



FAMILY NEWS

Week 33A – Monday 1st of June

THEMES OF THE WEEK

Reflect on how well we 'consistently' ensure our routines are embedded to ensure we are successful.

- ✓ PRIDE Month
- ✓ My Money Week
- ✓ Global Wind Day
- ✓ World Rainforest Day
- ✓ World Social Media Day
- ✓ Thank a Teacher Day
- ✓ Keeping Safe!



HOLIDAY INSET Y6 TRANSITION

| 2025 | | | | | 2026 | | | | | | |
|--|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|---|--|---------------------|---------------------|
| August | September | October | November | December | January | February | March | April | May | June | July |
| 1 Fr | 1 Mo ³⁶ | 1 We | 1 Sa | 1 Mo ⁴⁹ | 1 Th ^{New Year's Day} | 1 Su | 1 Su | 1 We | 1 Fr | 1 Mo | 1 Tu |
| 2 Sa | 2 Tu | 2 Th | 2 Su | 2 Tu | 2 Fr | 2 Mo ⁶ | 2 Mo ¹⁰ | 2 Th | 2 Sa | 2 Tu | 2 We |
| 3 Su | 3 We | 3 Fr | 3 Mo ⁴⁵ | 3 We | 3 Sa | 3 Tu | 3 Tu | 3 Fr ^{Good Friday} | 3 Su | 3 We | 3 Th |
| 4 Mo ³² | 4 Th | 4 Sa | 4 Tu | 4 Th | 4 Su | 4 We | 4 We | 4 Sa | 4 Mo ^{Early May Bk. Hol.} | 4 Th | 4 Sa |
| 5 Tu | 5 Fr | 5 Su | 5 We | 5 Fr | 5 Mo ² | 5 Th | 5 Th | 5 Su | 5 Tu | 5 Fr | 5 Su |
| 6 We | 6 Sa | 6 Mo ⁴¹ | 6 Th | 6 Sa | 6 Tu | 6 Fr | 6 Fr | 6 Mo ^{Easter Monday} ¹ ⁵ | 6 We | 6 Sa | 6 Mo ²⁸ |
| 7 Th | 7 Su | 7 Tu | 7 Fr | 7 Su | 7 We | 7 Sa | 7 Sa | 7 Tu | 7 Th | 7 Su | 7 Tu |
| 8 Fr | 8 Mo ³⁷ | 8 We | 8 Sa | 8 Mo ⁵⁰ | 8 Th | 8 Su | 8 Su | 8 We | 8 Fr | 8 Mo ²⁴ | 8 We |
| 9 Sa | 9 Tu | 9 Th | 9 Su | 9 Tu | 9 Fr | 9 Mo ⁷ | 9 Mo ¹¹ | 9 Th | 9 Sa | 9 Tu | 9 Th |
| 10 Su | 10 We | 10 Fr | 10 Mo ⁴⁶ | 10 We | 10 Sa | 10 Tu | 10 Tu | 10 Fr | 10 Su | 10 We | 10 Fr |
| 11 Mo ³³ | 11 Th | 11 Sa | 11 Tu | 11 Th | 11 Su | 11 We | 11 We | 11 Sa | 11 Mo ²⁰ | 11 Th | 11 Sa |
| 12 Tu | 12 Fr | 12 Su | 12 We | 12 Fr | 12 Mo ³ | 12 Th | 12 Th | 12 Su | 12 Tu | 12 Fr | 12 Su |
| 13 We | 13 Sa | 13 Mo ⁴² | 13 Th | 13 Sa | 13 Tu | 13 Fr | 13 Fr | 13 Mo ¹ ⁶ | 13 We | 13 Sa | 13 Mo ²⁹ |
