

# Court Fields School

## Parent Weekly 'What's Happening' Bulletin



### Message from Mrs Matthews

It's been super busy this week with Year 10 on Work Experience: thanks to them for representing us so well, and to all the fabulous employers who have supported us. We also had our Year 9 Parents' Evening, which was superbly attended, our Exmoor Challenge Practice Walk, and of course, thanks to our staff for the significant task of marking the Year 11 PPEs, Thanks for your support. Best wishes, Mrs Matthews



5th December 2025



### Lights Switch On

Amazing performances from our Glee Club at the Christmas light switch on event in Wellington town centre last weekend! Don't forget to book tickets for our Christmas Concert if you'd like to see more festive performances from our talented students: <https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/court-fields-school/>

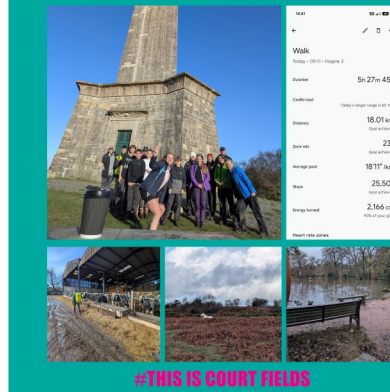


### Books for Year 7

We are pleased to announce that this week we have given all our Year 7 students their buzz books, funded by the library. We hope they enjoy their new books and that it helps them to discover new worlds, gain knowledge and foster a lifelong love for reading.



### Exmoor Challenge



Well done to our students and staff who completed their Exmoor Challenge practice walk at the weekend.

They walked from school, out through Rockwell Green and up onto the Blackdown Hills.

After a short break for lunch at Culmstock Beacon, the team made their way to the Wellington Monument. They got back to school in a shower of rain at about 2:45pm, earlier than expected despite Mr Etherington adding another mile or so to the route for good behaviour! They walked a healthy 12 miles and the students and staff were all amazing.

### Work Experience

Thank you so much to all the local businesses who have supported our Year 10s with work experience placements this week.



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## Homework Stars

Congratulations to our latest Homework Stars!

The winning students have been randomly picked from all students who have completed 100% Sparx homework to date this year and have won a chocolate bar. Well done all.

Homework Stars	
Maths Winners	
Yr 7 - Dani P	
Yr 8 - Nuridin S	
Yr 9 - Leah W	
Yr 10 - Harry G	
Yr 11 - Charles U	
Homework Stars	
English Winners	
Yr 7 - Tanogon C	
Yr 8 - Ellie S	
Yr 9 - Samuel S	
Yr 10 - Rhys A	
Yr 11 - George D	
Homework Stars	
Science Winners	
Yr 7 - Nigus B	
Yr 8 - Theodore W	
Yr 9 - Kaitie W	
Yr 10 - Theodor W	
Yr 11 - Huang W	

## Coming up next week:



### Year 11 Cuppa & Cake

Join Charity & Mr Redwood once a month in the Library, 3.15pm - 4.15pm, for general support with college applications, revision and wellbeing.

Monday 10th November  
Monday 8th December  
Monday 12th January  
Monday 9th February  
Monday 16th March  
Monday 11th May




## NON-UNIFORM DAY

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> December

Christmas theme/christmas jumpers encouraged!  
£1 donation via Scopay or cash to tutor



Save the Children



### 10th December

UCS college lunchtime drop-in session  
Year 11 Cuppa & Cake after school

### 11-12th December

Flu Vaccinations

### 12th December

Year 11 Sports Leaders  
Hollywood Bowl Trip

### 12th December

Non-uniform Day for Save the Children

### 15th December

Year 11 Rewards & Prefect Assembly

### 16th December

Year 7 Panto Trip

### 16th December

Year 8 Rewards Assembly

### 17th December

Year 9 Rewards Assembly

### 17th December

Christmas Concert (evening)

### 17th December

Year 11 Sports Leaders  
Hollywood Bowl Trip

### 18th December

Year 10 Rewards Assembly

### 19th December

Year 7 Rewards Assembly

### 19th December

End of term - early finish 12:45



### WELLINGTON WINTER HAPPY HEALTHY HOLIDAY PROGRAMME 2025

**TURNER ACTIVITIES:**  
LEARN NEW SKILLS  
DEVELOP COOKING ABILITIES  
MAKE NEW FRIENDS  
EMPOWERING ACTIVITIES  
ACCESS SUPPORT!

**ADDITIONAL INFO AND DETAILS:**  
Programme for young people aged 8-14 years.

**Suitable for young people with SEND:**  
\*Support with entrance fees via our Accessibility Fund, contact us for details.

**All places on a first come, first serve basis.**  
You will be contacted following registration to confirm your booking/s and to confirm event details.

**\*Events, programmes, and timings subject to change or cancellation based on areas out of our control.**

**FOR MORE INFO CONTACT:**  
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**KINGS ARMS COMMUNITY HUB**

## Proposed changes to Admission Arrangements across the Trust for 2027-28

The proposed arrangements for all our schools can be viewed on Devon County Council's website: [www.devon.gov.uk/admissionarrangements](http://www.devon.gov.uk/admissionarrangements), on each school's website and our Trust website.

The consultation runs from 25th November 2025 until 16th January 2026. You can comment at [schoolsadmissionpolicy-mailbox@devon.gov.uk](mailto:schoolsadmissionpolicy-mailbox@devon.gov.uk) or by emailing [admin@bep.ac](mailto:admin@bep.ac).

All Schools	Insert priority on exceptional need grounds.
Axe Valley Academy	No other changes.
Bishop's Hull Primary School	No other changes.
Court Fields School	Priority for catchment sibling children. Priority for children at a named linked BEP primary school
Cullompton Community College	No other changes.
Holyrood Academy	Extend age range (2-18) as an all-through school. Reception PAN = 30.
Holyrood Academy Sixth Form	No change.
Isambard Kingdom Brunel Primary School	Increase the PAN from 50 to 60.
Neroche Primary School	No other changes.
Orchard Grove Primary School	No other changes.
The Castle School	Increase the PAN from 237 to 240. Priority for catchment sibling children. Priority for children at a named linked BEP primary school.
Uffculme Primary School	No other changes.
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Wellesley Park Primary School	No other changes.

The admission arrangements will be determined by the end of February and published by 15th March next year.

Objections can be made up until 15th May 2026 to the Office of the Schools Adjudicator. Left, is a summary of the changes we are proposing:



Save the Date  
Court Fields Careers Event  
22<sup>nd</sup> April 2026



Places open to students from 10:00am - 2:00pm.  
How to apply to Wellington Community & Sports Centre: 01864 429510  
Please arrive 15 minutes before the start of the event.



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