



Sally Banfield
Headteacher

6th June 2025

Dear Parents and Families

It was lovely to welcome the children back after their half term, even though the weather has been a little unsettled, I hope everyone had an enjoyable and relaxing break.

As we approach the end of another week, below are some things that I would like to bring to your attention:

Consultation for the New School Day

As you are all now aware, the New School Day has been approved by the Governors and by the majority of parents and I am pleased to confirm that, as of September, these changes will take place. I have written to you separately in relation to this and have hopefully answered any questions you may have, however, please feel free to contact the school on emails@combepafford.torbay.sch.uk where I will endeavour to answer any queries you raise.

Meet the Headteacher

Further to the success of the last two sessions, I would like to invite all parents to a “Meet the Headteacher” session that I will be holding on Tuesday 17th June 2025. I will be holding one at 9.00am at the school and another at 5.30pm via TEAMS link. If you would like the opportunity to attend either session, please complete the link below:

<https://forms.office.com/e/126QchvgKz>

A key focus for next year, for me, is how we improve our communication with you, and I would like to gather your thoughts and opinions on this.

Sports Week

Further to previous correspondence sent out, Sports Week is commencing on 16th June. We have lots of exciting activities set for students to engage in and there is a timetable (below) to show you what we are going to be up to. We welcome parents into school on Thursday (Middle and Upper) and Friday (Lower) between 9.00am - 12.30pm if you would like to come and support your child on their Sports Day!

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Sports Week 16th June



	Lesson 1 9.00 - 9.50	Lesson 2 9.50 - 10.45		Lesson 3 11.00 - 11.55	Lesson 4 11.55 - 12.50		Lesson 5 1.35 - 2.30	Lesson 6 2.30 - 3.25	
Monday	Wake and Shake Video <i>Year 9 and 10 Sports Careers Carousel (External Guests)</i>		B R E A K	Get up and go video		L U N C H	Refocus video MS Trampoline drop ins (CK) (20 mins per class)		E N D O F D A Y
Tuesday	Wake and Shake Video LS Girls Sport (CK) LS Boys Mental Health (RW)			Get up and go video MS Girls Sport (CK) MS Boys Mental Health (RW)			Refocus video Year 5/6 Aqua Aerobics/Lifesaving US Girls Sport (CK) US Boys Mental Health (RW)		
Wed	Wake and Shake Video Healthy Eating Assembly			Get up and go video			Refocus video Sixth Form Games		
Thursday	Wake and Shake Video Middle & Upper Sports Day			Get up and go video Middle & Upper Sports Day & BBQ			Refocus video LS <u>trampoline</u> drop ins (CK) (20 mins per group)		
Friday	Wake and Shake Video Lower School Sports Day			Get up and go video Lower School Sports Day & BBQ			Refocus video Year 7 Aqua Aerobics/Lifesaving Year 10 Games		

GCSE Examinations

You will be pleased to note that we are over half-way through the GCSEs and only have a handful of dates left. The students have been exemplary during the process and have conducted themselves superbly during their exams.

I hope you all enjoy a wonderful weekend.

Yours sincerely

Sally Banfield
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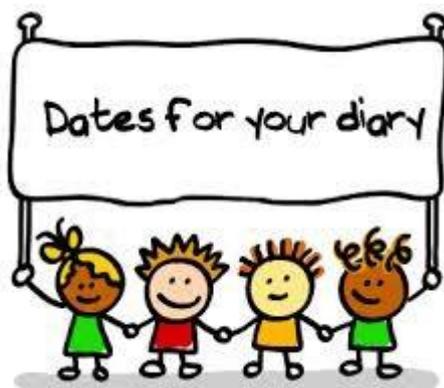
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June 2025

- 6th June GCSE Exam – English
- 6th June KS2 – Year 7 Swimming
- 9th June GCSE Exam – Biology
- 10th June KS2 – Year 7 Swimming
- 11th June GCSE Exam – Maths Foundation
- 13th June GCSE Exam – Chemistry
- 13th June GCSE Exam – Statistics
- 13th June KS2 – Year 7 Swimming
- 16th June GCSE Exam – Physics
- 17th June KS2 – Year 7 Swimming
- 18th June Immunisation Team Visit (HPV/DTP)
- 20th June KS2 – Year 7 Swimming
- 23rd – 30th June Year 10 Residential – London
- 23rd – 27th June Year 11 Residential – Paris
- 23rd – 30th June Sixth Form Residential – Gran Canaria
- 24th June KS2 – Year 7 Swimming
- 27th June KS2 – Year 7 Swimming

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July 2025

- 1st July KS2 – Year 7 Swimming
- 4th July KS2 – Year 7 Swimming
- 7th – 11th July Sixth Form Residential – Berlin
- 8th July KS2 – Year 7 Swimming
- 11th July KS2 – Year 7 Swimming
- 14th - 18th Year 10 Work Experience Week
- 14th – 18th Sixth Form Transition Week for Year 11
- 15th KS2 – Year 7 Swimming
- 18th KS2 – Year 7 Swimming
- 22nd KS2 – Year 7 Swimming
- 24th Rock Steady Final Performance
- 25th KS2 – Year 7 Swimming
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