



## NEWSLETTER

No. 551 w/c Mon 15 May 2017 will be Week A

The oldest, shortest words – "yes" and "no" – are those which require the most thought." - Pythagoras

Dear Parents/Carers

While the normal business of lessons and regular activities flows steadily on like a river, there have been several very positive "splashes" in the last few days.

#### **Year 7 Parents Evening**

Thank you to parents of Year 7 students for a very positive evening; clearly, in a year group of 156 it would be remarkable if every single student and parent was completely happy, but the vast majority seemed to be. The feedback from the exit questionnaires was very good. All categories had a 90%+ satisfaction score (ie "agree" or "strongly agree"); 100% of parents responded that their child was looked after well and taught well; all but one respondent considered their child safe, and all but one that their child is making good progress. 80% of students were represented, which is a positive figure in itself; it has been well-researched – although blindingly obvious – that a strong home-school partnership is a huge factor in student success.

#### **Ten Tors**

Congratulations to all of our students who completed Ten Tors last weekend, both with our teams or with other organisations. It always amazes me how the students underplay their achievement; they've hiked 35 or 45 miles in under 36 hours, on Dartmoor, camped overnight, navigated themselves, and when congratulated in person say things like, "Yeah, it was all right. My feet got a bit wet though." One of our 45-mile team, an ex-student, was medi-vacced from the moor, with the rest of the team doing all the right things and observing the safety requirements (the student was discharged from hospital later the same day).

A bit like the stage crew at a production, there is a group of unsung heroes who support Ten Tors and without whom it would be impossible. The lynchpin is Mr Eales, who coordinates the entries, training, and spends Ten Tors weekend on site at Okehampton. For much of this, he is supported by Graeme Robb, ex-Governor. For training events a number of colleagues support walks; and special mention to Governor Simon Sanger-Anderson for his continued support. Former students and Ten Tors "veterans" James Royle, Alex Sanger-Anderson, Josie Robb and Amalia Gimbuta all helped the teams in camp, as did current student Harry Price (fortunately, Exeter Chiefs were playing away...) . Cip Gimbuta arrived late on Friday to cook the all-important Saturday breakfast. What is truly fantastic about this is the involvement of present and former staff, students and parents in a common endeavour. We are very fortunate, and very grateful.

#### **Year 11 GCSE Drama Assessed Rehearsal**

In terms of sheer enjoyment, this was the best set of pieces I have seen for many years, possibly ever. There were three compelling extracts from Berkoff's Metamorphosis, using a range of different techniques to portray the disturbing narrative, and then a couple of highly entertaining pieces in very different ways. The adventures of Clive the Caterpillar and his friends in the wood were genuinely hilarious. I quite understand why the audience for these presentations usually includes just immediate family and one or two friends, but they deserve wider appreciation. The performances are only part of the final GCSE grade, of course, but in my opinion students who cause me a satisfied grin thirty minutes after an event's finished deserve to do well!

#### NCOP "Next Steps" Articulacy Project

Another group of students who gladdened my heart were the thirteen Year 9s who took part in this project. They had an intensive week out of lessons, based in the same room, with the same team of trainers from a consortium of local universities. The students were put through a series of speaking, presentation and memorising skills to improve their confidence in public speaking and speaking in formal situations and to camera; naturally, this leads to greater self-confidence, too. Like many projects at the moment, this one is targeted; in this case, focusing on students from postcode areas with low university take-up, but who have the academic potential to access higher education. They gladdened my heart because the trainers were effusive in their praise; apparently in some schools the team are relieved to leave at the end of the week, but our students have been so enthusiastic, engaged and appreciative that they'd like to come back! (They added that they cannot recall one single incident all week when a student needed even the smallest rebuke.)

#### Rick Broadbent Literacy Day

On a similar theme, author Rick Broadbent ran a literacy day for targeted Year 7 students on sports journalism and writing. The day was coordinated by Mr Simpson and Mrs Foulds. The students really enjoyed the day, especially some of our rough diamonds (if such a thing is possible in Year 7) who blossomed in those conditions. The highlight of the day was taking penalties and commentating into a microphone, then hearing back the commentaries. Overall, a very beneficial experience.

