



Beeston Castle

On Thursday 14th April, a group of Year 7 pupils visited Beeston Castle as part of their studies on Castles. We arrived at the castle at 10:00am and pupils were split into 2 groups investigating different aspects of the castle throughout the day. Pupils learnt about the history of Beeston Castle and how people lived within the castle walls. Further study was taken looking at the food that people ate and how they trained to fight so that they could defend the castle.

We also managed a quick stop to the Cheshire Ice Cream Farm!

The day was a great success and it was fabulous for the pupils to be able to walk around a real castle grounds and experience a little of what life was like for its inhabitants hundreds of years ago.



Measles Important notice For all parents

We should like to alert all parents to the fact that cases of measles are on the increase. Immunisation with MMR vaccine is the safest way to protect vulnerable children and young adults against measles, mumps and rubella which are diseases that can have serious consequences for babies, young children and young adults.

The Health Protection Agency and the Department of Health recommend that all children receive the first dose of the MMR vaccination at about the age of 13 months and a second dose at 3 years 4 months - 5 years.

If your child has not been vaccinated, MMR vaccination is available to all children and can be obtained from their GP free of charge. Parents should be advised that if they wish to discuss this further they should contact their own doctor.

Further information about measles and MMR vaccination may be obtained from.
www.immunisation.nhs.uk/Vaccines/MMR or from NHS Direct on 0845 46 47

Science Revision Schedule

AS & A2 Revision Schedule

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9 th May	10th May Chem1 Mrs Gullidge Sc3 Applied Sc02 Mrs Howarth Sc12 PhyB4 Resit Mr. Sheldrake Sc7	11th May Chem4 Mrs Gullidge Sc3 Applied Sc02 / Coursework clinic Mrs McMahon Sc12 Biol1/2 Mrs Garland Sc5	12th May AS/A2 Coursework Clinic Applied Science Mrs Howarth Sc12 PhyA1 Resit Mr. Sheldrake Sc7 Applied Sc02 Resit Mrs Austin Sc8	13th May Applied Sc02 Mrs McMahon Sc10
16 th May AS Biol1 Resit Exam	17th May Chem1 Mrs Gullidge Sc3 Applied Sc02 Mrs Howarth Sc12 PhyB4 Resit Mr. Sheldrake Sc7	18th May Chem4 Mrs Gullidge Sc3 Applied Sc02 Mrs McMahon Sc12 Biol2 Mrs Garland Sc5	19th May PhyA1 Resit Mr. Sheldrake Sc7 Applied Sc02 Resit Mrs Austin Sc8	20th May AS Applied Science Sc02 Exam Resit
23 rd May AS Chem1 Exam	24th May AS PhyB1 Resit Exam AS PhyA1 Resit Exam Applied Sc14 Mrs Howarth Sc12 PhyB4 Resit Mr. Sheldrake Sc7	25th May Chem4/2 Mrs Gullidge Sc3 Biol2 Mrs Garland Sc5	26th May AS Biol2 Exam	27th May AS Chem2 Exam
30 th May	31st May Biol4 / 5 Mr. Marsh Sc5 Applied Sc14 Mrs Howarth Sc12 PhyB4 Resit Mr. Sheldrake Sc7	1st June Chem4 Mrs Gullidge Sc3 Applied Sc14 Mrs Garland Sc5	2nd June	3rd June
6 th June AS PhyA2 Exam	7th June Biol4 / 5 Mr. Marsh Sc5 Applied Sc14 Mrs Howarth Sc12 PhyB4 Resit Mr. Sheldrake Sc7	8th June Chem4 Mrs Gullidge Sc3 Applied Sc14 Mrs Garland Sc5	9th June	10th June
13 th June A2 Biol4 Resit Exam	14th June Biol5 Mr. Marsh Sc5 Applied Sc14 Mrs Howarth Sc12 PhyB4 Resit Mr. Sheldrake Sc7	15th June A2 Chem4 Resit Exam Applied Sc14 Mrs Garland Sc5	16th June	17th June
20 th June	21st June A2 PhyB4 Resit Exam Biol4 / 5 Mr. Marsh Sc5 Applied Sc14 Mrs Howarth Sc12 PhyB5 Resit Mr. Sheldrake Sc7	22nd June A2 Biol5 Exam A2 Applied Science SC14 Exam	23rd June	24th June A2 Chem5 Exam
27 th June A2 PhyB5 Exam	28th June			

