KINGS' SCHOOL
PARENT BULLETIN
4TH NOVEMBER 2026

Remembrance Service at Kings' - Next Wednesday 11th November

To our currently serving and ex Military community, we would like to invite you to our Remembrance Day School Service, on Wednesday 11th November, arrival 10.30 am. Following the service there will be refreshments in the library.

If you would like to attend, please complete the attached **form**.

If your child is a Cadet for the Army, Sea or Air they are invited to wear their uniform for the service. **Please click here** for further information and to complete the permission slip.

Current Support Vacancies

Click Here

Cover Co-Ordinator
Parent Governor
LSA

Internet Safety Information Evening Recording

If you were unable to join us on our Internet Safety Information Evening, the recording is now available via this **link** to view at your leisure.

CHRISTMAS CRACKER

Wednesday 2nd December
4.30pm - 6.30pm

Pupils wishing to run a stall please **Complete this form**

External stall holders who would like to run a stall please **Complete this form**

KINGS' SCHOOL CAROL SERVICE

Our annual Christmas Carol Service will take place this year on Friday 11th December at Winchester Cathedral.

If you would like to Join our adult choir please **Complete this form** to sign up.
The Adult Choir is open to all parents, staff, governors and ex pupils.
The Choir will be singing '*Bells of Christmas*' by Sarah Quartel and Chilcott's '*Mid-Winter*', along with joining our pupil choir with '*Away in a Manger*'

02/11/26 PSHRE November Themes

KS3

- Year 7: How do I keep my body and teeth clean? What are the facts about smoking and vaping? How can we stay safe in different environments? How can we perform first aid?
- Year 8: How can we manage risks while trying new things? How can people understand their sexual desires? How can we all love the body we have? The importance of genitals (including FGM)
- Year 9: How are people affected by hormonal and mood cycles? How can we check our own health? How can blood, organ and stem cell donation save lives? How can people protect themselves and others from STIs?

- In the News: Movember and Men's Health, New tests for life-limiting muscle condition, Disability History Month,

KS4

- Year 10: Drugs awareness and Assessing Risks
- Year 11: Personal Finance

We recognise that some PSHRE topics may be sensitive or personally challenging for some pupils. If you feel upcoming content may be difficult for your child, please speak to their tutor about appropriate support.

PE Clubs Notice

From Monday 2nd November to Friday 13th November the sports hall will be in use for Year 11 mocks exams so all clubs that normal take place in the sports hall will be cancelled. This includes before school Volleyball, Basketball and Badminton and afterschool Basketball and Badminton. All of these clubs will resume as normal from Monday 16th November.
Sorry for any inconvenience caused.

Good Luck to our Year 11 Pupils

The Mock & GCSE Timetables are available on our website, along with updated information from the JCQ Examination Board
Exam Timetables

Important Notices

Letters Out This Week

The following letters have been sent out this week, via Arbor email.
Please note that the listed letters are whole school, or whole year group letters and not individual or small group letters.

- Silver D of E Information
- Bronze D ofE Enrolement Letter
- Whole School - Christmas Grotto Letter
- Physical Education and Sports Studies Polo Shirts

Due to our change to Arbor, if you are no longer receiving our school communications, please check your email junk folder and set our emails to your safe sender list. If you are still having issues after this, please contact us.

Upcoming Diary Dates

NOVEMBER

2nd - 13th - Year 11 GCSE Mock Exams
11th - Remembrance Service
13th - INSET DAY
17th - 24th Book Fair - In the Library

DECEMBER

1st - Year 11 Mock Interviews
2nd - Christmas Cracker
3rd - Year 9 Parents Evening
8th - Year 11 Mock Interviews
11th - Kings' Carol Service, Winchester Cathedral
18th - Last day of Term, 12.30pm closure

Local Area SEND Inspection

Dear Parents & Carers,

We have been informed that Hampshire is currently undergoing a Local Area SEND Inspection led by Ofsted and the Care Quality Commission (CQC).

The inspection considers how effectively education, health and social care services work together to support children and young people aged 0–25 with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND).

As part of the inspection, Ofsted and CQC want to hear from parents/carers of children and young people with SEND by completing the survey below. The views shared will help inspectors understand people's experiences of the SEND system, including what is working well and where improvements may be needed.

Complete the Ofsted/CQC Area SEND survey here

The survey closes at 9am on Tuesday 10th November 2026.

The survey responses go directly to Ofsted/CQC rather than being collected by Hampshire.

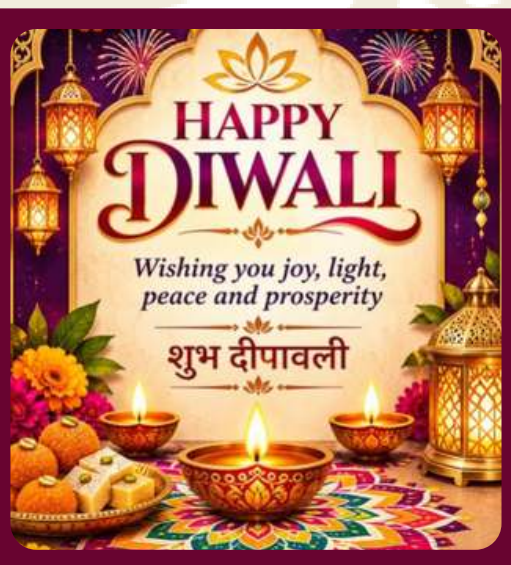
For further information about Hampshire's Local Area Partnership, please visit the Local Area Partnership – Hampshire and for further information about the Local Area SEND Inspection, you can visit: Area SEND inspections: information about ongoing inspections - GOV.UK

Thank you.



Pupil Leadership Team

Our PLT have been busy writing their first newsletters.
These are now available on our website
PLT Website Page



Diwali, also known as the Festival of Lights, is around the corner. It is one of India's most cherished celebrations.

It marks the triumph of light over darkness and good over evil. Families celebrate by lighting diyas, decorating their homes, sharing sweets, offering prayers, and spending time with friends and family.

Traditions vary across communities in India, making Diwali a beautiful celebration of hope, renewal, and togetherness.

Wishing everyone a very Happy Diwali! May the year ahead bring happiness, health, peace, and prosperity to you and your loved ones!