

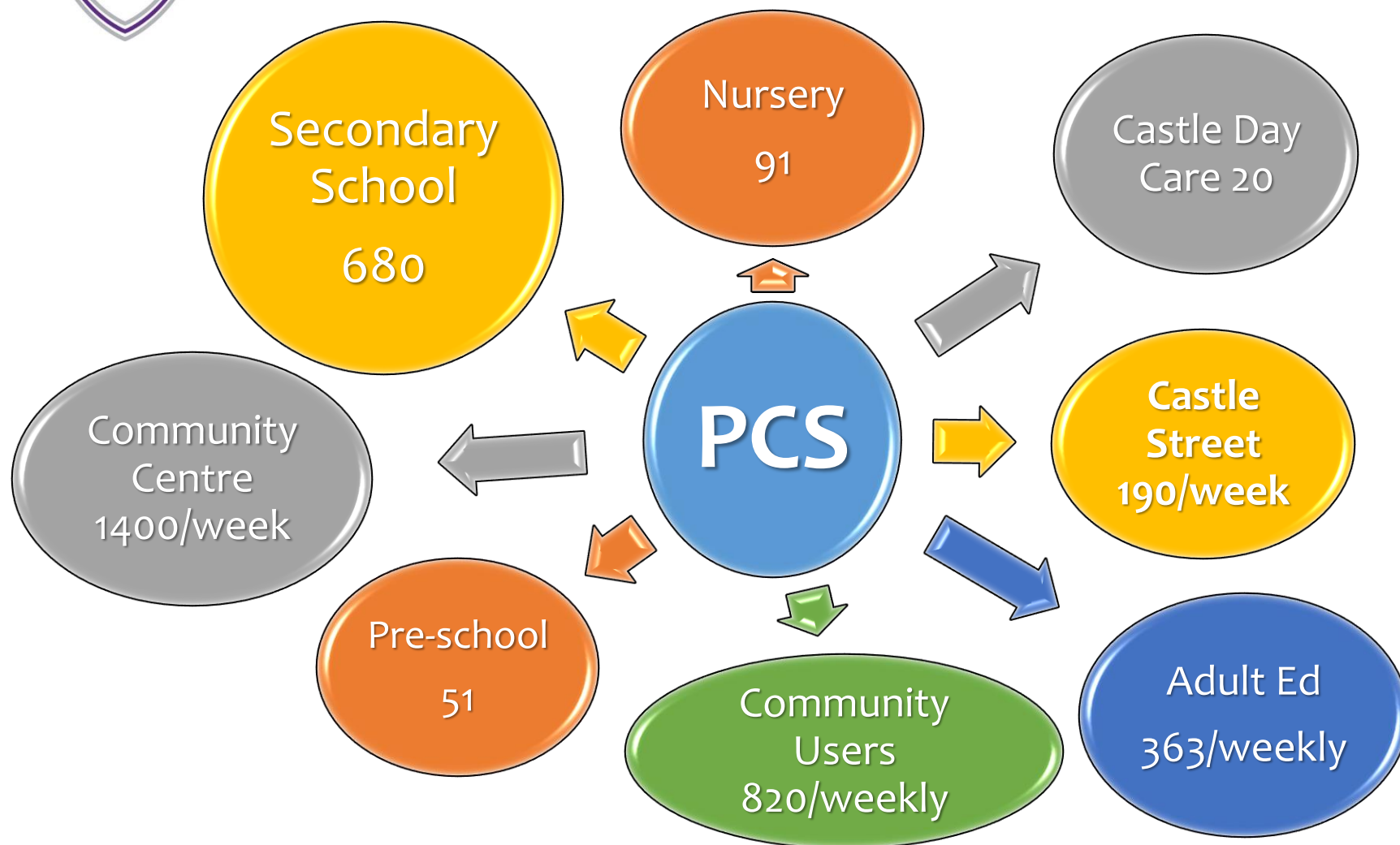


**Headteacher's welcome**

**Presented by Richard Carlyle**



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**Richard Carlyle-Headteacher**



