

Weekly Newsletter

20th September 2024

Upcoming Dates



September

23rd 5P Flu Nasal Vaccinations*

25th School Photos - Individual JCP pupil photos

October

2nd Year 5&6 Cross Country, Les Quennevais

7th PTA AGM and meeting, 18.00, School Hall or Meeting Room

7th 1C Woodland Wonders

9th 1S Woodland Wonders

11th 1G Woodland Wonders

18th Just One Tree Day

21st Parent Teacher Consultations, 17.00-19.00, Classrooms

24th Parent Teacher Consultations, 15.00-18.00, Classrooms

28th-1st Half Term Week

November

15th Children in Need

21st Year 5 Assembly, 14.00, Hall

27th Year 4 Swimming Gala, 13.15, Langford

29th Year 3 Swimming Gala, 13.15, Langford

Upcoming Dates



December

3rd Key Stage 2 Carol Service, 18.00, Methodist Church

4th Reception Nativity, 13.30, Hall

5th Reception Nativity, 9.15, Hall

11th Year 2 Production, 13.30, Hall

12th Year 2 Production, 9.00, Hall

13th Christmas Jumper Day

16th Year 1 Christmas Singing, 14.00, Hall

17th Year 1 Christmas Singing, 9.00, Hall

18th Christmas Party Day

19th Last day of term

***date change**

Our school website contains a lot of useful information - please see jcp.sch.je

Headteacher's Message

It's been a wonderfully busy week at school! A special mention to our Reception children, who have just completed their first full week in school—we're so proud of how well they've settled in!

Our Year 4 pupils have also had a busy week, starting their Jèrriais lessons, enjoying their first whole-class flute sessions and a trip to La Hogue Bie.

Year 5 had a fantastic time on their residential trip to the Scout Centre, with amazing weather making it even more memorable. Don't forget to check out the photos from their adventure on our social media pages.

Year 6 had a lovely afternoon visiting JCG for their Tea and Tours, giving them a great opportunity to explore and engage with their future learning environment.

Lastly, a big well done to the whole school for being so amazing during the flu vaccinations this week. Everyone handled it like champions!

Thank you
Mrs Precious

2024

Tinathon

This year we will be, once again, taking part in the annual Tinathon in aid of the Shelter Trust for the Homeless.

We would be very grateful if you could spare a tin of food to help this worthy cause. There will be a collection point in the foyer.

Please could any donations arrive by Wednesday 2nd October.

Thank you





Creative Opportunity!

Please find following a message from Ocean Culture Life:

We are thrilled to invite your students to take part in an extraordinary creative opportunity!

Ocean Culture Life, in partnership with Space for a Better World and the Space for Art Foundation, is calling on young artists across Jersey to showcase their imagination and love for the sea and outer space.

What comes to mind when your students think of the ocean or outer space? We want to see it! Encourage your students to create an artwork inspired by our ocean planet, and their creations could be displayed on the iconic Piccadilly Lights in London this October.

This is an exciting chance for your students to have their art seen on one of the world's most famous platforms and to be part of a global movement that connects creativity, the ocean, and space exploration.

Please watch our video invitation for more details:

<https://youtu.be/BWyxYygTKHl>

We can't wait to see the creativity of Jersey's young artists come to life!

A PARENTING TALK CHILD ANXIETY – HOW YOU CAN BEST SUPPORT YOUR CHILD

When supporting children and young people with anxiety the focus is often on how we can change the child. However, in this talk we will be teaching parents about the changes you can make to your own behaviour in order to best support your child. These simple changes can often have a big impact which helps reduce your child's anxiety.

[Click to Register Your Interest](#)



Tuesday

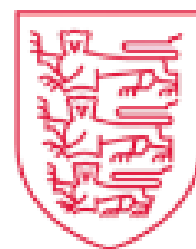
24 Sept. 2024



6pm – 7pm



JCP Hall



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Prep

Just a reminder that our Supportive Parenting talk from CAMHS is on Tuesday 24th September at 6pm. Parking will be available on both the upper and lower levels of the College car park. Entry to the school will be via the main office entrance. Teas and coffees will be available.

School Photos on Wednesday

On Wednesday 25th September the school photographer, Bentley Photographic, will be in school during the morning to take individual pupil photographs.

All children should wear their full school uniform to school on this day including red jumpers (and also blazers for Key Stage 2, if they have one).

Those with PE / Sports

Year 2 & 6 - may wear trainers to school on this day with their uniform

4L - please bring swimming kit and 4J – please bring PE kit in a bag.

Year 4 - if taking part in the lunchtime netball club please bring trainers in a bag.

If your child is taking part in an after school sports club please can they remember to bring the necessary kit with them to school.

Year 6 will have their leadership photos taken during the morning and if you have more than one child at JCP we will arrange for a sibling photograph. Please be advised that we are not able to facilitate photos with siblings from other schools.





Organisation

We continue to remind the children about being organised (as well as being resilient!) which includes having all they need for the day when they come to school.

Please could you help us by reminding them and checking that they have all they need for the day ahead too?

PTA

The PTA Annual General Meeting (AGM) will take place on Monday 7th October at 6pm in school.

At this meeting, we will be electing a new Chairperson, as Amy Hall will be stepping down from her role. We would like to take a moment to express our heartfelt thanks to Amy who has dedicated countless hours over the last few years in supporting the school and its community. We are incredibly fortunate to have had her leading our PTA, and her contributions will be felt for years to come.

In addition, there will also be the annual elections for the positions of Secretary and Treasurer.

Following the AGM, we will have our first PTA meeting of the year, and we are always looking for new volunteers and fresh fundraising ideas. This is a great opportunity to get involved and support your school community.

We encourage all parents to attend, whether you are interested in standing for a position or just want to contribute your ideas and enthusiasm.

The meeting will also be available on Teams. Please contact jcpreppta@outlook.com if you would like to join remotely or if you have any questions.

Thank you for your continued support, and we look forward to seeing you there!

Year 4 Flute Project

There has been great excitement in 4J and 4L with the launch of the Instrumental Project this term. Both classes have had their first flute lesson with Mr Connan and can bring home their instrument to practice at home. Please remember your child must bring their flute on the day of their lesson – 4J on Tuesdays, and 4L on Fridays.

Instrumental Lessons

Please contact Polyphony at s.haskins@jcgfoundation.com or the Jersey Music Service directly if you have any queries regarding lessons and the timetable.

Music Clubs

All music clubs are running each week and have been very well attended. Here is the Strings Ensemble rehearsing last week with Miss Millow.



Music

Clubs Next Week

Monday

Ukulele, 15.00-16.00, Garden Chalet

Tuesday

Strings Ensemble, 12.30-12.55, Music Room
Senior Choir, 15.00-16.00, Hall

Wednesday

Wind Ensemble, 12.30-12.55, Music Room

Thursday

Junior Choir, 12.30-12.55, Music Room

Friday

Orchestra, 8-8.45, Music Room
Signing Choir, 12.30-12.55, Music Room

PE

Clubs Next Week

Monday

Year 6 Netball Club, 15.00-16.15, Netball court

Tuesday

Year 2 Just Dance, 12.00-12.30, Hall

Wednesday

Year 4 Netball Club, 12.00-12.30, Netball Court

Year 5&6 Football Club, 15.00-16.15, Heathfield

Year 5&6 Hockey Club, 15.00-16.15, Astro

Thursday

Football Club, Year 2, 12.00-12.30, Hall

Netball Club, Year 5, 15.00-16.15, Netball Court