| 14 Th | 14 Su | 14 Tu | 14 Fr | 14 Su | 14 We | 14 Sa | 14 Sa | 14 Tu | 14 Th | 14 Su | 14 Tu |
| 15 Fr | 15 Mo ³⁸ | 15 We | 15 Sa | 15 Mo ⁵¹ | 15 Th | 15 Su | 15 Su | 15 We | 15 Fr | 15 Mo ²⁵ | 15 We |
| 16 Sa | 16 Tu | 16 Th | 16 Su | 16 Tu | 16 Fr | 16 Mo ⁸ | 16 Mo ¹² | 16 Th | 16 Sa | 16 Tu | 16 Th |
| 17 Su | 17 We | 17 Fr | 17 Mo ⁴⁷ | 17 We | 17 Sa | 17 Tu | 17 Tu | 17 Fr | 17 Su | 17 We | 17 Fr |
| 18 Mo ³⁴ | 18 Th | 18 Sa | 18 Tu | 18 Th | 18 Su | 18 We | 18 We | 18 Sa | 18 Mo ²¹ | 18 Th | 18 Sa |
| 19 Tu | 19 Fr | 19 Su | 19 We | 19 Fr | 19 Mo ⁴ | 19 Th | 19 Th | 19 Su | 19 Tu | 19 Fr | 19 Su |
| 20 We | 20 Sa | 20 Mo ⁴³ | 20 Th | 20 Sa | 20 Tu | 20 Fr | 20 Fr | 20 Mo ¹ ⁷ | 20 We | 20 Sa | 20 Mo ³⁰ |
| 21 Th | 21 Su | 21 Tu | 21 Fr | 21 Su | 21 We | 21 Sa | 21 Sa | 21 Tu | 21 Th | 21 Su | 21 Tu |
| 22 Fr | 22 Mo ³⁹ | 22 We | 22 Sa | 22 Mo ⁵² | 22 Th | 22 Su | 22 Su | 22 We | 22 Fr | 22 Mo ²⁶ | 22 We |
| 23 Sa | 23 Tu | 23 Th | 23 Su | 23 Tu | 23 Fr | 23 Mo ⁹ | 23 Mo ¹³ | 23 Th | 23 Sa | 23 Tu | 23 Th |
| 24 Su | 24 We | 24 Fr | 24 Mo ⁴⁸ | 24 We | 24 Sa | 24 Tu | 24 Tu | 24 Fr | 24 Su | 24 We | 24 Fr |
| 25 Mo ^{August Bk. Hol.} ³⁵ | 25 Th | 25 Sa | 25 Tu | 25 Th ^{Christmas Day} | 25 Su | 25 We | 25 We | 25 Sa | 25 Mo ^{Spring Bk. Hol.} ²² | 25 Th | 25 Sa |
| 26 Tu | 26 Fr | 26 Su | 26 We | 26 Fr ^{Boxing Day} | 26 Mo ⁵ | 26 Th | 26 Th | 26 Su | 26 Tu | 26 Fr | 26 Su |
| 27 We | 27 Sa | 27 Mo ⁴⁴ | 27 Th | 27 Sa | 27 Tu | 27 Fr | 27 Fr | 27 Mo ¹ ⁸ | 27 We | 27 Sa | 27 Mo ³¹ |
| 28 Th | 28 Su | 28 Tu | 28 Fr | 28 Su | 28 We | 28 Sa | 28 Sa | 28 Tu | 28 Th | 28 Su | 28 Tu |
| 29 Fr | 29 Mo ⁴⁰ | 29 We | 29 Sa | 29 Mo ¹ | 29 Th | | 29 Su | 29 We | 29 Fr | 29 Mo ²⁷ | 29 We |
| 30 Sa | 30 Tu | 30 Th | 30 Su | 30 Tu | 30 Fr | | 30 Mo ¹⁴ | 30 Th | 30 Sa | 30 Tu | 30 Th |
| 31 Su | | 31 Fr | | 31 We | 31 Sa | | 31 Tu | | 31 Su | | 31 Fr |