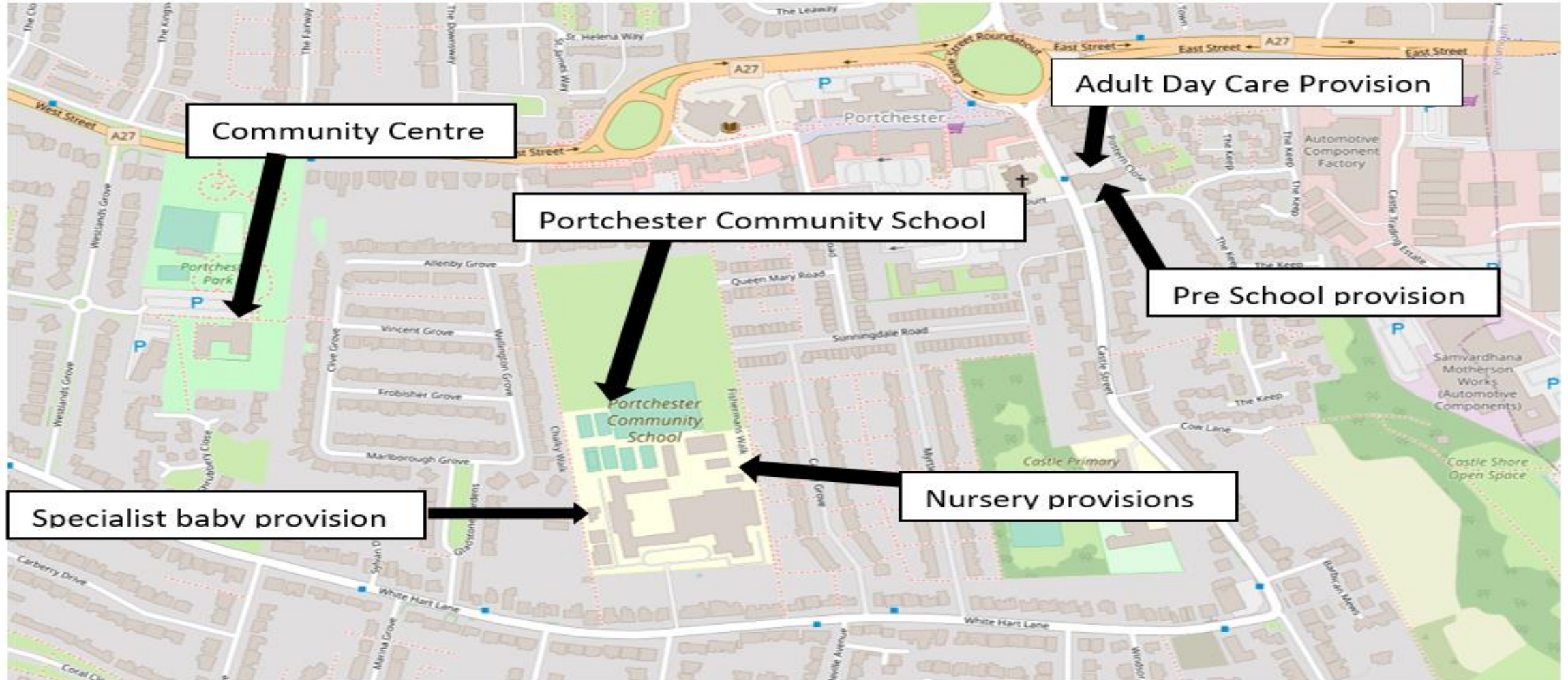
Over 3500 weekly users – over 19% of the total community on a regular basis





# Portchester Community School – A ‘Social Enterprise’ in action.

## Working for our Community



# Portchester Community School.

## From 'Vision to Provision'

### Successful students who;

- Achieve their potential, are Literate, Numerate, can use New Technologies, have the skills to be independent self motivated learners, inspire others. Value learning and understand the impact and rewards of being a successful student

### • Confident students who;

- Can explore and express learning through a range of mediums including Sport, Literature and The Arts. Understands and enacts safe and healthy behaviours. Is ambitious for themselves and others. Can compete and co-operate. Is confident and able to explore the world they live in through travel, experience, research and imagination.

### • Responsible students who;

- Can be an active and effective citizen – who understand British Values.
  - Can rationalise 'right from wrong' and articulate a view of justice.










