

# Mossley Hollins High School

## Our Newsflash (2)

Friday 16<sup>th</sup> September



### School Closure for Her Majesty's State Funeral

In line with government guidance, our school will be closed on **Monday 19<sup>th</sup> September** as a mark of respect for Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II's state funeral. Our usual timetable will resume on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> September.

### OUR TOP STORIES THIS WEEK

#### Year 7 Life Skills Day Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> September

We are proud that the learning of our students goes beyond the academic curriculum at Mossley Hollins, as we support them to thrive into confident young adults. On Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> September our year 7 pupils will participate in their first *Life Skills Day* titled **Puberty and Attending Secondary School**. The purpose of this day is to ensure students have a full understanding of puberty, as well as an increased awareness of strategies to support the emotional wellbeing that will help them better navigate this pivotal time of great change. The students will attend lessons on: consent, personal hygiene, self-image and positivity, resilience.

You may wish to discuss some of these topics with your child to prepare them for the day or speak to them afterwards about their learning. If so, you may find the following website (provided by the NHS) valuable to supporting conversations: [www.mindmate.org.uk/so-your-child-is-starting-high-school/](http://www.mindmate.org.uk/so-your-child-is-starting-high-school/)

We really hope the students find the sessions of great practical benefit. If you wish to discuss the event or have any questions or concerns about your child attending these sessions, please contact Co-Ordinator of Life Skills, Ms O'Donnell at [m.o'donnell@mossleyhollins.com](mailto:m.o'donnell@mossleyhollins.com).

The timetable our year 7s will follow for their Life Skills Day is shown at the end of this Newsflash.

#### Roles of Responsibility

This week our Year 10 Prefects took part in training to help them with their new leadership roles around school and at various school events throughout the academic year. The activities were led by our Year 11 Senior Prefect Head Student Team who are really looking forward to working alongside our Year 10 Prefects. We would like to wish the following Year 10 students the best of luck as they start their new leadership roles as Prefects:



Amber Earls  
David Maude  
Joseph Taylor  
Niamh Edge

Joshua Dawson  
Lewis Broadbent  
Holly Dewsnap  
Imogen Collins

Maisie Riley  
Oliver Wilde  
Reuben Ryder  
Taylor Williams

Tehya Boyce  
Abigail Ogden  
Dean Bottomley  
Erin Preger



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Kalia Delaney-Green  
Nancy Li  
Ava O'Connell  
Freya Atkinson  
Heather Ryan  
Lucy Nolan

Lucy Price  
Butterworth  
Niamh Kilbourne  
Noah Whitfield  
Rosabella Porter  
Tracey Ojeaburu  
Zack Makinson

Bradley Anderson  
Alfie Lovell  
Billie Radcliffe  
Hollie Marler  
Leah Patel  
Louise Bailey  
Alice Lowry

Elie Mae Glen  
Finley Buckett  
Harriet Zahra  
Izzy Cutler  
Sienna Shaw



### **School Production Announced!**

*We Will Rock You* is this year's school production. Auditions for cast members will take place on **Wednesday 21st September** from **3 - 5pm** in **G03**.

Years 7 and 8 will be seen between 3 and 4pm and years 9, 10 and 11 from 4 to 5pm. If you wish to be part of the chorus or backstage crew you just need to come and sign up.

If you want to try out for a principal role or elite dance crew you will need to prepare either a short song of your choice to sing (a verse and chorus is fine) or a short dance in character. You will also be asked to read the character from a scripted extract now available from Mrs Ryan.

For a full list of roles, please see the end of this Newsflash.

### **Netball Team Get Off to a Soaring Start**

On Tuesday (13<sup>th</sup> September) our Year 10 and 11 Netball team played in their first tournament of the season. They played two games on the night and put in an impressive performance for both games to win 8-1 against Denton and 13 – 2 against Hyde. We are so proud and hope our girls continue their winning run in their next games in a few weeks' time.

Congratulations and well done to; Ella Whitwam, Megan Hill, Millie Wright, Amelia Grey, Ruby Rae Cartlidge, Maddie Crosby, Maisie Riley, Mae Traynor and Honey-Leigh Cheetham.

### **Outstanding Sporting Success**

We are immensely proud of all the hard work and dedication so many of our students show towards their chosen sports outside of our school. We would like to feature the following athletes:

Gracie Naggs (Year 9), a keen footballer who has recently signed to play football for Manchester City.

Madison Delaney (Year 8) who performed for KDA Mossley and won the Performance Award at the Elements Dance Show at the Manchester Conference Centre, over the summer holidays.



