

Greensteds International School

The Flamingo

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Sports Update

KAISSO U19 Girls Hockey Finals at St Andrew's, Turi

Greensteds 0 - 2 St Andrew's, Turi Greensteds 0 - 4 Braeburn Garden Estate

Despite a challenging day on the hockey field, the U19 girls represented themselves and Greensteds with pride on Saturday. They competed very well over the course of the term to reach these finals and ended up in 3rd place overall. Well done to the team and their coach.







U9 Girls Hockey - Braeside

Greensteds 0-1 Rusinga Greensteds 0-0 BGR Greensteds 0-1 St. Christopher's Greensteds 0-0 Braeburn Nanyuki

U9 Boys Hockey - St Christopher'sGreensteds 0-0 BGR

Greensteds 1-0 Braeside Lavington Greensteds 0-0 Cavina Greensteds 0-3 Aga khan

Blessing named MVP in all matches













KAIS INTER-SCHOOLS FINALS SWIMMING GALA

Greensteds swimmers delivered a commendable performance, securing 11 medals (4 Silver, 7 Bronze), contributing to the 41 total podium finishes in Region 3. The results highlight both individual and team efforts, with notable performances in both sprint and relay events.

Medal Winners

Silver Medals:

Doxa Kamau – 25m Backstroke Kimberly Wafula – 50m Butterfly Matu Eze – 25m Freestyle Alexander Kiuna - 25m Freestyle

Bronze Medals:

Jayden M: 25m Backstroke

Blessing L & Mabon M: 200m Freestyle Relay

Eze M, Blessing L, Adola O, Jayden M: 100m Medley Relay















On Monday morning, we welcomed EY parents and guardians to come and see the EY Swimming Exhibition. This was a great event whereby the EY pupils could show their loved ones the progress they have been making in the pool. Our thanks to Coach Wellington and the team for their organisation, enthusiasm and encouragment.





