# Student Support structure

Year 7 Mr Shaul  
Transition into Year 7  
Mrs K Kingston




Year 8 Mr Barrett  
Mrs Finch



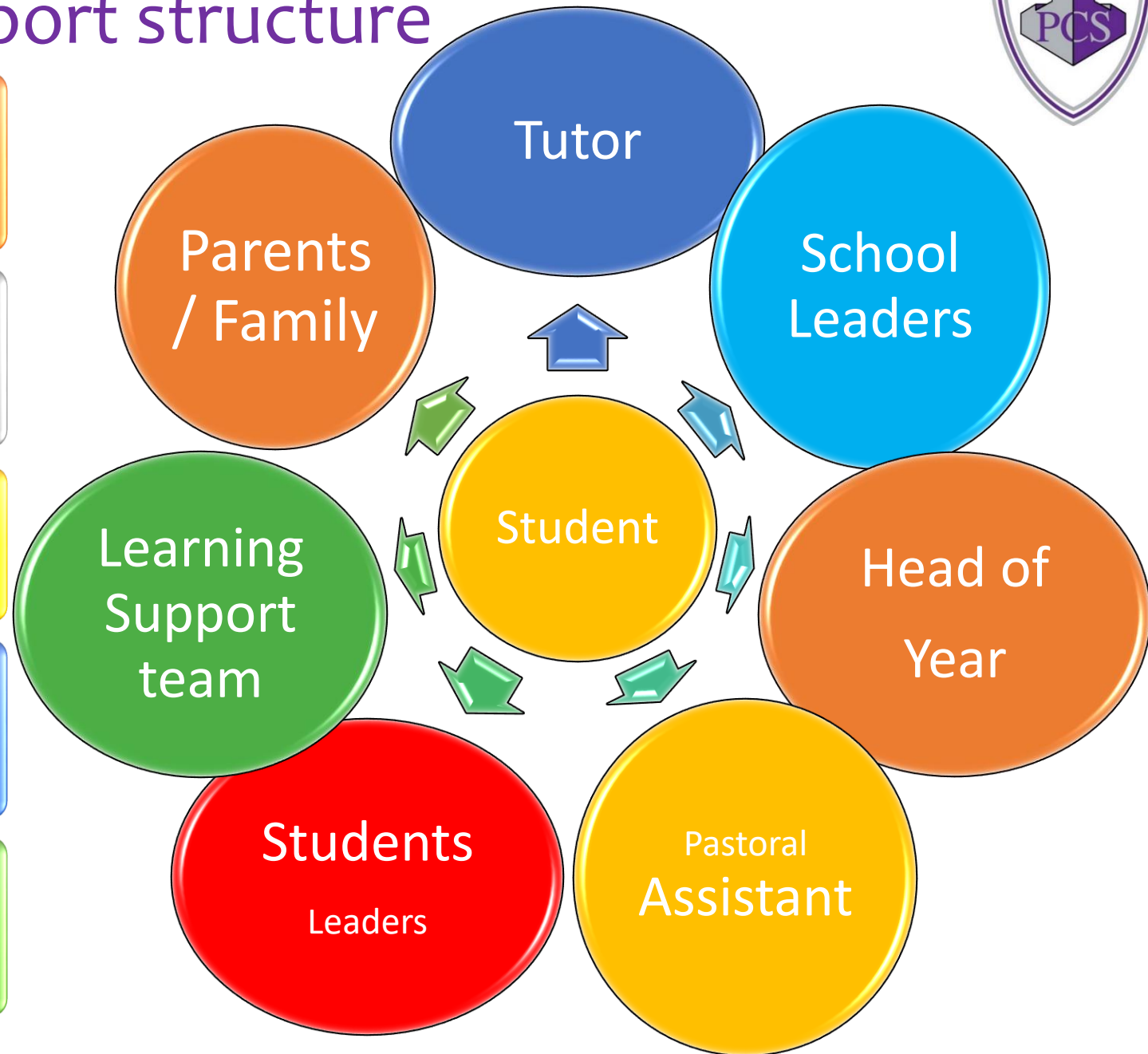
Year 9 Mr Webb  
Mrs Mudge



Year 10 Mrs Rixon  
Mr Thompson



Year 11 Mr James  
Mrs Druce





# Student Leadership Team 2021 / 22





**LET** The Institution of  
Engineering and Technology

**Faraday  
Challenge Day  
Winner**







**Portchester PE Dept** @PortchesterPE · Jul 1

Congratulations to the following students who have qualified for the County Athletics Championships- Field Events!

Jack Murphie, Shavar Brooks, Joe Cave, Kathryn Primmer (Shot)

Max Richards (Vortex)

Niamh Hedley (Long Jump)



**Portchester PE Dept** @PortchesterPE · Jul 1

Congratulations to the following students who have qualified for the County Athletics Championships- Track Events!

Morgan Harms (100m)

Lauren Aitken (150m)

Oli Lock (200m)

Luke Scriven (800m)

Fergus Meenahan (1000m)

Thanks to [@nathanlipsham](#) for the photos!







# Diversity

## Summer Term Photography Competition

This term we would like you to submit your photographs on the theme of **DIVERSITY**.

How would represent the idea of **DIVERSITY** through a photograph?

What makes a diverse community? Ages, ethnicity, gender, sexuality, wealth, occupations, housing, fashion choices?

Your image could use places or objects instead of people.

You may want to look at incorporating the rainbow colours or create a patchwork of images.

Please submit your photographs to **Mr Grant** via email/Teams by **Friday 2nd July 2021**.

**Prizes for creative entries!**







- Improvement has been based on a **strong moral compass** and an approach to ‘marginal gains’, which is shared throughout the school and with the **whole community**.
- The importance of all students achieving **the best possible qualifications** and that students develop **inclusive, caring** and **positive values** is evident throughout the whole school.
- It is clear that all members of the school community are very much on board ‘the yellow bus’.
- The video tour of the school was an absolute delight and represented so many of the **inclusive values** which lie at the heart of your vision.



There is strong evidence that promoting SMSC can contribute to **raising academic standards** and improving children's life chances (Banerjee 2013).

Through high quality SMSC education we have the opportunity to nurture reflective wisdom that will enable our children to make **wise and appropriate choices** that **will prepare them for life in modern Britain**.

Imagination  
integrity empathy  
persistence enjoyment  
awe the world self confidence religious  
non religious  
fascination emotions  
beliefs order feeling  
Spiritual  
creativity grow intangible wonder  
truth love values insight reason  
respect

conflict respect dilemmas  
ethical issues  
views discrimination  
care wrong crime  
fairness  
community  
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cultures premises  
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qualities societies families interdependence team  
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equality drama  
national experience concerts galleries  
dignity  
national experience concerts galleries  
equality drama



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## Alpine Adventures!