#### PTFA, 17<sup>th</sup> May

You'll see elsewhere in this Newsletter that the PTFA meet next Wednesday. We have established a pattern that these meetings combine business, and a presentation/talk on a topical College matter. This time, Nicola Bennett will be talking about Careers provision in the College, both in terms of careers education and careers advice and guidance. This is a very topical issue: the rise of apprenticeships and changes to vocational courses mean that students have many more routes open to them than even ten years ago; further, Ofsted are currently paying more attention to what schools are providing by way of careers input. For our students, of course, our Sixth Form is another possible route. So, please come along!

#### **Exam Season**

The first formal exams start on Monday, so on behalf of my colleagues I wish our students good luck and every success. I also wish their families and parents/carers the same: put that exam timetable on the fridge, keep the same fridge well-stocked with snacks, and try to hit that impossible fine line between showing an interest and nagging! I repeat the consistent message that if you have any concerns at all, please contact us.

#### **Seasonal Behaviour**

I have asked my colleagues to remind students frequently about their behaviour around the site, especially at lesson changeover and at lunchtime. This is doubly important for the next few weeks with exams on, mostly in the Hall and Additional Support areas around the old playground; there will be "Quiet Please" signs up, staff presence, but if a student bursts through the Giraffe House external doors with a big shout, it is not fair on candidates. Every year I find myself writing the same thing: in the early part of the summer term some students take to running not walking, shouting not talking, and too much physicality. The physicality is mostly (but not exclusively) boys, and Years 7-9. The good news is that the rough play is confined to within friendship groups, so is rarely bullying, and rarely involves any student who sensibly keeps out of it. That said, it needs to stop, and any reinforcement of this message at home is greatly appreciated.

Dr Bawn

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#### Woodlands Trip: 19 July 2017

The end of term trip to Woodlands will take place on Wed 19 July. The trip is open to Years 7 and 9 and to Year 8 students who are not involved in the Bude Residential. The cost of the trip is £18.00. We will leave Clyst Vale at 9.05am and return by 3.15pm. Clyst Vale uniform does not need to be worn, but practical clothing is essential. Students should bring spare clothing if they wish to go on the water rides. Please ensure your child has a hat and sun cream or wet weather clothing, depending on the forecast for the day. If you would like your child to take part, please make payment by Mon 5 June 2017, as detailed below:

Payment can be made online through the School Gateway online payment system – www.schoolgateway.com (http://www.schoolgateway.com). This can be accessed via the Clyst Vale website at http://www.clystvale.org/parents/online-payment.

**Mrs Albutt** 

#### Year 11 Leavers' Book

This year we have asked an outside company to produce a Leavers' Book for all Year 11s, at a cost of £11.00 each. Students who purchase a book will receive it on Results Day.

If you would like your child to have a Leavers' Book, please make payment by Mon 15 May, as detailed below:

Payment can be made online through the School Gateway online payment system — www.schoolgateway.com (http://www.schoolgateway.com) . This can be accessed via the Clyst Vale website at http://www.clystvale.org/parents/online-payment.

**Miss Mann** 

#### Year 11 Prom

The final arrangements are being made for the Year 11.

This event is being held at Reed Hall, University of Exeter on Thursday 29th June 2017. Tickets are £28.50 and are available to purchase on-line until 26th May. The price will include a mocktail on arrival, a food and sweet buffet, disco, photo booth and an individual 9 x 6 portrait (portraits will be available to collect from school on GCSE Exam Results day).

We anticipate that students will start arriving from 6.30pm and that most students will have arrived by 8.00pm. The evening will finish at 11.00pm and you will need to make arrangements to collect your son/daughter from the venue.

I am sure the students are looking forward to the prom and will have a wonderful evening.

