



# Southfields Academy Weekly Newsletter

## Week Commencing 8<sup>th</sup> April 2019



**Ethos statement:** We believe that through individual commitment, self-discipline, integrity and respect for others, we inspire everyone to learn.

### Easter Revision School for Years 10, 11, 12, 13 and International Group Monday 8<sup>th</sup> April and Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> April Ms T. Gray

Dear Parent/Carer,

As I am sure you are aware, students in Years 11 & 13 are working towards their final examinations and controlled assessment deadlines and some students in Years 10 & 12 and the International Group are working towards a number of their final examinations, controlled assessments and coursework deadlines.

So that we can support students' preparation, we are running some revision sessions over the Easter holidays. If your son/daughter has received a letter, this means they have been asked to attend these sessions, details of which are outlined below. If you are unsure whether your son/daughter has been invited, please check the school website.

Please encourage your son/daughter to attend these sessions. Past students have found them to be very beneficial. Students should arrive 10 minutes before the start of the session and register at reception.

Students do not need to wear school uniform and we will provide refreshments on the day. If you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact me at the Academy via [tracy.gray@southfieldsacademy.com](mailto:tracy.gray@southfieldsacademy.com)

Yours sincerely,  
Tracy Gray, Deputy Headteacher, Standards

#### Year 10 Easter Revision School

	Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> April 2019		Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> April	
	Subject	Staff	Subject	Staff
8.30 – 9.30am	Statistics Mr Duffy and Ms Gill's class.	DFY	BTEC Dance	RSL
9.30 – 10.30am	Statistics (Mr Duffy and Ms Gill's class.	DFY	BTEC Dance	RSL

#### Year 12 Level 2 Easter Revision School

	Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> April 2019	
	Subject	Staff
8.30 – 9.30am	Travel and Tourism – Level 2 and IG students.	HDG
9.30 – 10.30am	Travel and Tourism – Level 2 and IG students.	HDG

## Year 11 Easter Revision School

	Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> April 2019		Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> April	
	Subject	Staff	Subject	Staff
8.30 – 9.30am	GCSE Geography (LNU's class) GCSE Geography (HMB's class)	LNU HMB	Maths (11R1) Maths (11R3) Maths (11W1)	TMS MGL DFY
9.30 – 10.30am	GCSE Geography (LNU's class) GCSE Geography (HMB's class)	LNU HMB	Maths (11R1) Maths (11R3) Maths (11W1)	TMS MGL DFY
Break				
10.50 – 11.50 pm	English (11R2) English (11R3) English (11R4) English (11B1)	LGD HLR CLD GRM	BTEC Dance Further maths	RSL TMS
11.50 – 12.50pm	English (11R2) English (11R3) English (11R4) English (11B1)	LGD HLR CLD GRM	BTEC Dance	RSL
Break				
1.05– 2.05pm	Sociology (all students)	SAM	English (11W1)	SUL
2.05– 3.05pm	Sociology (all students)	SAM	English (11W1)	SUL

## Year 13 Easter Revision School

Year 13	Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> April 2019		Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> April	
	Subject	Staff	Subject	Staff
	GRA		GLA/VLN	
8.30 – 9.30am	Government and Politics Maths (13A Ma1) Sport – 13EFP	GRA SNR DAS		
9.30 – 10.30am	Government and Politics Maths (13A Ma1) Sport – 13EFP	GRA SNR DAS		
Break				
10.50 – 11.50 pm	Maths (13A Ma2) Government and Politics Core maths	GLA ATY HIE	Maths (13AMa2)	GLA HIE
11.50 – 12.50pm	Maths (13A Ma2) Government and Politics Core maths	GLA ATY HIE	Maths (13AMa2)	GLA HIE
Break				
1.05 – 2.05pm	Film Studies Geography	HLR HMB	Sociology Maths (13AMa2)	SIH MGL
2.05– 3.05 pm	Film Studies Geography	HLR HMB	Sociology Maths (13AMa2)	SIH MGL



## Thought for the Week

Success is not final, failure is not fatal: it is the courage to continue that counts.  
Winston Churchill



### International Group Easter Revision School

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> April 2019

	Subject	Staff
8.30 - 9.30am	IG 2 Science	HIY
9.30 - 10.30am	IG 2 Science	HIY

### Year 11 News, Mr A. Shillingford, Head of Year 11 EXCELLENT MOCK RESULTS

Well done to Year 11 for an encouraging set of mock examinations results. These results are proving valuable to the students and to the teachers, showing them which areas the students need to work on and revealing the gaps in some of the students' knowledge. This is crucial as we have just five weeks until the GCSE examinations begin.

As ever, thank you to parents and carers for the support and encouragement that you are giving your children. To further help and support you with this, we have reviewed our website content and have published some really useful and, we hope, helpful information for parents and students about revision, coping with the stress and anxiety that examinations can cause.

With the public examinations just weeks away, this means that preparations for Year 11's final celebration evening are well under way. This will take place on Thursday 27th June. As it is very much their evening for celebration, the Year 11s have formed a prom committee and are busy raising funds to help pay for the event, demonstrating some excellent student leadership. Their fundraisers so far have included the sale of Krispy Kreme donuts which are selling like hotcakes (or should that be hotdoughnuts).