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## D of E Expeditions







Drop Everything and Read

# Read With a Child It's the Most Important 20 Minutes of Your Day



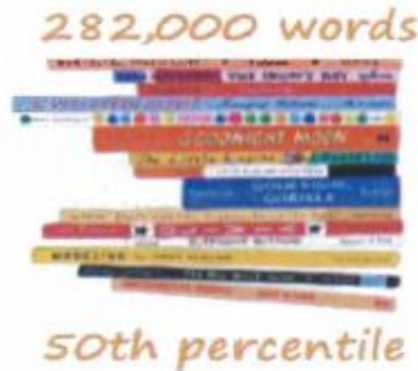
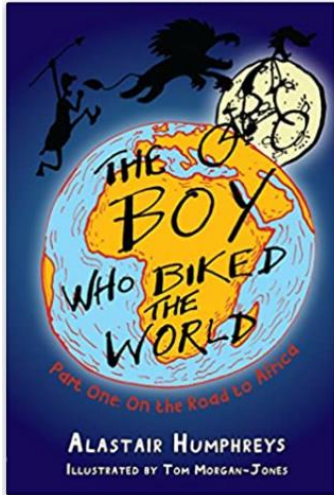
Accelerated Reader programme

Child "A"  
reads **20 minutes**  
each day  
3,600 minutes  
in a school year.

Child "B"  
reads **5 minutes**  
each day  
900 minutes  
in a school year.

Child "C"  
reads **1 minute**  
each day  
180 minutes  
in a school year.

LRC lessons



The more you **READ**,  
the more you **KNOW**,  
the more you **LEARN**,  
the more **places**  
you'll **GO!**  
-Dr. Seuss

Speak like an expert class focus

**Meet the Year 7 Team**

**Presented by Adam Shaul**





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## Year 7 Team 2021/22

**Year 7 Pastoral Assistant** – Mrs Kingston

**Tutors** –

Mrs S Kerens

Mrs K Lewry

Mr C Grove

Mrs M Richards

Mr P Walton

Miss H Vernon

**SEN** – Mrs Howell

In addition, all tutor groups will have an appointed Learning Support Assistant (LSA).

**Adam Shaul-  
Head of Year 7**



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## The Role Of The Tutor

- Your child's tutor is the first point of contact.
- We try to ensure that students stay in the same tutor group for the 5 years they are at PCS. This allows continuity of contact for the child's home and the opportunity to establish a working relationship.
- If you wish to see/talk/contact your child's tutor, please email or phone to make an appointment.



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## Home School Agreement

The 'spirit' of The Home School Agreement is for School and Parents to work in partnership and achieve for the student:

- ✓ High expectations of themselves (behaviour, uniform, attendance, etc.)
- ✓ Good punctuality;
- ✓ To meeting deadlines (homework);
- ✓ Being properly equipped and prepared;
- ✓ To be polite and abide by the school rules.





# Welcome to Portchester Community School



## Attendance

- ✓ Good attendance is very important;
- ✓ Good means above 95%;
- ✓ Poor attendance affects a young person's academic performance;
- ✓ If your child is going to be absent, please contact the school and inform us on the day (we will send you a text if we have not been notified).



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## School Clubs

- ✓ **Free** Breakfast club open from 7.30 am in the Odyssey Club.
- ✓ Many after school sports clubs ranging from trampolining to athletics and wheelchair basketball to badminton.
- ✓ A staff supervised Homework club in the Learning Resource Centre (LRC) from 3 to 4 pm.



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Recommended Footwear for Synthetic Surfaces					
Footwear Types					
3G Football Turf / Long pile Carpet	✓	✓	✗	✗	✗



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## Medical

### Jackie Grundy Medical Co-ordinator

- Please inform Jackie of any medical needs or regular medication.
- If there are any changes in circumstances around healthcare or medication please let Jackie know- it is important that we have the most up to date medical information on your child.





**Transition Project  
Summer School**

**Presented by Josie Grew**



**Year 6**  
**Transition Project**  
**Portchester Community School**  
**July 2021**



**Successful – enjoying learning and achieving their very best**  
**Confident - to live a safe, healthy and fulfilled life**  
**Responsible – to make positive and informed contributions to society**

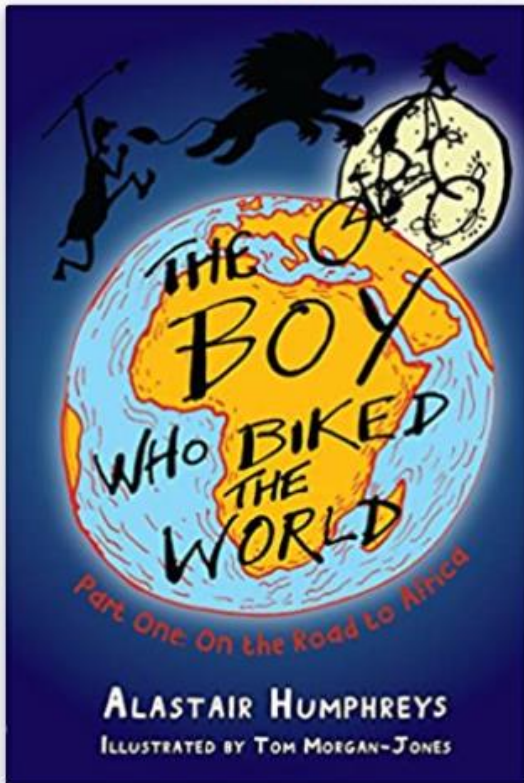


# Year 6

## Transition Project

### Portchester Community School

### July 2020



- This project must be completed over your **Summer holiday** in preparation for your learning in September.
- Work will be collected by your tutor and subject teachers in the first week of term.
- Make a great first impression by completing all tasks to the best of your ability!
- There will be positive points, certificates and prizes for the best work.

