

# Newsletter

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"No person was ever honored for what he received. Honor has been the reward for what he gave." - Calvin Coolidge

WEEK B



Sara Jacobs **Principal** 



## **Principal's Update**

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope your child enjoyed a restful half-term break. The beginning of each half-term is an ideal moment to reaffirm our College values, culture, and ethos. This week, we celebrated 'Diversity Week' through our RRS pastoral programme, offering students the chance to reflect on inclusivity, respect, and understanding. Each morning, students engaged in tutorials focused on different protected characteristics, which they then discussed further with teachers in their first lessons. They explored the lives of inspiring figures like Malala Yousafzai and Nicola Adams, learning about resilience and the significance of equality. This week has been a powerful reminder of our core value of 'Respect,' emphasising kindness, the impact of our words, and each student's role in fostering a supportive community.

With a fresh start, this is also a great time to reaffirm our uniform expectations, and we appreciate your support in helping students adhere to them. While most students wear their uniform with pride, we've noticed some areas needing attention. We ask you to check the length of your child's skirt, as some skirts are either rolled up or genuinely too short and may require replacement. Additionally, a reminder that nose piercings are not permitted, and students will be asked to remove any studs. Next week, Mr. Sutton, Deputy Principal, will lead assemblies to reinforce these expectations and remind students of their role in creating a safe, positive, and respectful learning community.

Separately, you should have received information about the Sheu survey which we have undertaken on an annual basis. This is a Devon-wide pupil health and wellbeing survey, funded by Devon County Council's Public Health team. The survey provides a platform for children and young people to share their experiences, behaviours, and perspectives, which helps inform the Council's efforts to support. If you would like to view a copy of the survey questions, please contact Mrs. Grant in Student Services.

Finally, this half-term will be a busy time for our Year 11 students as they prepare for their upcoming mock exams. To support them, we've developed the 4:1 revision programme to help students plan their time, build independent study habits, and follow a structured revision schedule. In addition, selected students have had the opportunity to access extra support through exam stress workshops, which focus on managing anxiety, building confidence, and developing effective coping strategies. Their performance in these exams will provide valuable insights into their strengths and areas for improvement. Additionally, while unlikely, should any students be unable to sit final exams, their mock results may serve as evidence in any alternative awarding of grades. We appreciate your support in encouraging students to give their best effort in these exams.

Thank you once again for your continued support as we work together to ensure a successful term for every student.

taubs Sara Jacobs, Principal **Autumn Term Dates** Key Dates for next week 10 December—Christmas Carol Concert 20 December—Non Uniform Day for St Petrocks 20 December—Last Day of Term Finish 1.30pm

## **College News**



## **Clyst Vale - A Gold Rights Respecting School**

As a Rights Respecting School one of our aims is to ensure our students understand what it means to be Global Citizens. One of the ways we promote students taking an active role is through charity events such as non-uniform days and year group fundraising. In the Summer Term we were able to raise money for both The Donkey Sanctuary and for Force Cancer. Through the Year 9's fundraising efforts last year they raised an impressive £815.36 and this collective effort demonstrates our commitment to supporting our local community. Our students are able to see the impact their actions have, and they know by participating in events such as these they are showing what it means to be a Global Citizen.

On Friday 25th October we held our whole school Non-Uniform day for Force Cancer which was chosen by our students from across the College.

This week students are learning more about the protected characteristics through our Diversity Week event. Each morning students are having a tutorial input around different characteristics and will then have an opportunity to carry this discussion through into their first lesson with their teachers. This is an incredibly important opportunity for students to understand more about the world we live in and to learn about rights which directly affect them. There will also be some whole school activities for students to participate in throughout the week. At lunchtime to-day students had the opportunity to make their own Pride Flags.

Ellie Roberts

**Rights Respecting School Co-Ordinator** 





## College News

## Sustainability & the Environment

We are delighted to announce that we have a new bike shelter which has been built to encourage students to ride to school. This fits with our plans to look at how we can work more proactively to commence sustainability initiatives in College.

Many thanks to Ron in our maintenance department for building this over half term.