Ella Whitwam (Year 11) who gave an outstanding Netball performance after being selected to play for Manchester Thunder Under 15s and compete in the 2022 School Games at Loughborough University.

Violet Cassidy (Year 7) has also seen success in netball when she played for Tameside Netball Club in a tournament in Nottingham, with her team managing to finish in third place!

Millie Wright and Ryan Level (Year 11) for successfully auditioning for Legacy Youth Jazz Company in Liverpool and will perform at the *Can You Dance – Super Convention* in October.

Jasmine Williams (Year 11) for proudly being chosen to compete in the Karate Commonwealth Games. On Saturday 10th September, Jasmine successfully gained a silver medal in Team Kata.



Congratulations to all of this week's featured athletes.

We would love to find out more about any fitness or sporting activities our students commit to outside of school. Please send any sporting profiles to our PE team: [a.doodson@mossleyhollins.com](mailto:a.doodson@mossleyhollins.com) or [v.dood@mossleyhollins.com](mailto:v.dood@mossleyhollins.com).

***For more stories and updates, please see our News page on our website. You can also follow us on Twitter @MossleyHollins.***

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

*(Please see our website for further details)*

Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> September	Year 7 Life Skills' Day
Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> September	Year 8 – 11 Sports Awards (6-7pm)
Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> September	Year 10 Group 1 Duke of Edinburgh Bronze Expedition
Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> September	Year 10 Group 1 Duke of Edinburgh Bronze Expedition
Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> September	Year 8 HPV Injections
Tuesday 27 <sup>th</sup> September	Year 8 HPV Injections
Tuesday 27 <sup>th</sup> September	MHHS Open Evening
Thursday 29 <sup>th</sup> September	Year 10 Group 2 Duke of Edinburgh Bronze Expedition
	Year 11 Duke of Edinburgh Silver Expedition
Friday 30 <sup>th</sup> September	Year 10 Group 2 Duke of Edinburgh Bronze Expedition
	Year 11 Duke of Edinburgh Silver Expedition
Saturday 1 <sup>st</sup> October	Year 11 Duke of Edinburgh Silver Expedition

## OUR REMINDERS AND MESSAGES

### Co-curricular Clubs and Activities

Our full list of this year's co-curricular clubs and activities can be found at the end of this Newsflash. We strongly encourage all of our students to get involved and participate in the wider school community. Please speak to the club's lead member of staff if you have any questions about joining.



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## School Gateway

We want to ensure our communication with our parents and carers is easily accessible. Our School Gateway app allows you to pay for school trips, communicate with the school and view your child's achievements at anytime from anywhere. To stay up to date with what's going on at school, make sure you download the app for free. Just search School Gateway in your App store and download.

Your login details will be automatically generated using the contact information our school already has, so please make sure the details we hold for you are up to date. You can check and change these details by sending an email to [admin@mossleyhollins.com](mailto:admin@mossleyhollins.com).

If you have any questions or would like some more information, please see the School Gateway site [schoolgateway.co.uk](http://schoolgateway.co.uk).

## Year 7 PE

This year due to limited space in the changing rooms we are asking year 7 pupils to come into school in their full PE kit on certain days. We apologise for any inconvenience this may cause.

Please see the table below. Thank you for your support with this matter.

If your son/daughter has PE on the following day/period please ensure they come to school in their full school PE kit with their school jacket over the top.

BLUE WEEK	RED WEEK
Wednesday – Period 5 Thursday – Period 2 Friday – Period 5	Friday – Period 5

## Our Uniform

Thank you for presenting a high standard of personal appearance (see student planner for details of the uniform and PE uniform required, shoes, bag-type, hairstyles, no make-up, no jewellery and no nail-varnish). There are no exceptions. We are counting on full parental and carer support. Our uniform can be sourced from *Simply Schoolwear* or *Top Marks*. We wear formal black footwear, only. We do not wear trainers or sports' manufactured shoes, canvas pumps, and our shoes must be below the ankle. And that way, we all look very smart and begin to represent our family and community-school so well.

## Your Equipment

School Planner; Pencil Case (with at least the 2Ps – pen/pencil – and 2Rs – ruler/rubber); DEAR-reading book; Lesson Books, Folders and Equipment for the day; PE-kit on PE day). It really is the minimum expectation of good or great learners and members of our Team.

## Two-week timetable

The week commencing **Monday 19<sup>th</sup> September** will be **blue week**. Please ensure you bring in the correct equipment and homework for your **blue week** lessons.