**THE BOY WHO BIKED THE WORLD**

**1. At PCS we believe successful students read. We hope you enjoy your new book!**

To support you the first chapter of the book has been read by a mystery guest, you can find this on our website.



**“Let us remember: One child,  
one teacher, one book, one pen  
can change the world.”**

**Malala Yousafzai**

**#actsofkindness #kindnessmatters**



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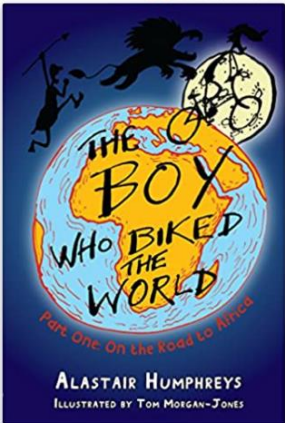
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## 2. Successful students are also creative

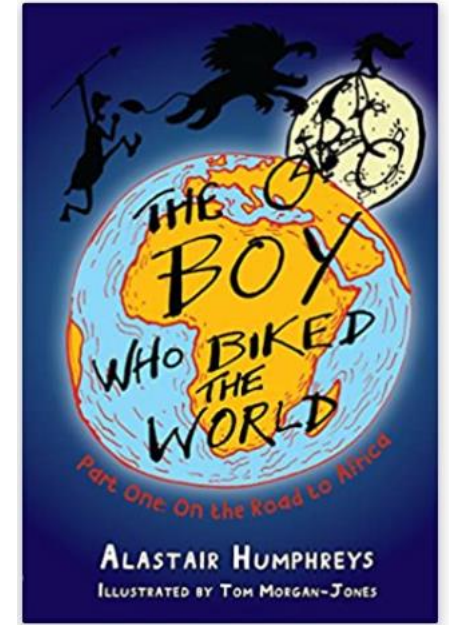


**Art-** Design a cycling top.

**Graphics-** Design a 3d film standee.

**Food Technology-** Create an under the sea themed edible treat.

**Resistant materials-** Create a 3D model of a famous landmark.



## Daydreams of Adventure

THE BOY WHO BIKED THE WORLD





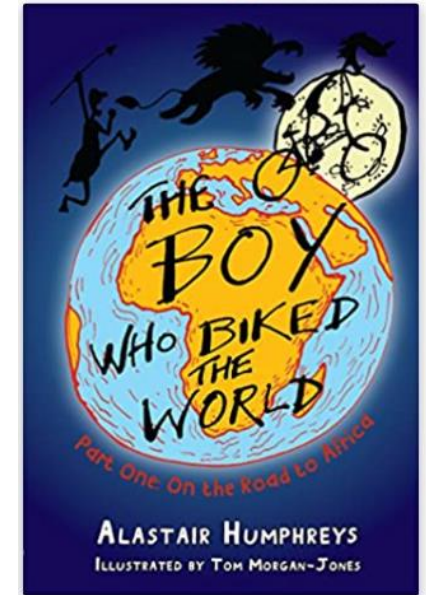


# 3. Successful students are also curious about the world



## Maths- Challenge

## Citizenship- Global Citizenship



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### TOM'S JOURNAL

#### WHERE I WANT TO GO AND WHY:

RUSSIA: biggest country in the world

VATICAN: smallest country in the world

EVEREST: highest mountain in the world

DEAD SEA: lowest place in the world (except for under the sea)

