

## NEW COLLEGE SCHOOL CALENDAR - Hilary Term 2019

### Monday, 7 January 2019

Staff INSET

### Tuesday, 8 January 2019

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14.00 Pre-season hockey training, Iffley Road Sports Ground

### Wednesday, 9 January 2019

Start of Term. 8.20 Prep School, 8.45 Pre-Prep

After School Activities Start

10.00 Opening of the Interim Building (**No School Service**)  
*All parents and friends welcome. Refreshments will be served.*

### Friday, 11 January 2019

First Evensong

### Saturday, 12 January 2019

19.30 Oxford Bach Ensemble Concert, St Margaret's Church

### Sunday, 13 January 2019

Start of University Term

17.45 Epiphany Carol Service, New College Chapel

### Monday, 14 January 2019

Internal Chorister Auditions

18.00 Music Scholars' Masterclass, School Hall  
led by Charles Sewart, Head of Strings, Purcell School

### Tuesday, 15 January 2019

External Chorister Auditions

15.45 U9 A&B Hockey vs MCS, Away

### Wednesday, 16 January 2019

10.00 School Service, New College Chapel

Speaker: The Headmaster

*Coffee afterwards in the Undercroft for parents and visitors*

12.30 School Council Meeting

14.00 U13 A&B Hockey vs Summer Fields, St Edward's Astro

18.00 Yr 6 Parents' Evening, Sports Hall

### Friday, 18 January 2019

14.00 U9 Hockey House Matches, Iffley Rd

19.30 Music Scholars' Concert, Holywell Music Room (rehearsal 2.00pm)

### Saturday, 19 January 2019

9.00 MCS Pretest for Yr 6 for 2021 entry

### Monday, 21 January 2019

19.30 NCS Parents' Association Meeting, HM Study

**Tuesday, 22 January 2019**

- 9.00 External Assessments for Prep School Entry for September 2018  
15.30 U11 A&B Hockey vs MCS, Away

**Wednesday, 23 January 2019**

- 10.00 School Service, New College Chapel  
Speaker: The Revd Susannah Reide, Chaplain of Harris Manchester College  
*Coffee afterwards in the Undercroft for parents and visitors*  
10.30 SRE programme with District Nurse: Year 7 (ends 11.50)  
12.30 Eco Committee Meeting, Yr 5 classroom  
13.00 PSHCEE with District Nurse: Year 6 (ends 14.30)  
14.30 U13 A&B Hockey vs Abingdon, St Edwards Astro  
18.00 Yr 8S and Yr 3 Parents' Evening, Sports Hall

**Thursday, 24 January 2019**

- 16.00 Chess Fixture NCS v Summerfields U9 & U11, Home

**Friday, 25 January 2019**

- 16.00 U13 A Hockey County Cup, Hawks Ground

**Monday, 28 January 2019**

- MCS Music Scholarship  
Winchester Music Scholarship  
Eton Music Scholarship  
16.00 U12 A Hockey County Cup, Hawks Ground

**Tuesday, 29 January 2019**

- Winchester Music Scholarship  
Eton Music Scholarship  
14.15 U11 A&B Hockey vs Sibford, Iffley Road  
MCS Pre-test interviews for Year 6 for 2021 entry

**Wednesday, 30 January 2019**

- 10.00 School Service, New College Chapel  
Speaker: The Revd Dr Erica Longfellow, School and College Chaplain  
*Coffee afterwards in the Undercroft for parents and visitors*  
10.00 Year 6 trip to Natural History Museum, return 12.00pm  
14.00 U13 C&D Hockey vs St Hugh's, Away  
14.00 U13 A&B Hockey vs Lord Williams's and St Hugh's, St Edward's Astro  
Eton Music Scholarship  
18.00 Yr 4 Parents' Evening, Sports Hall