## Sixth Form and College Open Days

To all of our year 10 and 11 students, it is important that you take the time to fully explore your options after Mossley Hollins. Please see the dates below for sixth form and college open days/ evenings. These are fantastic opportunities for you to get a taste of college-life and to find out key information about post-16 study.

### **Ashton Sixth Form College:**

Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> September (5pm-8pm)

Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> October (10am-1pm)

### **Clarendon Sixth Form College**

Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> September 2022 (5pm-8pm)

Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> October 2022 (10am-12pm)

Monday 14<sup>th</sup> November (5pm-8pm)

### **Tameside College**

Monday October 3<sup>rd</sup> 2022 (5pm-8pm)

Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> October 2022 (10am-12pm)

Monday 14<sup>th</sup> November (5pm-8pm)



# Tameside College

## OUR GCSE COUNTDOWN

# EXAMINATION COUNTDOWN

# 31

# WEEKS

## OUR VACANCIES AND OUR TRAIN TO TEACH OFFER

### Job Vacancies – Mossley Hollins High School

**Role:** Midday Welfare Assistant (Sickness Cover) – Mossley Hollins High School

**Pay Scale:** Grade A (Point 1-2) (£9.77 - £9.86 per hour)

**Hours:** 6 hours 15 minutes per week (worked over 5 days)

Term-time only

**Contract:** Fixed Term Contract

**Closing Date:** Monday 19<sup>th</sup> September 2022 – 12 noon

**Start Date:** as soon as possible

**End Date:** 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2022 (provisional)

**Role:** Library and Power of Language Strategy [POLs] Manager – Mossley Hollins High School



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**Pay Scale:** Grade E (Point 11 – 16)

Actual starting salary at Grade E Point 11: £18,852.63

**Hours:** 36 hours per week (term time only)

**Contract:** Permanent

**Closing Date:** Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> September 2022 – 12 noon

**Likely Interview Date:** W/B 26<sup>th</sup> September 2022

**Start Date:** ASAP

**Role:** Higher Level Teaching Assistant, Level 4 (Numeracy+) – Mossley Hollins High School

**Pay Scale:** Grade F (Point 17 – 22)

Actual starting salary at Grade F Point 17: £20,050.93

**Hours:** 34 hours per week (term time only)

**Contract:** Permanent

**Closing Date:** Monday 26<sup>th</sup> September 2022 – 12 noon

**Start Date:** As soon as possible

**Role:** Curriculum Tutor Level 3 (Literacy+) – Mossley Hollins High School

**Pay Scale:** Grade E (Point 11-16)

Actual starting salary at Grade E Point 11: £17,805.26

**Hours:** 34 hours per week (term time only)

**Contract:** Permanent

**Closing Date:** Monday 26<sup>th</sup> September 2022 – 12 noon

**Start Date:** As soon as possible

### **Job Vacancies – Droylsden Academy**

**Role:** Trust HR Director

**Pay Scale: Scale K [Point 44, £48,755 - Point 47, £52,710]**

The figures quoted are the current salary for working full-year (Option 2, below). There would be a pro-rata reduction for Term Time Only + 3 weeks (Option 1, below) as you would be working fewer weeks each year.

**Contract:** Option 1: Term Time Only + 3 weeks working, or

Option B: Full Year.

Please let us know your preferred contract option in your application.

Permanent.

**Hours:** 36 per week.

**Closing Date:** 15<sup>th</sup> September 2022.

**Interview Date:** Likely date: Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2022.

**Start Date:** October 2022 or as soon as possible, thereafter.

Further details are available on the school website at [www.mossleyhollins.com](http://www.mossleyhollins.com)

### **Train to Teach**

**Train to Teach** with us here at **The Tame River Teaching & Curriculum Institute** through School Direct in partnership with **everyonelearning@ Hawthorns Kingfisher**.



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For more details, please contact [eduggan@tret.org.uk](mailto:eduggan@tret.org.uk) or look at the **Train to Teach** Section of the Trust Website: [www.tret.org.uk](http://www.tret.org.uk).