Please be reminded that if your child/ren cycle to Clyst Vale they need to have a current cycle pass. To obtain a pass please see the email sent out before half term or contact StudentServices@clystvale.org for an application letter. Please be aware that the wearing of appropriate clothing to be visible to traffic and the wearing of helmets is mandatory.



## **College News**





## Post 16 RNLI Visit

The wonderful post 16 students raised a total of £242.70 on Harry Patch Day (22nd September) 2024.

We have some star bakers in year 12 and 13 and they worked so hard to produce wonderful cakes.

We always raise money on Harry Patch Day for the RNLI, which was his favourite charity. On Wednesday 23rd October Mr Powell drove the school minibus, with 13 students from years 12 and 13 to Exmouth RNLI. We were greeted by RNLI volunteer Ian Rick and some of the lifeboat crew.

We handed over the £242.70p raised on Harry Patch day. Millie and Nina Page had made cup cakes (with blue icing and the RNLI logo) and Josh Jones had made chocolate brownies. As Wednesday night is crew training night at Exmouth these sweet treats were very well received.

Many thanks to all of our post 16 bakers, all of our customers on the day, and to all of our Harry Patch Day supporters.

Mrs Padden





## **College and Post 16 News**

## Good luck

Good luck to Naomi in Year 12 who will be participating in the prestigious Horsemanship Showcase event in Bedfordshire at the end of November. Many of the top natural horsemanship riders will also be participating and Naomi will be performing in front of around 1000 people.

Naomi rides with the All-Steps Formation Riding Equestrian Team and regularly performs at shows and demonstrations across the country.





### **News from Post 16**

On Wednesday this week we welcomed Nicky Tait from NatWest bank, who came in to visit Year 12 to support with a MoneySense workshop in Tutorial time. The 'Budget Like a Boss' session introduced the idea of budgeting, including understanding income, identifying needs and wants and tackling unexpected spending. Students tested out their budgeting skills by reviewing a young person's budgeting and giving advice on how they can improve. This was the first in a series of 3 Financial Foundations workshops that Year 12 will attend as part of their Tutorial programme.

Next Wednesday, we are looking forward to a visit from MADE Training, who will spend time with both Year 12 and Year 13. All of Year 12 will attend 'Stepping Up' sessions Periods 2 & 3, with Year 13 taking part in 'Exams Made Easy' Periods 4 and 5. For each year group, normal lessons will be suspended for the 2 slots in which they attend training, but the timetable around these sessions will run as normal throughout the rest of the day.

This Saturday, our Y12 students who are in training for the 55-mile Ten Tors challenge will spend the day on Dartmoor, putting their navigational skills and endurance to the test as they make their way around the pre-planned route. Good luck to all involved!

Four Post 16 students have now been selected for December's trip to the European Parliament in Strasbourg, where they will explore topics such as human rights, European institutions, youth engagement, and disinformation. Attendees will have the chance to witness the Sakharov Prize award ceremony (a prize linked to freedom of thought) in the European Parliament chamber and meet the laureates and other human rights activists. There will also be a seminar for students on the European Parliament. 2 students each from Year 12 and Year 13 are participating and are very much looking forward to this opportunity! It was a real privilege for Clyst Vale to be selected for this trip, as we are the only school participating in the Ambassador Schools programme to have been chosen to send a delegation to this event from the UK.

## Student of the Week

Faith Williams 7GAW Jude Taylor 7GLBA Ebony Theobald 7RKJO Alex Woodward 7RCMO	Tei-Jai Davies 8GRTU Gabriel Zambonini 8GTBE Max Hookway 8RER Isla Leach 8RMCU	NP2N 9GMNA 9GLTH Chloe Watts 9RDFE Halle Baker-Holmes 9RGWW	
Florence Moore 7YDST	Alexander Goss 8YCBO Joseph Gibson 8YCFL	Maxwell Powe 9YGGA Jason Hodges 9YBH	
Lila Dagger 7YEHA		_	
Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	
Bella Tweedie 10GCMC	Raiki Davies 11GABR		
Bradley Crew 10GMTH	Dan Culshaw 11GDH		
Darcy Dixon 10RBAT	Jullia Zambonini 11RZB	Joel Buckeridge 13JP	
Lana Zumaran 10RNS	NP2N 11RSGA	JOEI BUCKEHUge 15JF	
Olive Agius 10YMBR	Beth Duffy 11YSS		
Sophia Blum 10YSWA	Jay Salter 11YADA		
Year 10	Year 11	P16 Commendation	



Each week our tutors are encouraged to recognise and reward one member of their tutor group for something outstanding. This could be an academic achievement, a demonstration of resilience or an act of kindness.