WE ARE HERE

1 WEEK

UNTIL YR 10 START
WORK EXPERIENCE

8TH MAY

7 SCHOOL WEEKS

UNTIL THE END OF
SCHOOL YEAR





Newsome Academy @NewsomeAcademy

Y7 had an important seminar this morning around Knife Crime



SPECIAL moments



Newsome Academy @NewsomeAcademy



Newsome Academy @NewsomeAcademy

Ms Ainley with some of our Year 10 Student Council, joined Newsome Juniors at the ceremony for the newly elected Mayor of Kirklees, Karen Allison.



"PI Department Making Waves" 🌊



Newsome Academy @NewsomeAcademy

Y10 Food & Cookery: Cupcakes baked followed by decorative piping. 🍰👩🍳





Newsome Academy



YEAR 11
GCSE EVENTS
THROUGHOUT
THIS YEAR TO
SUPPORT YOUR
CHILD

YEAR 11 GCSE SUCCESS EVENINGS

ENSURING THE BEST FOR YOUR CHILD

Dear Families

This year, there have been many Family Information, GCSE and Mock Evenings which have taken place to help prepare your child for success in their GCSE's which have now officially started. We hope you have found all the evenings informative and useful especially in how you can support your child through this period. We wish all the students the best of luck!

| | |
|--|---|
| Event 1 Thursday 9th October 5pm-6pm | Key Deadlines <ul style="list-style-type: none">Preparation for October MocksHome Run InitiativePeriod 6 information |
| Event 2 Thursday 27th November 5pm-6pm | October Mock Results <ul style="list-style-type: none">Information sharing and understanding resultsHow to support your child further |
| Event 3 Thursday 26th March 5pm-6pm | March Mock Results <ul style="list-style-type: none">Information sharing and understanding resultsHow to support your child further |
| Event 4 Thursday 30th April 5pm-6pm | Preparing for the real thing! <ul style="list-style-type: none">Exam timings and protocol |



YEAR 10
GCSE EVENTS
THROUGHOUT
THIS YEAR TO
SUPPORT YOUR
CHILD

YEAR 10 GCSE SUCCESS EVENINGS

ENSURING THE BEST FOR YOUR CHILD

Dear Families

Following on from last years' family GCSE sessions there will be several further events throughout this year to prepare your child for success in their GCSE's. This year, there will be a Mock result-issuing session after every set of Mock exams and there will also be general information giving at several points throughout the year.

| | |
|--|---|
| <p>Event 1 HT2 – Thurs. 13th November - 5pm - 6pm</p> | <p>Intro to GCSE Year</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Preparation for Mocks • Race to Exceptional Initiative • Work Experience |
| <p>Event 2 Thursday 5th March 5pm-6pm</p> | <p>February Mock results and Parents' Evening</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Information sharing and understanding results • How to support your child further |
| <p>Event 3 Monday 11th May 5pm - 6pm</p> | <p>Work Experience preparation (w/c 8th June)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Final prep for Work Experience • How to support your child further |
| <p>Event 4 Thursday 9th July (5pm – 6pm)</p> | <p>June Mock results</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Exam timings and protocol |

GCSEs and beyond



readingplus®

Week commencing June 1st - Certificates provided for top 2 students per class for most time spent reading lessons on Reading Plus. (Between 01/06/26 - 12/06/26)

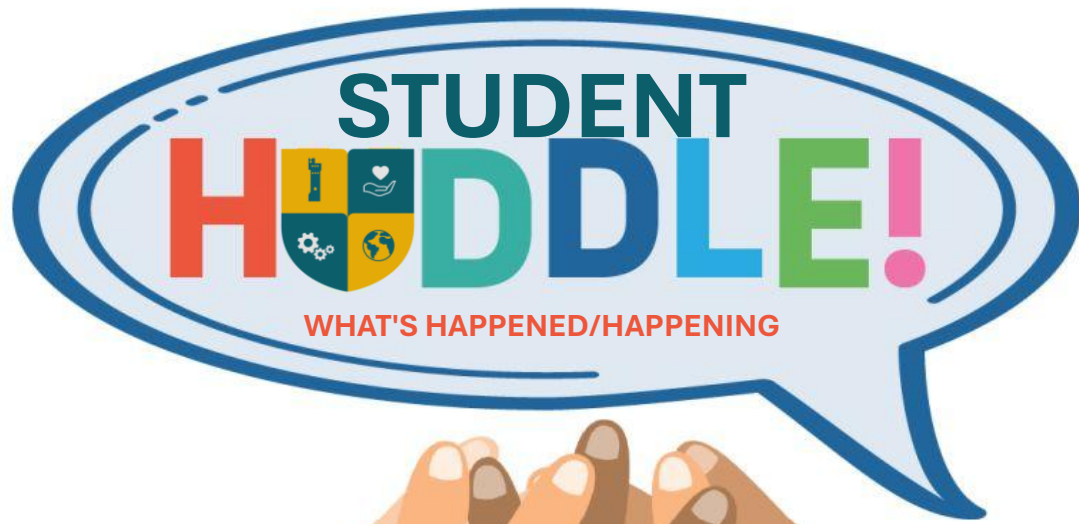
Week commencing June 15th - Certificates provided for top 2 students per class for most reading lessons completed on Reading Plus. (Between 15/06/26 - 26/06/26)

Week commencing June 29th - Certificates provided for top 2 students per class for total highest words read on Reading Plus. (Between 29/06/26 - 10/07/26)

End of term- Certificate provided for top 3 students per year group for highest reading level gained.

