



THE STONEHENGE SCHOOL Weekly Newsletter

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UPCOMING DATES

MARCH

Mon 2nd - Fri 13th
Yr 11 Milestone 2

Thurs 5th
World Book Day

Mon 9th - Fri 13th
British Science Week

Thurs 12th
Yr 10 Parents Evening
(In person)

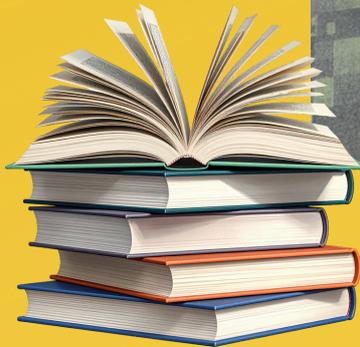
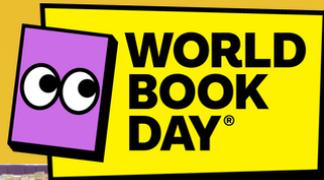
Tues 17th & Wed 18th
Yr 11 Drama Devised
Performances

Wed 18th
Yr 8 HPV Vaccinations

Thurs 19th
Maths - Parent
Information Evening
6.00 - 7.30 pm

Fri 20th
Yrs 9 & 10
Author Visit

Fri 20th & Sat 21st
DofE Bronze practice
expedition



We are pleased to introduce a new online form designed specifically for our Services families. This form provides a simple and secure way for you to inform the school's Pastoral Team about upcoming deployments, periods of weekending, training exercises, or moves.

We understand that Service life can bring periods of change and uncertainty for children and young people. By letting us know in advance about any upcoming changes, we can ensure that the right support is in place at the right time. Our Pastoral Team is committed to providing understanding, stability, and appropriate care whenever it is needed.

The form is quick to complete and can be accessed via the QR code. We encourage you to share information as early as possible so we can best support your child throughout any transition.



AMESBURY FESTIVAL OF YOUTH

Jump in, have a blast, and discover the incredible youth groups and activities happening in your area!

SUNDAY 19 APRIL 2026
1.00pm - 4.00pm
Bonneymead Park, Amesbury, SP4 7BB

Enjoy aerial adventures, circus skills, drone demos, military displays, archery, sports sessions, tasty refreshments, and so much more!

Free activities for everyone — don't forget to bring your friends and family!



In partnership with the Amesbury Youth Partnership and the Stonehenge Area Board

Wiltshire Council



⚽ Last-Minute Drama! Girls Reach County Cup Semi-Final ⚽

Our Year 10/11 girls' football team produced an unforgettable performance in their Football County Cup quarter-final against Trafalgar School; a match packed with goals, determination, and an incredible last-minute winner!

The game started at a frantic pace, and unfortunately we suffered an early setback when Lily pulled up with a hamstring injury in the opening ten minutes. Despite losing such an important player so early on, the girls refused to let it slow them down.

Step forward Abi, who put on a striking masterclass in the first half. She scored a brilliant hat-trick to keep us firmly in the contest as the teams went into half-time locked at 3-3. One of her goals was a spectacular 30-yard pile-driver that flew into the top corner, while the other two showed real composure with calm, controlled finishes.

The second half saw Trafalgar come flying out of the blocks, and despite some outstanding defending from Chloe, Poppy, Mariama and Rosie, they managed to push ahead to 5-3 with just ten minutes remaining.

Behind them, Angelica was in outstanding form in goal, pulling off a string of incredible saves - diving, stretching and reacting like a cat to keep the score within reach.

With time running out, the team decided to go all-out attack. Lily bravely agreed to return for the final ten minutes, while Scarlett, Maisie, Katelyn, Jodie and Charlotte pushed forward and threw caution to the wind.

Then the comeback began.

With seven minutes left, Abi struck again, scoring her fourth goal of the game to bring the score back to 5-4 and spark belief across the team.

The momentum was now firmly with us. Moments later the ball dropped perfectly inside the box for Lily, who turned inside her defender and slotted home a brilliant right-footed finish. Suddenly it was 5-5, and the girls could hardly believe the comeback.

But they weren't done yet.

With just two minutes remaining, Abi unleashed another unstoppable strike, smashing the ball into the net with such power it nearly took the net off the posts. 6-5! A dramatic winner at the death!

It was a brilliant team performance and an unforgettable victory that sends the girls into the County Cup semi-finals.

A special mention must also go to our travelling substitutes Abi and Kiara, who chose not to take any minutes but instead supported and encouraged the team brilliantly from the sidelines throughout the match.

Well done girls! An incredible performance and one very proud teacher this end.