**Thursday, 31 January 2019**

- Eton Music Scholarship

**Friday, 1 February 2019**

- 7.00 U13 A IAPS hockey, St Faiths

**Sunday, 3 February 2019**

17.45 Candlemas Festal Evensong, New College Chapel

**Monday, 4 February 2019**

18.15 Old Boys' Committee Meeting, HM Study

**Tuesday, 5 February 2019**

Safer Internet Day

10.30 U8&9 Hockey House Matches, Iffley Rd

13.00 U11 A Hockey vs Sibford, Away

14.00 U8 A&B Hockey vs MCS, Away

**Wednesday, 6 February 2019**

10.00 School Service, New College Chapel

Speaker: The Revd Dr Sean Henson, Chaplain of St Hugh's College

*Coffee afterwards in the Undercroft for parents and visitors*

12.30 Eco Committee Meeting

14.00 U13 Hockey House Matches, St Edward's

17.30 Governors' Meeting, McGregor Matthews Room

**Thursday, 7 February 2019**

Abingdon Music Scholarship

13.00 U11 Cross Country vs Swanbourne, Away

**Friday, 8 February 2019**

15.00 U11 A County Cup Hockey, Hawks Hockey Ground

**Monday, 11 February 2019**

Charity Week in aid of Helen and Douglas House

Start of PSB/scholarship mocks week

Pre-Prep Reviews

**Tuesday, 12 February 2019**

14.00 U11 Hockey House Matches, St Edward's Astro

**Wednesday, 13 February 2019**

10.00 School Service, New College Chapel

*Coffee afterwards in the Undercroft for parents and visitors*

Orders in Years 3-8 issued

14.45 U13 A&B Hockey va Abingdon, St Edward's Astro

18.00 Year 5 Parents' Evening, Sports Hall

**Thursday, 14 February 2019**

14.00 U11 Hockey House Matches, Iffley Rd

Abingdon Sports Scholarship

**Friday, 15 February 2019**

Home Clothes Day

13.00 U8 A Tag Rugby vs Brockhurst, Away

**Saturday, 16 February 2019**

Start of Half-Term

**Saturday, 23 February 2019**

NC Choir: Monteverdi *Vespers*, Keble College

**Monday, 25 February 2019**

Return from Half-Term

MCS Academic Scholarship starts

Cokethorpe Sports Scholarship

**Tuesday, 26 February 2019**

- 7.00 U11 A IAPS hockey, Haileybury  
Cokethorpe scholarships begin

**Wednesday, 27 February 2019**

- 10.00 School Service, New College Chapel  
Speaker: Professor Joshua Hordern, Associate Professor of Christian Ethics,  
Fellow and Tutor in Ethics, Harris Manchester College  
*Coffee afterwards in the Undercroft for parents and visitors*
- 12.30 School Council meeting
- 14.30 U13 A&B Hockey vs Dragon, St Edward's Astro
- 14.30 U13 C&D Hockey vs Dragon, Away  
Abingdon Drama Scholarship
- 18.00 Year 8 Parents' Evening, Sports Hall

**Thursday, 28 February 2019**

- 14.00 U11 House Cross Country, University Parks

**Friday, 1 March 2019**

- 14.00 U9 A,B&C Hockey vs Dragon, Away

**Saturday, 2 March 2019**

SMT/Governors' Strategy Day

**Monday, 4 March 2019**

'Waste Week' starts

Abingdon Academic Scholarship starts

- 14.15 U13 B&C Hockey vs CCCS, St Edward's Astro
- 14.00 U11 Prep Challenge Cross Country, St Edward's
- 17.15 Junior Concerts Pt 1 (Yrs 3,4,5), School Hall  
*Drinks in HM Study at 5.00pm*
- 18.15 Junior Concerts Pt 2 (Yrs 3,4,5), School Hall  
*Drinks in HM Study at 6.00pm*

**Tuesday, 5 March 2019**

- 10.45 U8&9 House Cross Country, University Parks
- 13.00 U11 A&B Football vs Sibford, Away

### **Wednesday, 6 March 2019**

- 10.00 School Service, New College Chapel  
Speaker: The Revd Susan Bridge, Assistant College Chaplain  
*Coffee afterwards in the Undercroft for parents and visitors*
- 12.30 Eco Committee Meeting
- 13.30 Music Outreach: Strings Workshop (with Y3 and 4 string ensemble), School hall
- 14.00 U13 A&B Hockey vs Summer Fields, Away
- 14.00 U13 C&D Hockey vs Hatherop, St Edward's Astro
- 14.30 ABRSM Grade 5 Theory exam, Dining Room
- 18.15 Ash Wednesday Service, New College Chapel

### **Thursday, 7 March 2019**

World Book Day

### **Friday, 8 March 2019**

- 14.00 U8 A&B Hockey vs Brockhurst, Iffley Road
- 13.00 U9 A Hockey vs Brockhurst, Away
- 14.45 U9 B Hockey vs Brockhurst, Iffley Rd

