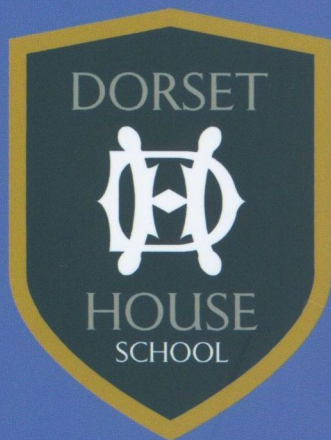


Dorset House School



Summer Term
2017

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Headmaster

Matt Thomas+ MEd BA Ed (Hons) FRGS

Bursar

Andrew Owens+ MSc ACMA+

Deputy Head

Ms Laura Hutchings+ BA (Hons)

Head of Pre-Prep

Miss Sarah Hobrow+ BSc (University of Sussex) QTS, PGCE

Headmaster's PA & Registrar

Mrs Sarah O'Brien+

Pre-Prep Teaching Staff

Mrs Karen Bentley BA (Hons) (Kingston)

Year 1 Teacher

Miss Sarah Hobrow* BSc (University of Sussex) QTS PGCE

Year 3 Class Teacher

Mrs Janet Maultby

Reception Class Teacher

Miss Sasha Place MA BSc (University of Durham) PGCE

Year 2 Class Teacher

Prep Teaching Staff

Mr Michael Baldwin BSc (Hons) (Durham)

Head of History, Games' Coach

Mrs Wendy Farley BA (Hons) (Surrey College of Art) PGCE

DT Teacher

Mrs Lisa Green BA (Hons) (Liverpool) PGCE

Head of French, Year 8 Form Teacher

Mrs Carly Harrison BA (Hons) (Winchester School of Art) PGCE

Head of Art

Mr Jamie Howell FA A Coaching Award (UEFA A Diploma)

Games' Coach

Ms Laura Hutchings+ BA (Hons) (Leeds) PGCE

Head of English, Director of Studies, Year 7 Form Teacher

Mr Paul P Keane, BSc Hons. (Dublin), Dip. App. Sc
Head of Science

Mr Jason Marconi+* BA (Hons) (Oxford Brookes) PGCE Director of Music,
Housemaster, ICT

Mr Lee Nield, B Soc Sc (Economics) (Birmingham) PGCE
Head of Maths, Year 5 Form Teacher

Miss Steph Oland*, BA (Hons) (Chichester)
Girls' Games Coach

Mrs Jo Owen, BSc (Hons) Canterbury Christ Church
Girls' Games Coach

Mrs Joan Telfer, MA (Oxon)
Head of Classics

Matt Thomas+ MEd BA Ed (Hons) FRGS
Head of RS

Mr Greg Weaver BA (Hons) (Southampton) PGCE
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Mrs Janet White BA (Hons) (Bangor) PGCE
Year 4 Class Teacher

Mrs Susan Wightman*, MSc (Bristol) PGCE
Head of Girls' Games

Learning Support

Mrs Jill Bentley Diploma Special Needs (Hornsby)

Mrs Audrey Moncrieffe BA (Hons) (Kingston) PGCE Cert SpL
Head of Learning Support

Mrs Jo Truscott OCR Level 5 Specialist Teacher SpLD (Helen Arkell)
Pre-Prep Learning Support

Teaching Assistants

Mrs Rosie Manger, Montessori Diploma Reception

Miss Steph Oland*, BA (Hons) (Chichester)

Ms Milena Thorburn

Mrs Sarah Twinley Level 3 NVQ Years 4-8

Matrons

Mrs Mary Lamb*, Mrs Lucy Oakden, Ms Milena Thorburn*

Gap students

Isabella Simmonds*, Hamish Cameron*

Support Staff

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|------------------------|--------------------|
| Mrs Alison Howard-Dace | Catering Manager |
| Mr Alan Lamb | Estates Department |
| Mrs Jenny Lloyd | Bursar's Assistant |
| Mrs Lucy Oakden | Admin. Assistant |
| Mr Kirby White | Estates Department |

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+ Member of Senior Management Team

** Member of the Boarding Team*

Peripatetic Music Staff

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|-----------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| Gerry Berkeley | Drums and percussion |
| Rachel Bunn | Violin |
| Gordon Curtis | Clarinet |
| Nikki Duddy | Piano and Oboe |
| Malcolm Gosden | Brass |
| Cheryl Higgs | Singing |
| Frances Jellard | Singing |
| Angela Kirsten | Bassoon |
| Penelope Tedd | Piano/keyboard, Cello, Music theory |
| Chris Thomas | Flute, Saxophone, Ukulele, Trombone, Bagpipes |

