



MINTLAW ACADEMY PUPIL BULLETIN

Monday 10th June 2024

Respect Aspiration Inclusion Success

Curricular		
S6	S6 Head Prefect Candidates	L Duthie
	Interviews for Head Prefect will be Tuesday 11 th June. Please check list of names outside my office for times.	
S4	Prefects	L Duthie
	S4 Prefect Interviews will be Wednesday 12 th June. Please check list of names outside my office for times.	
S1 - S6	Displacements 11th June	N Robertson
	<p>On Tuesday 11th we need to displace classes from D1 & D2 all day for school show rehearsals.</p> <p>D1 P1&2 - 3F Drama – E5 P3&4 - 3G Drama – E5 P5 - Higher Drama – E5 P6&7 - N5 Drama – F12</p> <p>D2 P1 - 2-8 Drama – E9 P2 - 2-7 Drama – E9 P3 - 2-6 Drama – E9 P5 - NPA Drama – F11 P6 - 2-8 Expressive Arts – E9</p> <p>We also need to displace classes from D1 on Tuesday 18th June due to a Photography workshop happening in there all day.</p> <p>D1 P1&2 - 3F Drama – E5 P3&4 - 3G Drama – E5 P5 - Higher Drama – E5 P6&7 - N5 Drama – F12</p>	

S1 – S6	Reminder – First Floor Expectation	E McCluskey
	<p>Due to an increasing number of students carrying food on the first floor, a reminder of the First Floor Expectations for all S1 to S6 pupils:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - At no time during the school day, is food or drink (except water) allowed on the first floor. - Before Registration at 8.38am the first floor is closed to all S1-S3 pupils. - At lunchtime, the first floor is closed to all pupils for the first twenty minutes. - The only exceptions to these two rules about opening times are pupils with passes from Guidance and those taking part in clubs. <p>Whilst pupils are on the First Floor, they are expected to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Be respectful to all staff, learners and events taking place. - Abide by MERIT expectations - Have no food or drink, except water. <p>If they do not, they will be expected to leave the First Floor.</p>	
S1 – S6	PE – Reminders: MERIT expectations	
	<p>Please could pupils be reminded:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - A change of PE kit is required for PE lessons. If you forget, we have spare kit available. If you regularly forget, texts home will request support with organisation. - PE kit should NOT be worn outside PE lessons. You are allocated time before a lesson to change into kit and time at the end to change out. (Reg/Crew: please issue demerits if any pupils attend in PE kit as they have time to change even if it is P1) - Appropriate footwear should be worn on the astro at all times. No footwear is not acceptable. Please bring suitable footwear for PE lessons. - No phones should be brought in to practical lessons. These can be placed in the valuables tray (recommended) or left in bag in changing room (own risk). <p>Thank you in anticipation of your effort in meeting these basic MERIT expectations.</p>	

S1 – S6	Merit Points	K Pate								
	<p>Merit Points - Week commencing 03/06/24</p> <p>Issued by.... Registration teachers</p> <p>For... Consistently wearing school uniform</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Points up to 31/05/24</p> <table border="1" style="margin-left: auto; margin-right: auto;"> <tr> <td>Brucklay</td> <td>556</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Deer</td> <td>644</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Mormond</td> <td>655</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Ugie</td> <td>470</td> </tr> </table>	Brucklay	556	Deer	644	Mormond	655	Ugie	470	
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S1 – S6	School Show Tickets	N Robertson								
	<p>The Faculty of Creative Arts are delighted to present our School Show for 2024, "Back to the Musicals". Come along for a fabulous evening of entertainment and support the cast and crew on the 12th, 13th or 14th of June.</p> <p>Tickets are available to purchase for pupils and staff this Thursday lunchtime (6th) in the Drama dept and cost £5 per person.</p>									
S1 – S6	Locker Key	Admin								
	<p>Could all locker keys please be returned to the front office or paid for another year. Thank you.</p>									
S2	Elective	G Armstrong								
	<p>Here is a reminder of the group rotations are for Friday period 3 and 4 during the S2 Elective time. You should ensure you go to the correct place to register. If you cannot remember what group you are in, please check the lists in the canteen noticeboard.</p>									

	Week 1 7/6/24	Week 2 14/6/24	Week 3 21/6/24	Week 4 28/6/24	Week 5 5/7/24
Community Campaign	Group 1	Group 4	Group 3	Group 2	Group 2
Logic Week	Group 2	Group 1	Group 4	Group 3	Group 3
Team-building Skills	Group 3	Group 2	Group 1	Group 4	Group 4
Active Activities	Group 4	Group 3	Group 2	Group 1	Group 1

Community Campaign	Register in the Learning Plaza
Logic Week	Meet in B12
Team-building Skills	Meet in the Social Area
Active Activities	Meet at PE

S3 – S4 Esports Event- NESCOL Fraserburgh Campus J Sheridan

Fraserburgh NESCOL will be launching an Esports studio in the near future. No date has been set yet, but they have invited pupils from Mintlaw Academy to test pilot the event. Spaces are limited to 13 pupils and priority will be given to pupils interested in computing, social media, marketing or business and of course, gamers!

