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Dear Parents/Carers,

A reminder that National Apprenticeship Week is coming up from 5th – 11th February 2024. There will be lots of activities on offer for students, particularly Year 10 and Year 11 who may be thinking about their next steps following PCSA.

You'll find lots of information being shared on our Facebook and Twitter profiles over the coming weeks.

House Matches – Reminder

A reminder that PCSA House Matches will be taking place next week. Students are to come to school in their PE kit on the day of their house matches (please see timetable below).

	Year 10		Year 10	Year 9
Tues (06.02.24)				Year 9
Weds (07.02.24)			Year 7	
Thurs (08.02.24)	Year 8	Year 8	Year 7	
Fri (09.02.24)				

Year 11 Leavers – Photos

Tempest Photographers will be in school and taking the Year 11 leavers photos on Wednesday 21 February 2024 (timetable pictured). Tutors will also continue to remind students of this date and tutor slot.

Friendship group photographs will be happening from 3 – 4pm in the Main Hall. These are priced at £8 per student and cash on the day is required for these photos (correct money if at all possible).

09:00	11A1
09:20	11A2
09:40	11A3
10:00	11A4
10:20	11B1
11:00 – 11:20	BREAK
11:40	11B2
12:00	11B3
12:20	11B4
12:40	11C1
13:00	11C2
13:20 – 13:50	LUNCH
14:00	11C3
14:20	11C4
14:40	MISSING PHOTO STUDENTS
15:00	FRIENDSHIP GROUP PHOTOS

The Uniform Exchange (message from founder, Lee Molton)



I am writing to inform you of the recent closure of the Hope Uniform Exchange, a valuable resource for parents in need of assistance with acquiring school uniforms. Unfortunately, the increasing costs associated with rents, insurances, transportation, and administrative obligations became unsustainable for us to self-fund.

Despite the closure, I would like to draw your attention to the new initiative we have launched to continue supporting parents in North Somerset and Somerset. We have created a monitored Facebook group titled "The Uniform Exchange (Somerset & North Somerset)" accessible at this link:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/theuniformexchange>.

The purpose of this group is to facilitate direct communication between parents for uniform donations and requests, eliminating the need for storage facilities.

'Blood Brothers' at the Theatre Royal, Bath (9 – 13 April)

For GCSE English Literature, all Year 10 and Year 11 students study Willy Russell's 'Blood Brothers'. The play is currently touring and will be in Bath during the Easter holidays. This offers a great local opportunity for students to go and see the play in performance, enhancing their knowledge and understanding. Tickets are available through the following link.

<https://www.theatreroyal.org.uk/events/blood-brothers/>

Upcoming Events

After-school clubs and KS4 Prep for Success sessions continue – head to our website to find out what's on next week. Please also refer to the calendar on your Weduc app. This gives you all the upcoming events for the rest of the academic year and is regularly updated.

Wednesday 7 February

Berlin Trip Parent/Carer Information Evening

Thursday 8 – Sunday 11 February

Year 10 & 11 Humanities Trip (Rome)

As always, if you have any questions or queries, please get in touch with the school directly and we will be happy to help.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Markoutsas'.

Mr Markoutsas
Principal