*The safety and well-being of our pupils is at the heart of all we do; it is our highest priority and we fully recognise our moral and statutory responsibilities for child protection. All the school's policies are available to parents on our web-site and we draw your attention, in particular, to our Child Protection & Safeguarding policy. In accordance with regulations, all employees of the school are fully vetted before commencing work at DH (to include an Enhanced DBS disclosure). We also undertake all the required checks on volunteers, Governors and contractors. **Visitors to the school are required to sign in and sign out** in the Office and to wear a visitor's badge; they are always accompanied by a member of staff for the duration of their visit.*

Guidelines for Parents

We very much encourage parents and relatives to attend home sporting fixtures and the many events that occur during the school year. When visiting the school, for whatever reason, please do not seek to enter any of the school buildings (other than the one in which the event is being held) unless accompanied by a member of staff. **It is particularly important that you do not enter changing rooms or boarding accommodation.** Entry to school buildings should only occur with the agreement of a member of staff.

If your child is to be **absent from school**, please inform us by 8.15am either by telephone or email (loakden@dorsethouseschool.com). Please also ensure that you notify us if a friend or relative will be collecting your child from school.

No vehicles are allowed on the drive beyond the gate during the school day. Please drive slowly along Church Lane and exercise caution on the school drive, particularly at the beginning and end of the school day when pupils will be walking with their parents to their cars.

Pupil Code of Conduct

- We are here to study and to learn.
- We should listen respectfully to our teachers and to other children.
- We should be kind, honest and thoughtful in our dealings with others.
- We should appreciate and care for our environment.
- We should look after our possessions and those belongings to others.

DORSET HOUSE GRADES

| Achievement | Effort |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------|
| A Excellent | 1 Excellent |
| B Very Good | 2 Very Good |
| C Satisfactory | 3 Good |
| D Working below expected level | 4 Needs to try harder |
| | 5 Unsatisfactory |

COMMON ENTRANCE

(Grades for Years 7 & 8)

Predicted CE grade based on Senior
School grade boundaries*

A = 75%+

B = 64% - 74%

C = 55% - 63%

D = 45% - 54%

* These vary from school to school we have chosen to follow those most widely used

PRE-PREP (Reception to Year 3)

- 8.15am School day begins
- 8.30am Registration and Assembly or extra lessons
- 9.00am Lessons
- 10.30am Fruit snack and playtime
- 11.00am Lessons
- 12.00pm Lunch followed by break
- 1.00pm Lessons
- 2.00pm Lessons
- 3.30pm Home for R to Y2 (activities/After School Care)
- 4.30pm Home for Year 3 (activities/After School Care)
- 5.30pm After School Care finishes

PREP (Years 4 to 8)

- 8.15am School day begins
- 8.30am Registration and Assembly or Music Activities/PSHE
- 9.00am Lessons
- 10.30am Biscuits and break
- 11.00am Lessons
- 1.00pm Lunch followed by break
- 2.00pm Lessons
- 4.00pm Short break (Years 5 to 8)
- 4.15pm Lessons
- 4.20pm Home for Year 4
- 5.00pm Prep for Years 5 to 8
- 5.30pm Home for Year 5
- 6.00pm Home for Year 6 to 8 or supper for boarders

APRIL

Week 1

MON 24 **INSET DAY** All Staff 9am
Pre Season Cricket and Rounders Training Year 5 to Year 8 - 2pm to 3.30pm

TUES 25

WED 26

THUR 27 Brighton College Chorister Day - Choir Y6 & Y7

FRI 28 Oakwood Cross Country Years 5 & 6

SAT 29

SUN 30 PA - 'Love DH' Day 1.00pm - 5.00pm

Week 2**MAY**

MON 1 **Bank Holiday - Observed**

TUES 2 Rounders v Prebendal U9 (H) 1.45pm
 Rounders v Lancing Prep at Worthing U9 (H) 2.45pm
 Cricket v Pennthorpe U9 (A) U9B (H)

WED 3 Cricket v Lancing Prep at Worthing (Lancing College) 1st (A)
 Cricket v Cranleigh 2nd (H)
 Cricket v Lancing Prep at Worthing Colts A (H)
 Cricket v Belmont Colts B (A)
 Rounders v Lancing Prep at Hove U13A, U13B, U11 (H)

