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May 16th, 2025

Message from SLT

Exams are going well and I am sure that our Senior students are performing well and doing themselves proud! We are looking forward to the start of the new School Year in June.

We have considering how we can all be Ready for June – specifically considering how we can keep our standards of punctuality and uniform high.

Over the next two weeks we will be contacting you again about uniform – alongside some new badged half-zip tops on offer from our suppliers. We will be reminding our pupils about the importance of being on time and ready to learn. We have a whole raft of new opportunities to learn starting in June with new courses, classes and teachers and we all are looking forward to a positive start!

We are also looking forward to seeing all of you at our Showcase!

Mr Chapman, Mrs Patterson and Mrs Fairbairn

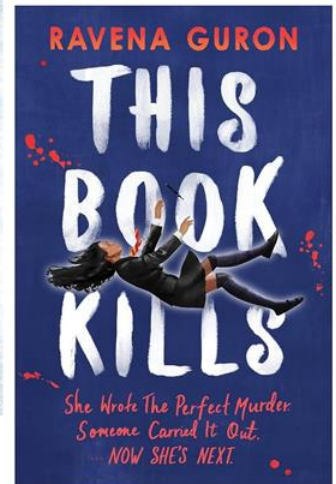
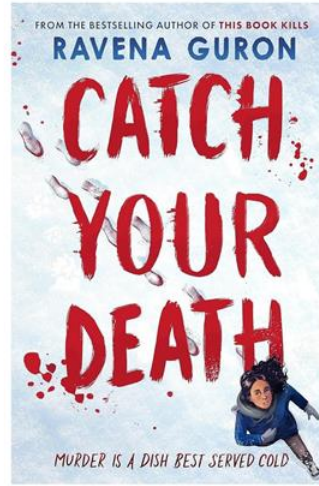
S1 Technical Frames Photos

Can any S1 pupils who have yet to email a copy of their chosen photo for their frame they are making, please send it to your technical teacher – these can be emailed by parents/carers on behalf of their young person, please put your child's name as the subject line.

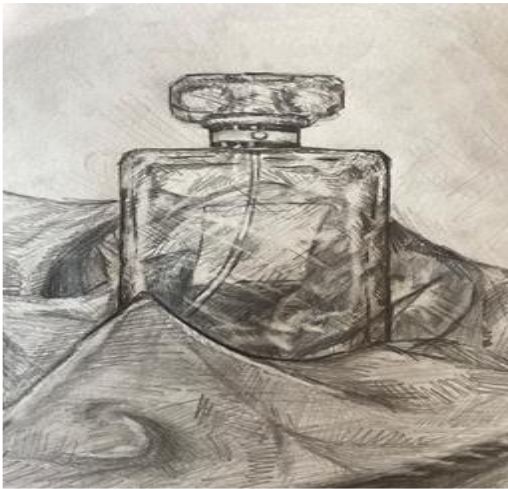
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Looking for your next read?

Ravena Guron's "This Book Kills" and "Catch Your Death" are both praised for their engaging murder mystery plots, clever twists, and compelling characters, particularly within the young adult genre. "This Book Kills" is a school-set mystery where a student's short story about murder inspires a real-life killing, drawing the author into the investigation. "Catch Your Death" takes the reader to a locked-room scenario where a group of young women find themselves stranded at a manor with a killer among them. Both books encourage readers to "play along" and try to solve the mysteries, making them a fun and interactive reading experience.



Artist of the week



Students in S1-3 complete drawing challenges each term developing their pencil and observational skills. The subject matter gets more challenging each year and throughout the year for each year group. We love this recent 'glass and cloth' challenge by Poppy Ford-Freeman in S3 and the illustrative style to her work.

Upcoming assessments

- 1P1 Science- Miss Neil: Cells and Reproduction, Tuesday 20th May
- 1P2 Science- Miss Neil: Body Systems, Thursday 22nd May
- 2P5 Science-Miss Neil: Biodiversity, Thursday 22nd May
- 1P4 Science – Dr Lymer: Forces and Space, Monday 26th May
- 3E Science- Miss Neil: N4 Unit 2, Monday 26th May
- 2P3 Science – Miss Stevenson: Elements and Compounds, Tuesday 27th May
- 1P4 Science – Miss Stevenson: Cells and Reproduction, Wednesday 28th May
- 1P1 Science – Dr Lymer: Forces and Space, Wednesday 28th May
- 1P2 Science – Miss Stevenson: Matter and Reactions, Monday 2nd June

Leavers Days 28/29 May

It is nearly the end of the school year and it is time to complete leavers forms etc for the Students who are leaving us this session.

Students will be asked to:

- Come to the Flexible Curriculum room between 9am-3pm on Wed 28 or Thurs 29 May.
- Complete a leavers form
- Return any text books
- Return iPad (updated and charged please). Passcode etc on a piece of card (we can supply one).
- Charger and cable returned - £15 per missing item. Please bring cash if required, receipts will be given.

The process should take less than 15 mins. There is no need to book as it is a “drop-in” system.

S2 Hirsell Trip Wednesday 28th May

There are still S2 pupils who need to hand in their permission slip and medical form to attend the Hirsell trip. These were handed out in Home Economic lessons and were due to be returned today - please return to Mrs Dougal ASAP.

