



Tomlinscote School Newsletter

12th December
2025



Dear Parents & Carers,

MORE MATHS GOLD FOR TOMLINSCOTE!

Well done to Duncan Davies (10R) and Emily Armitage (11L) who took part in the UKMT Senior Maths Kangaroo on 19 November 2025. Duncan achieved a Gold Award (top 10% of UK Mathematicians) and Emily achieved a Bronze Award (top 30% of UK Mathematicians). Well done both!

Another well done to Year 11. They have come to the end of their mock examinations and I am sure they are really happy about that. The whole cohort have been superb during the two weeks and Ms Ellis & Mr Field (Heads of Year) have a special thank you surprise lined up next Thursday. Mock grades and Year 11 reports will be issued on Friday 9th January 2026.

Inter House sport competitions:

Fri 12th Dec P1-2: 11T
Fri 12th Dec P3-4: 10T
Mon 15th Dec P1-2 : 10S
Mon 15th Dec P5-6: Year 9
Tue 16th Dec P1-2: Year 7
Tue 16th Dec P5-6: Year 8
Thu 18th Dec P5-6 : 11S



Activities for this inter House competition are: Boys Football (3G), Netball (Astro or Sports Hall), Just Dance (Gym or Bar), Table Tennis (Gym or Bar). Students can wear their PE kit all day.

A big thank you to the staff who raised £200 during our coffee morning for The British Heart Foundation Charity on Tuesday. The cakes were lovely!

I hope you have a good weekend.

Mr Major

Key Dates

Friday 12th December
Year 9 Reports sent home

Wednesday 17th December
Assessment Day - school closed

Thursday 18th December
Christmas Concert
Main Hall, 7-8pm

Friday 19th December
End of Term
Students leave school at
12.30pm

Monday 5th January 2026
Spring Term starts
8.30am for all students

Christmas jumper week

Students can wear a
Christmas jumper on any day
next week

Tomlinscote School Presents



The Addams Family

SCHOOL EDITION

Book by MARSHALL BRICKMAN and RICK ELICE Music and Lyrics by ANDREW LIPPA
Based on Characters Created by Charles Addams

28th, 29th & 30th January 7:00pm

Adults £10, Concessions £7

Tickets available via Parent Pay

For more information contact rfrater@tomlinscoteschool.com

"THE ADDAMS FAMILY School Edition" is presented through special arrangement with and all authorised performance materials are supplied by Theatrical Rights Worldwide (TRW), www.theatricalrights.co.uk

Job Vacancy: Administration Assistant - Tomlinscote School

We are looking to appoint an enthusiastic, positive and confident individual to work within the Executive Office Team. **This is a term-time only fixed term post ending December 2026.**

The role is based within the School Executive Office and is responsible for providing proactive and efficient administrative support to the Principal, the senior leadership team and to Tomlinscote as a whole. The role will contribute to Tomlinscote's strategic objectives by undertaking responsibilities such as:

- Providing professional and customer focused service to students, parents, staff and external visitors.
- Diary management for the Principal and SLT.
- Administration tasks such as drafting communications to parents and meeting notes for staff.

For more information please [click here](#).

Admission Policy consultations - The following schools are consulting on their admissions arrangements for 2027/28.

Kings International College - Details can be found on their website. The consultation runs from 01/12/2025 -11/01/2026. Please provide comments on the consultation by email to admissions@kingsint.uk

St Mark's Church of England Primary School - The consultation runs from 01/12/2025-26/01/2026 and details can be found here: www.stmarkscofe.co.uk. Comments on the proposed admission arrangements should be sent to St Mark's Church of England School.

After/Before School Clubs		Physical Education Clubs – Spring Term			
Year	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
7	Boys Football Cross Country Netball Trampolining	Girls Basketball Girls Fitness (finishes 4:10pm) Self Defence (sign up)	Basketball Rock Climbing (sign up) Girls Football	Netball (squad) Volleyball Rugby Badminton Fitness (finishes 4:10pm)	Cross Country (2.20pm-3.15pm)
8	Cross Country Netball Trampolining	Girls Basketball Girls Fitness (finishes 4:10pm) Self Defence (sign up) Boys Football	Basketball Rock Climbing (sign up) Girls Football	Netball (squad) Volleyball Fitness (finishes 4:10pm) Rugby Badminton	Cross Country (2:20pm-3:15pm)
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10	Cross Country Netball Trampolining	Self Defence (sign up) Girls Fitness (finishes 4:10pm) Morning Fitness (7-8am)	Girls Football Morning Fitness (7-8am) Rock Climbing (sign up)	Netball (squad) Boys Football Volleyball Fitness (finishes 4:10pm) Rugby Badminton Morning Fitness (7-8am)	Basketball (2:20pm-3:15pm) Cross Country (2:20pm-3:15pm)
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Notes	<p>Unless stated, all clubs are for both boys and girls and run from 3:15pm-4.15pm. No clubs require sign-up or a fee unless otherwise stated Students must wear full PE kit Firm ground boot only for the 3G pitch and shin pads are advised for football. Mouth guards are mandatory for rugby. If you don't have one the PE department sell them for £2. Clubs will occasionally be cancelled if they clash with another school event eg fixture or open evening</p>				

Break and Lunchtime Clubs:

Year	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Various	Breaktime Football – Astro Lunchtime Football – 3G/Field Lunchtime Table Tennis – A Block	Breaktime Football – Astro Lunchtime Football – 3G/Field Lunchtime Table Tennis – A Block	Breaktime Football – Astro Lunchtime Football – 3G/Field Lunchtime Table Tennis – A Block	Breaktime Football – Astro Lunchtime Football – 3G/Field Lunchtime Table Tennis – A Block	Breaktime Football – Astro Lunchtime Football – 3G/Field Lunchtime Table Tennis – A Block

NB. All PE extra curricular clubs finish the last week of this term (15th-19th December) and return the second week back after Christmas (week beginning 12th January 2026)

Tomlinscote Team Results

Year 11 Boys Football	V	Weydon School	Score 3-0	Player of the Match Jack Laister
Year 9 Boys Basketball	V	Kings International College	Score 39-50	Player of the Match Luke Bush
Year 7 Boys Basketball	V	Court Moor School	Score 28-12	Player of the Match Ayden Nair
Year 11 Boys Football	V	Oakmoor School	Score 2-5	Player of the Match Alfie Collacott
Year 11 Boys Basketball	V	All Hallows Catholic School	Score 41-26	Player of the Match Hamish Buchan

KS3 Girls Basketball District Tournament	District Tournament v	Scores	Player of the Tournament Katie Jackson
		Woking High 12-8	
		George Abbott 10-6	
		SJB 10-14	
		Collingwood College 10-10	
		Salesian 6-20	

All Team fixtures and results can be accessed on our Sports System:

https://sport.tomlinscoteschool.com/Fixtures_Teams.asp?id=4438