Key Stage 1 Swimming Exhibition





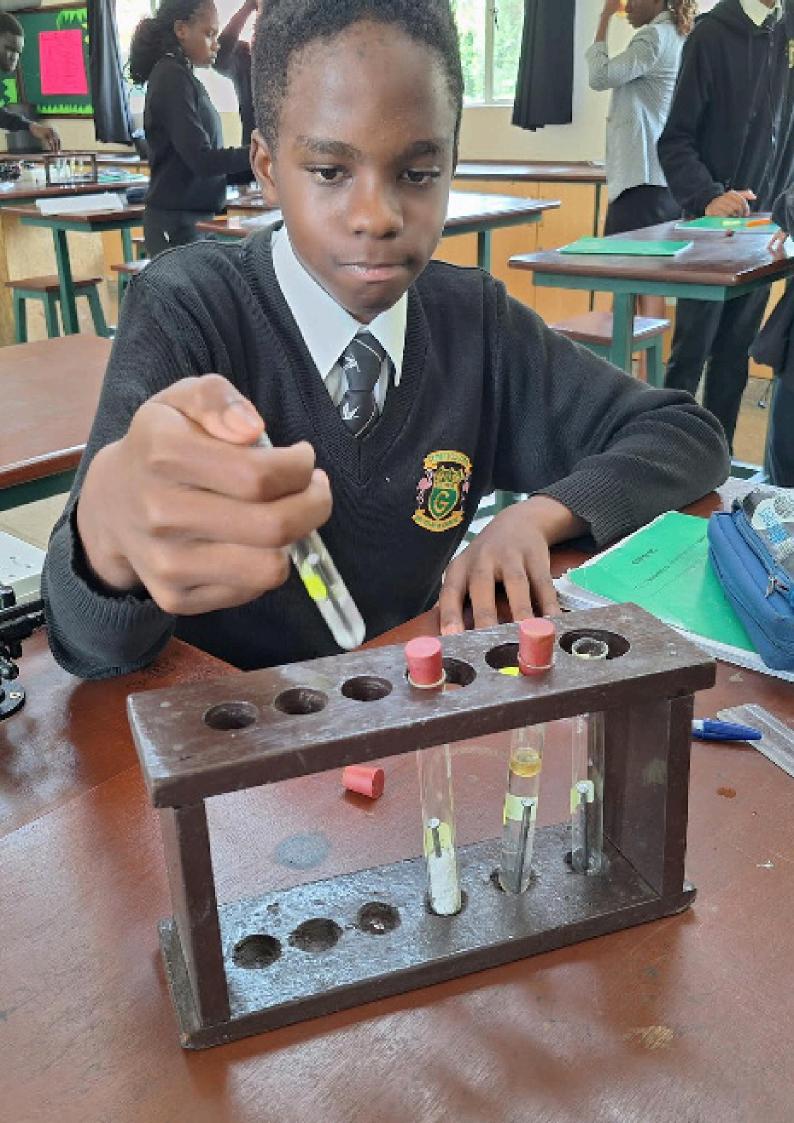


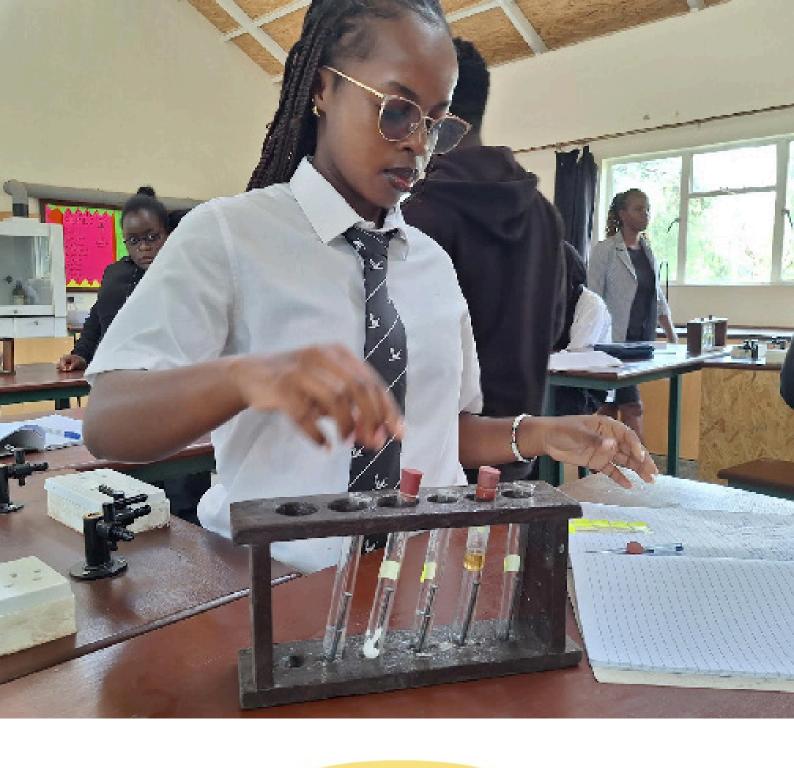


Year 10 Chemistry

Year 10 Chemistry students have been investigating the conditions required for the formation of hydrated iron (III) oxide (rust) as part of their study of metals...











This week, we meet Ms Muruka - Year 3 Teacher...



What inspired you to enter the teaching profession?

My Aunt who constantly amazed me by the way she handled children. I could see the difference she made in the lives of children by shaping them into the adults they will become ,giving them love and reasons to look forward to another day. Being a child who needed love myself, I chose the path to nature - to inspire, to educate, to make a difference and be a giver since a teaching career requires self-sacrifice. I also see myself as a continuous learner.

Where did you grow up?

I grew in Mombasa town

If you could do any other job, what would it be?

Fashion and design, I love nature, beauty and creativity.

How would you spend Your Ideal Weekend?

I enjoy me-time; nature walks & spending time with family and friends.

What is your favourite song?