If you would like any further information, please contact Miss Hellier on 01392 463913 or email hellierc@clystvale.org

**Miss Hellier** 

#### Ten Tors 2017

Last weekend, 5-7 May 2017, saw the annual Ten Tors challenge take place across the tors and hills of Dartmoor. We had three school teams this year, two 35-mile teams and one 45-mile team, and every single student did fantastically well over the weekend. We're full of pride and admiration for them all as I'm sure you are too.



Here's a piece from Owen, one of the students who participated:

"Our school had three teams complete the Ten Tors Challenge this year. Two teams did the 35 mile route, one made up of all Year 10's finished at 10:47 on the Sunday morning, and the other consisting of Years 9 and 10 finished at 14:10 on Sunday afternoon. Furthermore both these teams managed to finish the challenge without anybody having to drop out. Also we had a team that walked an impressive 45 miles, getting in at a very respectable time of 13:00.

All the students taking part in this event have been training since November last year. It takes a lot of persistence and organisation to complete a task like this. Students have learned a wide variety of skills such as navigation, as

well as gaining new meaningful experiences. Ten Tors is a very tough yet rewarding personal challenge, and I would recommend it to anyone considering undertaking it in 2018.

It's not all about the students though, Chris Eales along with a few other members of staff and volunteers gave much of their time and effort into making Ten Tors a possibility for students at Clyst Vale. So I would like to end by saying a huge thank you on behalf of the students!"

So in no particular order, very well done to Jack, Owen, Alice, Grace, Leon, Ollie, Coby, Callan, Mattie, Pete, Sam, Robert, Alex, Harriet, Finn, George, George and Jonny

Big congratulations as well to all the other Clyst Vale students, both past and present, who also participated in the event with other organisations, especially Ben and James who did the training walks with us, but unfortunately we didn't have space on the school teams for Ed, James and a few

Like Owen says, the whole Ten Tors is very much a team effort. From the many volunteers who help supervise the students on all the training weekends, with the early

starts and late finishes to ensure their safety, to all the parents and especially those who helped us set up our base at Okehampton Army camp on the Thursday ready for the students on the Friday. To our Year 11 & 13 student helpers, and to some ex-students who returned to help and who took on the role of deputy team managers, with responsibility for a team to see them through the mandatory scrutineering, safety briefing, and route planning – as well as including a degree of friendly competition between the teams. So to everyone, a huge, much appreciated thank you.

For those whose interest has been sparked, it's likely to start all over again soon so look out for posters and information for students in Year 9 and above!

Mr Eales Ten Tors Manager



others we saw over the weekend.







## STUDENTS OF THE WEEK



YELLOW SCHOOL		
7YJPU	Sheykie Campbell	
8YME	Daisy Norris	
8YMM	Connor Brooks	
9YJCO	Harry Parkhouse	
9YSP	Mattie Horwell	
10YMPR	Ellen Blacker	
11YCW	Reece Warren	

SILVER SCHOOL		
7SMBR	Mollie Copp	
8SAO	Libby Kendall-Torry	
9SLA	James Clark	
10SNG	Emily Blatchford	
10SNS	Macy Truscott-Jane	
11SDJ	Kelsey Marriott	
11SSG	Alice Hewstone	

Red SCHOOL		
7RKC	Emma Gold	
10RGG	Kyle Eidam	

### **SPORTS NEWS**

#### **Particularly Fun Run**

Smiling faces. Red faces. High fives. Peer support. Enthusiastic participants. Noisy crowds.

All of the above were evident during this year's Local Learning Community
Fun Run held at Clyst Vale last Wednesday. Many thanks to the primary schools of Clyst St Mary,
Rockbeare, Silverton and Stoke Canon for bringing pupils to participate in such a wonderful event
during which 134 runners meandered their way through our lunchtime hordes on our beautiful playing
fields.

Cliché man says that everyone was a winner at this particularly fun Fun Run!