TIMBUKTU: because it sounds cool

ARCTIC: to see a polar bear

ANTARCTIC: to see a penguin

ANGEL FALLS: tallest waterfall in the world

~~MAMMOTH CAVE~~ biggest cave world

AUSTRALIA: to see kangaroos & koalas

CHINA: to see the famous Great Wall

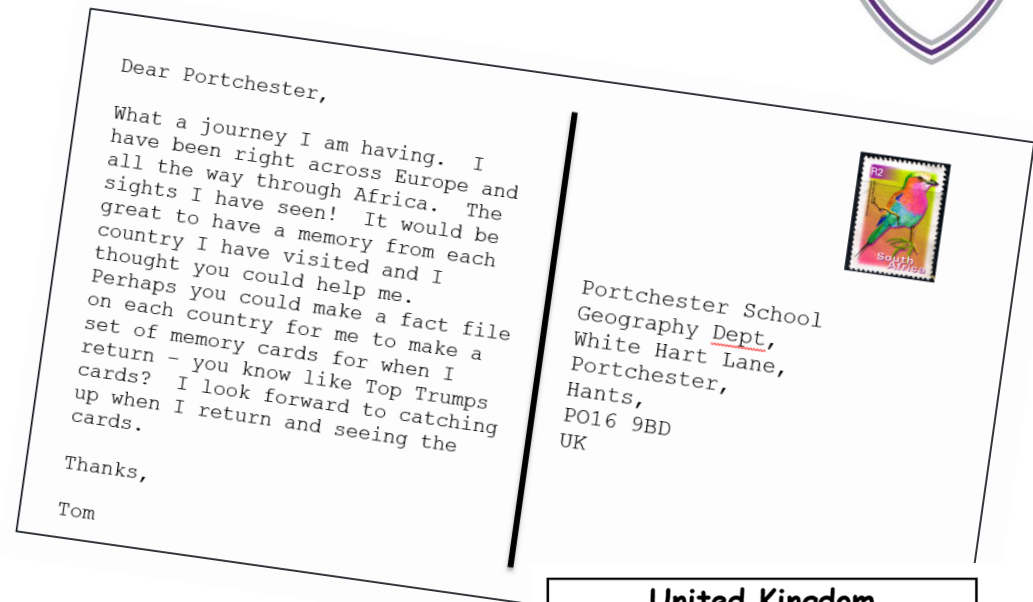
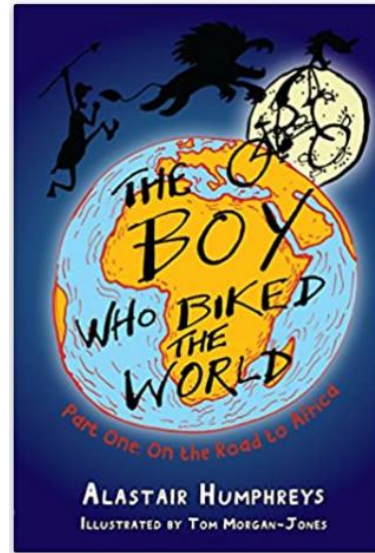
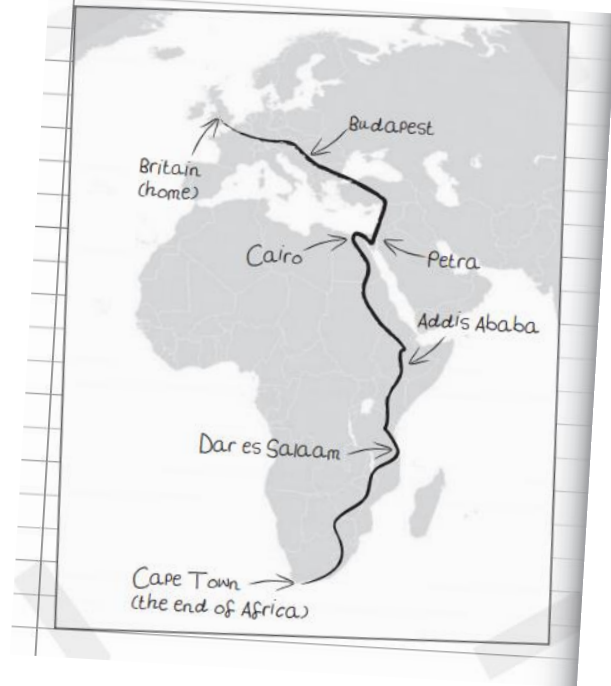
I want to go everywhere!

I want to see everything!





# 4. Successful students work independently



Science- Environments challenge  
Geography- Top Trumps

United Kingdom	
	
Population	63,181,775
Currency	£, GB Pound
Capital city	London
Language	English
Things to see	Stonehenge, Buckingham Palace

THE BOY WHO BIKED THE WORLD



## 5. Successful students work are reflective

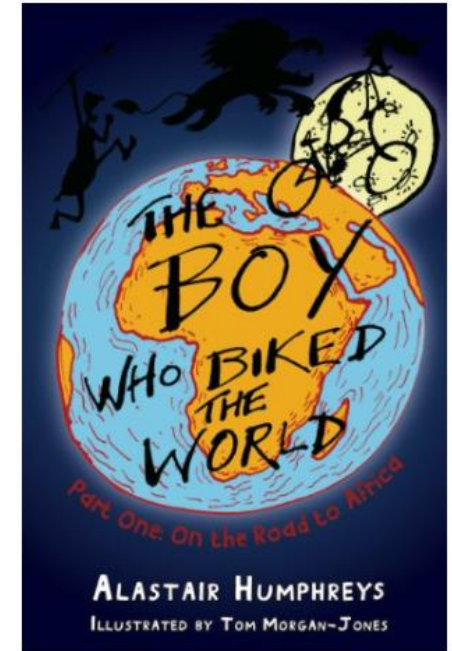


### YOUR JOURNAL

Plan what you'd take with you and what you'd leave behind, then draw a map of your journey.

During your journey, what are the main places you'd like to visit? Include drawings of the landmarks.

Write about a big adventure you have had and include some drawings.