WEEKLY UPDATE

WEEK STARTING 1st June



- ✓ **Yr 10 Work Experience Week** – Monday 8th till Friday 12th of June!
- ✓ **Yr 10 Head Student & Prefect applications** - applications for the roles are now closed for Year 10 and staff will be voting for the Head Students this week. Once the Head Students are nominated, they will be visiting the KS3 seminars to launch the applications for Prefects 2026-27!
- ✓ **Yr 10 Work Experience Week** – Advance notice that ALL Year 10 will be on Work Experience between 8th-12th of June - most students have an external placement, some students will be placed here at school and few online.
- ✓ **Careers Fair 2026** - taking place on Monday 6th of July between 12:30-4pm. More details to follow closer to the date and the Sports Hall will be open to families to join between 3-4pm.

A horizontal banner with a dark background. On the left, a neon sign says 'UPCOMING EVENTS'. In the center, there are three location pin icons (yellow, blue, red) above a timeline. To the right, there are several logos: 'SENDIA Inclusion Award', 'WAS Wellbeing Award for Schools' (in partnership with National Children's Bureau), 'HomeRun Year 11 GCSE Strategy' (A Team Spirit Approach Connecting Hearts & Minds), and 'PROM 2026'. There is also a logo for 'Routines' with various heart-shaped icons and the text 'A sequence of actions regularly followed'.

EXCEPTIONAL



**THE
SPECIAL 6**
STEPS TO EXCEPTIONAL

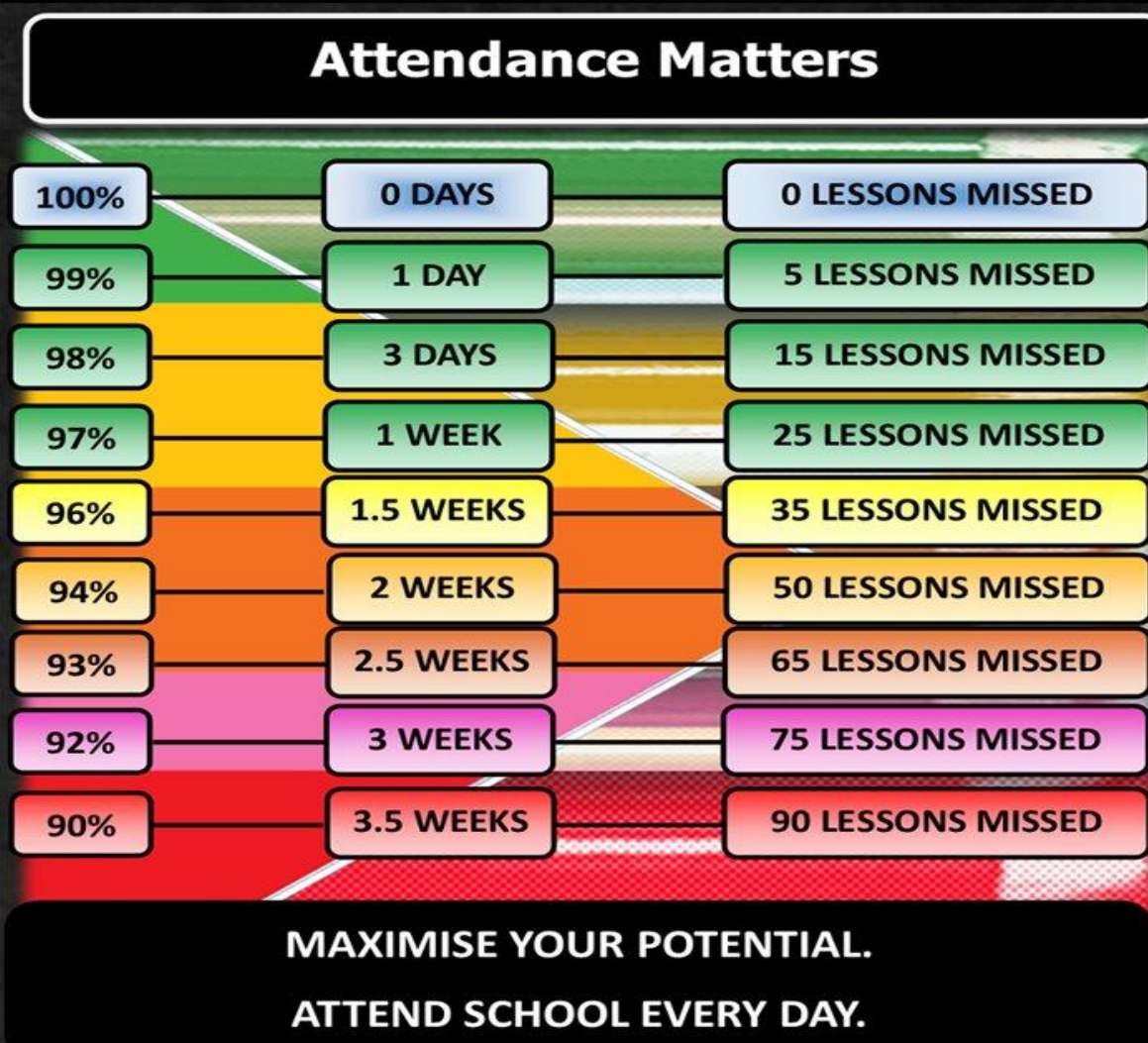
- ✓ **ATTENDANCE**
- ✓ **ATTITUDE TO LEARNING**
- ✓ **CONDUCT**
- ✓ **REWARDS**
- ✓ **EXTRA-CURRICULAR**
- ✓ **HEALTH**