Phil Everett
Sports Co-ordinator

### **Lunch Clubs Mon - Wed**

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Mon	Music Club - WEEK A	1.45pm - 2.15pm	PA2		Mrs Sprenkel
			Look at posters in		
Mon	Year 11 Maths Workshops	1.30pm to 2pm	the Maths block		Miss Barratt
Mon	Home Learning Study Group	1.30pm to 2.15pm	IT2		Mrs Gillespie
Mon	Year 7 & 8 Girls Rounders	Lunchtime	Field	New Block	Miss Wright & Mrs Needs
Mon	Vocal Harmony Group	Lunchtime	PA3		Miss Williams
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	Invasion of the Pawn Snatchers				
Mon	Chess Club	Lunchtime	Library		Mrs Foulds
Mon	KS3 B&V Homework Drop In	Lunchtime	HU1		Miss Brotherton
Mon	Year 7 & 8 Boys Cricket	Lunchtime	Field	New Block	Mr Pearce
Mon	Year 9, 10 & 11 Athletics	Lunchtime	Field	New Block	Mr Everett
Mon	Year 10/11/12 & 13 Rehearsals	Lunchtime	PA1		Miss Ruscoe
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Tues	BTEC/Imedia & Digital Creativity	Lunchtime	Mac Suite		Mrs Higginson
Tues	Academic Catch Up (Year 10 - 13)	Lunchtime	IT3		Mr Bailey
Tues	Year 10 Homework/Catch Up - HSC	1.30pm to 2.15pm	VO2		Mrs Colin
Tues	Year 12 Maths	Lunchtime	MA5		Mrs Adie
Tues	Home Learning Study Group	1.30pm to 2.15pm	IT2		Mrs Manaton
Tues	Year 13 Maths	Lunchtime	MA8		Miss Barratt
Tues	Year 10/11/12 & 13 Rehearsals	Lunchtime	PA1		Miss Ruscoe
Tues	Amnesty	1.30pm to 2.15pm	EN7		Miss Watt/Mrs Gillespie
Tues	Year 9, 10 & 11 Cricket Nets	Lunchtime	Sports Hall	Sports Hall	Mr Powell & Miss Wright
Tues	Year 7 & 8 Science Club	1.40pm	SC2		Dr Odunlade
Tues	Food - Theory Catch Up	Lunchtime	IT4		Mrs Crook
Tues	Year 7 & 8 Football	Lunchtime	Field	New Block	Mr Everett
Tues	Year 10 v 11 Softball	Lunchtime	Field	New Block	Mr Pearce
Tues	All Years Boys & Girls Dance	Lunchtime	Dance Studio	New Block	Mrs Elliot
Tues	Year 7 & 8 Tennis	Lunchtime	Courts		Mrs Woolacott
Tues	Year 10 B&V Revision	Lunchtime	HU1		Miss Brotherton
Wed	Home Learning Study Group	1.30pm to 2.15pm	IT2		Mrs Woolacott
Wed	Music Club - WEEK B	1.45pm to 2.15pm	PA2		Mrs Sprenkel
Wed	Jazz Bank	Lunchtime	PA3		Miss Williams
Wed	KS3 B&V Homework Drop In	Lunchtime	HU1		Miss Brotherton
Wed	Year 9 & 10 Rounders	Lunchtime	Field	New Block	Mrs Elliot & Mrs Broomfield
			Opposite Mr		
Wed	Drugs & Alcohol Info Drop In	Lunchtime	Jones' room		Mrs Gillespie
Wed	French Year 11 Revision Sessions	Lunchtime	MF1		Miss McConnachie
Wed	Year 9 & 10 Drama Club	Lunchtime	PA1		Miss Ruscoe
Wed B	Year 10 GCSE Food Practical Catch Up	1.25pm to 2.15pm	DT4		Mrs Crook
Wed	Year 9, 10 & 11 Basketball	Lunchtime	Sports Hall	Sports Hall	Mr Everett
Wed	Textiles Club	Lunchtime	DT4		Miss Webber

