



Clacton County High School Sigma Sixth Tending Notices and Letters



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The weekly Notices & Letters is a 'one-stop shop' for home/school written communications and information. Please take the time to check through this mailing, particularly for your child's individual year group: there could be some important information for you to be aware of.

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Whole School Notices

Parking at CCHS

We kindly remind all parents and carers that students should not be driven into the school car park for drop off or collection at the start and end of the school day.



In addition to this, for safety reasons, we have yellow ZIGZAG lines at the front of school, in Walton Road. Stopping on the zigzags prevents others from having a clear view of the road and prevents pedestrians from crossing safely. These lines are clearly visible to all, as are several time plates displaying the times when it makes it an offence to park, stop or drop-off on these lines. The plates are prominently placed, showing the clearway symbol and state "No stopping" and the times to which this relates. There is no parking or stopping **Monday to Friday between 8.15am and 9.15am and again between 2.45pm and 3.45pm - This includes stopping in the middle of the road or directly across from the school entrance.**



Anybody seen to stop and drop off on the yellow zigzags during these times, will not only be putting other students' lives at risk, but they will also risk being issued with a fixed penalty notice. We appreciate it is not always easy finding a suitable space to park around school, but we ask that you park with consideration for our neighbours in all the roads that surround the school and not on any grass verges which are privately owned. A much more suitable place to drop off and pick up is the large Leisure Centre car park. **Please do not park in the top section of the car park immediately outside the Leisure Centre itself; there is ample parking in the first sections of the car park.** Thank you for your cooperation, helping us ensure the safety of our students and to help reduce the inconvenience of our neighbours.

Summer Solstice – Thursday, 20th June 2024 - the longest day of the year and the first day of summer! Earth's North Pole will be maximally tipped towards the sun at 9.51pm. It is also one of the earliest solstices with the last one this early occurring in 1796.

Summer Showcase Concert Performance – Thursday, 27th June 2024. 6.00pm



Don't miss our **Summer Showcase!** Many students, including Sigma Sixth Students will be performing a variety of musical numbers on the CCHS stage. The previous showcase last Christmas was a sell out, so don't miss out as a limited number of tickets are available. Organised by our talented Year 11 music students - as a super send off before the prom, ensures that this evening, will be an event to remember with

performances from soloists and groups. **Doors open at 5.30pm**

Tickets £5 - [Purchase here](#)



Clacton County High School
Summer Musical - 11th to 13th July

Early Bird Tickets £8 (until 7th June) then £10

Thursday - Friday - Saturday @ 7.00pm

Saturday Matinee @ 2.00pm

Tickets Available from countyhigh.org.uk

THE CCHS SUMMER MUSICAL 2024 Billy Elliot

[Click here to purchase TICKETS](#)

Showings:

Thursday, 11th July- 7pm performance

Friday, 12th July- 7pm performance

Saturday, 13th July - 2pm and 7pm performances

Planning ahead for September 2024 - Uniform & Equipment

- [Everything you need to know about school uniform](#)
- [Equipment checklist](#)

SCHOOL TIES - Please note the stripe colour for ties from September 2024. Year groups will carry their current tie through to next year. The current Year 11 tie will rotate back to the new Year 7s.

Year Group	2023/24 (current year)	2024/25 (next year)
Year 7	Purple stripe	Yellow stripe
Year 8	Light blue stripe	Purple stripe
Year 9	Red stripe	Light blue stripe
Year 10	Plain Tie (no stripe)	Red stripe
Year 11	Yellow stripe	Plain Tie (no stripe)

Whole School Letters

No whole school letters this week

Dates for Your Diary

This month

- Year 10 Mocks until 21st June
- Thursday 20th June – PROM
- Wednesday 26th June – Year 6 Induction day

Later

- Monday 1st to Friday 5th July – Year 10 Careers – Futures Week
- Friday 5th July – Year 10 Sigma Sixth Experience Day
- Monday 8th July Years 7 & 8 Sports Day
- Tuesday 9th July Years 9 & 10 Sports Day
- Thursday 10th to Saturday 13th July – CCHS Summer Production – Billy Elliot-The Musical
- Thursday 18th July – Proud Reward Trip
- Friday 19th July – Last day of term (early finish)

Year 7

Year 7 Parents Evening - Thursday 4th July 2024

Details will be communicated directly to Year 7 parent/carers in due course.

Year 8

No notices specifically for year 8 this week.

Year 9

No notices specifically for year 9 this week.

Year 10

Year 10 Mocks – 12th to 21st June

Please read this important [letter](#) with more details about the year 10 mock examinations 2024 and a link to the [timetable](#) from Deputy Headteacher – Mrs K Loosley.

Year 11

Year 11 Prom - Thursday, 20th June 2024 – Hollywood Glamour

★★ Tickets available in Arbor ★★ Tickets available in Arbor ★★ Tickets available in Arbor ★★

Tickets are £10 and are available to purchase on Arbor (School Shop). Once purchased, tickets can be collected from the Year 11 office or the main office

Planning:

- Students can arrive from 6pm for doors to open at 7pm
- Cars to arrive from 6pm
- Prom group photo at 7pm
- Spectators are welcome to watch students arrive. Please note that spaces are limited and spectators must remain in the designated areas
- Student spectators must behave according to school policies
- Arrival photos will be available to download for FREE! After the event

This year's prom includes Live music and a DJ, lots of photo opportunities on arrival and inside (selfie machine and selfie stands, 3D machine), free soft drinks, and more!

Year 11 – Sigma Sixth Induction Day – Thursday 11th July

Our Sixth Form Induction Day for year 11 students joining us in September will be on Thursday, 11th July.

We are very excited to welcome the new cohort to Sigma Sixth for the day and have some exciting activities planned which we hope students will find both informative and enjoyable.

The day begins with an introductory talk on life in the college and the expectations of being a Sigma Sixth student. Students will then participate in activities that will help them prepare for their studies in September

and will be introduced to their subject assignments which they are expected to complete over the summer holiday. The afternoon session will focus on team building.

We have invited The Problem Solving Company into college to provide a range of team building and problem solving activities to develop a bond with the new cohort through collaborative working and promote critical thinking in preparation for post-16 study.

Letters have been sent to applicants, parents and carers but if you have not received this or require further information please contact the sixth form team: sixthform@cchs.school.

Sixth Form Notices

Sixth form Summer exam timetable can be viewed [here](#)

Careers Updates

The CCHS Careers Hub micro website is continually being updated with information on all different types of careers and much, much more.

[Please take a look at our Careers Hub Here.](#)

Throughout June and July there are a lot of career focussed events coming up, particularly for our Year 10 students as they begin to think about higher education, further education, work and apprenticeships.

Safeguarding, SEND, and Wellbeing

UNITY HUB - Offering a safe space for Young People - Friday's at 4.30pm

Thanks to the generous funding from Essex Council for Voluntary Youth Services and PCCF, all sessions are completely free to attend for boys and girls aged 9 and up.

Youth Provision offers a vibrant and safe space where young people can come to play, relax, and let off steam. This welcoming environment allows them to unwind and engage in various recreational activities, all while being surrounded by supportive peers. Additionally, our dedicated team of trusted adults is always available to listen to their concerns, offer guidance, and provide the support they need.

By combining safe play areas with accessible, caring adults, we aim to foster a sense of security and community, encouraging young people to thrive both emotionally and socially.

We hope to see many new faces and look forward to providing a fantastic experience for all attendees.

Click [here](#) for more information

Community Notices

Career Opportunities at CCHS

This week there are new positions available: Click [here](#) for further information