

## PARENTS' BULLETIN

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June 2019



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### UNIFORM

It is common at this time of year that some students find wearing our uniform more challenging. In particular, we have had a surge in the number of students wearing nose studs and noticeable false nails, so I would like to clarify:

#### Nails

The current policy is that 'nails should be of a sensible length (eg safe to do PE) and that nail varnish or acrylic nails should be discrete and suitable for school in colour and design'. It should not be obvious that students are wearing either false nails or nail varnish. Please resolve any issues over the weekend as on Monday students will be expected to remove these or remain with their tutor if this cannot be rectified.

#### Nose studs

Although nose studs are not allowed, there has been some confusion over whether they can be covered with a plaster or replaced with a retainer. For the rest of this term, we will accept a plaster over a nose stud if it has just been pierced, otherwise they must be removed. From September a covering plaster will not be accepted so please be mindful of this if your child requests that they get a piercing in the holidays.

### YEAR 11 PROM

There are a few remaining tickets still available for the Year 11 Prom being held at the Hythe Imperial on Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June. Please contact school for more information.

### NEXT YEAR

Although not a change from us, you may know that the May Bank Holiday has changed in order to coincide with the 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of VE Day. It has now been moved back 4 days to Friday 8<sup>th</sup> May 2020.

### OPPORTUNITIES FOR NEW POST 16 STUDENTS

Is your son or daughter joining The Marsh Academy P16 in September? If so, we are looking to recruit part-time staff to work in our Leisure Centre during evenings and weekends. There are different roles available, with successful candidates starting in July and August. If interested, please pick up an application form from the leisure centre reception.

### HOME TO SCHOOL TRANSPORT

Home to School transport applications are now available from Student Office or online. KCC deadline is Friday 12<sup>th</sup> July 2019. KCC Travel Saver 19/20 application forms are also available from Student Office or online (formerly known as Young Persons Travel Pass). KCC deadline is Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> July 2019.

Students who get the Hamstreet/Aldington coaches will be contacted by the end of term to confirm arrangement for next year, which will be broadly similar to this year.

### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

School Show – 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> July 7pm  
Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> July – last day of term 6, 1pm finish