

Weekly Newsletter

25th May 2018



I'd like to take a moment to say how impressed I am by our students, especially our current Year 11.

I am always blown away by the commitment and inventiveness of our amazing students. I believe there is no obstacle they can't push through or barrier they can't scale.

I encourage our Year 11 students to keep up the hard work, and attend the revision sessions we've arranged over May half-term.

When our students come back after half-term there will be just two weeks of core GCSEs left, and I will have to regretfully say goodbye to an amazing bunch of personalities.

I am tempted to keep them in school forever, but it's time for them to move on to the next stage in their lives, spread their wings and see where fate takes them.

Mrs Atkinson
Headteacher



May Half-Term Revision

Year 11 students have personalised timetables. Students are not required to wear school uniform and can bring their own refreshments.

Tuesday 29th May 2018

- History: 10:00am - 12:00pm
- Spanish: 1:00pm - 4:00pm

Wednesday 30th May 2018

- English: 10:00am - 12:00pm
- Maths: 1:00pm - 3:00pm

Thursday 31st May 2018

- Science: 10:00am - 12:00pm
- Maths: 1:00pm - 3:00pm

Friday 1st June 2018

- Science: 10:00am - 12:00pm

The Week Ahead

Monday 4th June
History exam – AM

Tuesday 5th June
Get Exam Fit with Youth Sport Trust
English Language exam – AM
Geography exam – PM

Wednesday 6th June
Creative iMedia exam – AM
Spanish Listening & Reading exams – AM

Thursday 7th June
Maths exam – AM

Friday 8th June
English Language exam – AM
History exam – PM



Musicality – 21st June 2018

Students from BCHS will perform Musicality at Blackburn Empire Theatre on Thursday, 21st June 2018 from 7pm.

Tickets are £6 for Adults or £3 for Children 16 and under, available from Miss Lowe at school, Blackburn Empire box office on 01254 685500, or <https://blackburnempire.com/event/musicality/>



Internal Examinations

During May and June Years 7, 8, 9 and 10 will have end of year subject assessments.

In order to help your child to be fully prepared please ensure that they have at least two black pens, two pencils, a ruler, pencil sharpener, eraser, compasses, calculator and a protractor.

Year 7 & 8 exams will take place in class. Year 10 exams will take place in the Sports Hall mirroring GCSEs:

- Year 7 exam week: 25th – 29th June
- Year 8 exam week: 25th – 29th June
- Year 10 exam week: 18th – 22nd June



Students Star in Blackburn Movie

Kane, Leo and Kallum, all students from Blackburn Central High School, are the stars of Landsharks, a short film by award-winning Blackburn filmmaker Aaron Dunleavy.

The 15 minute film was commissioned by Stop Loan Sharks to raise awareness about important issues surrounding illegal money lending and the dangers of loan sharks.

It follows the life of a teenage boy, AJ, whose mum is struggling to make ends meet. AJ falls in with the wrong crowd and turns to a loan shark for money.



Request for Foodbank Donations

For the fourth consecutive year, our students and staff are supporting Blackburn Foodbank.

It would be very much appreciated if you could send your child in to school with one or more of the items listed below:

- Tinned fruit or vegetables, particularly tinned tomatoes
- Tinned meat or fish
- UHT fruit juice
- Biscuits or cereal

Some of our families are celebrating the Holy month of Ramadan, a time of spiritual reflection and charitable contributions. May I please request that you consider donating food items during this special time?

Many thanks for your continued support.

Ms Rathore

Pastoral Manager Year 7 / Community Lead



#TEAMBCHS

Good luck to our Year 7 girl's football team who recently entered a local football tournament.