Newsome Academy

General Expectations

✓ Attendance matters



Remember the impact that a low attendance figure has on College applications and life chances!



MIN D S E T

M A S T E R Y





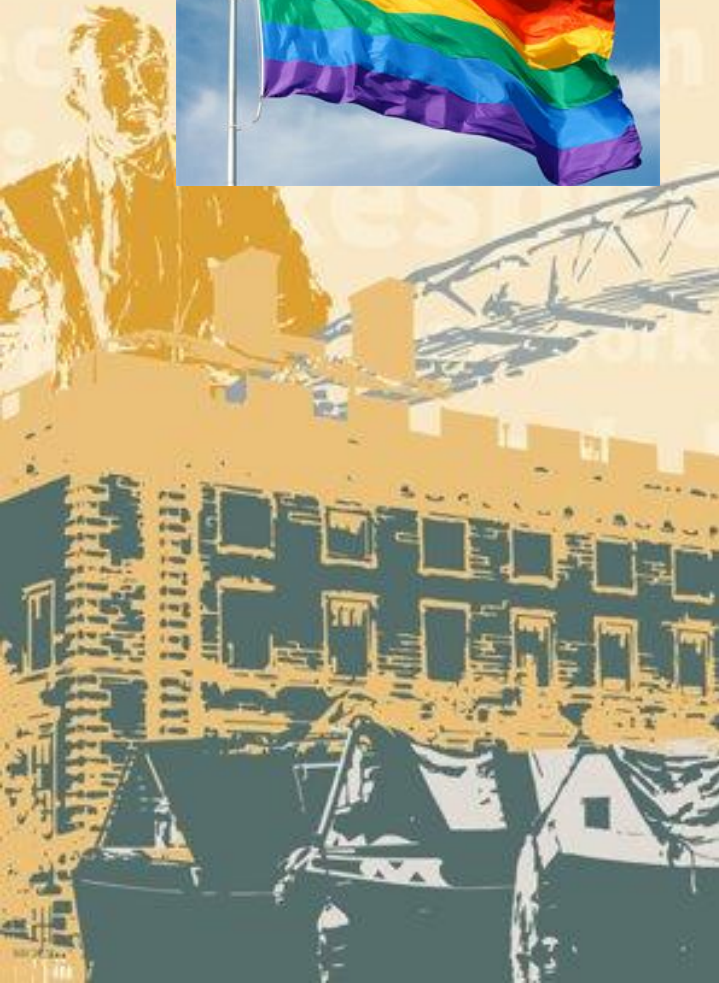
Fundamental British Values underpin what it is to be a citizen in a modern and diverse Great Britain valuing our community and celebrating diversity of the UK. These 5 values are:
Democracy, Rule of Law, Mutual Respect, Tolerance, Individual Liberty.

Which FBV does the theme of 'PRIDE Week' link with?