"You Are The Reason" by Calum Scott

Tell us something that we do not know about you:

I love music and can do any task as long as there is music playing.

What was the last book you read?

Unfortunately with the AI, and online reading I get carried away with the digital resources. However My favourite authors are Ben Carsons and Danielle Steel.

What is your Favorite meal?

I love Chapati, cabbage, wet fried meat or ugali & Tilapia. This completely whets my appetite.

If you could invite any two people (throughout history) to join you for dinner who would they be?

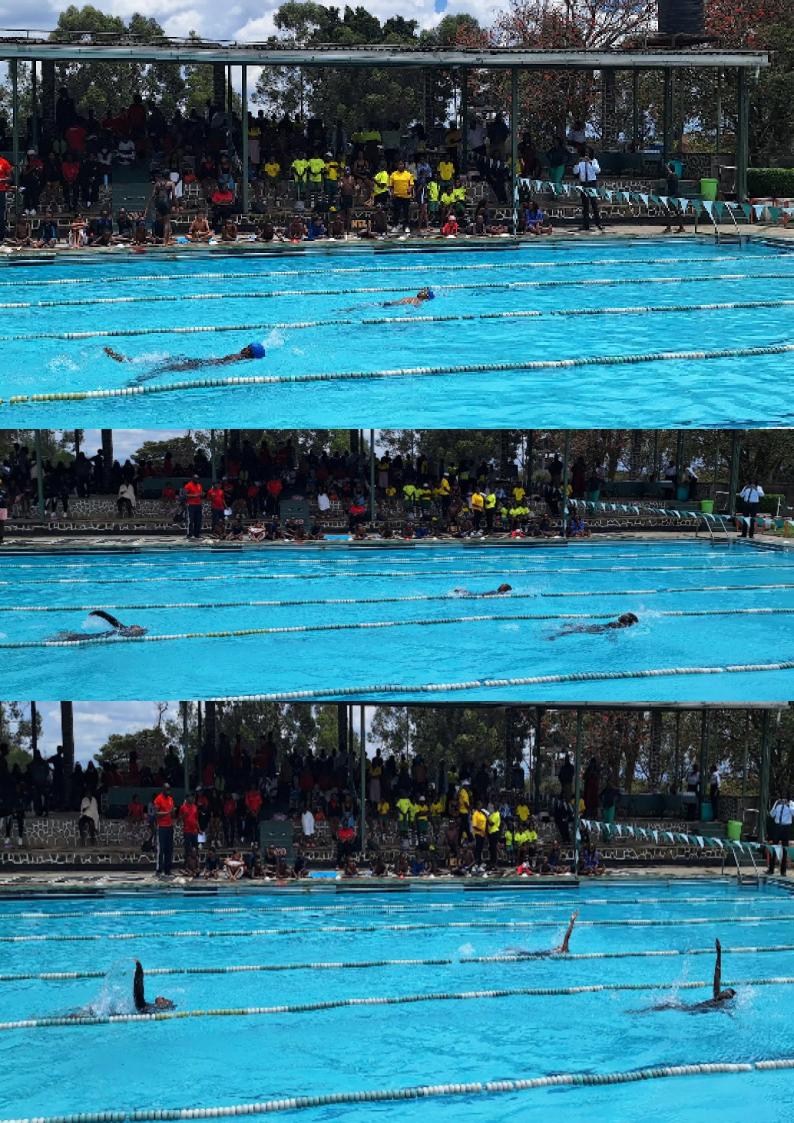
I would invite Maya Angelou and Ben Carsons. The fact that they are both motivational and had a difficult childhood. One being a poet singer and the other surgeon and author, it would be interesting to listen to their conversation.



Inter-House Swimming Gala

This year, the Inter-House Swimming Gala was spread over two days due to the inclement weather. However, this did not dampen the spirits of all three houses. In the end, Kibo House were crowned champions. Well done to all the children who took part and swam their hearts out for their houses.