Science GCSE Revision Schedule

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9 th May	10th May Add / Triple Biology 2/3 Mr. Marsh Sc5 Applied Science U2 Miss Cook Sc11	11th May Add / Triple Calculations in Chemistry 2 KM Sc5 Applied Science U2 Mr. Wilmshurst Sc2 Miss Cope Sc9 Additional/Triple Physics 2 Mr. Rimmer Sc7	12th May Applied Science U2 Miss Peyton Sc6 Add/Triple Physics 2 Mr. Moore Sc1	13th May Applied Science U2 Miss Smith Sc3 Applied Science U2 Mr. Gardener Sc7
16 th May	17th May Add / Triple Biology 2/3 Mr. Marsh Sc5 Additional/Triple Physics 2 Mr. Rimmer Sc5 Applied Science U2 Miss Cook Sc11	18th May Applied Science U2 Mr. Wilmshurst Sc2 Miss Cope Sc9	19th May Additional Biology2 Exam Triple Biology3 Exam Applied Science U2 Miss Peyton Sc6 Add/Triple Physics 2 Mr. Moore Sc1	20th May Applied Science U2 Mr. Gardener Sc7
23 rd May	24th May Add / Triple Chemistry 2/3 Mr. Marsh Sc5	25th May Additional Chem2 Exam Triple Chem3 Exam Additional/Triple Physics 2 Mr. Rimmer Sc5 Applied Science U2 Mr. Wilmshurst Sc2 Miss Cope Sc9	26th May Applied Science U2 Miss Peyton Sc6 Add/Triple Physics 2 Mr. Moore Sc1	27th May Applied Science U2 Exam Additional Physics2 Exam
6 th June	7th June Y10 Triple Science Biology1 Resit Exam	8th June	9th June	10th June
13 th June	14th June	15th June Y10 Triple Science Chemistry1 Resit Exam	16th June	17th June Y10 Triple Science Physics1 Resit Exam
27 th June	28th June Y10 Core Science Y10 Triple Science Resits Y11 Core Science RESIT			

Sixth Form - New Breakfast Menu now Available

6 th Form Week Breakfast Menu				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Tropical Fruit Smoothie	Cranberry & Raspberry Smoothie	Fruits of the sun smoothie (orange pink grapefruit)	Pineapple & Coconut Smoothie	Forest Fruit Smoothie
Pancakes with Banana & Maple Syrup	Drop scones with Blueberries & Greek Yoghurt	Pancakes with hazelnut & Chocolate Sauce	Drop Scones with Strawberries & Greek Yoghurt	Pancakes with toffee Sauce
Fruit burst Muffin	Banana & Blueberry Muffin	Apple & Walnut Muffin	Pear & Toffee Muffin	Lemon Drizzle Muffin
Porridge with Banana Syrup & Manuka Honey	Porridge with Apple, Pear & Cherry Compote	Porridge with Black Cherry Compote	Porridge With Apple, Banana & Sultana	Porridge with crème fraîche & Cranberries
Honey, Ginger & Pumpkin Seed Flapjack	Marmalade Cookies	Apricot Slices	Chocolate & Muesli Cookies	Cranberry & Almond Cookies
Breakfast Grill	Breakfast Grill	Breakfast Grill	Breakfast Grill	Breakfast Grill

Available Daily

Make your own muesli- Kilner jars of oats, cranberries, Raisins, Hazelnuts, Apricots, Brown Sugar
Jams in Kilner Jars – Red Cherry, Strawberry, Apricot & Marmalade

RE Revision Timetable

	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Year 9	RE 6	RE 6 RE 2	RE 5 RE 2	RE 5
Year 10/11	RE 5 RE 2	RE 1 RE 5	RE 1 RE 3	RE 2

GCE & GCSE Examinations, Summer 2011

Students and parents who are taking exams this Summer should read the booklet '**Summer 2011 GCE & GCSE Examinations, Information for Parents & Pupils**'. This can be accessed via the College website as follows:

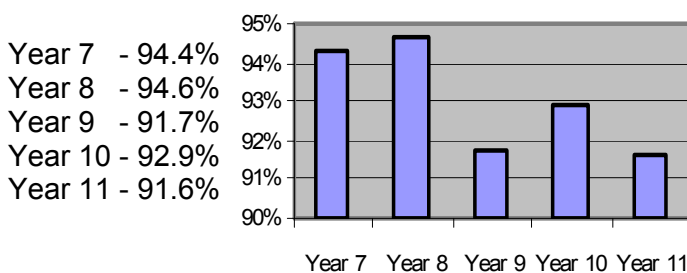
- www.stjohnplessington.com
- Information
- Exam Results

Select 'Summer 2011 Examinations – Information.' Hard copies of the booklet are also available from the Reception Desk.