Newsome
Academy





Fundamental British Values underpin what it is to be a citizen in a modern and diverse Great Britain valuing our community and celebrating diversity of the UK. These 5 values are: Democracy, Rule of Law, Individual Liberty, Mutual Respect and Tolerance.



Newsome
Academy

1. Democracy

- 'Rule by the people'
- Making decisions together (voting)
- The right to voice your opinion

2. Rule of Law

- Understand and obey the rules set by the government to develop order



5. Tolerance

- Respecting different faiths and cultures
- Understanding that we don't all share the same beliefs and values and not imposing ours on others

4. Mutual Respect

- To treat people politely and thoughtfully, to show we value them
- Seeing things from someone else's viewpoint

3. Individual Liberty

- The right to believe, act and express oneself freely
- The right to freedom of speech
- The right to vote





PRIDE MONTH



Newsome Academy





British Values



History of Pride Month?



Newsome
Academy

Pride Month has its roots in the Stonewall Uprising, which occurred in New York City in June 1969. The uprising was a turning point in the LGBTQ+ rights movement, sparked by a series of protests against police harassment and discrimination. The following year, the first Pride marches were organized to commemorate the anniversary of the uprising.

In the United Kingdom, the first official Pride march took place in London in 1972. Since then, Pride Month has grown in significance, with cities across the UK hosting vibrant parades, events, and educational programs throughout June. It serves as a platform for LGBTQ+ individuals and allies to celebrate diversity, raise awareness about LGBTQ+ rights, and foster a sense of community and acceptance.

Pride Month 2026 is celebrated from June 1 to June 30, honouring the LGBTQ+ community, their history, achievements, and ongoing fight for equality



Why is Pride Month Important?



Newsome
Academy



- **Visibility Saves Lives**

LGBTQ+ youth who see positive representation are more likely to feel affirmed and less likely to experience depression, anxiety, or suicidal ideation.

- **The Fight Isn't Over**

In many states and countries, LGBTQ+ rights are under attack—from bans on gender-affirming healthcare to “Don’t Say Gay” laws and beyond.

- **History Must Be Remembered**

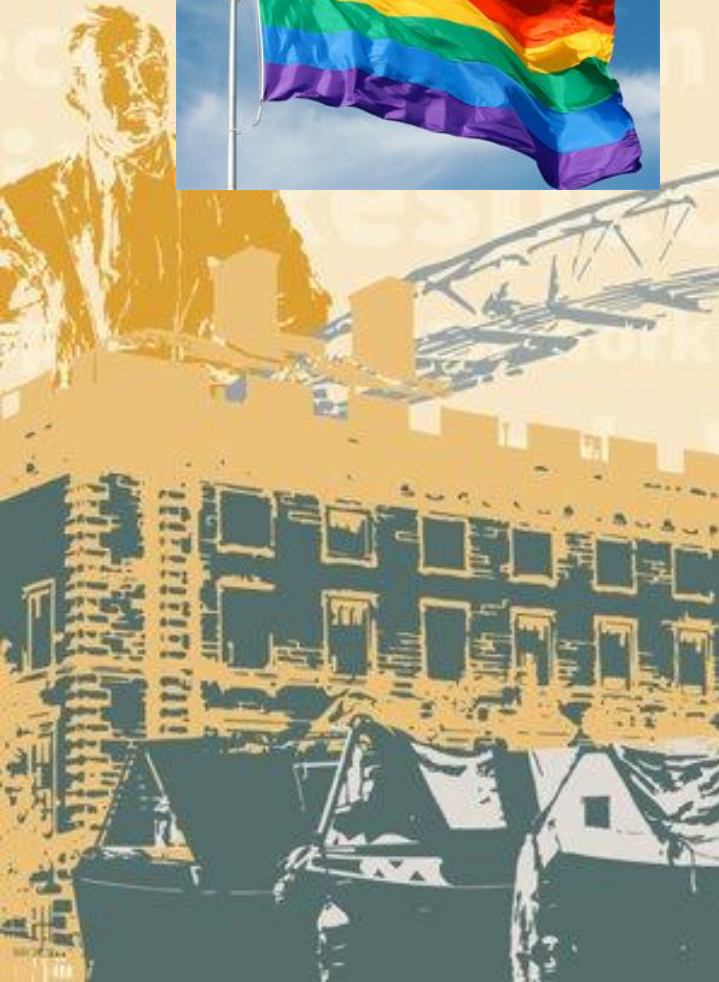
Knowing our past helps us understand our present. Pride keeps the memory of Stonewall, the AIDS crisis, and other key moments alive.



