



# MINTLAW ACADEMY PUPIL BULLETIN

Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> June 2024

## Respect Aspiration Inclusion Success

Curricular		
S1 - S6	<b>Displacements 18<sup>th</sup> June</b>	<b>N Robertson</b>
	<p>Displaced classes from D1 on <b>Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> June</b> due to a Photography workshop happening in there all day.</p> <p><b>D1</b> <b>P1&amp;2 - 3F Drama – E5</b> <b>P3&amp;4 - 3G Drama – E5</b> <b>P5 - Higher Drama – E5</b> <b>P6&amp;7 - N5 Drama – F12</b></p>	
S1 – S6	<b>Valencia Trip</b>	<b>W Ramsay</b>
	<p>If you have paid your deposit for the Valencia trip, please come to the PE base and collect a sheet so we can get your passport details.</p>	
S1 – S6	<b>Your Voice, Your Choice</b>	<b>B Thorley</b>
	<p>Are you interested in what is happening in your local area? Do you want to see change? Come along and have a chat. Also, if I spoke with you at the Youthie or about New Pitsligo, I would like to catch up with you on what happens next. I will be in the school library on <b>Monday lunchtimes</b> until the end of term so it would be great to see you.</p>	
S4 – S6	<b>🔊 Lunchtime Sessions: Summer Job Application Help! ⚙️</b>	<b>A Mackie</b>
	<p>Are you looking to earn some money this summer and want to find a job suited to you locally? Join us for our "Summer Job Application Help" sessions!</p> <p><b>When:</b> Today and next Tuesday <b>Where:</b> Learning Plaza <b>Time:</b> Lunchtime What you'll get:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>🔍 Advice on how to search for local jobs</li><li>📄 A CV and covering letter template to get you started</li></ul> <p><b>Open to everyone!</b> Drinks and biscuits will be provided. Don't miss this chance to kickstart your summer job search with some extra help and tasty treats!</p> <p>Please contact Ashley Mackie for more information.</p>	

**JOB APPL**

**MCR PATHWAYS**

**IT'S GOOD TO TALK**

**SUMMER JOB APPLICATION HELP**

**Come along:**

- Learn how to apply for local jobs
- Receive a covering letter template
- Receive a CV template
- Drinks and biscuits

**TUESDAY LUNCHTIMES**

<b>S5 - S6</b>	<b>Book Amnesty</b>	<b>E McCluskey</b>
	<p>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.</p>	
<b>S6</b>	<b>S6 Potential leavers this year</b>	<b>A Reid</b>
	<p>S6 and potential leavers this year – please come to the canteen period 6 today (Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup>) for a talk by aspire north. This will be highly useful to anyone who has any intention of going to either college or university post school.</p>	
<b>S1 – S6</b>	<b>Reminder – First Floor Expectation</b>	<b>E McCluskey</b>
	<p><b>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:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- At no time during the school day, is food or drink (except water) allowed on the first floor.</li> <li>- Before Registration at 8.38am the first floor is closed to all S1-S3 pupils.</li> <li>- At lunchtime, the first floor is closed to all pupils for the first twenty minutes.</li> </ul>	

- The only exceptions to these two rules about opening times are pupils with passes from Guidance and those taking part in clubs.
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**Whilst pupils are on the First Floor, they are expected to:**

- Be respectful to all staff, learners and events taking place.
- Abide by MERIT expectations
- Have no food or drink, except water.

If they do not, they will be expected to leave the First Floor.

**S1 – S6 PE – Reminders: MERIT expectations**

Please could pupils be reminded:

- 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).

Thank you in anticipation of your effort in meeting these basic MERIT expectations.

**S1 – S6 Merit Points K Pate**

Merit Points - Week commencing 10/06/24

Issued by.... **Registration teachers**

For... **Consistently being on time**

Points up to 07/06/24

Brucklay	611
Deer	708
Mormond	695
Ugie	563

**S1 – S6 Locker Key Admin**

Could all locker keys please be returned to the front office or paid for another year. Thank you.

S1 – S6

Lost Property

Office Admin

Various items have been handed into the front office from PE.

## Extra-Curricular Activities

S1 – S6

Extra Curricular Clubs

A Laird

**Mintlaw Academy - Extra Curricular Activities**

Activity Name	Year Group	Days / Dates	Time	Venue	Cost / Booking
Hockey	S1-S6	Monday	Lunch	MACBI Astro	FREE / PE Dept
Football	S2 Boys	Monday	Lunch	MACBI Astro	FREE / PE Dept
Netball	S1-S6	Monday	4pm-5pm	Games Hall	FREE / Online
Football	Senior Boys	Tuesday	Lunchtime	MACBI Astro	FREE / PE Dept
Boccia	S1-S6	Tuesday (term 2 & 3)	Lunchtime	Gymnasium 1	FREE / PE Dept
Volleyball	S1-S6	Wednesday	Lunchtime	Games Hall	FREE / PE Dept
Football	S1 Boys	Wednesday	Lunchtime	MACBI Astro	FREE / PE Dept
Girls Football	S1-S6	Thursday	Lunchtime	MACBI Astro	FREE / PE Dept
Rugby	S1-6	Thursday	Lunchtime	Outside	FREE / PE Dept
Badminton	S1-S6	Thursday (term 2 & 3)	2pm-4pm	Games Hall	FREE / Online
Football	S2 Boys	Friday	Lunchtime	MACBI Astro	FREE / PE Dept

**How to Apply** – To sign up for lunch time clubs please speak with the PE Department. For after schools clubs, sign up is online at: [Active Schools Mintlaw Network - Online Booking Form \(office.com\)](#) or scan one of the QR codes at PE to be taken to the form.

**Additional Information** – Please wear clothing and footwear ready for physical activity, and be prepared for weather conditions if taking part outside. The Sports Kit for All initiative is supported locally and if required please get in touch.

**Contact Details**

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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.

# 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.**

### **Tuesday**

Soup: Tomato  
Mince & Yorkshire Pudding  
Katsu Chicken Curry & Chapati  
Pasta Sauce/Cheese  
Veg Curry & Chapati  
Chicken Goujon Bun  
Cheese Panini  
Chicken Tikka Panini

Angel Delight  
Jelly  
Fruit Pots

### **Wednesday**

Soup: Lentil  
Roast Chicken & Mealie  
Cheese & Tomato Pizza  
Pasta & Sauce  
Turkey Burger  
Pizza  
Cheese Panini  
BBQ Chicken Panini

Jelly  
Angel Delight  
Fruit Pots

### **Thursday**

Soup: Potato Soup  
Chicken Singapore Noodles  
Macaroni Cheese & Garlic Bread  
Macaroni Cheese  
Pasta & Sauce/Cheese  
Turkey BBQ Ciabatta Melt  
Cheese Panini  
Cheese & Tomato Pizza Panini

A Delight  
Jelly  
Fruit Pots

### **Friday**

Soup: Lentil  
Chicken Goujons & Chips  
Turkey Meatballs & Pasta  
Baked Potato / Beans or Cheese  
Mini Meatballs & Pasta  
Chicken Burger

	Cheese Toastie Cheese Panini Cheese & Pepperoni Panini  A Delight Jelly Fruit Pots	
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