U12 Football Teams

Our U12 football teams have enjoyed a fantastic time at the U12s football tournament, winning all of their fixtures against local schools and representing the school with great pride. Team 1 narrowly missed out on winning their group, finishing second on goal difference - just one goal behind St John's School after an outstanding few games.

Meanwhile, Team 2 won all their games and came out the winners of their group. Congratulations to both teams on a brilliant effort during the tournament and representing the school! ⚽ 🎉

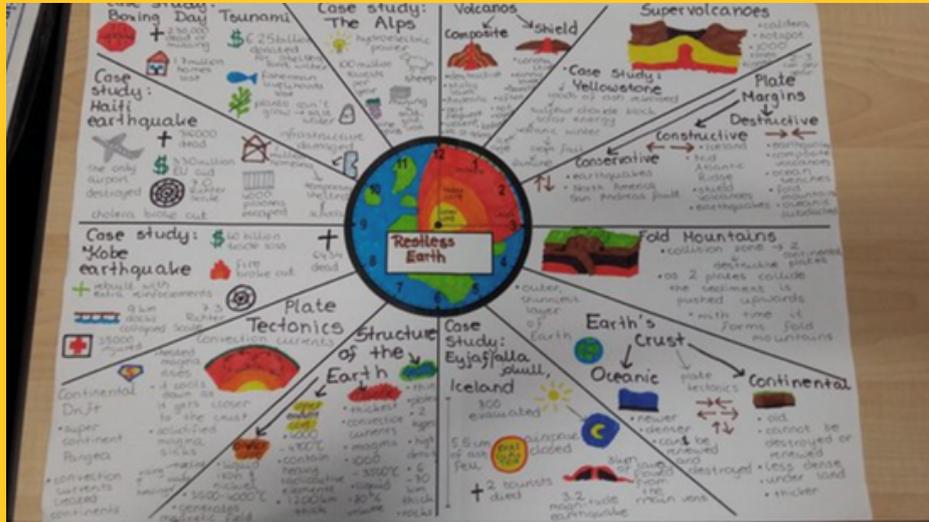


Revision Unlocked - Revision clocks

A revision clock is a structured way of helping students revise an entire topic without feeling overwhelmed.

Instead of rereading notes, students:

- Answer short questions around a topic
- Practise retrieving knowledge from memory
- Identify weaker areas quickly