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUING SUPPORT**

## OUR IMAGE GALLERY



**Madison Delaney – Outstanding dance performance**



**Ella Whitwam – Outstanding netball success**



**Violet Cassidy – Outstanding Netball performance**



**Jasmine Williams – Silver medal success in karate**



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## YEAR 7 LIFE SKILLS DAY TIMETABLE

	<b>7M</b>	<b>7O</b>	<b>7S1</b>	<b>7S2</b>	<b>7L</b>	<b>7E</b>	<b>7Y</b>
1	Consent Ms Heapey 4.03	Consent Mr Beaumont 4.05	Consent Mr Doodson 4.04	Consent Mr Miller 3.01	Consent Mrs Dodd 1.04	Consent Mrs Pringle G.04	Consent Miss Montero L.03
2	Puberty Mrs O'Connor 2.07	Puberty Mrs O'Donnell 1.04	Puberty Mr Higgins 2.14	Puberty Mrs Matthews 2.10	Puberty Mr Tomlinson 2.05	Puberty Ms Hodgkins 1:03	Puberty Miss Bradbury 2.01
3	Form Time Mr Doodson G.04	Form Time Mrs Dodd G.02	Form Time Mrs Chapman L.04	Form Time Mrs Pringle L.01	Form Time Miss Montero L.03	Form Time Mr Stevens L.02	Form Time Mr Miller G.01
<b>BREAK</b>							
4	Personal Hygiene Miss Nazareth- Kay 4.01	Personal Hygiene Ms Heapey 4.03	Personal Hygiene Mrs Duncan 4.05	Personal Hygiene Ms Walsh 1.04	Personal Hygiene Mr Miller 3.06	Personal Hygiene Mr Stevens L.02	Personal Hygiene Mrs Pringle G.04
5	Positivity Mr Heywood 4.01	Positivity Ms Heapey 4.03	Positivity Mrs Duncan 4.05	Positivity Mrs Dodd L.03	Positivity Mr S. Thomas L.01	Positivity Mr Stevens L.02	Positivity Mrs Chapman L.04
<b>LUNCH</b>							
6	Resilience Ms Gardener 2.03	Resilience Mr Emmanuel G.02	Resilience Mr Beardmore G.01	Resilience Mr Tomlinson 2.06	Resilience Mrs O'Donnell 1.03	Resilience Ms Harrison 2.09	Resilience Mr Wells 2.12

## WE WILL ROCK YOU CAST BREAKDOWN

**GALILEO** (Male) A misfit who keeps hearing strange voices and songs in his head which deliver messages he can't understand. He is confused and unaware that he is the one the Bohemians have been waiting for, who will lead them to the place where the last remaining live instruments have lain hidden for hundreds of years.

**SCARAMOUCHE** (Female) Another misfit who also gets into trouble with the Secret Police, Scaramouche meets Galileo in hospital and they run away together. Her sharp wit keeps Galileo on his toes and gradually they fall for each other.

**KILLER QUEEN** (Female) Killer Queen is a ruthless businesswoman and is in charge of Global Soft, the worldwide corporation which is responsible for the suppression of all live music. She's power crazy and tough, as well as beautiful.

**KHASHOGGI** (Male) He works for Killer Queen, getting rid of any original or creative musical thought and going after the Bohemians. His victims are sent to the Seven Seas of Rhye.

**BUDDY** (Male) Buddy is an old librarian and a hippy who has studied the sacred musical texts to the extent that even the Seven Seas of Rhye cannot entirely erase them from his mind. He's a comic character who acts as a foil to Galileo and Scaramouche towards the end of the play.

**BRIT** (Male) one the Bohemians who are intent on discovering the secrets of live music, and who believe that someone will come who will show the Bohemians the way.



**MEAT** (Female) Another Bohemian and Brit's partner in crime and truest friend. Meat finds Scaramouche and Galileo and leads them back to the Bohemians.

**THE BOHEMIANS** (Male and Female) A group of rebels, determined to fight against Global Soft and its downloadable music. Their base is the Hard Rock Cafe, and they have taken the names of musical heroes from the past.

**SECRET POLICE** (Male and/or Female) These semi-automated characters carry out the bidding of the Killer Queen and Khashoggi.

**GA GA KIDS/TEEN QUEENS** (Male and Female) Living in a world of consumerism and downloadable music, the Ga Ga kids don't notice their own soulless-ness.

