



KEY STAGE 4 NEWSLETTER

JUNE 2023

EDUCATE CHALLENGE PREPARE

KS4 Horticulture students are beginning to transform an awkward scrap of ground into a wildlife friendly flowerbed that can withstand drought and the challenges of the playground. Starting from scratch, they have planted hardy geranium cuttings taken earlier in the year and have sown poppy and marigold seeds. They demonstrated great team work and took care to plant them carefully. 'Right way up' was the mantra. All we need now is a little rain!



DATES COMING UP

**The Prom
year 11 upwards**

June 15th 2023

KS4 residential

June 26th-28th

End of term

19th July 2023





Scientists at work

KS4 students have been investigating crystallisation by combining materials, taking careful measurements and making solutions. In follow-up lessons they have had a close look at their crystals, through a microscope, enjoying the thrill of the results that developed over the week. Well worth the wait. Students have been highly engaged and excited by this super science work.



Showcase Assembly On 19th May, all students presented a flavour of their recent class assemblies to parents and carers, in a grand amalgamation of them all. The event was a huge success and demonstrated the talents of both students and staff in presenting a moral message. Well done to everyone.

Several year 10 students have been creating friendship messages in bottles in English lessons. These are to be sent to the year 9 students on the School site to welcome them in their transition to the College site. I am sure they will appreciate the kind messages.