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U11 Girls 25m Backstroke: Gold to Anna Choge of Batian
   U11 Boys 25m Backstroke: Gold to Mabon Matai of Batian
  U13 Girls 25m Backstroke: Gold to Iris Bardothier of Nelion
  U13 Boys 25m Backstroke: Gold to Joseph Mwangi of Nelion
   U15 Girls 25m Backstroke: Gold to Kaylah Osino of Batian
  U15 Boys 25m Backstroke: Gold to Adrian Ismael of Nelion
   U19 Girls 25m Backstroke: Gold to Matana Kamau of Kibo
  U19 Boys 25m Backstroke: Gold to Mathias Shiundu of Kibo
   U9 Girls 25m Breaststroke: Gold to Amelia Darell of Kibo
    U9 Boys 25m Breaststroke: Gold to Adola Ogot of Batian
  U11 Girls 25m Breaststroke: Gold to Hidaya Davis of Nelion
 U11 Boys 25m Breaststroke: Gold to Blessing Lenjirr of Nelion
U13 Girls 25m Breaststroke: Gold to Samantha Imani of Batian
 U13 Boys 25m Breaststroke: Gold to Rishi Ponnana of Batian
    U15 Girls 25m Breaststroke: Gold to Kyla Ogot of Batian
U15 Boys 25m Breaststroke: Gold to Cariappa Aiyappa of Batian
   U19 Girls 25m Breaststroke: Gold to Megan Wafula of Kibo
U19 Boys 25m Breaststroke: Gold to Dominique Domingo of Kibo
    U9 Girls 100m Kickboard: Gold to Neema Wahito of Kibo
   U9 Girls 25m Kickboard: Gold to Nathania Thuku of Batian
          U9 Mixed 100m Medley Relay: Gold to Kibo
        U11 Mixed 100m Medley Relay: Gold to Batian
        U13 Mixed 100m Medley Relay: Gold to Batian
         U15 Mixed 100m Medley Relay: Gold to Kibo
         U19 Mixed 100m Medley Relay: Gold to Kibo
      U9 Girls 25m Butterfly: Gold to Doxa Kamau of Kibo
     U9 Boys 25m Butterfly: Gold to Adola Ogot of Batian
  U11 Girls 25m Butterfly: Gold to Dehliah Hopkins of Batian
      U11 Boys 25m Butterfly: Gold to Eze Matu of Batian
   U13 Girls 25m Butterfly: Gold to Kimberly Wafula of Kibo
   U13 Boys 25m Butterfly: Gold to Joseph Mwangi of Nelion
     U15 Girls 25m Butterfly: Gold to Sasha Kenta of Kibo
  U15 Boys 25m Butterfly: Gold to Cariappa Aiyappa of Batian
    U19 Girls 25m Butterfly: Gold to Megan Wafula of Kibo
  U9 Girls 25m Freestyle: Gold to Hortensia Wanjiru of Nelion
     U9 Boys 25m Freestyle: Gold to Adola Ogot of Batian
    U11 Girls 25m Freestyle: Gold to Rehema Okwiri of Kibo
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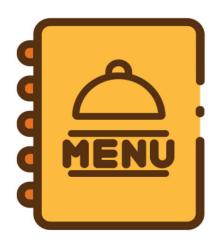
Afternoon Sports Schedule

Even Weeks (2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12)

Year groups	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Yr 1 & 2 (PM1)	Girls: Football Boys: Swimming	Athletics	Girls: Football Boys: Basketball	Football
Yr 3 & 4 (PM1)	Girls: Football Boys: Rugby	Girls: Football Boys: Swimming	Athletics	Football
Yr 5 & 6 (PM1)	Basketball	Girls: Football Boys: Athletics	Girls: Netball Boys: Swimming	Athletics
Yr 7 & 8 (PM2)	Rugby	Athletics	Girls: Netball Boys: Basketball	Swimming
Yr 9 & 10 (PM2)	Girls: Swimming Boys: Football	Girls: Netball Boys: Basketball	Girls: Netball Boys: Rugby	Athletics
Yr 12 & 13 (PM2)	EXAMS/SPORTS	EXAMS/SPORTS	EXAMS/SPORTS	EXAMS/SPORTS



