



Weekly Newsletter

Upcoming Dates

June

15th-17th Primary School Athletics Championships

16th June Year 4 beach claen and costal visit to Ouaisne

17th June *** No Fit Kids this week next session 24th June

17th New Reception Parents Evening 18.30 -19.30

19th June Whole College Picnic

24th Year 6 Production of Rapunzel, 19.00, Hall

25th Year 6 Production of Rapunzel, 19.00, Hall

25th Year 2 Trip to La Rocque

26th Reception & Key Stage 1 Sports Day, AM, Heathfield

29th June 2C Informal Music Concert 0900 - 0930 (doors open 8.45)

29th June Music Concert for invited parents (Music Leaders,
Orchestra, String ensembles and Ukuele Club) 13.30

July

1st Key Stage 2 Sports Day, AM, FB Fields

2nd & 3rd Year 6 Transition Days

3rd Whole School Transition Morning

6th - 10th Year 6 French Trip

6th July 2B Informal Music Concert 0900 - 0930 (doors open 8.45)

7th July 2DD Informal Music Concert 200-230pm (doors open
1.45pm)

8th Wellbeing Ambassadors to visit Sandybrook

9th July Year 1 Pirate Day

14th Year 2 Leavers' Assembly

16th Year 6 Leavers' Assembly

17th Last day of School year

HEADTEACHER'S MESSAGE

There has been plenty to celebrate across the school this week, not least the fantastic success of our pupils in the Primary Engineer Competition. Children from across the year groups achieved an impressive number of awards, demonstrating creativity, innovation and excellent problem-solving skills.

We are especially proud of Ava in Year 6, who achieved the overall Gold Award. Ava's design was judged to be the best entry on the Island from more than 1,000 submissions, spanning Nursery through to Year 9. This is an exceptional achievement and a wonderful reflection of the imagination, perseverance and engineering thinking that our pupils demonstrate every day.

Elsewhere, Year 4L were delighted to finally make it to their rescheduled beekeeping visit. The wait was certainly worthwhile and the children thoroughly enjoyed learning more about the fascinating world of bees and the important role they play in our environment.

Reception also had a particularly eventful morning when some rather excitable crabs arrived to support their learning. There was great excitement, plenty of curiosity and more than a few squeals as the children got a closer look at their visitors.

Finally, a huge thank you to all parents, families and members of our wider community who supported today's PTA Summer Fayre. The rather changeable weather certainly made organising and running the event more challenging than usual, but it was wonderful to see such a fantastic turnout. There was a real sense of community spirit, lots of fun for the children and, we hope, a significant amount raised to support future PTA projects. Thank you to everyone who helped organise, volunteer at and support the event.



Mrs Precious



WHOLE COLLEGE PICNIC

We are pleased to share that pupils in JCP and JCG will be taking part in a shared whole-college picnic again, on Friday 19th June.

The picnic will take place on the school field and will be a wonderful opportunity to bring our community together again. Similar to our recent Liberation celebration, there will be a range of outdoor play and shared activities for pupils across both schools, encouraging connection and enjoyment in a relaxed setting.

Children will eat their packed lunches on the field, and parents are encouraged to provide a picnic-style packed lunch for the day.

Please note that there will be no Key Stage 2 hot lunch service available on this day, so all pupils must bring a packed lunch.

Activities and games will begin once lunch has finished.

Please note that this is not a dress-down day and pupils should attend school in normal uniform.

We very much look forward to coming together as one community for what promises to be a fun and memorable afternoon.



KEY STAGE 2 HOT LUNCHES WEEK COMMENCING 15TH JUNE

LUNCH TIME

DOME LUNCH Week 1



	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Soup	Lentil	Chicken & Sweetcorn	Honeyed Carrot SD	Tomato & Basil D	Roasted Squash & Red Pepper
Main	Penne Arabiatta with Garlic Bread EG	Chilli Beef Nachos C,D,E,G,SD	Roast Chicken 'galantine' C,D,E,SD	Chicken & Broccoli Fried Rice	Breaded Fish Fingers with chips
Veggie option		Chilli Veggie Nachos C,D,E,G,SD	Mac & Cheese D,G	Vegetable Fried Rice	Fried haloumi cheese, with chips D,E,G,M
Sides	Fresh salad Sweetcorn	Sour cream Cheese	Seasonal Vegetables		Beans or Garden Peas

and also jacket potato either plain or with Tuna & Onion/ Cheese/ Baked beans



YEAR 4L BEE KEEPING VISIT



We're happy to report that the weather was on our side and 4L finally made their long-awaited trip to the Bee Field! 🐝☀️

What a buzzing day it was! We had an amazing time exploring the hives, even managing to spot the elusive queen bee herself. The fun didn't stop there—everyone got hands-on making their own candles, building hive frames like true beekeepers, and sampling some delicious honey (with plenty of flapjacks to keep energy levels high!).