United Kingdom Junior Mathematical Challenge

Well done to the S1 and S2 students who won awards in the United Kingdom Junior Mathematical Challenge. This competition is a one-hour long competition with accessible but challenging problems.

Gold Award & Best in School Alfie R (S2)

Silver Awards; Megan B, Lexi B, Francesca LB, Melody M, Abigail P, Cameron S (all S2)

Bronze Awards; Archie A, Hamish M, Kitty M Faye R (all S2)

Jacob M (best in year group), Sam H, Jessica M, Alastair S (all S1)

Multi Sports

Join Mrs Wright on Wednesday evenings 3:50pm – 4:50pm to play multi-sports! A timetable is on display on the PE noticeboard to let you know what activities you are doing! It would be great to see a lot of you there, to have some fun! Open to all!

Dates for your diary

20th May Hockey Club Walk & Ice Cream

20th & 21st May S3 Bronze Duke of Edinburgh Qualifying Expedition

23rd May S3 5km Run

14th May, 21st May & 30th May YPI Event

27th May Sports Day

28th May Field to Fork S2 at The Hirsell

29th May Summer Showcase

30th May Cafe Group go to Edinburgh

3rd June S6 Leavers Meal

4th June Senior trip to Bee Edge Farm

4th June Greenpower Team go to the Electric Chariot Race

11th June AH Chemistry at Edinburgh University

12th – 17th June Euro Space Centre & Euro Disney Trip

16th – 18th June Senior London Trip

17th June District Sports Day

18th June Trip to Morrisons and Spittal for a picnic

19th June Royal Highland Show

19th June BGE Prizegiving

23rd & 24th June Health and Well Being Day

Plant sale

**Thursday 29th May, 4pm - 7pm AND Friday
30th May, 2pm - 4pm**

Our brilliant Horticulture students are busy making their final preparations for their Annual Plant sale!

We have a variety of perennial and annuals, including a limited stock of fruit and veg plants. This year, we also have a selection of indoor plants for you to buy including Japanese Peace Lilies, Aloe Vera and other succulents.



The Plant sale will launch during our Summer Showcase, Thursday 29th May, 4pm - 7pm, with any remaining plants for sale on the following afternoon. We look forward to seeing you there!



Summer Showcase: Thursday 29th May, 4pm - 7pm

Gather your loved ones and friends to join us in the one of the highlights of the school year. Everyone's invited to share in the celebrations as we showcase some of our pupils' amazing work! In addition, we'll have some of our valued partners sharing opportunities to get involved in our wider community.

Make sure that the date is your dairy so that you don't miss out on this dazzling event including:

- Touring the school, both inside and out.
- Culinary delights from U've Pulled
- Games for younger children
- Racing excitement from Greenpower
- A chance to preview and order school uniform

Youth Philanthropy Initiative at Eyemouth HS

On Wednesday we launched the YPI Programme in school with the S2 cohort! The programme got off to a roaring start where students get to work with a local charity to showcase their impact in their community. Local charities such as SPALSH, Berwick Marine Reserve and St Abbs Lifeboats attended a showcase where pupils got to meet with charities in person. They later interviewed them regarding the work they do and what they would do if they won the £3000 donation from the Wood Foundation. Pupils were very excited to support their chosen charities and lots of creativity was clear as pupils began making short films, creating props and borrowing costumes and theatrical make up from the drama department!

As the old saying goes, it takes a village to raise a child, and this also applies to the delivery of the YPI programme this year! A special thanks to all involved in this process so far, Mrs Martin, Miss Frost, Mrs Mercer and Ms Bowie. As well as Mrs Renstead and Mrs Summerling and Janitors for organising library, stalls and refreshments respectively. Roll on next Wednesday for the semi-finals and the 30th of May where the final will take place!



Hockey

It's great to see so many juniors still attending our Tuesday evening sessions! We are always welcoming new faces to come and try – it would be great to see more of you there!

We are looking forward to even more fun on Tuesday the 27th of May where we are taking a trip to Giacobazzi's for some well-deserved ice cream following a very successful and enjoyable season! Please ensure all forms are returned to the PE Department ASAP so you are able to attend (if you have handed these in previously you are ok)!

Future Date – Friday 6th June 2025 for our fun Hockey Hedgehog starting at 2pm, followed by our hockey awards evening for both Juniors and Seniors.

Rugby

The U15 team rounded out their season playing one final 15 aside game against Eccles RFC, a touring team from Manchester. The English side travelled North of the Border to play Dunbar 7's on Saturday morning and then were welcomed to Castle Park in Duns for their main game of the tour!

It was a high scoring, fast paced game of rugby, played in true rugby spirit! As the final whistle blew it ended 57-26 to the visitors! Eyemouth players Lewis Young, Beau Hammond, Rogan Browne and Euan Sim all played an influential role for the team in this game, and S2s Blessing Muthuva,

Archie Grey and Harry Tweed played bravely in an older team!

Well done on a great season lads!



Allotment news

Eyemouth Squirrels have begun working in their "Let it Grow Badge" with a visit to our allotments. They planted some seeds which they took home to take care of. While they were here, they also had a quick look at the Beaver's bug hotel that they made when they were up a few weeks ago.



Summer Showcase