

Friday 12 September 2025

Weekly Newsletter Upcoming Dates

September

15th-17th Year 5P Scout Centre Residential Trip 16th Year 6 Teas & Tours at JCG 17th-19th Year 5CJ Scout Centre Residential Trip 17th PTA Annual General Meeting, 18.30, JCP Meeting Room

24th School Individual Photographs25th Pupil Nasal Flu Vaccinations25th Year 4 visit to La Hougue Bie30th Year 5 Jersey Museum visit and Town Walk

October

1st Year 5 & 6 Primary School Open Cross Country, 13.00-14.00, Les Quennevais
1st Year 4 Mosque Visit
10th PTA Disco, Time TBA, Hall
20th Parent Teacher Consulations, 17.00-19.00
23rd Parent Teacher Consulations, 15.00-18.00
27th-31st Half term - school closed

November

10th -14th Music Eisteddfod 13th Choir Eisteddfod, St Helier Methodist Church 20th Year 5 Assembly, 14.00, Hall 21st Children in Need

December

3rd Reception Nativity, 13.30, Hall
4th Reception Nativity, 9.15, Hall
5th Year 3 Swimming Gala, 13.15, Langford
9th Key Stage 2 Carol Service, 18.00, Methodist Church
10th Year 4 Swimming Gala, 13.15, Langford
12th Year 2 Production, 9.00 & 13.30, Hall
16th Year 1 Christmas Singing, 9.00 & 13.30, Hall
18th Christmas Party Day
18th Last day of term

*Date change

To help working parents we have added the dates for the school year to our website.

Headteacher's Message

I hope that you all had the chance to enjoy the Battle of Britain Air Show yesterday – it was wonderful to see the Red Arrows back in the skies, dazzling us once again with their spectacular display.

We have been very fortunate this week to welcome artist Rory McCann into school. He has created a stunning new mural of much-loved book characters on the stairway leading into the library. Even more excitingly, Rory has secretly added an extra character to the existing mural inside the library itself... Can your children spot who has joined the wall of stories? We'd love for you to take a look at the new artwork next time you're in the building.

In assemblies this week, Ms Guglieri has been speaking to the children about our school expectations around behaviour, learning, and uniform. These reminders help us to keep our standards high and maintain a positive learning environment.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support.

Mrs Precious

PTA Annual General Meeting

Wednesday 17th September 2025 6:30pm JCP Meeting Room

All parents and carers are warmly invited to attend the JCP PTA AGM.

This is a great opportunity to hear about the work of the PTA, hear all about our fundraising from the past year, share ideas, and get involved in supporting our school community.

New parents are especially welcome – come along to find out more about what the PTA does and how you can take part.

Sophie Walton, PTA Chairperson



Pride of Jersey Awards



Congratulations to Mrs Christopher who has been nominated for the Teacher of the Year award in the Pride of Jersey awards!

Voting is now open until 21st September so please cast a vote in her favour!

https://prideofjersey.com/how-to-vote/





BBC Jersey Make a Difference Awards



Congratulations to Ophelia G in Year 3 who has been shortlisted for special recognition by the judges for the Make a Difference Awards for raising £2500 for Caring Cooks in her role as young ambassador.





Science

5P launched into their new Science topic: Earth and Science! They learned about the planets on our Solar Sysyem, ordered them and even created their own 3D models of them!





Year 6 had their first lesson on Light and Sight! They completed a mini experiment to discover how light travels...did you know light travels in straight lines?











Primary School Cross Country (Years 5 & 6)

There is still time to sign-up from the Primary School Cross Country!

If your child is in Year 5 or 6 and they would like to take part, please sign your child up by completing this form:

Cross Country Sign-up

The event is taking place on Wednesday 1st October at Les Quennevais. Sign-up is open until **Friday 19th September**.





SPC Clubs

Monday

Year 3 & 4 Football Club	12.30-12.55	Hall
Year 6 Netball Club	15.00-16.15	Netball Court

Tuesday

Year 2 Just Dance Group 1	12.00-12.30	Hall

Wednesday

Year 3 & 4Multi Sports Club Group 1	12.00-12.30	Hall
Year 5 & 6 Football Club Group 1	15.00-16.15	Heathfield
Year 5 & 6 Hockey Club	15.00-16.15	Claremont Astro

Thursday

Year 2 Football Club	12.00-12.30	Hall
Year 5 Netball Club Group 1	15.00-16.15	Netball Court











It's been a hive of activity in the Music Department at JCP over the past week! I've really enjoyed meeting our new pupils and seeing everyone settling into their new classes.

There's been a wonderful variety of music-making happening — from whole-class ensemble performances, and ukulele playing to choirs, string ensembles, instrumental lessons, and even some lively boom whacker sessions!

One of the highlights of the week was meeting our lovely new Reception children. They sang familiar nursery rhymes and added some magical sparkle by playing twinkly instruments to Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star — it was such a delight to hear.









Music Clubs

Music clubs started in full swing this week. It is great that nearly all our music clubs are fully subscribed.

Signing Choir begins next Thursday from 8.00-8.30 in the Music Room - there is no sign up form, please just turn up,

Please can I remind parents that it is important that if your child attends any music lunchtime music club, or has an instrumental lesson during the lunch hour, they must bring a packed lunch so that they arrive on time for the start of the club or lesson. Hot lunches take a little longer and mean that the children miss the start of the session.