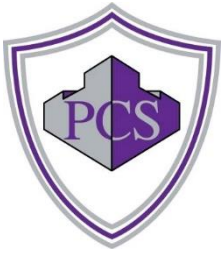
The Boy who Biked the World Part One: On the Road to Africa Kindle Edition

by Alastair Humphreys (Author), Tom Morgan-Jones (Illustrator) | Format: Kindle Edition

★★★★★ ~ 476 ratings

#actsofkindness #kindnessmatters





# 21 other things that you could do this summer.... How many can you complete?



1. Have a digital detox day– No phones, iPad or consoles!
2. Learn the lyrics to a new song
3. Play a board game
4. Visit Portchester or Southsea Castle
5. Read another book– check your reading lists for ideas.
6. Watch a sports event
7. Paddle in the sea
8. Take a photo of something important to you
9. Visit a library
10. Build a den or a tree house
11. Travel on a train
12. Bake a cake
13. Watch a film with friends or family
14. Build a sand castle
15. Climb a tree or a hill
16. Make a short speech to introduce yourself
17. Read a newspaper and write a response to the article
18. Send a postcard to the school from a trip you have taken.
19. Do something that is helpful to someone else
20. Write a letter/email/tweet to someone that has inspired you
21. **Follow us on Twitter [@PCSinformation](#) and tag us on your activities using the hashtag [#PCSSummer](#)**



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The official feed for news, information and photos of our super school. Proud to be part of Portchester community, Hampshire.

📍 South East, England [portchester.hants.sch.uk](http://portchester.hants.sch.uk) 📅 Joined September 2015



# PORTCHESTER COMMUNITY SCHOOL WELCOME YEAR 7

Dear 7PRW ,

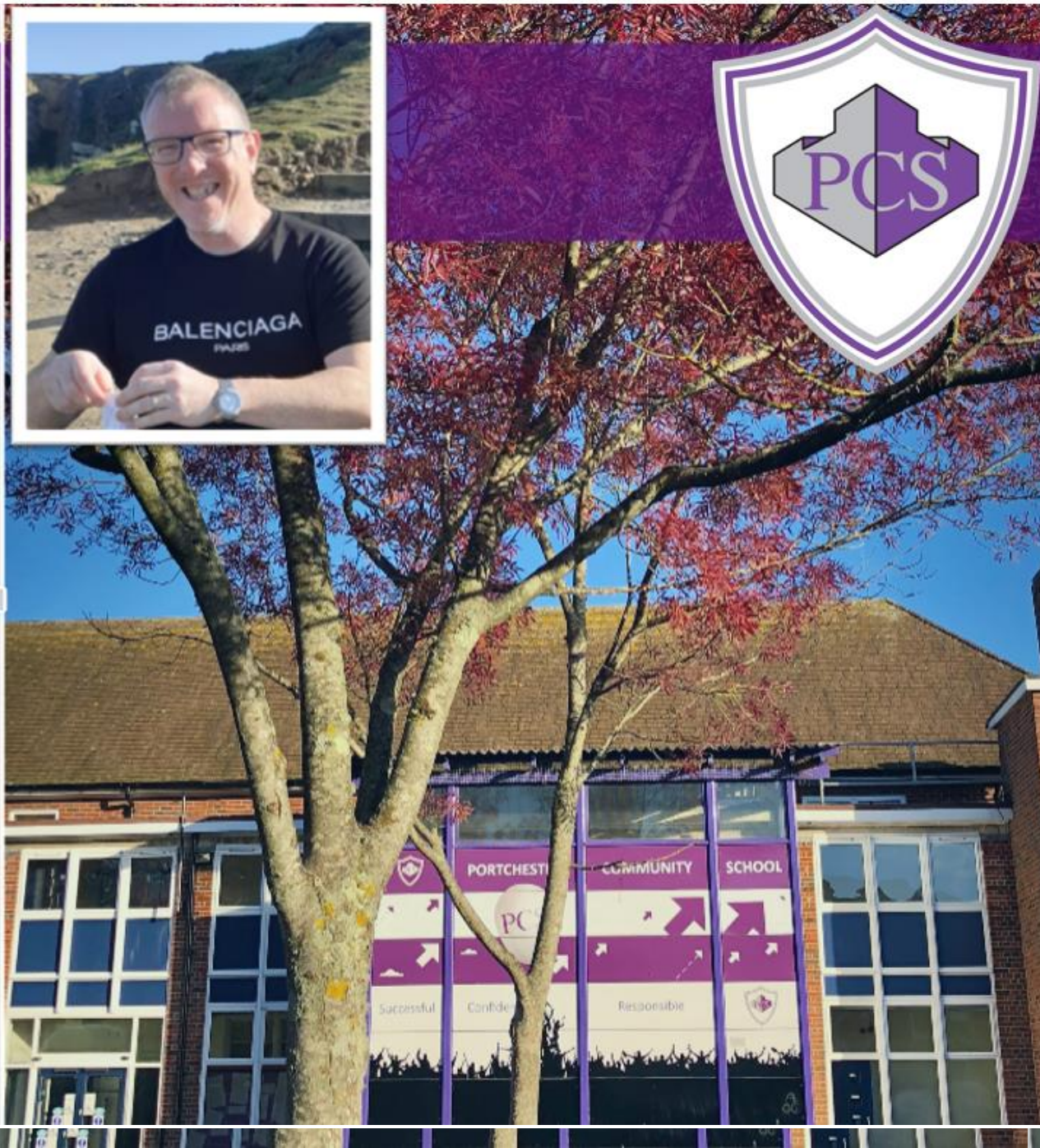
Welcome to Portchester Community school. I am looking forward to meeting you in person. My name is Mr Walton and I am the Subject Lead for Geography at Portchester. I have been at the school for 2 years.