### **Saturday, 9 March 2019**

End of University Term  
No Sat am Music School for choristers  
NC Choir rehearsal for Music for Passiontide pm

### **Sunday, 10 March 2019**

- 17.00 New College Choir: *Music for Passiontide*, New College Chapel

### **Monday, 11 March 2019**

STEM Week

- 15.00 U13 A Hockey vs Stowe, Away
- 15.00 U11 A Hockey vs Stowe, Away
- 14.00 U13 C&D Hockey vs Thorngrove, St Edward's Astro
- 18.00 Holloway Lecture: Professor David Clifton,  
Associate Professor in the Oxford Department of Engineering Science,  
Research Fellow of the Royal Academy of Engineering,  
Visiting Chair in AI for Healthcare at the University of Manchester,  
Inorganic Chemistry Lecture Theatre, South Parks Road

### **Tuesday, 12 March 2019**

- 10.00 PSB English Meeting, **Red Room**, New College
- 17.30 Pre-Prep Parents' Evening, Classrooms & Sports Hall
- 14.00 U11 C&D Hockey vs St John's, Iffley Road

### **Wednesday, 13 March 2019**

**College Day**

- 10.00 School Service, New College Chapel  
*Coffee afterwards in the Undercroft for parents and visitors*

- 10.30 College/Oxford Activities
- 13.00 U11 A&B Hockey vs Dragon, Away
- 14.00 U13 House Cross Country, University Parks
- 17.30 College Day Concert, New College Antechapel

**Friday, 15 March 2019**

MCS Sports Scholarship

- 14.00 U9 A&B Hockey vs MCS, Away
- 14.00 U9 C&D Hockey vs MCS, Iffley Road

**Saturday, 16 March 2019**

- 19.00 NCSPA Ceilidh for Yrs 7 & 8, Sports Hall

**Monday, 18 March 2019**

Associated Board Music Exams this week

- 14.30 U13 A&B Hockey vs Thorngrove, Away

**Tuesday, 19 March 2019**

- 14.00 U11 Hockey House Matches, Iffley Road
- 14.00 French play technical rehearsal,

**Wednesday, 20 March 2019**

- 10.00 School Service, New College Chapel  
Speaker: The Revd Gavin Knight,  
Vicar of the Church of St Michael & All Angels, Summertown  
*Coffee afterwards in the Undercroft for parents and visitors*
- 14.00 U13 B-D Hockey vs Abingdon Prep, St Edward's Astro
- 17.15 Senior Concerts Pt 1 (Yrs 6,7,8), School Hall  
*Drinks in HM Study at 5.00pm*
- 18.15 Senior Concerts Pt 2 (Yrs 6,7,8), School Hall  
*Drinks in HM Study at 6.00pm*

**Thursday, 21 March 2019**

- 14.00 Pre-Prep Poetry Recitation and 'Show and Tell'

**Friday, 22 March 2019**

- 13.45 French Play dress rehearsal
- 16.00 Yrs 3,4,5 Pizza and Dance

**Saturday 23 March 2019**

- 19.30 NCS Choral Society: *Dido & Aeneas*, New College Antechapel

**Sunday, 24 March 2019**

- 9.00 U13 A IAPS Rugby, Sherbourne

**Monday, 25 March 2019**

**No Activities in final week of term.**

**Tuesday, 26 March 2019**

18.00 Years 5 & 6 French Play and Café, School Hall and Sports Hall

**Wednesday, 27 March 2019**

9.00 Music practice for Words and Music, New College Chapel

**No School Service** (Form Period); Orders in Years 3-8 issued.

14.00 U13 A&B Hockey vs Ashfold, St Edward's Astro

14.00 U13 C&D Hockey vs Ashfold, Away

Orders in Years 3-8 issued

18.00 Years 5 & 6 French Play and Café, School Hall and Sports Hall

**Thursday, 28 March 2019**

9.00 Poetry practice for Words and Music, New College Chapel

14.00 U11 A&B Hockey vs MCS, Away

14.00 U11 C&D Hockey vs MCS, Iffley Road

**Friday, 29 March 2019**

11.00 Words and Music, New College Chapel

12.00 End of term 12 noon