



COLFOX BULLETIN 2

HEADTEACHER NEWS

It has been another busy week at Colfox! Well done to our Year 8 girls who helped lead our Multi-Skills Festival and made it great fun for the 180 primary school pupils we welcomed to Colfox. Our Year 9 Geographers enjoyed a wonderful trip to the Eden Project. Congratulations to our team who did brilliantly winning two prizes at the regional robotics tournament 'Unearthed', [more details here](#). Well done Y11 & Y13, keep going with revision, Y11 parents please encourage your child to go to the revision support sessions, timetable below. I am pleased to report that our plans to work with Dorset Council to create a new Inclusion Hub at Colfox are progressing well, this will further enhance the support we offer to our students with SEN. I am also pleased to confirm again that there will be no significant staffing changes at Colfox this year. Have a good weekend,
Adam Shelley Headteacher

UPCOMING EVENTS

Week Beginning 27/4/26 Week B

Wed - Drop in Cafe in SEL for anyone who is or has ever gone through bereavement (every Wed)

Thur - Informal Concert in Music all welcome

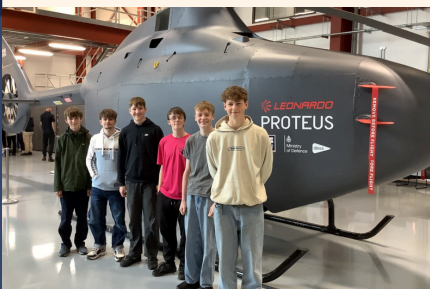
Fri - Booster vaccinations (for those who have given consent)

You can now follow us on Facebook

Colfox PE is also on Instagram

ROBOTICS TOURNAMENT, SPORTS FESTIVAL & EDEN PROJECT TRIP!

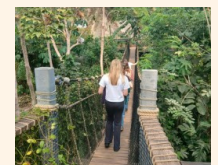
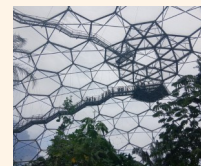
Regional Robotics Tournament Success - well done Dax, Leo, Jasper, George, Albert & Seb!



Well done Y8 for making our Sports Festival for younger pupils such a success!



Eden Project Trip for our Year 9 Geographers!



WELLBEING HELP - FREE SESSIONS USUAL COST £24

We all need help sometimes. Advice about supporting your child's wellbeing is available via special Zoom sessions. We've paid for free access for all Colfox Parents & Carers. Simply choose your [session here](#) and at the payment stage click 'enter a promo code' and use SJC19226. The timetable showing sessions available in May is below.

[Colfox.org/talks](https://colfox.org/talks)

GCSE REVISION HELP SESSIONS

Our revision help GCSE sessions are still running - at lunch & after school.

Students who attend do better, so do go along Year 11!

[Colfox.org/revision](https://colfox.org/revision)

GCSE Study & Revision Help

MON - LUNCH	TUES - LUNCH	WED - LUNCH
Science A201 Biology A204 French speaking B217 Ancient History B216 DT Coursework C101	Business A207 Chemistry A203 Geography (Week A)	DT Coursework Physics A209 Food C101 DT Coursework C101
THURS - 3.30PM Computer Science Ancient History B216 Art Maths Music	TUES - 3.30PM English B208 B209 Business A207 History A105 Art Religious Studies A103	WED - 3.30PM Science History B215
THURS - LUNCH Biology A205 Food C101 Drama Classical Music Geography Mrs Nicoll's DT Coursework C101	FRI - LUNCH Physics A202 Food C101 DT Coursework C101	FRI - 3.30PM Geography

Go to these sessions!
Students who go do better
Library & SEN open after school Mon-Thur



Parent Support Sessions May

Go to a free expert session on Zoom, we've paid - usual cost £24.

Choose [your session here](#) & use code: **SJC191226**

School Anxiety	4 May 10am
Understanding Anger	4 May 7pm
Facing Defiance	5 May 10am
Supporting Healthy Screen Use	5 May 7pm
Cannabis and Ketamine Awareness	11 May 10am
Anxiety Explained	11 May 7pm
Introduction to OCD	12 May 10am
What is ACT?	12 May 7pm
Decreasing Depression	18 May 10am
Raising Self-Esteem	18 May 7pm
Supporting Healthy Sleep	19 May 10am
Understanding the Teenage Brain	19 May 7pm
Autism: Improving Communication	25 May 10am
Improving Family Communication	25 May 7pm
Supporting a Child with ADHD	26 May 10am
Understanding Addictive Behaviour	26 May 7pm
FREE Getting a Good Nights Sleep	28 May 7-8pm



ARE YOU ON THE HOUSING REGISTER?

Affordable homes at Foundry Lea

- Affordable homes are beginning to be released on the new Foundry Lea development.
- To be eligible to apply you must be on Dorset Council's Housing Register.
- Registering may not provide you with an immediate housing solution but it is important to be ready when new homes become available.
- You can find out quickly if you qualify by checking Dorset Council's short [online check](#)
- The check asks a few simple questions, eg, are you over 16, do you have a household income below £60,000pa, and have a local connection to Dorset, such as working or living in the area.
- If you are currently living in privately or socially rented accommodation you can still apply for the register.

Further help is provided by Bridport Citizens' Advice and Bridport Library, South Street.

- At Foundry Lea, there are also affordable Shared Ownership homes on offer.
- A shared ownership home allows you to buy a share of your home, while paying rent on the remaining share.
- To register your interest you need to contact the housing association direct. Abri is currently offering homes via: [www.abrihomes.co.uk/properties/foundrylea].

GET ON THE REGISTER!