If you see a familiar name above then be sure to ask them what amazing thing they've done.

## **Key Contact Information**

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## Student Services Key Updates and Reminders and Post 16 News

## **RAF** Visit



The RAF will be in the Post 16 building from 1.45pm-2.15pm if any students are interested in coming to have a chat about what it is like in the RAF and to find out what careers you can go into!

Come along to this drop in session!

## School Nursing service for 11 – 19's



Did you know, if you are aged 11-19 and live in Devon you can contact your school nurse for confidential <u>advice and support</u> via text on 07520631722? It's quick and easy, anonymous, and non-judgemental and a school nurse will respond within 24 hours (between the hours of Mon – Fr 9 - 5, excluding bank holidays).

You can request support from us online via a short form. Find out more about how to do this and what information we need <u>here.</u>

You can also find lots of information about different subjects and health needs and where you can get support if you need it via our <u>website</u>.

## Can you help?



We are seeking local businesspeople to come and talk to our Year 10 BTEC Enterprise students about how and why they set up their businesses (End Nov/Early Dec).

We also would like to hear from entrepreneurs who could complete a questionnaire about their business for the students to use as a case study.

They start their coursework after Christmas and it would be great for them to talk to real business owners.

Please email Kate Jones jonesk@clystvale.org for more details.

### **Stagecoach payments**

Breakfast



This week we have had quite a few card payments declined on Stagecoach. Please be aware that payments by cards takes a few days to clear on the account. Therefore, if the account doesn't have money on it when the collection of money is attempted, a 30 day block is put on that card. If the card is then used during that 30 day block, the block starts again for another 30 days. To secure a safe journey for your child, you may wish to give them an emergency fund in their bag.

REMINDER: Free porridge is available to ALL STUDENTS every morning from 0830 in the Canteen. Choose one topping from the following: jam, cinnamon, sugar or golden syrup. Additional toppings charged at 20p each

