

Nobel News

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From the Headteacher

Dear Parents and Carers

I hope you all had a good break over Easter and, as we move into the summer term, let's hope that the 'sun-lit uplands' that the prime minister talks of are nearly upon us.

As I have mentioned on numerous occasions, remote learning has been tough for everyone, let's hope that the new normal is very close!

Our Nobelians have returned to school with good intentions and lots of excitement. We will be working hard to make sure that we catch up on any missed work, as we gauge the progress of students over the next few weeks. Uniform is one area we would like to improve; for obvious reasons some families have been unable to buy shoes or blazers, but now the shops are open, we will expect all Nobelians to be in perfect uniform by Monday. If this is a problem, please let your child's tutor know.

Staff will be making final adjustments to grades for our exam classes over the next few weeks. It is very important that year 11 and year 13 students continue to push themselves this half-term.

Anyway, the sun is shining, and we are all pleased to be back.

Take care and stay safe.

Warm regards
Martyn Henson

University Challenge 2021

Although the University Challenge competition between year 12 LKE and 13 RKI occurred for the first time without an audience this year, it was still extremely competitive.

Despite the questions being immensely difficult and comprising of a variety of different topics such as flags, music, science, etc, both year groups managed to answer the majority of questions given.

Year 13 managed to answer the greatest number of questions and won with 13 points while year 12 were slightly behind with 9 points. Making year 13 RKI the winners of University Challenge for the second consecutive year.

Very well done to all who participated.

Sitara Aman
Head Girl



PE Extra Curricular

These clubs start week beginning Monday 19 April.

Day	Time	Year	Activity
Monday	14:45 – 15:45	7	Athletics, Cricket, Rounders
Tuesday	14:50 – 15:50	8	Athletics, Cricket, Rounders
Thursday	15:00 – 16:00	9 and 10	Athletics, Cricket, Rounders

If your club runs on a day you do not have PE, please come to school in school uniform and bring in a pair of trainers to change into.



Language Learners of the Half-Term: February/March 2021



Mackenzie Chiwambo	8M MMD
Max Payne	8T AHY
Jessica Shadwell	8T AHY
Eva Steptoe	8T AHY
Amber Smith	8T KPR
George Lawson	9C PPI
Chloe Pedder	9M CMY
Ryan Pedder	9C RBD
Amelie Powell	9T ELW
Mya Desewu	10M PBX
Benjamin Skidmore	11M SHS
Zoe Booyse	13M GBE



Oliver Bailey	7C NAN
Olivia Chalkley	7E CWT
Samuel Patten	7C ABD
Emma Randall	7E ATS
Evie Adkins	8C CDE
Hayden Davies	8C CDE
Sam Hince	8C CDE
Kiera Meaby	8E KHS
Callum Reed	8E RLN
Amellia Lund	11T RME
Georgia Hall	12C PFT
Joseph Heyes	13C CML



Mason Harradine	7M CLR
Neve Heller	7C DCE
Mayson Stone	7M JRN
Max Sutton	7T JBT
Hayley Tse	7M CLR
Haseeb Ahmed	9T ZNE
Saira Asad	9M RMS
Annabel Brown	9E PCN
Safah Zahid	9C JSS
Caitlin Pickett	10C PDN
Charlotte Livings	11E ESR



These students have been handpicked by their language teachers for either their hard work and effort or outstanding achievements and progress over the last half term. A massive well done to them all!

Félicitations!

Well done Year 7

Year 7 have been amazing!

In the four weeks before the Easter break they were given the challenge to run 2000k as a group and to raise money for the new Well-being council. The total distance covered in that time was 2008k, an outstanding effort from the whole year group.

The total money raised is currently £500 and is continuing to rise. The money will be spent by year 7 in efforts to increase the well-being of students at Nobel.



Mr Dan Galvin
Head of Year 7



Compulsory for all students who would like to join the sixth form in September

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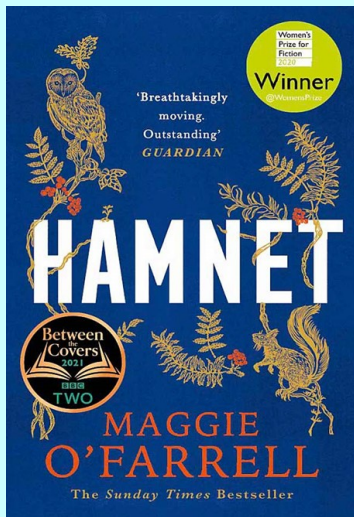
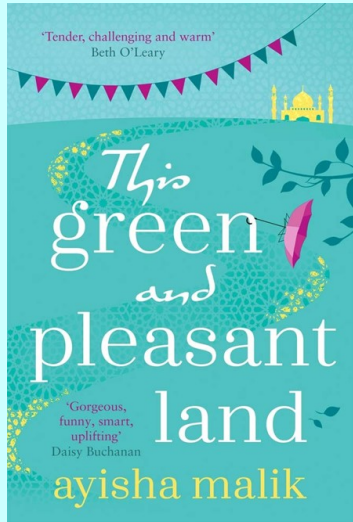
GCSE Results Day – Thursday 12 August 2021



NOBEL SCHOOL PARENTS, STAFF and COMMUNITY BOOK GROUP

Next meeting will be held **remotely (or in the Library if we're able to)** 6:30pm, Tuesday 25 May 2021

The books to read are:



Read all or part of the books, and discuss them in a friendly informal group - Contact: Rosalind Essakhi: 01438 222600 or email: library@nobel.herts.sch.uk

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Dates for your Diary

As always, should you have any concerns or require any information please contact your child's form tutor.

Wednesday 19 May: Year 12 Parents' Consultation Evening

Friday 28 May: Leaving date for Year 11 and Year 13 students

Wednesday 16 June: Year 8 Parents' Consultation Evening (Please note change of date)

Monday 5 and Tuesday 6 July: Y11 into Y12 Induction Days (please see poster on page 4)