Most importantly, we showed great courage, faced a few fears, and came away with unforgettable memories and big smiles all around. 🍯



ENGINEERING AWARDS

We are proud to celebrate another successful year in the national engineering competition, "If You Were an Engineer – What Would You Do?"

Our pupils achieved our best results yet, with **10 Highly Commended** awards and **11 competition winners**, showcasing exceptional creativity and engineering skills. A special congratulations goes to Ava in 6J, who received the prestigious **Judges Award**, selected as the outstanding entry from all submissions across Jersey. Her invention, an AI family designed to support people living with dementia, was recognised for its innovation, thoughtful design and real-world impact. An incredible achievement—well done, Ava!



WORLD OCEAN DAY

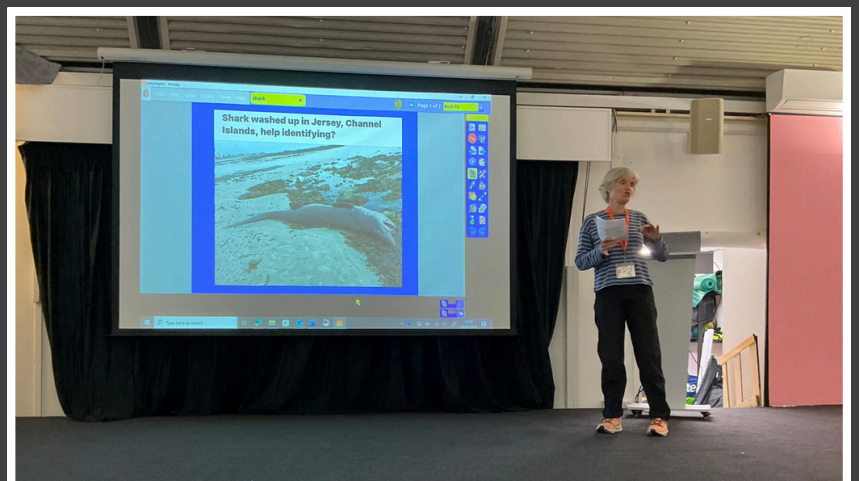
Monday 8th June was World Ocean Day

Rose-Anne Mitchell from Plastic-Free Jersey (an initiative that brings together individuals, groups, businesses and organisations to reduce the amount of plastic we use) hosted our World Ocean Day Assembly.) We learned that ..

- Jersey holds "Plastic Free Community" accreditation from Surfers Against Sewage
- While our island's 43 miles of coastline are highly beautiful, we face significant microplastic and single-use pollution.

Key Facts & Local Issues

- **Top Pollutants:** Surveys on stretches like Grève d'Azette have revealed thousands of plastic pieces, primarily dominated by nylon fishing ropes, degraded fragments, and bottle caps.
- **Marine Hazards:** Deteriorating synthetic rope from fishing pots poses a significant entanglement and reef-damage hazard in the island's dynamic tidal waters.
- **The "3-Piece" Rule:** The government and local groups encourage everyone visiting the coastline to pick up at least three items of rubbish every time they visit the beach.
- **Top Community:** Jersey was named a top 10 plastic-free seaside community in the British Isles due to its active local movement.



WORLD OCEAN DAY

Please join forces with Plastic-Free Jersey for their scheduled 'Microplastics' Beach Clean and do your bit to actively reduce plastic waste and nurdles on our beaches!

Date: Saturday 27th June,

Time: 10am,

Location: St Aubin, Meet - Pinel Slipway, Park - Layby 6.

Bring own gloves - buckets provided!

Save the date!




You can reduce your single-use plastic consumption wherever you are.

You can:

- carry a bag with you so you don't need to buy a plastic bag when you're shopping
- use a reusable cup for tea and coffee on the go (you might even get a discount)
- use a reusable water bottle
- take your own cutlery and tupperware if you are eating out and about
- say no to straws
- look at plastic free alternatives for your home
- buy loose fruit and veg
- use refillable cleaning products
- use food containers rather than wrapping left overs in cling film
- shop in places that offer plastic free alternatives
- pick up plastic from the beach and country lanes when you are out



THIS WEEK IN SCIENCE

 Reception explored their hands and feet, comparing them carefully and creating handprints for an ordering activity next week. They also discussed how we use our hands and feet every day.