## Student Services Updates and Reminders

## LUNCH CLUBS Autumn Term 2024

Day	Club	Time	Where	Changing Room	Teacher
Monday	GCSE Spanish Revision	Lunchtime	MF4		Mrs McConachie
Monday Week A	GCSE French Club	13:40-14:00	MF2		Mrs Theeten & Ms McConnachie
Monday	Maths Set 2 Year 11	Lunchtime	MA8		Miss Barratt
Monday	Music Practice Club	Lunchtime	PA2		Mr Hawkins
Monday	GCSE Religious Studies revision	Lunchtime	HU1		Miss Brotherton
Monday	Badminton – Years 7/8/9	Lunchtime	Sports Hall	Sports Hall	Mr Powell
Monday	Weights – Years 10/11/12/13	Lunchtime	Studio		Mr Pearce
Monday	Badminton Year 10-13	Lunchtime	Sports Hall	Sports Hall	Mr Powell
Monday	Weights Year 10-11	Lunchtime	Dance Studio		Mr Pearce Mr Court
Monday	Dungeons & Dragons Club Week B	Lunchtime	IT3		Mr Bailey
Tuesday Week A	Science Club – Year 7 & 8 – Week A	Lunchtime	SC9		Miss Tuthill/Ms Spencer
Tuesday	Choir	Lunchtime	PA2		Mr Hawkins
Tuesday	Speedcubing	Lunchtime	HU2		Mrs Harrison
Tuesday	Dance 7/8/9	Lunchtime	Studio	Humanities	Miss Hall
Tuesday	Ten Tors – Years 9 to 11	Lunchtime	IT4		Mr Eales/Miss Barratt
(after Oct half term)					
Tuesday	Amnesty	Lunchtime	EN7		Miss Watt
Tuesday	Year 7 Book Club	Lunchtime	Library		Mrs Southard
Tuesday	Games Club- Year 7-9	Lunchtime	HUS		Ms Jenkins
Tuesday	Ten Tors	Lunchtime	IT4		Miss Barratt
Tuesday	Football 7-11 Girls	Lunchtime	Field	Humanities	Mr Stapleton
Tuesday	Girls Basketball – All Years	Lunchtime	Sports Hall	Humanities	Mrs Elliot
Tuesday	BTEC Enterprise Coursework Catchup	Lunchtime	IT5		Ms Jones & Ms Prance
Wednesday	Badminton – Year 10/11/12/13	Lunchtime	Sports Hall	Sports Hall	Mr Powell
Wednesday	Rock Club- Music	Lunchtime	PA3		Mr Kidd
Wednesday	Film Club	Lunchtime	HU6		Miss Matthews
Wednesday	Fitness- Year 10/11	Lunchtime	Studio	-	Mrs Broomfield
Wednesday Week B	LGBTQ+	Lunchtime	MF1		Ms McConnachie
Wednesday	GCSE Photography	Lunchtime	IT4		Mrs Wakefield
Thursday	GCSE Spanish Revision	Lunchtime	MF4		Mrs McConachie
Thursday	Geographers Club	Lunchtime	HU8		Mr Thomas
Thursday	Hospitality and Catering Catch Up Year 10	Lunchtime	П1		Miss Collins
Thursday	History Club- All Years	Lunchtime	HU7		Miss Nash
Thursday	Indoor Football – Year 10	Lunchtime	Sports Hall	Sports Hall	Mr Stapleton
Thursday	Girls Fitness – Year 10 & 11	Lunchtime	Studio	Humanities	Mrs Broomfield
Thursday	Girls Football – Years 7 to 9	Lunchtime	Field	Humanities	Mr Stapleton
Thursday	GCSE Dance Club – Year 10 & 11	Lunchtime	Studio	Humanities	Mrs Elliott
Thursday	GCSE Art Club	Lunchtime	AR2		Mrs Walton
Friday	Year 10 Beginners German	Lunchtime	MR4		Mrs McConachie
Friday	Inter Tutor	Lunchtime	Various	Various	Mr Pearce Mr Powell Miss Hall Mrs Broomfield
Friday	Indoor Football – Post 16 & Year 11	Lunchtime	Sports Hall	Sports Hall	Mr Stapleton
Friday	Yu-Gi-Oh Club All Years	Lunchtime	SC3		Mr Moxey
Friday	Jazz Band	Lunchtime	PA3		Mr Hawkins

## After School Clubs Autumn Term 2024

Day	Club	Time	Where	Changing Room	Teacher
Monday	Homework Club	3:30-4:45PM	IT2		Supervisor
Monday	GCSE Dance Year 10	3:30-4:30PM	Studio	Humanities	Miss Hall
Tuesday	Homework Club	3:30-4:45PM	IT2		Supervisor
Tuesday	GCSE Music	3:30-4:30PM	PA3		Mr Hawkins & Mr Kidd
Tuesday	Netball Year 9	3:30-4:30PM	Courts	Humanities	Miss Hall
Wednesday	Homework Club	3:30-4:45PM	IT2		Supervisor
Wednesday	Drama- All Years	3:20-4:45PM	PA1		Miss Ruscoe
Wednesday	GCSE Revision Sport Studies/ PE	3:20- 4:30PM	IT3		Mrs Broomfield
	Catch up				
Wednesday	Rugby Year 7/8/9/10/11	3:20-4:30PM	Field	Humanities	Mr Pearce, Mr Powell, Mr
					Stapleton
Wednesday	Netball Year 7 & 8	3:20-4:30PM	Courts	Humanities	Mrs Elliot, Miss Curtis
Wednesday Week B	GCSE Food Catch up	3:30-4:30PM	DT2		Mrs Crook
Thursday	Homework Club	3:30-4:45PM	IT2		Supervisor
Thursday	GCSE D&T	3:20- 5PM	DT1 & DT2		Mr Arthur & Mr Hewlett
Thursday	GCSE Spanish		MF4		Mrs McConachie
Thursday	Cooking Club	3:30-4:30/5PM	DT3		Miss Collins
	Yr 8/9 (before Feb Half term)				
Thursday	Cooking Club	3:30-4:30/5PM	DT3		Miss Collins
	Yr 7 (After Feb Half term)				
Thursday Week A	GCSE Food Catch up Session	3:30-4:30PM	DT2		Mrs Crook
Thursday	Netball Year 10/ 11	3:30-4:30PM	Courts	Humanities	Mrs Broomfield
Thursday	Table tennis Year 9 invite only	3:30-4:30PM	Sports Hall	Sports Hall	Mr Pearce