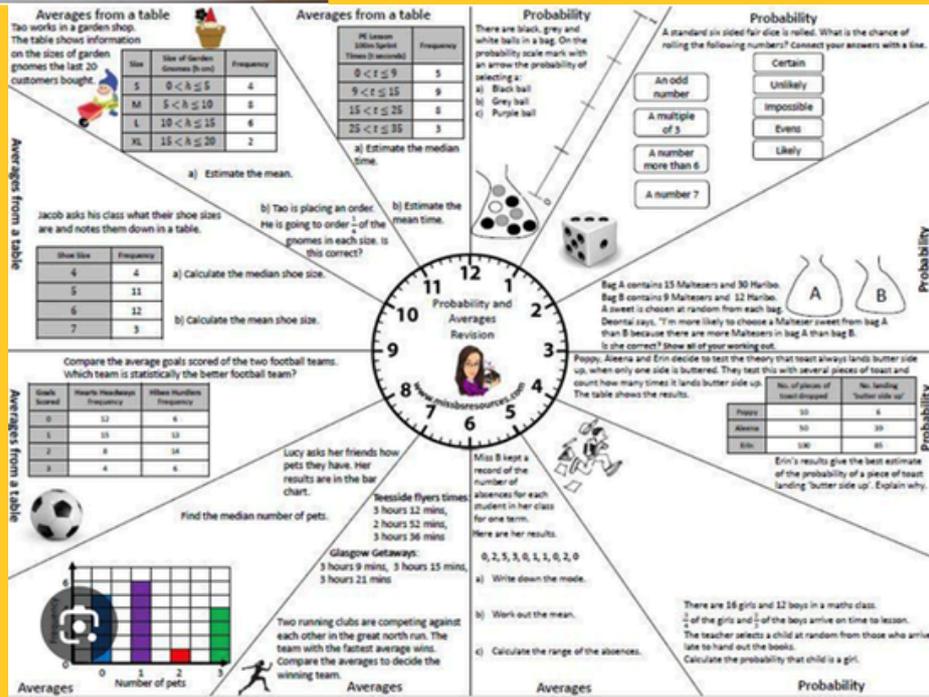
Why It's Effective

Encourages active recall

Breaks revision into manageable sections

Reduces procrastination

Builds confidence through visible progress



How You Can Support at Home

Ask your child to explain one "segment" to you

Encourage short timed sessions

Revisit the same clock a few days later

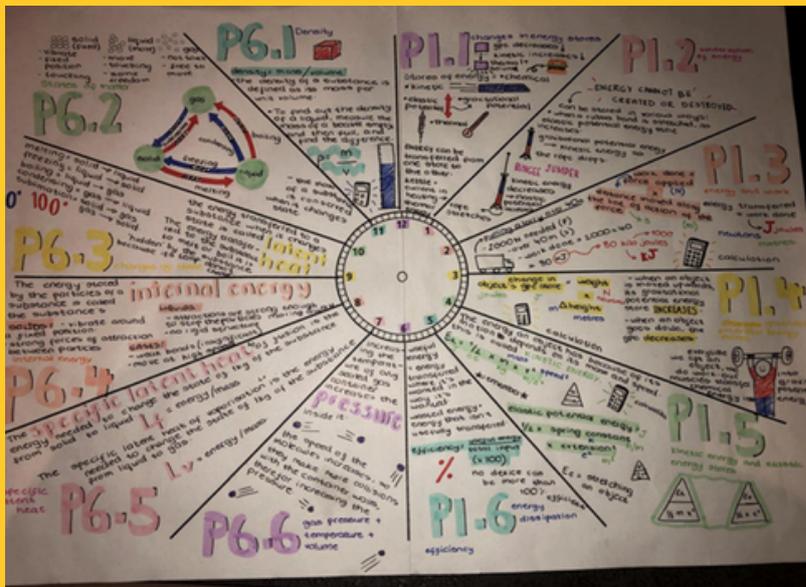
Focus on weaker sections, not just strengths

A completed revision clock gives a clear picture of:

✓ What they know

✓ What needs more practice

Next up: Mind Maps



STEM Day

Our pupils enjoyed an exciting STEM Day led by Chris, an engineer from QinetiQ at Boscombe Down. They built their own working mini torches by following written and verbal instructions, developing their understanding of circuits and electrical components. Pupils then put their engineering skills to the test by designing and launching paper rockets using a pressurised air pump. Both activities encouraged teamwork, problem-solving and hands on exploration across science, technology, engineering and maths.



SCIENCE • TECHNOLOGY • ENGINEERING • MATHEMATICS

Support for Carers of Neurodivers Children

SEN Sanctuary

24TH FEBRUARY, 2026
WILTON PLACE CARE HOME
SP2 OFX

A PLACE TO COME FOR HELP, ADVICE, SUPPORT AND A LISTENING EAR. TO TALK TO OTHER PARENTS GOING THROUGH THE SAME THINGS AS YOU. NO JUDGEMENT, JUST SUPPORT FROM ONE PARENT TO ANOTHER.

**Every other Tuesdays
10a.m-12P.M**

Your paragraph text

BOOK YOUR TICKETS FOR THE SECRET SEN CAMP OUT 25th & 26th August 2026

PRE PITCHED CAMPING AVAILABLE

THE SECRET CAMP OUT
LIVE. LOVE. CAMP



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| SLEEP UNDER THE STARS | SILENT DISCO | SENSORY TENT | FAMILY QUIZ |
| SPORTS ACTIVITIES | BUS TOP BAR | ARTS & CRAFTS | YOGA |
| WIDE OPEN SPACES | DANCE WORKSHOP | TRADITIONAL GAMES | CROQUET |
| MESSY CLAY | OUTDOOR SAND PLAY | SKITTLES | FACE PAINTING |
| FUR & FANGS ANIMALS | SPORTS ACTIVITIES | GLAMPING | JUNK MODELING |

The Secret Camp Out is a relaxed, intimate family camping break. Located at Stockton Park, Stockton in an area of outstanding natural beauty in Wiltshire. It offers a Wild camping experience that is an enticing and fun way to feel closer to nature. Come with your own tent or camper van or hire one from us and get away from the hustle bustle of everyday life.

BOOK YOUR PITCH AND FIND OUT MORE @ www.theseccampout.com/secret-sen-camp-out

On site we keep it simple camping facilities are basic but we do have running water, clean toilets and even a couple of showers...all in stunning surroundings!



FREE!



EASTER CAMP

Come join us for our Easter Camp! Stay active and have fun with multi-sports, T-shirt craft, slim, smoothie making, and disco sessions — plus enjoy a free snack each day. A great way to keep make friends, and try something new this Easter! (Our staff are trained in supporting children with diabetes.)