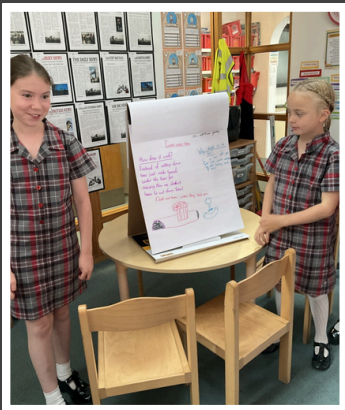
 Year 2 became eco-warriors, investigating litter in our local environment, its impact on wildlife and how we can all help make a difference.



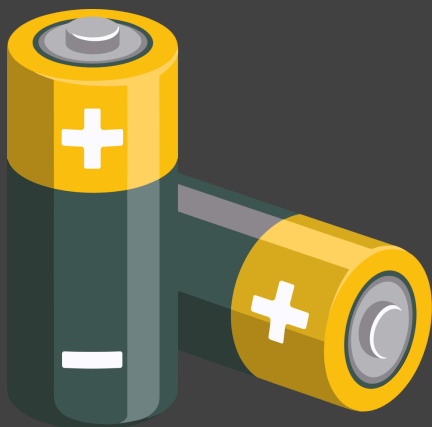
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☀️ Year 3 developed their working scientific skills by designing solar ovens. Next week, they will test how changes such as insulation, extra reflective foil and size affect their ovens' performance.

🌳 Year 4 have been learning about deforestation, exploring its causes and planning projects to help tackle its environmental impact.



💡 Year 6 investigated whether increasing the number of batteries affects the brightness of a bulb or the loudness of a buzzer. Thankfully, only a few bulbs blew in the process! Another fantastic week of scientific discovery at JCP! 🔬



MUSIC CLUBS WEEK COMMENCING 15TH JUNE

Monday

Ukulele, Garden Chalet, 3-4pm

Tuesday

Strings Ensemble, Music Room, 12.30-1300

Friday

Orchestra, Music Room, 8-8.45am



YEAR 2 INFORMAL MUSIC CONCERTS

We are delighted to invite you to an informal music concert showcasing the incredible progress your children have made over the past two terms in our music project, run in partnership with the Jersey Music Service.

During the concert, the children will perform on the ukuleles, p-buzzers, and recorders. You will also enjoy some composition work and singing, highlighting the diverse musical skills they have developed.

Concert Dates:

2C - Monday, 29th June, 9:00–9:30 am (doors open 8.45am)

2B - Monday, 6th July, 9:00–9:30 am (doors open 8.45am)

2DD - Tuesday, 7th July, 2:00–2:30 pm (doors open 1.45pm)

The concerts will take place in the Music Room. Please enter through the outside music room doors by walking around the building and down the slope towards Year 2. We kindly ask that you do not walk through the school building.

The concerts were really enjoyed by parents last year. We look forward to welcoming you and sharing this special musical celebration.



KIDS TRIATHALON

Last weekend, lots of children from JCP took part in the kids Triathlon at Les Quennevais. The event is a fun, inclusive event which is based purely on participation and fun!

The event has been organised to raise money for Blood Cancer UK - Jersey branch, which has supported lots of people in Jersey through their illness.

Some of our pupils were taking part for the very first time, whilst others have more experience of the event and of triathlon. The "race" started with a swim, before the children ran out to find their bike to cycle around the track, culminating in a run around the fields at Les Quennevais.

Conditions were less than favourable, with rain falling and wind swirling for the older children, and whilst the rain died down in the afternoon, the younger children faced an extremely windy course.

Well done to all those that took part - we are very proud of you all. Congratulations to Olivia, who was also given the honor of running with the Kings Baton as part of the commonwealth games baton relay.