PA Meeting
Tuesday 1st April 2025
Bogoria Hall
2.30pm - 4.00pm



Week 12

Monday AM SNACK	Tuesday AM SNACK	Wednesday AM SNACK
Meat & Veg samosa	Waffles & maple syrup	Cinamom roll
Fresh juice	Juice/Hot chocolate	Juice
LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH
Cream of Butternut soup	Salad with dressing	Minestrone soup
Grilled lamb casserolle	Stir fried chicken	Braised beef casserolle
Vegetable ratatouille	Pita bread	Ugali / steamed rice
Rosemary potatoes wedges	Mushroom & pea stew	Pea & corn stew
Braised green & white cabbage	Risi e bisi rice	Spinach & kale
Pineapple slices	Chocolate cake	Ice cream
PM SNACKS	PM SNACKS	PM SNACKS
Tea scones	Meat & Veg pie	Mini mandazi
Juice/Hot chocolate	Juice/Hot chocolate	Juice/Hot chocolate

Thursday	Friday
AM SNACK	AM SNACK
Beef/veg Sandwich	Cake
Juice/Hot chocolate	Juice/Hot chocolate
LUNCH	LUNCH
Salad	Cream of chicken soup
Beef burger / veg burger	Sweet "n" sour chicken
French fries	Vegetable Cutlets
Fresh Fruit	Carrot chapati
	White forest cake

PM SNACKS

Doughnuts

PM SNACKS

Caramel popcorn

Juice Fresh juice



Examination Schedule (April - June 2025)

iPrimary (Yr 6)

Checkpoint (Yr 9)

IGCSE & GCE O Level

A Level

Date	Examination	Time
2nd April 2025	IGCSE ICT Practical Exam (21)	1.45pm - 4.00pm
3rd April 2025	IGCSE ICT Practical Exam (31)	1.45pm - 4.00pm
22nd April 2025	Checkpoint English Paper 1 (Non-Fiction)	7.45am - 8.55am
22nd April 2025	Checkpoint English Paper 2 (Fiction)	9.10am - 10.20am
23rd April 2025	Checkpoint Maths Paper 1 (Non-Calculator)	7.45am - 8.45am
23rd April 2025	Checkpoint Maths Paper 2 (Calculator)	9.00am - 10.00am
24th April 2025	Checkpoint Science Paper 1	7.45am - 8.30am
24th April 2025	Checkpoint Science Paper 2	8.45am - 9.30am
25th April 2025	IGCSE Swahili (Reading & Writing)	10.00am - 12.00pm
28th April 2025	GCE O Level English Language (21) (Writing)	2.00pm - 4.00pm
28th April 2025	A Level English Literature (11) (Drama & Poetry)	2.00pm - 4.00pm
30th April 2025	IGCSE Global Perspectives (Team Project)	n/a