As a geographer I have an interest in looking after the whole planet, especially the oceans as we live so close to the sea. I enjoy open water sea swimming and try and take part in a few triathlons every year – I aim to finish and not come last, so far, so good!

I am a supporter of West Ham United Football Club and am super excited to follow them in Europe this season.

Look forward to meeting you all,

Mr Walton







# Lee from Online Safety



**Online Safety UK Ltd.**




Portchester Community School PTA

V O L N T E E

WHAT'S MISSING?

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PLEASE JOIN US




If you would like to join the PTA or volunteer to support us in our fundraising- Come and meet the team for a **Coffee Morning** Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> September from 11:00am in person at school. Please contact the school office on 023 9236 4399




PCS PTA

# Coffee Morning

Portchester Community School  
PTA

**Saturday 11th September**

In the conference room from 11:00am  
Come along to meet the team and see how you can get involved.

Home | Portchester Community School Parent Teacher Association (wixsite.com).



# Summer School



# Portchester Community School.

## Summer School Information.

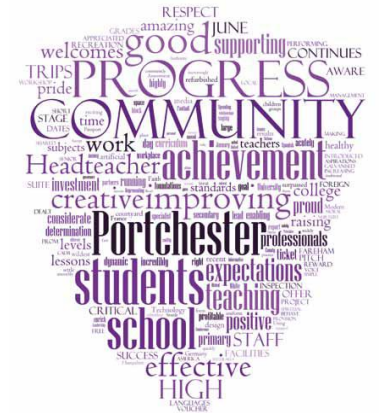
### Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> August – Friday 27<sup>th</sup> August 2021.

Information

Overview

Timetables Groups

Parental Contact







# Summer School



## Overview / Information.

The purpose of the Summer school is;

- To support the transition process of Year 6 students into Year 7 at PCS
- To grow the confidence of the students in finding their way around their new school
- To introduce new friends and new staff
- To introduce new subjects from the Secondary curriculum
- To be creative, have fun and try new things.





# Summer School



## Overview / Information.

- Session times are: **Morning: 10:00-12:30**. Afternoon sessions: 1:00-2:30 pm.
- Each day will start with a formal **registration** of attendance and checking in with each student in the Main Hall.
- Groups will leave from there to their designated activities with key staff.
- Snacks will be provided at break time, and a lunch will be provided.

(Students can also bring their own refreshments)

- Students should wear clothes appropriate to the activities for the day. Appearance should be **casual but respectable**.
- We will dismiss from the main hall at the end of the afternoon session – students with permission from parent will make their own way home or wait to be collected



# Current guidance- Testing in September



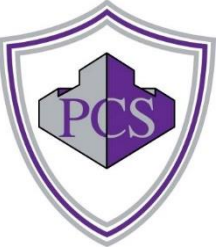
- All secondary school and college students should be **offered 2 on-site LFD** tests at an ATS, 3 to 5 days apart, on their return in the autumn term.
- Following the 2 on-site LFD tests on return in the autumn term, secondary school students should **continue to test twice weekly at home until** the end of September, when this will be reviewed. Staff should also undertake twice weekly home tests until the end of September, when this will be reviewed.
- Consent forms have been emailed home please respond by the start of term.







# Current guidance- Testing in September



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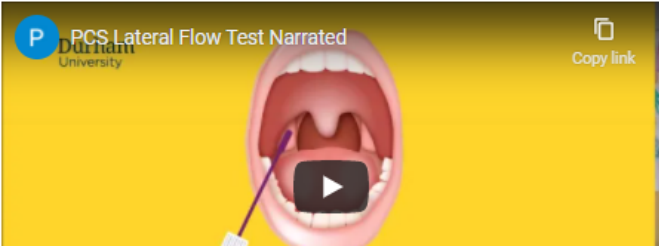
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- RESULTS
- NEWSLETTERS
- LATEST NEWS FEED
- LATERAL FLOW TESTING**
- BREXIT

LATERAL FLOW TESTI

HT Letter to Parents - 24

DOWNLOAD

Guidance on how to complete home testing is on the school website



Please have a look at the video, which shows how the lateral flow tests work.



# Key dates



Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> September- INSET day

Friday 3<sup>th</sup> September- Year 7 Induction Day

Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> September- PTA coffee morning

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> September- Meet the tutor evening

Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> September- Meet the tutor evening

Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> October- Open Evening

Thursday 7<sup>nd</sup> October- INSET day

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