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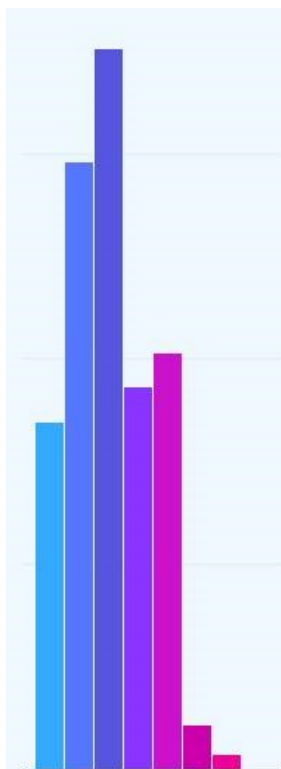
## CALENDAR

### Tuesday 8th November

Sixth Form Open Evening, 6-8pm

### Tuesday 22nd November

Year 11 Parents' Evening, 4-6.30pm



■ Year 7 ■ Year 8 ■ Year 9 ■ Year 10 ■ Year 11 ■ Year 12

## EPrise

Congratulations to Year 9 who are currently in first position for EPrise points. These are awarded on the EPrise system for good attendance and behaviour.

## WELCOME!

Dear Parents

I hope you and your children enjoyed a restful half-term. The last few weeks have been fully packed, I hope you enjoy reading about them in this bulletin.

Our Open Evening for students who will be joining year 7 in 2017 went very well, we had a record number of visitors and it was heartening to see how many of our students volunteered to assist with the evening. They were fantastic ambassadors for the school.

May I draw your attention to the feature on the My Ed App which is a very useful app for keeping in touch with communications from us, and is free to download onto a smart phone.

Enjoy reading more about our fabulous students and staff.

Best wishes

**Paul Davies**  
Principal



## NEWS

### Music Lessons


Kettering Science Academy is offering discounted music lessons for 2016/2017. The Academy will subsidise 50% of the cost towards lessons making the total cost for the year £200 per student .

Northampton Music Trust is running the following lessons at KSA: Keyboard/piano, drums, woodwind, vocal, guitar/bass guitar.

Students will be taught for 20 minutes per week on a rotation system so they don't miss the same lesson each time. To read more, click here: [Music Lessons](#)

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## New Head Boy and Girl Appointed

Kettering Science Academy has appointed the new senior student team for this academic year. Each of the candidates made speeches to their peers explaining why they were suitable and what improvements they would make for Sixth Form students.

Head Boy Joe Smallman said 'I am really excited about the role and hope to make many improvements. I want to arrange more social events and create more study areas for the students.'

To read more, click here: [Senior Student Team](#)



## Student applies to Cambridge University

Head Boy Joe Smallman hopes to study Human, Social and Political Sciences at Cambridge University.

He has completed his UCAS application, sat an exam and will now take part in an interview next month.

To read more, click here: [Cambridge Application](#)

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### Boys Football team come third in the league

Kettering Science Academy's Year 10 Boys' Football Team come third in the U15 division 1 football league.

The boys lost their first match but managed to win the next two games, improving their score each time. They just missed out on winning the league after losing to The Latimer Arts College.

To read more, click here: [Boys Football](#)



### Stand up to Cancer Campaign

Kettering Science Academy supported the stand Up to Cancer campaign with a dedicated window in the library.

To read more, click here: [Stand up to Cancer](#)



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## Kettering Science Academy Open Evening

Kettering Science Academy welcomed Year 6 families to look at the Academy's facilities and talk with subject leaders.

Mr Paul Davies, Principal of KSA said 'The Open Evening was an outstanding event, our staff and students clearly demonstrated what KSA is all about, working together to inspire a new set of students.'

To read more, click here:

[Open Evening](#)



## Halloween Festivities

The library put on a variety of events for Halloween.

The Sixth Form Library Committee helped organise Halloween activities this year including the Year 7 Haunted House Competition and the Year 8 Inter Form Halloween Quiz.

To read more click here:

[Halloween Events](#)



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## Academy Communication Ap

The Academy has introduced a new communications App in September 2016.

The App allows parents/guardians to keep up to date with children's attendance and communicate directly with the school, sending and receiving texts free of charge.

To download the App, search MyEd on Google Play Store on Android or App Store on Apple.



## Students Staying after School

Students are more than welcome to stay after school but they must sign in and out at Reception, their form tutors will have advised them of this procedure.

**Please be reminded that school closes for students at  
5pm Monday to Thursday and  
4pm on Friday.**

They must vacate the building by these times.

Thank you.



## Car Parking

Can we please remind all parents/carers to consider others when parking your cars at dropping off and collecting times at Kettering Science Academy.

We have recently received complaints from residents in the area who have been inconvenienced by parents' parked cars left in the way of driveways and limiting the access to their homes.

We would ask for you to consider others with your parking decisions in the residential streets in the area around both the Primary and Secondary Phases.

Thank you for your co-operation with regards to this matter.



## Contact Details

Please remember to let us know if your contact details change so that we can keep our system up-to-date. You can email reception with any changes.

Thank you.

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