#### **Lunch Clubs** Thurs - Fri

Thurs	Home Learning Study Group	1.30pm to 2.15pm	IT2		Mrs Woolacott
Thurs	All Years Boys & Girls Badminton	Lunchtime	Sports Hall	Sports Hall	Mr Powell
Thurs	Food - Theory Catch Up	Lunchtime	DT4		Mrs Crook
Thurs	Girls Minecraft	Lunchtime	IT3		Mrs Higginson
Thurs	Music Club - Week A	1.45pm to 2.15pm	PA2		Mrs Sprenkel
Thurs	Year 11 Revision (to half term only)	Lunchtime	PA3		Miss Williams
Thurs	Learn To Read Music (half term onwards)	Lunchtime	PA3		Miss Williams
Thurs	Sign Up Only 10 Hula-hoop	Lunchtime	Dance Studio	New Block	Mrs Gillespie
Thurs	Year 9 Boys & Girls Cricket	Lunchtime	Field	New Block	Mr Pearce
Thurs	Year 9, 10 & 11 Tennis	Lunchtime	Courts	Sports Hall	Mr Everett
Thurs	Year 11 B&V Revision	Lunchtime	HU1		Miss Brotherton
Thurs	Year 7 & 8 Drama Club	Lunchtime	PA1		Miss Ruscoe
Fri	Minecraft Club	Lunchtime	IT3		Mr Bailey
Fri	Home Learning Study Group	1.30pm to 2.15pm	IT2		Mrs Woolacott
Fri	Academic Catch Up	Lunchtime	IT5		Mrs Higginson
Fri	Music Club - Week A & B	1.45pm to 2.15pm	PA2		Mrs Sprenkel
Fri	Band/Group Rehearsals for Festival on the Field	Lunchtime	PA3		Miss Williams
Fri	Year 7 - 11 Inter Tutor	Lunchtime	Various	New Block unless specified	Mr Powell/Mr Pearce Mrs Elliot/Mr Everett
Fri	Year 11 GCSE PE Revision	1.45pm	PE5		Mrs Broomfield
Fri	GCSE Drama Support	Lunchtime	PA1		Miss Ruscoe
Fri	GCSE History Workshop/Revision	Lunchtime	HU7		Mrs Padden

#### **Clyst Vale Public Library**

Did you know that there is a public library at Clyst Vale Community College? Part of Devon's Libraries Unlimited, the public is welcome to borrow books and audiobooks, use the internet, reserve items for collection and return books from other public libraries across Devon. There is also a fortnightly Bounce and Rhyme session for parents/carers and their babies/toddlers. Please call in to the library for more information during the opening hours listed below:

Mon: 3.30 - 5.30 Wed: 3.30 - 5.30 Thurs: 4.00 - 6.00

The Public Library is part of the School Library and is located next to Reception. Access can be gained from the main school entrance.

Mrs Foulds Library Manager



PTFA Charity No.296210

Join us

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> May 6.30pm

Post 16 room

#### For a presentation on Careers education

Your PTFA will be holding a regular meeting with a presentation on what Clyst Vale offers students looking forward to careers.

PTFA are happy to organise events on any topic that parents and guardians may find useful. Please feel free to contact us with your ideas - jls.sanders@btinternet.com

Our organisation is a friendly, informal link between parents and the senior leadership of the school and all are welcome to any of our events and meetings.