30th April 2025	IGCSE Global Perspectives (Individual Report)	n/a
30th April 2025	IGCSE Physical Education (Coursework)	n/a
30th April 2025	IGCSE Chemistry (41) (Theory Extended)	2.45pm - 4.00pm
30th April 2025	IGCSE English as a Second Language (31) (Speaking Endorsement)	n/a
30th April 2025	A Level English Language (11) (Reading Paper)	1.45pm - 4.00pm
2nd May 2025	IGCSE Mathematics (12) Core (Non-Calculator)	10.30am - 12.00pm
2nd May 2025	IGCSE Mathematics (22) Extended (Non-Calculator)	10.00am - 12.00pm
5th May 2025	IGCSE Swahili (Listening)	11.15am - 12.00pm
5th May 2025	A Level English Language (21) (Writing)	2.00pm - 4.00pm
6th May 2025	IGCSE Geography (12) (Geographical Themes)	10.15am - 12.00pm
6th May 2025	IGCSE Biology (41) (Theory Extended)	2.45pm - 4.00pm
6th May 2025	IGCSE Coordinated Science (41) (Extended Theory)	2.00pm - 4.00pm
6th May 2025	A Level Business (12) (Business Concepts 1)	10,45am - 12,00pm
6th May 2025	A Level Chemistry (31) (Advanced Practical Skills)	2.00pm - 4.00pm
7th May 2025	IGCSE Mathematics (32) Core (Calculator)	10.30am - 12.00pm
7th May 2025	IGCSE Mathematics (42) (Extended - Calculator)	10.00am - 12.00pm
8th May 2025	IGCSE ICT (12) (Theory)	10.30am - 12.00pm
8th May 2025	IGCSE Global Perspectives (12) (Written Paper)	10.35am - 12.00pm
8th May 2025	GCE O Level English Language (21) (Reading)	2.00pm - 4.00pm
8th May 2025	IGCSE First Language English (11)	2.00pm - 4.00pm

	(Oral Endorsement - Reading)	
8th May 2025	IGCSE Second Language English (11) (Oral Endorsement - Reading & Writing)	2.00pm - 4.00pm
8th May 2025	A Level Mathematics (Edexcel Pearson) (Pure Mathematics 1)	9.00am - 10.30am
8th May 2025	A Level Bialogy (31) (Advanced Practical Skills)	2.00pm - 4.00pm
9th May 2025	IGCSE Physics (41) (Theory Extended)	2.45pm - 4.00pm
9th May 2025	A Level Physics (Edexcel Pearson) (Mechanics & Materials)	9.00am - 10.30am
9th May 2025	A Level Chemistry (41) (Structured Questions)	2.00pm - 4.00pm
12th May 2025	IGCSE English Literature (12) (Poetry & Prose)	10.30am - 12.00pm
12th May 2025	A Level Business (22) (Business Concepts 2)	10.30am - 12.00pm
12th May 2025	A Level Biology (41) (Structured Questions)	2.00pm - 4.00pm
13th May 2025	IGCSE Coordinated Science (51) (Practical Test)	2.00pm - 4.00pm
13th May 2025	IGCSE Biology (51) (Practical Test)	2.45pm - 4.00pm
13th May 2025	A Level Mathematics (Edexcel Pearson) (Pure Mathematics 2)	9.00am - 10.30am
13th May 2025	A Level English Literature (21) (Prose & Unseen)	2.00pm - 4.00pm
13th May 2025	A Level Psychology (31) (Specialist Ops's: approaches, issues & debates)	2.30pm - 4.00pm
14th May 2025	IGCSE English Literature (32) (Drama - Open Text)	9.55am - 10.40am
14th May 2025	IGCSE English Literature (42) (Unseen)	10.45am - 12.00pm
14th May 2025	IGCSE First Language English (21) (Directed Writing & Comp')	2.00pm - 4.00pm
14th May 2025	A Level Physics (Edexcel Pearson) (Waves & Electricity)	9.00am - 10.30am
14th May 2025	AS Level Economics (21) (Data Response & Essays)	2.00pm - 4.00pm