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Summer 2018 Exam Timetable

DATE	EXAM SERIES	BOARD	QUALIFICATION	UNIT CODE	SUBJECT TITLE	SESSION	DURATION
04/06/2018	Jun-18	AQA	GCSE	8145/1D	History Paper 1D: Paper 1D america, 1920-1973: Opportunity & Inequality	am	1h 45m
05/06/2018	Jun-18	WJEC	GCSE	C700U10-1	English Language Component 1: Literary Reading and Creative Writing	am	1h 45m
05/06/2018	Jun-18	AQA	GCSE	8035/2	Geography Paper 2 : Challenges in the human environment	pm	1h 30m
06/06/2018	Jun-18	OCR	Cam Nat	R081/01	Creative iMedia: Pre-production skills, written paper	am	1h 15m
06/06/2018	Jun-18	AQA	GCSE	8698/LF	Spanish Paper 1 Listening Foundation	am	35m
06/06/2018	Jun-18	AQA	GCSE	8698/LH	Spanish Paper 1 Listening Higher	am	45m
06/06/2018	Jun-18	AQA	GCSE	8698/RF	Spanish Paper 3 Reading Foundation	am	45m
06/06/2018	Jun-18	AQA	GCSE	8698/RH	Spanish Paper 3 Reading Higher	am	1h
07/06/2018	Jun-18	Pearson	GCSE	1MA1 2F	Paper 2: Calculator Foundation Tier	am	1h 30m
07/06/2018	Jun-18	Pearson	GCSE	1MA1 2H	Paper 2: Calculator Higher Tier	am	1h 30m
08/06/2018	Jun-18	WJEC	GCSE	C700U20-1	English Language Component 2: Non-Lit Reading and Transactional Writing	am	2h 00m
08/06/2018	Jun-18	AQA	GCSE	8145/2B	History Paper 2B: Power and the People: c1170 to present day	pm	1h 45m
11/06/2018	Jun-18	AQA	GCSE	8461/2H	Biology Paper 2	am	1h 45m
11/06/2018	Jun-18	AQA	GCSE	8464/B/2F	Combined Science: Trilogy - Biology Paper 2	am	1h 15m
11/06/2018	Jun-18	AQA	GCSE	8464/B/2H	Combined Science: Trilogy - Biology Paper 2	am	1h 15m
11/06/2018	Jun-18	AQA	GCSE	8035/3	Geography Paper 3: Geographical Applications	pm	1h 15m
12/06/2018	Jun-18	Pearson	GCSE	1MA1 3F	Paper 3: Calculator Foundation Tier	am	1h 30m
12/06/2018	Jun-18	Pearson	GCSE	1MA1 3H	Paper 3: Calculator Higher Tier	am	1h 30m
13/06/2018	Jun-18	AQA	GCSE	8462/2H	Chemistry Paper 2	am	1h 45m
13/06/2018	Jun-18	AQA	GCSE	8464/C/2F	Combined Science: Trilogy - Chemistry Paper 2	am	1h 15m
13/06/2018	Jun-18	AQA	GCSE	8464/C/2H	Combined Science: Trilogy - Chemistry Paper 2	am	1h 15m
14/06/2018	Jun-18	AQA	GCSE	8698/WF	Spanish Paper 4 Writing Foundation	am	1h

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14/06/2018	Jun-18	AQA	GCSE	8698/WH	Spanish Paper 4 Writing Higher	am	1h 15m
15/06/2018	Jun-18	AQA	GCSE	8463/2H	Physics Paper 2	am	1h 45m
15/06/2018	Jun-18	AQA	GCSE	8464/P/2F	Combined Science: Trilogy - Physics Paper 2	am	1h 15m
15/06/2018	Jun-18	AQA	GCSE	8464/P/2H	Combined Science: Trilogy - Physics Paper 2	am	1h 15m
15/06/2018	Jun-18	AQA	GCSE	46851	Polish Listening	pm	50m
18/06/2018	Jun-18	Pearson	GCSE	5AR01	Arabic Unit 1 Listening and Understanding	pm	45m
18/06/2018	Jun-18	Pearson	GCSE	5AR03	Arabic Unit 3 Reading and understanding	pm	55m
18/06/2018	Jun-18	Internal			YEAR 10 END OF YEAR EXAMS	am/pm	
19/06/2018	Jun-18	Internal			YEAR 10 END OF YEAR EXAMS	am/pm	
20/06/2018	Jun-18	AQA	GCSE	46852	Polish Reading	am	1h
20/06/2018	Jun-18	AQA	GCSE	46854	Polish Writing	am	1h
20/06/2018	Jun-18	Pearson	GCSE	5AR04	Arabic Unit 4 Writing	pm	1h
20/06/2018	Jun-18	Internal			YEAR 10 END OF YEAR EXAMS	am/pm	
21/06/2018	Jun-18	Internal			YEAR 10 END OF YEAR EXAMS	am/pm	
22/06/2018	Jun-18	Internal			YEAR 10 END OF YEAR EXAMS	am/pm	



FAMILY ACTIVITY MORNING
MAKE HANGING BASKETS

Friday 1st June 2018

10:00am - 12:30pm at Crosshill School

Just £1 per person which includes refreshments
All children must be accompanied by an adult

To book your place contact Heather Lofthouse
at Crosshill by 1st May 2018

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