



La Passerelle



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Primary

We had a fantastic week celebrating Liberation 80 at the primary site last week.

All students learnt about the Occupation and Liberation of Jersey, across a series of lessons and activities. We were visited by two Army vehicles, led in a command task and drill session with Willow teacher Robyn and enjoyed making our own Liberation 80 decorations.

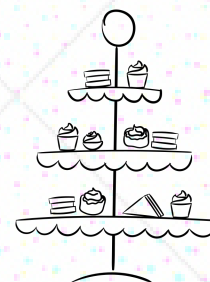
We heard from an Islander who spent the occupation in Jersey, all about her experiences during the war and the jubilation of liberation day itself!

After packing our own Red Cross box, we rounded off the week with a fantastic liberation tea party- attended by students and their parents.

A fantastic week, of community spirit and togetherness!



Jamey Henderson
Teacher

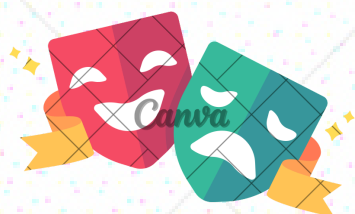


Secondary

Last week, one of our students from the Secondary School travelled to London to perform in 'Connections', which is the National Theatre's annual, nationwide youth theatre festival, celebrating the creativity and talent of young people across the UK.

The play was called 'Fresh Air', and our student was on stage for the whole performance! Whilst in London, they also went to see Hamilton at the Victoria Theatre.

The rest of our school community were excited to hear all about it this week. What an achievement!



Jayne Faulkner
Teacher

Alternative Provision

La Passerelle AP has continued to evolve and develop. We are working very closely with the Switch Team in preparation for the arrival of the Switch Students.

We continue to explore a range of activities and we are looking forward to the Poetry session in early June which will be delivered at the Skate Park.

Our Y11 students are being prepared for their exams and we wish them every success.

Staff are also using a range of resources to engage our students and the Hamilton Trust site has a range of resources to use within the classroom.

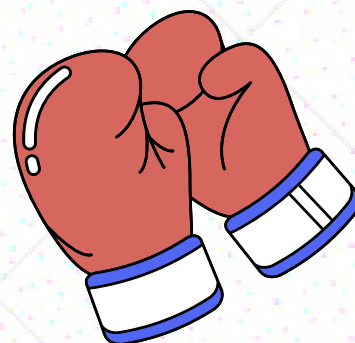
Staff recently attended a Fresh Water Fishing training session which will be another activity our students will engage with.

Joe Brophy is also now coming in every Wednesday to deliver fitness & boxing sessions for our students.

Students are also engaging with online learning through TLC which has also helped to engage students.

As always my thanks goes to all staff for supporting our students.

Mark Gosling
Deputy Headteacher



Mental Health Awareness Week – Community

12th-18th May 2025

This Mental Health Awareness Week we want to celebrate the communities that support us to protect and nurture good mental health.

We know that we thrive when we have strong connections with others and supportive communities around us. We also know that people who are more socially connected to family, friends, or their community are happier, physically healthier, and live longer than people who are less well connected.

Communities can provide us with a sense of belonging, safety, support in hard times, and give us purpose.

Take the challenge to see how many of the 6 Ways to Wellbeing you can complete this week!

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Cook a new recipe and check in with a neighbour and share

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Take a seat on a “Happy to Chat” bench and see what you can learn from the people you talk to

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Go for a mystery journey (walk, cycle, drive), at each turn choose the way you wouldn’t normally go, see what you can discover

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Do a “Litter Pick” at a local beach, park or green space

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Download the Merlin app and sit outside to see how many different birds you can hear

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Eat something local, Jersey Royals are great! See what else you can find that is grown, caught or made in Jersey

Take the challenge and take care of not only yourself but others and your community at the same time!!



Dates to Remember

Primary Dates:

17th July - End of term celebration

Secondary Dates:

12th May – 23rd May – Year 10 Trident placements

23rd & 24th June – Highlands Year 11 Transition Days

30th June – Sports Day & Year 11 Leavers Celebration at Bosdet

14th – 18th July – Activities Week

Summer Term Dates 2025

Public Holidays:

Monday 5th May

Friday 9th May

Monday 26th May

Half Term: Tuesday 27th to Friday 30th May

Term Ends: Friday 18th July