## Reading Recommendations Newsletter

Welcome to our new half-termly reading newsletter. In each edition, we will recommend books from a variety of styles and genres, to inspire readers across all year groups.

Things Tally is dreading about sixth grade:

-- Being in classes without her best friends-- New (scratchy) uniforms-- Hiding her autism Tally isn't ashamed of being autistic -- even if it complicates life sometimes, it's part of who she is. But this is her first year at Kingswood Academy, and her best friend, Layla, is the only one who knows. And while a lot of other people are uncomfortable around Tally, Layla has never been one of them . . . until now.

Year 7



Romania, 1989. Communist regimes are crumbling across Europe. Seventeen-year-old Cristian Florescu dreams of becoming a writer, but Romanians aren't free to dream; they are bound by rules and force. Amidst the tyrannical dictatorship of Nicolae Ceausescu in a country governed by isolation and fear, Cristian is blackmailed by the secret police to become an informer. He's left with only two choices: betray everyone and everything he loves—or use his position to creatively undermine the most notoriously evil dictator in Eastern Europe.

Year 8



Avery Grambs has a plan for a better future: survive high school, win a scholarship, and get out. But her fortunes change in an instant when billionaire Tobias Hawthorne dies and leaves Avery virtually his entire fortune. The catch? Avery has no idea why -- or even who Tobias Hawthorne is. To receive her inheritance, Avery must move into sprawling, secret passagefilled Hawthorne House, where every room bears the old man's touch -- and his love of puzzles, riddles, and codes.

Year 9



Harry Patch, the last British soldier alive to have fought in the trenches of the First World War, is now 108 years old and one of very few people who can directly recall the horror of that conflict. Harry vividly remembers his childhood in the Somerset countryside of Edwardian England. He left school in 1913 to become an apprentice plumber but three years later was conscripted, serving as a machine gunner in the Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry. Fighting in the mud and trenches during the Battle of Passchendaele, he saw many of his closest friends die.

Years 10&11

This half-term, year 10 have been enjoying:





Our summaries are taken from the Goodreads website: www.goodreads.com

### **Reporting an Absence**

Parents are expected to inform us of their child's absence before 9.00 a.m. on each day of absence providing the reason for absence. If the absence continues beyond the first day, please contact the College on each subsequent day of absence, too. To comply with safeguarding obligations, we cannot simply assume a student's sickness absence is ongoing; we need to be certain that the reason for absence is due to continuing illness. If you do not notify the College, then we will make contact with you to identify the reason for absence. This is important as it helps to reduce unauthorised absences and truancy. In addition, the College may ask you to provide medical proof if your child is absent from College due to illness.

### Lateness

The school day (first registration session) starts at 8.50 am, all students are expected to be in their classroom at this time.

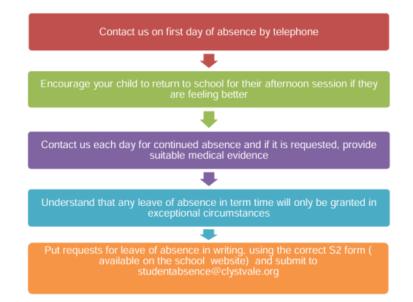
### **Medical Appointments**

We encourage students to maximise their levels of attendance; research indicates a direct link between attendance and examination performance. The timing of many medical appointments means that often students can attend school first and return afterwards. By doing so, students minimise missed learning whilst keeping their attendance levels as high as possible. We ask that parents/carers send their child into school for morning registration, even when a medical appointment takes place in the middle of the morning. Similarly, appointments scheduled for the afternoon should, where possible, be arranged after Period 4 - during lunchtime. Students are encouraged to return to school after a lunchtime appointment if they can.