Location: Salisbury Manor Primary School

4 Burnside Avenue, Chingford, E4 8YJ

Dates & Time: 7,8,9,10 April 10 am-3:30 pm

Cost: £12 per day (Free if your on free school meal)

Age: Open to all children aged 5 - 14



← Paid places

→ HAF places



☎ 07486 046938 info@mbcommunitycic.com



EASTER CAMP

Activities

- Arts and crafts
- Slim making /T - shirt design
- Football
- Dodgeball
- Team game
- Smoothie making
- Disco / Easter egg hunt
- Multi sports
- Olympics day
- Nerf games

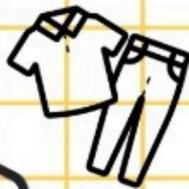


Tasty Hot Meals

- Jerk chicken with rice and peas
 - Veg pasta
 - Chicken pasta
 - Chickpea curry
- Vegan and gluten-free options available.

☎ 07486 046938 info@mbcommunitycic.com

SECONDHAND UNIFORM SHOP



FROM BLAZERS AND BASIC MAIN UNIFORM ITEMS TO PE KIT AND MORE

APP.UNIFORMD.CO.UK/ITEMS/THE-STONEHENGE-SCHOOL
Also find a link at the bottom of the school website

SALISBURY SCHOOLS ART EXHIBITION 2026

13TH FEBRUARY - 21TH MARCH

FREE ENTRY

- MONDAY: 10 AM - 7PM
- TUESDAY: 9AM - 7PM
- WEDNESDAY: 9AM - 5PM
- THURSDAY: 9AM - 5PM
- FRIDAY: 9AM - 7PM
- SATURDAY: 9AM - 5PM
- SUNDAY: CLOSED



SALISBURY LIBRARY, SP1 1BL

Rotary Club of Salisbury



STAFF VACANCIES

Further details and an application form for all our vacancies can be found on our website via the following link - <https://www.stonehenge.wilts.sch.uk/vacancies/> Informal visits to the school are welcome; please contact the Head's PA, Debra Harker on 01980 676660 or e-mail harkerd@stonehenge.wilts.sch.uk You should provide detail outlining your skills applicable to the role and reasons for applying. This should be returned to Mrs D Harker, The Headteacher's PA, The Stonehenge School, Holders Road, Amesbury, Wiltshire, SP4 7PW

Head of Design & Technology and Art Faculty

Start Date: September 2026

Salary: MPS/UPS plus TLR 1a (£10,190)

Closing Date: Wednesday 18th March 2026, 9.00am

You will be leading a high-performing team of dedicated professionals who are always striving to get the best for their students in a valued and popular curriculum area. You will be supported by a Senior team who have a clear consistent vision for the school and join a team of enthusiastic Middle Leaders who help to drive school improvements.

We are particularly keen to appoint a leader who can shape the future of both our creative and technical curriculum, ensuring our students are well-prepared for further study, apprenticeships and careers in the creative and engineering sectors.

We are looking for colleagues with:

-a commitment to raising achievement

-the ability to engage and support students

-an enthusiasm and deep knowledge of the subject areas

-A commitment to help all young people and staff to achieve their best is expected of all staff.

Informal visits to the school are welcome; please contact the Head's PA, Debra Harker on 01980 676660 or e-mail harkerd@stonehenge.wilts.sch.uk

Full details can be found on the website via the following link - <https://www.stonehenge.wilts.sch.uk/vacancies>

Exam Invigilators

Scale B point 2, £12.65 per hour We require additional Exam Invigilators to work with us at The Stonehenge School. We are looking for enthusiastic and supportive individuals to work varied hours during the school day, mainly during GCSE exam periods but also covering internal and modular exams throughout the year. Must be available to work from 8.30 am to cover morning exams. Previous experience is not essential, as all training will be provided. Ideal candidates will be , reliable and flexible , have good communication skills , be confident and able to offer reassurance during exams.



March 2026 Timetable

All sessions delivered live online via zoom. 90 minutes long

£24 each or FREE with School Membership

Book online at facefamilyadvice.co.uk

Recordings available for 48 hours (excluding Free Talk)

Improving Family Communication	2 Mar 10am
Autism - Improving Communication	2 Mar 7pm
Understanding Addictive Behaviour	3 Mar 10am
Supporting a Child with ADHD	3 Mar 7pm
Anxiety Based School Avoidance	9 Mar 10am
Understanding Anger	9 Mar 7pm
Supporting Healthy Screen Use	10 Mar 10am
Facing Defiance	10 Mar 7pm
Cannabis and Ketamine Awareness	16 Mar 10am
Anxiety Explained	16 Mar 7pm
Introduction to OCD	17 Mar 10am
What is ACT	17 Mar 7pm
Raising Self-Esteem	23 Mar 10am
Decreasing Depression	23 Mar 7pm
Supporting Healthy Sleep	24 Mar 10am
Understanding the Teenage Brain	24 Mar 7pm
FREE Anxiety Based School Avoidance	26 Mar 7-8pm