## Staff vs Sixth Form Football – rematch, Mr G. Munro, Physical Education **STAFF WON 9-0!**

On Friday 29th March, Southfields Academy staff took on Southfields Academy Sixth Form team. After a 5-5 draw in December, both teams were eager to show that they were the better team and wanted to get the win. This was evident as both teams had strengthened their squads from the previous game. Southfields Academy staff won the game 9-0, with goals coming from Mr Munro (5), Mr Philpott (1), Mr Spencer (1), Mr Dibbs (1) and Mr Wilson (1).

### Individual Player Performances

**Mr Ananthasigamany** - Fantastic performance in goal. Made some excellent saves. Notably, a one-handed save from an eight yard volley. Petr Cech-esque.

**Mr Charlton** - Solid, strong and reliable throughout the game. Much like Steve Finnan in his Liverpool days.

**Andrew May** - Like a brick wall at the back, nothing got past him. Reminded me of a young Razor Ruddock.

**Jacob Miller** - Might start calling him Jacob Van Dijk. Calm on the ball and solid in defence. Excellent performance.

**Mr Price** - Essentially played most of the game on one leg. Never put a foot wrong. He's only just allowed Isaac Burley to leave his pocket.

**Mr Dibbs** - Up and down the wing all game. Had the beating of the full back on numerous occasions. Performed like his boyhood hero, and Tottenham legend, Gareth Bale.

**Mr Spencer** - I think he is still running on the astro now. He didn't stop all game. Broke up play and passed the ball calmly. Emulative of Ngolo Kante in Leicester's title winning team of 2015/16.

**Mr Philpott** - Box to box midfielder. Regained possession of the ball for the staff on numerous occasions. Energy of the Duracell Bunny.

**Mr Murphy** - Consistent performance. Passed the ball when he needed to and took on the right back with ease. Albert Riera would have been proud of that performance.

**Mr Wilson** - Thinks he's Thierry Henry, played like Lenny Henry. He did score a good goal and grab himself a few assists.

**Mr Duffy** - Started off playing as a centre midfielder, ended up as a defender, much like the career of Jamie Carragher. Did a great job in both positions.

**Mr Sweet** - Played up front and in centre midfield. He was effective in both positions. A performance similar to Dirk Kuyt in his Liverpool heyday.

**Ms Lunt** - Tricky winger, played some nice passes and some good dribbles forward. I thought I was watching Steve McManaman at times.

**Mr Garratt** - Tough tackling centre midfielder. Made one tackle that Granit Xhaka would be proud of.

**Mr Munro** - Much like his boyhood hero, Robbie Fowler, a constant goal threat throughout the game, bagging a total of five goal. Speculation is rife of an imminent call up to the Liverpool first team squad to replace the misfiring Mo Salah.





**SOUTHFIELDS ACADEMY SIXTH FORM PRESENTS...**

**TICKETS ON SALE AT  
GENERAL OFFICE:**

**ADULTS: £2**

**STUDENTS: £1.50**

**WHEN?**

**TUESDAY 7<sup>th</sup>  
MAY**

**TIME?**

**5:00PM**



EVERYBODY'S TALKING ABOUT  
**JAMIE**

**Jamie New is 16.**

**Jamie doesn't quite fit in.**

**Jamie is terrified about  
the future.**

**Jamie is going to be a  
sensation.**

*\*This performance contains bad language\**

**Sixth Form Prom Committee Fundraiser**

Much like their Year 11 colleagues, the Sixth Form Prom Committee are raising funds for their prom by putting on a real show. Based on the West End hit show Jamie, all about one boy's decision to make an impactful entrance to his own prom, our own version will be taking place on Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> May at 5.00pm. Parents and students are most welcome and can obtain tickets by getting in touch with the Expressive Arts department or the Sixth Form Prom Committee themselves.



**10MMA Easter Breakfast, Mrs N. Frost, Mathematics**

On Thursday, 10MMA celebrated the arrival of spring with an Easter breakfast. The students rearranged the room to make 2 large dining tables and shared a breakfast of pastries, fruit and sweet treats while decorating eggs and sharing Easter stories and traditions.



## Year 9 Mock Examinations Preparation

**Ms K. Marshall, Assistant Headteacher & Mr D. Arthur, Head of Year 9**

Year 9 students began their preparation for the mock examinations they will sit just after the Easter break (Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> – Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> April) with a revision session. Their teachers brought them out of lessons to discuss good revision techniques and to come up with strategies to use over the Easter break.

Details of the Year 9 Mock Examinations have been sent home to Year 9 parents and are available on the Academy website.



### Dates for Your Diary

TUESDAY 23<sup>rd</sup> April – Summer Term begins, normal start time for all students  
2<sup>nd</sup> May – International Evening 17:00  
6<sup>th</sup> May – May Day Bank Holiday – Academy Closed  
9<sup>th</sup> May – Year 7 Parents' Evening 17:00