC Theatre Music P1-4 Drama 5-6

MRC VACANCIES AND WEBSITE LINKS

VACANCIES AT MIDHURST ROTHER COLLEGE

Please click on the following link for the latest vacancies at MRC:

<https://www.mrc-academy.org/about-us/vacancies>

HELPFUL MRC WEBSITE LINKS

SAFEGUARDING, Wellbeing and Mental Health - ([Click here](#))

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Arbor Information Guides: Arbor Information Guides ([mrc-academy.org](https://www.mrc-academy.org))

Arbor Link: Midhurst Rother College ([arbor.sc](https://www.arbor.sc))

College Calendar: <https://www.mrc-academy.org/information/calendar>

Homework: <https://www.mrc-academy.org/curriculum/homework>

Letters: <https://www.mrc-academy.org/communication/letters>

Educational Visits: Midhurst Rother College > Communication > Letters ([mrc-academy.org](https://www.mrc-academy.org))

Staff Emails: <https://bit.ly/StaffEmailAddress>

Term Dates: Midhurst Rother College > Information > College Term dates ([mrc-academy.org](https://www.mrc-academy.org))

School Cloud: <https://midhurst.schoolcloud.co.uk/>

Sparx Maths: <https://www.sparxmaths.uk/student>

Sparx Reader: [Sparx Reader](#)

Lexia POWERUP Literacy - Login and Student Program: Device Setup - PowerUp
(lexiapowerup.com)

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