PE CLUBS WEEK COMMENCING 15TH JUNE

Monday

Cricket Club, Year 2, Hall, 12-12.30

**Athletics Club, Group 2 Years 5/6 , FB Fields , 15.00-16.15
(not on this week as per original correspondence)**

Year 5 & 6 Athletics Championships, 1.00-4.30pm at the FB fields

Tuesday

Year 5 & 6 Athletics Championships, 2.00-5.00pm at the FB fields

Cricket Club, Year 6, St Michael's, 15.00-16.15

Wednesday

Year 5 & 6 Athletics Championships, 2.00-4.30pm at the FB fields

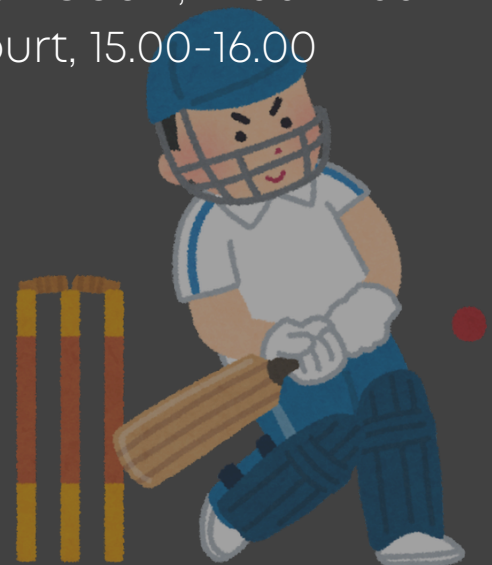
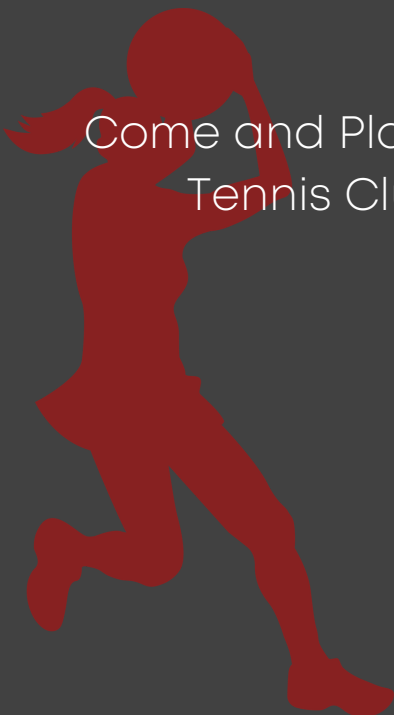
Multisports Club, Year 3&4, (not on this week as per original correspondence)

Netball Court, 15.00-16.00

Thursday

Come and Play Netball, Year 5, Netball Court, 12.00-12.30

Tennis Club, Year 3&4, Netball Court, 15.00-16.00





Fashion & Textiles Week

Join us for an immersive, week-long creative experience where sustainability meets design. Eco Fashion & Textiles Week is a hands-on, exploratory program designed for young artists and designers interested in environmentally conscious fashion and textile practices.

Inspired by nature, each day introduces sustainable techniques such as eco-printing, cyanotype, bundle dyeing, shibori, appliqué, and creative stitching. Through a combination of outdoor observation, studio work, and material experimentation, students will develop a unique final textile art piece or upcycled garment by the end of the week.

Dates: Monday 27th - 31st July

Time: 08:30-15:30

Location: Jersey College For Girls

Ages: 11 to 14

Cost: £300 per participant

[Book your space now!](#)

New Polyphony Tutors

We have two new Polyphony Tutors joining our team this September: Stephanie Humphries for piano and Stephanie Poropat for voice.

If you would like to sign up your child for lessons with them, please register your interest by filling out our application form [here](#)

Please contact polyphony@jcgfoundation.com should you have any questions.

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Wave Runners Monday 20 th to Friday 24 th July	An oceanic odyssey
Space Squad Monday 27 th to Friday 31 st July	An out-of-this-world camp
The Art Expedition Monday 3 rd to Friday 7 th August	Discover art from around the world and your own creativity.
French Fun Fest Monday 10 th to Friday 14 th August	Say "oui" to diving into French culture.
Global Groove Monday 17 th to Friday 21 st August	Come explore music from all around the world.
Fabric Fantastic Monday 24 th to Friday 28 th August	Learn new skills and get creative with textiles!

Creative Minds Summer Camps

This Summer, Creative Minds has planned seven weeks of fun specially designed for children to learn new skills, develop their knowledge and have fun in a safe environment. Each week has a different theme and specialist teachers will be joining us to lead engaging and educative activities. [For more information about the different themes, and to book, visit our website.](#)

Ad-Hoc Sessions

Little Leopards are offering ad-hoc Friday sessions for your children. Whether you are registered with the after-school club or not, you can book your child to be looked after from 15:00 to 17:30 for the cost of £15.

The team has planned a variety of engaging activities, including arts and crafts, creative projects, painting, and sensory play, all designed to support learning and enjoyment in a relaxed environment.

Click your chosen date below to book.

	Friday 19th	Friday 26th
Friday 03rd	Friday 10th	Friday 17th