## CALLENIDAR DAMES

W/C Mon 15th May	GCSE Exams start
Thurs 18th May	Y7—Y10 Boys' & Girls' Vaccination Mop Ups
Fri 26th May	Y11 Leavers' Assembly and Start of Study Leave
Mon 29th May—Fri 2nd June	Half term
Thurs 8th June	Y8 Parents' Evening 4.30pm—7.00pm
Wed 14th June	Non Feeder Parents' Evening 5.30pm
Thurs 22nd June	Y12 Mock Exams begin
Mon 26th June—Wed 28th June	Y9 Mock Exams
Thurs 29th June	Y11 Prom
Thurs 29th June	DLD
Fri 30th June	Y13 Prom
Mon 3rd July—Tues 4th July	Y10 P16 Taster Sessions
Wed 5th July—Fri 7th July	New Intake Days
Mon 10th, Wed 12th, Thurs 13th & Fri 14th July	Celebration Assemblies
Tues 11th July	Sports Day
Fri 14th July	P16 Taster Days
Sat 15th July—Mon 17th July	Y9 Trip to Ypres
Sun 16th July—Mon 17th July	Borneo Expedition
Mon 17th July—Fri 21st July	Y7 Paris Residential
Mon 17th July—Wed 19th July	Bude Residential
Tues 18th July—Sat 22nd July	Y10, Y11 & Y12 Geography Field Trip to Iceland
Wed 19th July	Y7 & Y9 Woodlands Trip
Fri 21st July	Non-Uniform Day



# FAMILY DOG SHOW



SATURDAY JUNE 24TH 2017

ALL PUPPIES MUST BE 6 MONTHS OR OLDER ON THE DAY OF THE SHOW ENTRY £1.00 PER CLASS: PAY AS YOU ENTER THE RING

#### JUDGING FROM 1:30PM





#### CLASSES 1-10

- 1: BEST PUPPY 6-12 MONTHS
- 2: BEST PEDIGREE
- 3: BEST CROSS-BREED
- 4: BEST CONDITION
- 5: BEST ROUGH/LONG COAT
- 6: BEST SMOOTH/SHORT COAT
- 7: BEST CHILD HANDLER
- 8: BEST VETERAN (OVER 7YRS)
- 9: BEST TRICK
- 10: BEST FANCY DRESS





SHOW CHAMPION ALL 1<sup>ST</sup> PLACES FROM 2-10 (not class 1)

MANY THANKS TO OUR GENEROUS SPONSOR "BEAUMONT VETERINARY PRACTICE" FOR
SUPPORTING THE 2017 DOG SHOW AND TO ALL THOSE WHO HAVE HELPED MAKE IT POSSIBLE





01392 460300 24hrs

## **Broadclyst Fun Day &**





Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> June 2017 on Broadclyst Playing Fields, EX5 3JB

Games

Kids races

Raffle

Tombola

#### Timetable:

11am-5pm

11.30am Kids Races

12.45pm Gameshow Challenge!

1.30pm Family Dog show

2.00pm Cream teas served

4.00pm Raffle draw

4.30pm Grand finale! Egg-throw

All day: Check out the stalls with lots of fun activities and challenges!

Jacket
potatoes

Coconut shy

Beer tent

Local ale

Skittles

Ozzy D Magic

Bouncy castles

Face painting

#### FREE ADMISSION!

New for 2017! The family Gameshow Challenge, hosted by the one and only Ozzy D!

Enquiries - broadclystfunday@hotmail.co.uk or 07532 286713

#### Ski Pila 2019

If your child is interested in being part of the next Ski Trip in 2019 they need to collect a letter from Mrs Woolacott or from the folder outside of the PE office.

Pila is an excellent beginner resort with over 70kms of pistes offering high altitude, snow sure skiing for everyone from complete beginners to those who have previously skied. The price will be £969.00 which includes the following:

- Travel from College to resort and return journey (luxury 49 seater coach fitted with seat belts), plus ferry, together with use of coach whilst in resort
- Ski lessons (morning and afternoon for six days)
- Hire of skis, boots and poles
- Full area lift pass
- Full insurance (including 24 hour Medicare, ski breakage and snow guarantee)
- Full board accommodation, including hot lunch on the slopes
- · Après ski activities, such as ice-skating, tubing, ski test and Presentation Evening
- College Ski hooded sweatshirt

Behaviour and achievement points will be taken into consideration prior to students being accepted on this trip.