**SUPER YUPPIES, TEACHERS, DOCTORS** (Male and Female)



## CO-CURRICULAR CLUBS FOR 2022-23

<b>Co-Curricular Clubs</b>	<b>Day</b>	<b>When</b>	<b>Where</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Year Groups</b>
Advanced Maths Club	Wednesday	Lunchtime	3.04	Weekly	10 and 11
Astronomy Club	Thursday	3pm - 3.45pm	3.09	Blue week	9 and 10
Card / Board Games Club	Friday	Lunchtime	L.02	Weekly	All
Chamber Choir	Thursday	Form Time	G.02	Weekly	All
Chess / Board Game and Vintage Comics Club	Friday	Lunchtime	Bronte HB	Weekly	7 and 8
Cookery Club	Tuesday	3.10pm - 4.30pm	4.05	Red Week	7
Debate Club	Thursday	Lunchtime	2.05	Weekly	7, 8 and 9
Design & Make Club	Tuesday	3 - 4pm	4.03	Weekly	8
Dungeons & Dragons Club	Tuesday	3pm - 4pm	2.14	Weekly	All
Graphics Club	Wednesday	Lunchtime	4.07	Red Week	10 and 11
Guitar Club	Wednesday	3pm - 4pm	Practice Room	Weekly	All
History Film Club	Thursday	1.30pm - 2pm	2.01	Weekly	7, 8 and 9
KS3 Drama Club	Wednesday	Lunchtime	Drama Studio	Weekly	7, 8 and 9
KS3 Drumming Group	Tuesday	3pm - 3.30pm	G.02	Weekly	All
KS4 Drumming Group	Tuesday	Lunchtime	G.02	Weekly	10 and 11
KS4 Masterclass	Friday	Lunchtime	Drama Studio	Weekly	10 and 11
Oldham Coliseum	Thursday	3pm - 4pm	Drama Studio	Weekly	TBC
Philosophy Club	Wednesday	Lunchtime	2.06	Red Week	All
Pop Choir	Friday	1.25pm - 1.55pm	G.02	Weekly	All
Retro Gaming Club	Friday	Lunchtime	4.02	Weekly	All
Rock Band	Thursday	3pm - 4pm	Music Room	Weekly	All
Salsa Club	Monday	12.30pm - 1pm	Dance Studio	Weekly	All
School Band	Wednesday	Lunchtime	G.02	Weekly	All
School Band	Thursday	3pm - 4.30pm	G.02	Blue Week	All
School Production	Monday	3pm - 5pm	Drama Studio	Weekly	All
School Production	Thursday	3pm - 5pm	Drama Studio	Weekly	All
Spanish Film Club	Tuesday	Lunchtime	L.02	Weekly	All
Trivia and Quiz Club	Wednesday	1.30pm - 1.55pm	2.03	Weekly	All
Whizz Bang Science Club	Tuesday	13.25pm - 13.50pm	3.07	Weekly	7 and 8
Writing Club	Tuesday	3pm - 4pm	2.09	Weekly	8, 9 and 10
Year 10 and 11 Dance Club	Friday	Lunchtime	Dance Studio	Weekly	10 and 11
Year 10 Volleyball (Boys & Girls)	Wednesday	Lunchtime	Sports Hall	Weekly	10
Year 11 Badminton (Exam Group Only)	Thursday	Lunchtime	Sports Hall	Red Week	11
Year 11 Volleyball and Badminton (Exam Grp Only)	Friday	Lunchtime	Sports Hall	Weekly	11
Year 7 & 8 Book Club	TBC	TBC	TBC	TBC	7 and 8
Year 7 and 8 Basketball (Boys & Girls)	Thursday	Lunchtime	Sports Hall	Blue Week	7 and 8
Year 7 and 8 Dance Club	Thursday	3pm - 4pm	Dance Studio	Weekly	7 and 8
Year 7 Band	Wednesday	3pm - 4pm	G.02	Weekly	7
Year 7 Football	Wednesday	Lunchtime	Astro	Weekly	7
Year 7 Jass Silver Award	Monday	3pm - 4pm	G.01	Weekly	7
Year 7, 8 & 9 Netball (all welcome)	Tuesday	Lunchtime	Sports Hall	Weekly	7, 8 and 9
Year 7, 8 & 9 Netball (team only)	Monday	Lunchtime	Sports Hall	Weekly	7, 8 and 9
Year 7, 8 and 9 Girls Football	Tuesday	3pm - 4pm	Astro	Weekly	7, 8 and 9
Year 8 & 9 Football (team only)	Wednesday	3pm - 4pm	Astro	Weekly	8 and 9
Year 8 Football	Monday	Lunchtime	Astro	Weekly	8
Year 8 Jass Silver & Gold Award	Thursday	Lunchtime	G.01	4 weekly	8
Year 9 Dance Club	Wednesday	Lunchtime	Dance Studio	Weekly	9
Year 9 DofE Bronze	Thursday	Lunchtime	G.01	4 weekly	9
Year 9 Football	Thursday	Lunchtime	Astro	Weekly	9
Young Reporters Club	Wednesday	Lunchtime	Library	Weekly	9 and 10