Music Clubs



Monday

Ukulele Club	15.00-16.00	Garden Chalet

Tuesday

String Ensemble	12.30-12.55	Music Room
Senior Choir	15.00-16.00	School Hall

Wednesday

Junior Choir (Year 3 & 4)	12.30-12.55	Music Room	
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Thursday

Signing Choir	8.00-8.30	Music Room
Wind Ensemble	12.30-12.55	Music Room

Friday

JCP Orchestra	8.00-8.45	Music Room	
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Bookings are now open for our next holiday camp for October half-term! It will take place Monday 27th to Friday 31st October from 09:00 to 17:00. £365 (£310 for Little Leopards)

Follow this link to book!





We have a few spaces still available at Little Leopards! If you have an account, you can go to our shop and book. If not, please register via our shop and we will create one for you!

Are you a former JCG student?

If you are a JCG alumni, please register with us so we can share upcoming events and other information about the College.

Follow this link to register.

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Follow us on social media for regular updates about the Foundation activities













We have a large and varied team of tutors specializing in strings, woodwind, brass, vocals, piano and music theory. We are particularly looking for students to learn the following instruments:

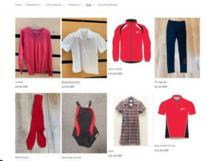
- Viola
- Cello
- Double Bass
- Bass Guitar
- French Horn Trumpet
- Trombone
- Voice (Classical/MT/Pop/Rock)
- Piano

Instruments are available for hire for a termly fee.

If your child is interested, please complete this application form.

Further information regarding music tuition can be found here.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to reach out to our Foundation Administrator at polyphony@jcgfoundation.com



Second-hand uniform

Did you know the Foundation sells secondhand uniform on its online shop? Visit this page to see a selection of jumpers, shirts, dresses, skirts and PE equipment.

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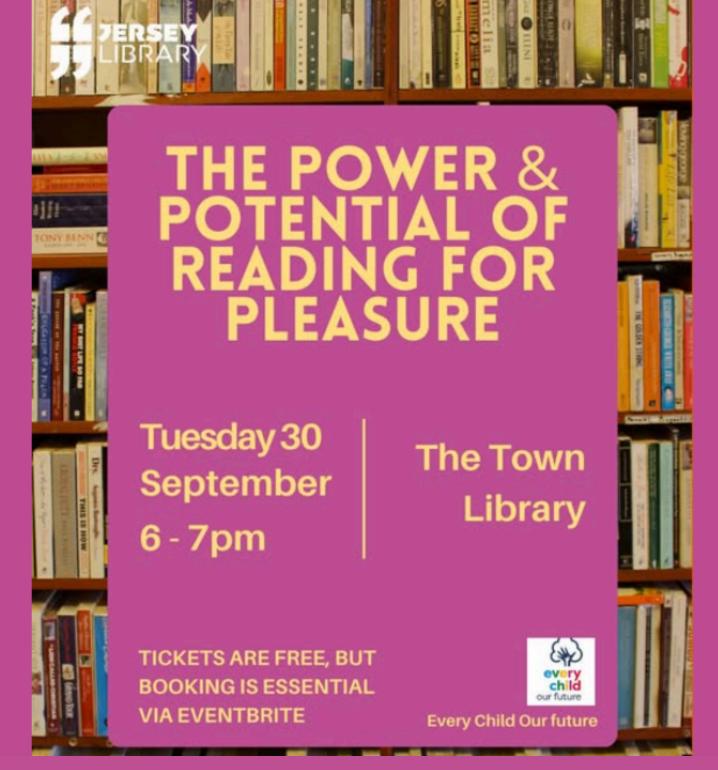
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Join us for an engaging evening at Jersey Library as we explore the importance of volitional reading and how it can transform learning, literacy, and lives.

Our keynote speaker, Professor Teresa Cremin, will share insights from her pioneering research on reading for pleasure, its role in education, and the profound impact it can have on young people's development.

Please click here for more information and to book.





RBC Race for the Kids is a global initiative that brings communities together to run, walk, wheel and scoot, all in support of youth charities, Globally, there are 29 races and more than \$100m CAD has been raised to-date!

This year sees RBC Race for the Kids return to Jersey for the first time since 2021, taking place on **Sunday 21 September** as part of the Supertri Triathlon event, in which RBC is delighted to be the official Community Partner.

We are excited to return to Waterfront Gardens this September where families, friends and colleagues will take on the 2.5k, 5k and brand new 10k distance in support of our charity partner Jersey Child Care Trust.

Anyone can take part, it's not just for kids. Let's set up our children for a thriving future - so register your interest now and support RBC Race for the Kids today!

For more information and to sign up please click here.



REAL in the Park Part of the Jersey Festival of Words

A morning of free, fun filled activities for 0-5 year olds

Including:

50 Things to Do Before You're Five
Every Child Our Future
Grouville School
Jersey Association of Child Carers
Jersey Child Care Trust
Jersey Library
Jersey Sport

Happy Hatchlings La Petite Ecole

Naturebase
Village Pre-School

Westmount Day Nursery

Children Inspired by Yoga



Time: 10am - 12pm

Location: Millenium Park





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NATASHA DEVON
Writer, Speaker and Campaigner

16th or 17th September 2025 6pm - 8pm



Smartphones and social media are everywhere, but how do we set healthy boundaries?

Join Natasha for simple, practical tips to create harmony with technology, set digital limitis, and spark meaningful conversations.

Scan the code or click below for more information https://tinyurl.com/ND-Event