Snapped strings- the story of Homophobic bullying



Newsome
Academy



SNAPPED

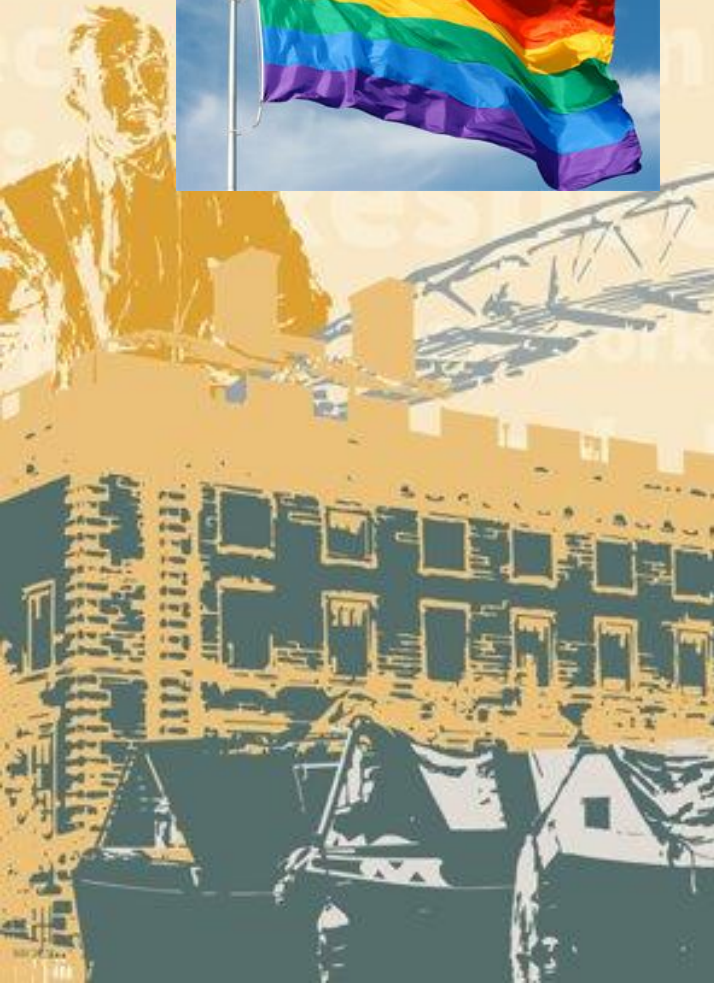
STRINGS

Written by: *William Hill School*

Different Pride Flags



Newsome
Academy



lesbian



transgender



bisexual



pansexual



nonbinary



genderqueer



intersex



genderfluid



aromantic



asexual



polysexual



neutrois



androgyne



bear



agender



rainbow
(present)



rainbow
(original 1978)



rainbow
(without pink stripe 1979)



rainbow
(Philadelphia 2017)



rainbow
(“progress” flag 2017)