Please give the school as much notice as possible, at least two weeks' notice is useful.

If the appointment requires the pupil to leave during the day, they must be signed out by an adult listed on the student's record at the main reception.

Please follow this process if your child is going to be absent from school:



For Years 7 - 11 Absences Sharon Leaman/Cath Prunty (Attendance Officers) Direct line: 01392 463911 Email: studentabsence@clystvale.org

#### For Year 12 - 13 Absences

Sue Voysey (Assistant to Head of Post 16) Direct line: 01392 462697 Email: voyseys@clystvale.org and copy in Head of Sixth Form: haynesc@clystvale.org

## **Community Noticeboard**



## OCT/NOV TIMETABLE

Talks are delivered online via zoom 7pm to 9pm £24 each If you can't make the date or time all paid for talks are recorded and available for 48 hours afterwards Book online at facefamilyadvice.co.uk

FREE SESSIONS Introduction to Facing Defiance Decreasing Depression	24 OCT 25 NOV	
Anxiety Explained	17 OCT	
Understanding Anger	21 OCT	
Autism: Improving Communication	28 OCT	
Introduction to OCD	29 OCT	
Improving Family Communication	4 NOV	
Anxiety-Based School Avoidance	12 NOV	
Anxiety Explained	14 NOV	
Understanding Anger	18 NOV	
Drug Awareness for Parents	19 NOV	
Supporting Healthy Screen Use	21 NOV	
What is ACT?	26 NOV	
Understanding Addictive Behaviour	28 NOV	
facefamilyadvice.co.uk. info@facefamilyadvice.co.uk		



**Peninsula Pathology** 

NHS Royal Devon University Healthcare

NHS PenRAD Peninsula Imaging Network

### Diagnostics & Healthcare Science Careers Event at St Luke's Campus, Exeter University on Saturday 9th November 2024



What: Careers Event about diagnostic services, specifically including Radiography, Healthcare Sciences, and Pathology.

Who: open to KS4 & 5 students, their parents, and teachers. When: Saturday 9th November 2024. Morning or afternoon session. Where: 79 Heavitree Road, Exeter, EX2 4TH

How: The event is free but you must pre-book a ticket for each person attending, to secure your places. Please select either the morning or afternoon session below, scan the QR Code, and follow the link to book your free tickets.











## WELLMOOR YOUNG ADULT CARERS PEER SUPPORT SESSION

family member or friend who couldn't manage without you? Do you live in East or Mid-Devon?

help you cope.

**19TH NOVEMBER** 2024 3:30PM - 5:30PM EXETER COMMUNITY CENTRE

REFRESHMENTS PROVIDED

FUNDING FOR TRAVEL

Call 01647 478378 or email penny@wellmoor.org.uk if you would like to come along.



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## Accountancy apprenticeship evenings

Curious about accountancy but unsure what it's all about?

Join us for pizza and find out about our accountancv apprenticeship.

During the evening you'll find out what it takes to be an accountant from some of our qualified professionals.

You'll also hear from our current trainees who'll tell you why they chose to start an AAT accountancy apprenticeship with us and how you

Bring your parents/guardians along everyone is welcome.



Book online

This event is aimed at year 11. 12 and 13 students and their parents/quardians.

- 18 November Exeter
  - Taunton 26 November

25 November

Truro 20 November

27 November Salisbury

21 November Bristol

19 November

Plymouth

Poole



## **Community Noticeboard**



## Winter Gift from FACE

## join via facefamilyadvice.co.uk



## Understanding the Teenage Brain

Watch the recording of Jane Keyworth delivering this online session (one hour 45 minutes) to parents in the UK

"We need every parent and teacher to attend this outstanding presentation. It provides a brilliant exposé of the challenges young people face as they develop from child to young adult. The presentation is very informative but also very accessible and entertaining. I cannot recommend this talk highly enough"

Mr Andrew Mead, Headteacher at Lytchett Minster, UK High school

## Vacancies and Job of the Week



### **Senior Exams Invigilator**

## Grade C (point 7) £15.24 per hour (pay award pending)

As Senior Examinations Invigilator, you will be required to lead the team of invigilators conducting internal and external examinations for students, ensuring that all regulatory requirements and school policy and procedures for the conduct of examinations are strictly adhered to and met at all times. The Senior Examination Invigilator will need to be present at all exam periods and during the Summer. These months include November, December, January, March, May and June.