Any queries regarding exams should be directed to Helen Ruscoe, Examinations Officer.

Attendance

Attendance figures up to **06.05.2011**



Next **PTA** meeting:
Tuesday 7th June 2011
7pm
in the College Staff Room.

All are welcome!

Language Corner

¿Qué son las islas Baleares?



Las Islas Baleares están en el mar mediterráneo y consisten de cuatro islas. La más grande es Majorca. Las islas Baleares son un lugar muy popular con turistas británicas. Se habla español y mallorquín, que es muy similar al catalán. El famoso tenista Rafael Nadal es de Majorca.

Can you correct these statements? Circle the right answer.

1. Las Islas Baleares is or are a city/islands.
2. They are popular with Spanish/British tourists.
3. As well as Spanish they speak Catalán/Mallorquín.
4. Rafael Nadal is from Menorca/Majorca.

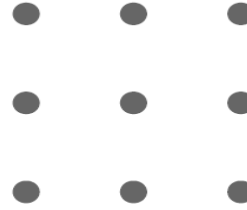
First 5 returned completed tasks get a house point. Please see Mr Sweetman.

Puzzle Corner

Four Lines

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Put 9 dots in a square like this



Can you go through all 9 dots with **four straight lines**?

You **can't** take your pen off the paper.

You **can** start where you like.

Solution for last week

23. Coin of the Realm

(a) 83p = 50p+20p+10p+2p+1p

(b) £1.34 = £1+20p+10p+2p+1p

(c) £5.27 = £2+£2+£1+20p+5p+2p

88p = 50p+20p+10p+5p+2p+1p needs six coins

Weekly Theme - 'Sharing Our Story'



"I will be with you always," Jesus promised his followers. "Do this in memory of me," Jesus said at the Last Supper. By breaking bread together and sharing the cup (in other words by receiving Holy Communion), we are doing what he asked and we are

making him present to us. We really meet with the Risen Jesus in the sacrifice and the sacrament of the Eucharist.

Luke 24:13-35

That same day two of Jesus' followers were walking to the village of Emmaus, seven miles from Jerusalem. As they walked along they were talking about everything that had happened. As they talked and discussed these things, Jesus himself suddenly came and began walking with them. But God kept them from recognizing him. He asked them, "What are you discussing so intently as you walk along?" They stopped short, sadness written across their faces. Then one of them, Cleopas, replied, "You must be the only person in Jerusalem who hasn't heard about all the things that have happened there the last few days." "What things?" Jesus asked. "The things that happened to Jesus, the man from Nazareth," they said. "He was a prophet who did powerful miracles, and he was a mighty teacher in the eyes of God and all the people. But our leading priests and other religious leaders handed him over to be condemned to death, and they crucified him. We had hoped he was the Messiah who had come to rescue Israel. This all happened three days ago. "Then some women from our group of his followers were at his tomb early this morning, and they came back with an amazing report. They said his body was missing, and they had seen angels who told

them Jesus is alive! Some of our men ran out to see, and sure enough, his body was gone, just as the women had said." Then Jesus said to them, "You foolish people! You find it so hard to believe all that the prophets wrote in the Scriptures. Wasn't it clearly predicted that the Messiah would have to suffer all these things before entering his glory?" Then Jesus took them through the writings of Moses and all the prophets, explaining from all the Scriptures the things concerning himself. By this time they were nearing Emmaus and the end of their journey. Jesus acted as if he were going on, but they begged him, "Stay the night with us, since it is getting late." So he went home with them. As they sat down to eat, he took the bread and blessed it. Then he broke it and gave it to them. Suddenly, their eyes were opened, and they recognised him. And at that moment he disappeared! They said to each other, "Didn't our hearts burn within us as he talked with us on the road and explained the Scriptures to us?" And within the hour they were on their way back to Jerusalem. There they found the eleven disciples and the others who had gathered with them, who said, "The Lord has really risen! He appeared to Peter." Then the two from Emmaus told their story of how Jesus had appeared to them as they were walking along the road, and how they had recognized him as he was breaking the bread.

God our Father, may we look forward with hope to our own resurrection for it is promised every time that we receive your Son in Holy Communion.

Amen