#### **School Transport**

- Clyst Vale supports the (DCC) Devon County Council's "No Pass No Travel Scheme" that operates on transport to and from this College.
- Only students who show a valid travel pass to the driver on every journey will be allowed to travel.
   Students must travel on the vehicle indicated on their pass.
- 3. Please ensure that your child has their travel pass before they leave home every day.
- 4. Please ensure that your child knows what to do in the event they are not allowed to travel or the bus does not arrive (e.g. because of breakdown or traffic conditions or severe weather). College attendance is very important and it is best to be prepared for any of these eventualities.
- 5. DCC will carry out regular pass checks throughout the year.
- 6. Drivers are not allowed to carry passengers who cannot show a valid pass.
- If your child loses their pass during the day they should go to the AtHoS offices to ask for a 10 day temporary pass. Replacement passes cost £5 each and can be ordered online, or by sending a cheque with a replacement form.

Further information is available at: http://www.devon.gov.uk/ school transport

## Attendance, Absence and Requests for Absence

You need to let the College know of any absence on the first day it occurs. If you do not notify the College, then your Assistant to Head of School (AtHoS) will contact you to identify the reason for absence. This will help to reduce unauthorised absences and truancy.

Please note, the College may ask you to provide medical proof if a student is absent from College due to illness.

#### For Years 7 - 11 Absences

Please contact the relevant AtHoS
Silver School: Julia Knowles (01392 463906;
knowlesj@clystvale.org)
Yellow School: Claire Turner (01392 463914;
turnerc@clystvale.org)
Green School: Catherine Hellier (01392 463913;
hellierc@clystvale.org)
Red School: Pam Grant (01392 463910;
grantp@clystvale.org)

#### For Year 12 - 13 Absences

Please ring:
Jassy Barrington Post-16 PA
Direct line: 01392 462697
(answerphone available)
email: barringtonj@clystvale.org

#### **COLLEGE DRESS**

Clyst Vale aims to maintain a simple pattern of College dress to promote a clear sense of identity and enable students to come sensibly dressed, at reasonable cost, for a range of learning activities. If a student is improperly dressed, correct uniform will be provided for that day or the student may be sent home to change his/her clothing, at the discretion of the Principal.

If parents are in any doubt about the suitability of an item of uniform they should check with the College before buying it.

#### Uniform for all Students in Years 7 to 11

- · White collared shirt.
- School colour tie.
- Clyst Vale V-neck jumper with School colour logo.
- Trousers should be plain, black, formal and full length. This means no jeans, leggings, chinos or any trousers with rivets or studs. Trousers must be worn on the waist.
- Skirts should be plain black, and may be worn just above the knee. Skirts must be A-line or straight, but not stretchy or "skater" style.
- Knee length black tailored shorts may be worn in the summer.
- Black sturdy shoes or all black trainers.
- Clyst Vale reversible jacket or other outdoor coat.

**All uniform can be purchased from Thomas Moore, Exeter.** Thomas Moore offers both a personal service in their shop and also the opportunity to order on line at <a href="https://www.thomasmooretoymaster.co.uk">www.thomasmooretoymaster.co.uk</a>.

- Eyebrow jewellery, facial, tongue, nose and lip studs are not permitted.
- Leather jackets, all denim garments and all hoodies are not permitted.
- Hats should not be worn indoors.
- Outer coats should be predominantly plain in colour and without large logos.
- A plain white t-shirt or vest may be worn under the shirt.
- On health and safety grounds, shoes should be appropriate for a work place. Flipflops, open toes, Uggs, Dr Martens (or equivalent) are not permitted.
- Jewellery may be worn, providing it is not excessive or potentially hazardous. However, it is a legal
  requirement that all jewellery must be removed before undertaking sporting activities. It is the
  responsibility of the wearer to do this.

The Principal, in consultation with the Governors of the College, will decide on the suitability of the appearance of a student attending the College – extreme hair styles, of either cut or colour, are not permitted.

#### **CONTACT INFORMATION**

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Email: admin@clystvale.org Web: www.clystvale.org

Principal: Kevin Bawn, BA PhD





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