You will need to have previous experience as an Exams Invigilator and have an understanding of the UK Exams process. Experience in managing groups of young people would be helpful. Training will be provided. If you are calm under pressure, have a pleasant nature but a keen eye then this could be the position for you.

For full details and to apply, please visit our website: <u>http://www.clystvale.org/vacancies/</u>

Suitable candidates will be contacted to attend for interview.

The vacancy will be closed once a suitable appointment has been made.



## **Cover Supervisor (Fixed Term)**

## Grade D (point 12) £18,507

Working hours are Monday-Friday 08:30-15:20 (Term Time)

To start as soon as possible (subject to DBS clearance), we wish to appoint a highly motivated, organised and confident person to join our team as a Cover Supervisor who can oversee classes when teachers are absent, ensuring that learning in the classroom is maximised. The role is initially fixed term to 14 February 2025 covering long term absence and this will be reviewed at that time.

For full details and to apply, please visit our website: <u>http://www.clystvale.org/vacancies/</u>

Suitable candidates will be contacted to attend for interview.

The vacancy will be closed once a suitable appointment has been made.

### Job of the Week

These are provided through the MYPATH careers webpage.

#### TOUR GUIDE

Tour guides lead groups of tourists through various attractions, such as historical sites, museums, natural landscapes, and cultural hotspots, telling stories that bring the locations to life.

Tour guides must have a deep knowledge of their destinations, and significance, and must be able to answer questions accurately.

Additionally, they ensure the safety and comfort of their group, managing logistics like timing, transportation, and accommodations. Strong communication skills are essential.

On average, entry-level tour guides can expect to earn around £16,000 to £20,000 per year. With a few years of experience, this figure typically rises to between £20,000 and £25,000 annually. Seasonal demand and tips can also significantly impact a tour guide's total earnings.

JOB OF THE WEEK

## Supporting Learning at Home

# What financial support can parents get?

Juggling home and school life is tough for every parent, but there are some financial support options available. Find out what you could be entitled to by following this link <u>Supporting learning at</u> <u>home | Parentkind</u>



## Clyst Vale Library

Clyst Vale Library is open to the public 3.30 to 5.30pm Monday and Wednesday and 4.00 to 6.00pm Thursday.



## Edulink & contact With the College

Please do not address emails, or replies to Edulink messages, to Edulink@clystvale.org. It is an unmonitored mailbox and will not go to anyone. Parents/carers need to reply to Edulink messages via the app, online, or via email, as this will then be directed to the staff member who sent the message to you. Or, please contact the teacher or admin@clystvale.org.

There is also a contact form and details below.

http://www.clystvale.org/ contact-us/

## Stationery for Sale

Pencil cases are available from the Library at a cost of £4.50 per pencil case. The clear pencil cases include one pencil, a blue pen, a red pen, one highlighter, a ruler, a compass, a protractor, a rubber and a sharpener.



## Second Hand School Uniform

Thank you for supporting the community and local charity shops. The sale of preloved uniform is proving successful. If you have any items that are no longer needed but still in very good condition, please donate them to one of the local charity shops. Both shops have set aside rails designated for college uniform.

Clyst Caring Friends is located in Broadclyst village and our local Barnardo's shop is in Cranbrook.

Their opening hours are:

Clyst Caring Friends, Broadclyst (01392 467555)

Mondays—closed

Tuesday to Friday—09.30 to 15.30

Saturday-09.30 to 12.00

Sunday—closed

Barnardo's, Cranbrook EX5 7DR (01404 514934)

Monday to Saturday—09.00 to 17.00

Sunday—10.00 to 16.00





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