

Friday 30th January 2026

Amazing Art!

Year 7 students were set the task of creating a mask from pretty much anything that they had at home – I think you will agree that the standard of work and the level of imagination that has gone into creating these superb pieces of artwork is truly outstanding! Well done Year 7, and congratulations to the art department for fostering such endeavour.



Library News from the 2nd February

- Don't forget to enter the **I HAVE A DREAM** poetry competition closing 12th February
Hand in to the library or email:
c.fletcher@knbs.co.uk

You are welcome to come to a poetry writing workshop in the library on Thursdays from 3.15pm



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Weekly Report Card

Thank you for your patience since moving to Arbor, as we know that many of you valued the parental portal previously available on Bromcom. Starting next week, we will be sending out weekly report cards to the primary guardians of all students. These reports will be emailed at the end of the school day each Friday and will include your child's attendance levels for the year to date. Additionally, the report will provide an overview of your child's behaviour, highlighting any commendations

received as well as any point deductions for that week. We hope this regular update helps you stay informed and engaged with your child's progress and school experience.

School Policies

We have recently updated the Policies section of the school website to ensure all information is current and accessible. Recent updates include the Safeguarding and Child Protection Policy, SEND Information Report, Health and Safety Policy, Attendance Policy, Anti-Bullying Policy, Behaviour Policy, and Remote Learning Policy. We encourage all parents and guardians to review these documents to stay informed about our school's procedures and commitments to providing a safe, supportive, and effective learning environment for all students.

Year 9 History Department Belgium

A link to a form was sent out to parents of boys going on this trip earlier this week to upload their son's passport details. The deadline to complete this form is Friday 20th February 2026. Should there be any issues or questions please contact Mr Davies at a.davies@knbs.co.uk. You can access the form here: [Passport details for Belgium Visit – Fill in form](#)

Year 10 Parents' Evening Thanks

We would like to extend a special thanks to parents in attendance at the Year 10 Parents' Evening last night who had to 'fly solo' without appointments due to a technical issue that was beyond our control. The evening went without a hitch and was extremely calm and orderly. We had a superb turn out and it was wonderful to hear lots of positive conversations about students' progress.

Year 10 Work Experience 23-27 March 2026 Reminder

The deadline for all work experience placement paperwork is Friday 13th February. This needs to be uploaded to Unifrog as per instructions in previous weeks' communications. If you have any questions regarding work experience, please contact Mr Hanson via our enquiry email.

Year 11 Prom Reminder

This is a final reminder that the deadline for all Prom deposits is today, Friday 30th January, however, numbers will be run at 9am on Monday so you can still secure a place for your son by paying your deposit and signing the consent form on

ParentPay over the weekend. Please note, no payments will be accepted after this time.

Year 11 Elevate Parent Support Workshops

To support the work that Elevate Education has been doing in school with Year 11 students, focussing on revision and organisation for their final exams, there is a series of online parent workshops that can help parents too. Please [click here](#) for the dates of these:

[Elevate Education Webinars Spring Term 2026 UK](#)

Dates for your diary

Week commencing 2nd February Year 11 Pre-Public Exams begin
Wednesday 4th February INSET Day – school closed to all students
Thursday 5th March Year 8 Parents' Evening