Answers

1. Elton John
2. Lola Young
3. Miley Cyrus
4. Lil Nas X
5. Harry Styles
6. Ellen

Guess the Celebrities that celebrate pride

1



4



2



5

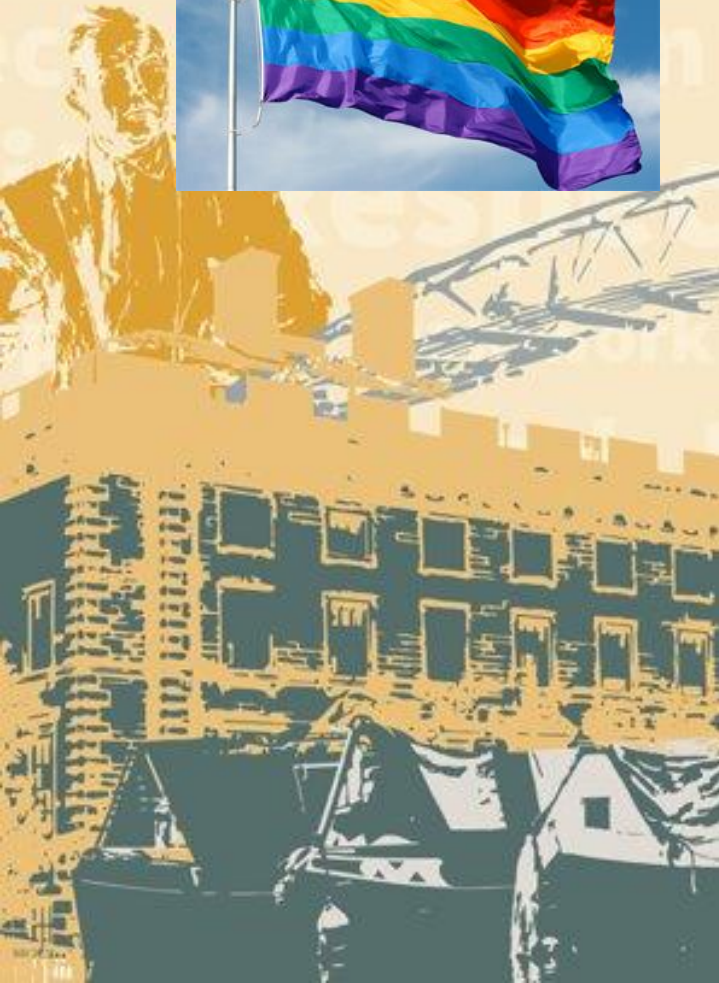


3



6





How to get involved with Pride 2026



Newsome
Academy

1. Attend Pride Parades and Events: Check local listings for Pride parades, festivals, and events happening in your area. Participate in the vibrant celebrations, join marches, and immerse yourself in the supportive and inclusive atmosphere. These events are an opportunity to show solidarity and celebrate diversity while having a great time.

2. Educate Yourself and Others: Take the time to learn about the history, struggles, and achievements of the LGBTQ+ community. Read books, watch films, listen to podcasts, and engage in conversations that foster understanding and empathy. Share your knowledge with others, particularly those who may be less familiar with LGBTQ+ issues, to promote acceptance and awareness.

3. Support LGBTQ+ Organizations: Consider donating to LGBTQ+ charities and organizations that work towards promoting equality and providing support to the community. Volunteer your time or skills to help organize events or initiatives that uplift and empower LGBTQ+ individuals.

4. Advocate for LGBTQ+ Rights: Use your voice to advocate for LGBTQ+ rights and equality in your community and beyond. Engage in conversations, challenge discriminatory attitudes and behaviors, and support legislative changes that protect the rights and well-being of LGBTQ+ individuals.



EXTRA-CURRICULAR TIMETABLE

SUMMER - TERM 2 2025-2026



Extra-Curricular Activities: Summer Term 2 25/26



| DAY | CLUB | LOCATION | STAFF | P6 Week A | P6 Week B |
|-----------|--|---|---|-----------|-----------|
| MONDAY | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rounders Cooking Club Writing Club DOFE Week A Algebra Level 3 Club (invite only) Chess | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sports hall/fields Cooking Room Library 402 407 Library | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> SMT/HRA JBA ASQ GEA MAS NLA | Option A | Option D |
| TUESDAY | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wheelchair sports club Music Club (Invite Only) KS3 Coding Club Week B - student council- 30 mins Week A- Pride - 30mins | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sports Hall 401 608 302 302 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> SCU AMC OMO CBR CBR | Science | Science |
| WEDNESDAY | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cricket BSL Club STEM on Track (Invite only) Music Club (Open to all) Week B- debate club – 30mins Week A&B- Culture Club- 45 min | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sports hall/outside 805 Lecture Theatre 401 302 302 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> JDAA DCR/ SHE EGA AMC CBR CBR | Maths | Maths |
| THURSDAY | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Athletics Choir Drama Club Sparx Support Club BSL Beginners KS4 Computer Science Club (Invite only) H&S YR 10 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sports hall/outside 401 Lecture Theatre 402 805 608 606 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> GEA ECO/CBR LAB/BRO EBu DCR/JSL OMO SMI | English | English |
| FRIDAY | | | | Option B | Option C |



The Designated Safeguarding Leads @TNA

Miss Hall is the Designated Safeguarding Lead



Miss A Hall
DSL



Ms H Baxter
Deputy DSL



Ms R Leroy
Deputy DSL



Ms E Carter
Deputy DSL



Ms J Brook
Deputy DSL



Ms G Coldwell
Deputy DSL

How can I keep Safe?

talk@newsomeacademy.co.uk