15th May 2025	IGCSE Geography (22) (Geographical Skills)	10.30am - 12.00pm
15th May 2025	IGCSE Chemistry (51) (Practical Test - Extended)	2.45pm - 4.00pm
15th May 2025	A Level Biology (51) (Planning, Analysis & Evaluation)	2.45pm - 4.00pm
15th May 2025	AS Level Biology (21) (Structured Questions)	2.45pm - 4.00pm
16th May 2025	IGCSE Business Studies (11) (Short Answer / Data Response)	2.30pm - 4.00pm
16th May 2025	A Level Psychology (41) (Specialist Ops's: Application & Research Methods)	2.30pm - 4.00pm
19th May 2025	IGCSE Business Studies (21) (Case Study)	2.30pm - 4.00pm
19th May 2025	A Level Physics (Edexcel Pearson) (Practical Skills)	9.00am - 10.20am
19th May 2025	AS Level Chemistry (21) (Structured Questions)	2.45pm - 4.00pm
19th May 2025	A Level Chemistry (51) (Planning, Analysis & Evaluation)	2.45pm - 4.00pm
20th May 2025	IGCSE Geography (42) (Alternative to Coursework)	10.30am - 12.00pm
20th May 2025	IGCSE Physical Education (12) (Theory)	10.15am - 12.00pm
20th May 2025	IGCSE Physics (51) (Practical Test - Extended)	2.45pm - 4.00pm
20th May 2025	A Level Mathematics (Edexcel Pearson) (Statistics 1)	9.00am - 10.30am
21st May 2025	A Level Geography (31) (Advanced Physical Geography)	2.30pm - 4.00pm
22nd May 2025	IGCSE English as a Second Language (Listening Multiple Choice)	3.10pm - 4.00pm
23rd May 2025	IGCSE Economics (21) (Structured Questions)	1.45pm - 4.00pm
23rd May 2025	A Level Geography (41) (Advanced Human Geography)	2.30pm - 4.00pm
27th May 2025	A Level Economics (Edexcel Pearson) (Business Behaviour)	12.00pm - 2.00pm
27th May 2025	iPrimary Computing Test	9.00am - 10.00am

28th May 2025	iPrimary English Test	9.00am - 10.30am
29th May 2025	A Level Mathematics (Edexcel Pearson) (Pure Mathematics 3)	9.00am - 10.30am
29th May 2025	i Primary Mathematics Test	9.00am - 10.00am
30th May 2025	iPrimary Science Test	9.00am - 10.00am
3rd June 2025	A Level Economics (Edexcel Pearson) (Dev' in the Global Economy)	12.00pm - 2.00pm
4th June 2025	IGCSE Physics (21) (Multiple Choice - Extended)	3.15pm - 4.00pm
4th June 2025	IGCSE Coordinated Science (21) (Multiple Choice)	3.15pm - 4.00pm
4th June 2025	A Level Chemistry (11) (Multiple Choice)	2.45pm - 4.00pm
5th June 2025	IGCSE Economics (11) (Multiple Choice)	3.15pm - 4.00pm
5th June 2025	A Level Mathematics (Edexcel Pearson) (Pure Mathematics 4)	12.00pm - 1.30pm
6th June 2025	A Level Mathematics (Edexcel Pearson) (Statistics 2)	12.00pm - 1.30pm
9th June 2025	AS Level Economics (11) (Multiple Choice)	3.00pm - 4.00pm
10th June 2025	IGCSE Chemistry (21) (Extended - Multiple Choice)	3.15pm - 4.00pm
10th June 2025	A Level Biology (11) (Multiple Choice)	2.45pm - 4.00pm
11th June 2025	IGCSE Biology (21) (Extended - Multiple Choice)	3.15pm - 4.00pm



Sports Academy

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Week 12



Mon 24th Mar

Junior school End of Term Assessment all week

8.15am: Yr 6 iPrimary Mock Exam (Computing - 1 hr) 10.15am: Yr 6 iPrimary Mock Exam (Literacy - 1 hr)

Tue 25th Mar

8.15am: Yr 6 iPrimary Mock Exam (Maths - 1 hr) 10.15am: Yr 6 iPrimary Mock Exam (Science - 1 hr)

Wed 26th Mar

Year 7, 8 & 10 End of Term Assessments Senior Inter-House Hockey Matches

Thu 27th Mar

Year 7, 8 & 10 End of Term Assessments Senior Inter-House Hockey Matches - Reserve Day Yr 5 & 6 Scouts Camp depart for Kisumu

Fri 28th Mar

Year 7, 8 & 10 End of Term Assessments

Sat 29th Mar

Yr 5 & 6 Scouts Camp return from Kisumu 4.00pm: Boarders Pool Party

Sun 30th Mar