Please see Mr. Sheridan to state your interest.

S4 – S6 Prefects Required A Campbell

Prefect helpers are required for the upcoming Awards Ceremony on Thursday 20th June. Can you please see me in the office between F2 & F3 by the end of this week to confirm if you are able to help out. If I am not in my office, please write your name up on the notice board and I will arrange a meeting ahead of the 20th with those who can help.

S5 - S6 Book Amnesty E McCluskey

The English Faculty are having a Book Amnesty! If you have any of our school copies of Tally's Blood, Jekyll and Hyde, Streetcar Named Desire, Glass Menagerie, Sailmaker or any other books you would like to donate to the book store, please drop off to Mrs McCluskey in F11 or to the School Office. Thanks very much in advance.

S1 – S6 Lost Property Office Admin

A number of items have been handed into the front office from PE including a pair of size 5.5 Adidas Astro trainers.

Extra-Curricular Activities		
S1 – S6	Extra-Curricular Clubs in PE	A Laird
	<p>Please see the new days/times for extra-curricular clubs. Most of these start this week. (Mon 10th June).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mon lunch: Hockey (S1-6) - Mon lunch: S3 Boys Football - Mon 4pm: S1-6 Netball - Tues lunch: Senior Boys Football. - Wed lunch: S1-6 Volleyball - Wed lunch: S1 Boys football (starting August) - Thurs lunch: S1-6 Girls Football - Thurs lunch: S1-6 Rugby - Thurs 3pm: Badminton club (Term 2 and Term 3 only) - Friday lunch: S2 boys football <p>Please note that new participants are welcome to come along- you do not need to have attended or played for the team last session to be able to go along. Some teams will hold new trials if they need to cut numbers for the area for a training squad. Some clubs will have space to take extra numbers. If you have any questions please see a member of PE staff or the associated staff member.</p>	
S1 – S6	Scottish Book Trust Reading Schools programme	D Donald
	<p>Are you a keen reader, interested in raising the profile of reading in our school? Are you looking for a leadership opportunity? Would you like to help Mintlaw Academy attain accreditation from the Scottish Book Trust's Reading Schools programme?</p> <p>If you answered "yes" to any or all of these questions, our brand new Reading Schools group is the group for you!</p> <p>Come along to B19 on Monday 10th of June at 1.30 to find out more!</p>	
S2 - S3	Craft Club	G Armstrong
	S2-3 Craft Club will be on in B10 today at lunchtime.	
Pupils out of Class		
Canteen		
S1 – S6	Lunch Menu	Canteen

Salad is available daily (chicken, ham, tuna). Please place your order by 9.30am on the same day.

Monday

Soup: Lentil
Chicken Fajitas
Pasta Bolognaise & Garlic Bread
Turkey Burger
Quorn Bolognaise
Pasta Bolognaise
Pasta & Sauce
Cheese Panini
Cheese Pizza Panini

A Delight
Jelly
Fruit Pots

Tuesday

Soup: Tattie & Leek
Mince & Mealie
Cajan Chicken Pasta
Pasta & Sauce
Baked Potato with
Beans/Cheese
Italian Meatballs Ciabatta
Cheese Panini
Cajan Chicken Panini

A Delight
Jelly
Fruit Pots

Wednesday

Soup: Broth
Macaroni Cheese & Garlic Bread
Chicken Balti & Chapati
Sausage Roll
Macaroni Cheese
Pasta & Sauce
Cheese Panini
Chicken Mayo Panini

A Delight
Jelly
Fruit Pots

Thursday

Soup: Yellow Pea
Chicken Pie
Salmon Fish Fingers
Quorn Pie
Pasta & Sauce
Cheese Pizza Bagel
Cheese Panini
Chicken Tikka Panini

	<p>A Delight Jelly Fruit Pots</p> <p>Friday Soup: Lentil Breaded Haddock & Chips Herby Tomato Pasta & Garlic Bread Herby Tomato Pasta Pasta & Sauce Chicken Goujons in a Wrap Cheese Panini Cheese Pizza Panini</p> <p>A Delight Jelly Fruit Pots</p>	
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