THUR 4 Ali Meyrick - Independent Listener visit

FRI 5 Year 6 Leadership trip departs (am)

SAT 6

SUN 7 Year 6 leadership trip returns (pm)

Week 3

MON 8 Visit from Father Jeremais (FEAST)

TUES 9 Lancing Chorister Day - Choir Year 5
 Cricket v Churchers U9A & U9B (A)
 Rounders v Lancing Prep at Hove U9 (A)

WED 10 Chairman's Drinks Party for PA Committee 7pm
 Cricket v Lancing Prep at Hove (at Lancing College) 1st (H), 2nd, Colts A (A)
 Rounders v Prebendal U13A, U13B (A)
 Rounders v Pennthorpe U11 (H)

THUR 11 Reception Trip to Arundel Wetlands

FRI 12 **Church Service - 5pm**
Preacher: Adam Williams - Headmaster, Lord Wandsworth College
Exeat: Reception, Years 1 and 2 leave at 3.30pm
 No after school activities
 Years 3-8 leave after Church

SAT 13

SUN 14

Week 4

- MON 15 **French CE Speaking Exam**
Mental Maths CE Exam 9am
 Whole School Photo 1.30pm
- TUES 16 **French CE Speaking Exam**
French CE Listening Exam
 Cricket v Prebendal U9A, U9B (H)
 Rounders v Pennthorpe U9 (A)
 Lancing College Prep Schools - Science Challenge
- WED 17 **French CE Speaking Exam**
 Cricket v Sompting Abbots 1st XI (H)
 Cricket v Prebendal 2nd, Colts A (A), Colts B (H)
 Rounders v Great Ballard U13 (A)
 Rounders v Oakwood U11, U10 (H)
- THUR 18 **French CE Speaking Exam**
 Prebendal Athletics - Years 4 to 7 (A) 4-6pm
- FRI 19 **French CE Speaking Exam**
 PA Wine Tasting - 7.45pm
- SAT 20 Cricket v Hurst 1st (H), Colts A (A)
- SUN 21

Week 5

MON 22 Swimming Gala at Handcross Park - Year 3 & Year 4 - 4.30pm (A)
 Health & Safety Committee meeting 5pm
 Estates & Finance Committee meeting 6.30pm

TUES 23 Cricket v Sompting Abbots U9B (A)
 Dorset House Athletics U9A (H)

WED 24 Cricket v Westbourne House 1st (A), 2nd (H), Colts A (H), Colts B (A)
 Rounders v Westbourne House U13A (H)
 Rounders v Farlington U11, U10 (A)

THUR 25 Year 3 and 4 play, 'Ye-Ha!' 6pm
 Year 7 Leadership Trip depart

FRI 26 Year 3 and 4 play, 'Ye-Ha!' 2pm
(Half Term, Reception to Year 4 and siblings leave at 3.30pm)
(Year 5 to 8 leave at 4pm)

SAT 27

SUN 28 Year 7 Leadership Trip Return

MON 29 Half Term

TUES 30 Half Term

WED 31 Half Term

June

THUR 1 Half Term

FRI 2 Half Term

SAT 3

SUN 4

Week 6

MON 5

TUES 6 CE and School examinations (Years 5 - 8)

Cricket v Lancing Prep at Worthing U9A (H) 1.45pm

Rounders v Great Ballard U9 (A) 2pm

WED 7 CE and School examinations (Years 5 - 8)

Cricket v Prebendal U12 (H)

Cricket v Duke of Kent Colts A (H)

Cricket v Oakwood Colts B (A)

Rounders Tournament at Handcross Park U12 (A) (tbc)

Rounders Tournament at Windlesham U10 (A) 1pm

THUR 8 CE and School examinations (Years 5 - 8)**FRI 9 CE and School examinations (Years 5 - 8)**

Cricket Tournament at Brighton College , Colts A (A) 10am

DH Fathers v Westbourne Fathers for ' Children on the Edge' 6pm

SAT 10

SUN 11

Week 7

MON 12 Y8 Dance Workshop 2pm
Solving Crime with Science - Year 6 at Christ's Hospital
Governors' Meeting 7pm

TUES 13 Y8 RNLI Talk 10am
Cricket v Lancing Prep at Hove U9A & U9B (A)
Rounders v Handcross Park U9 (A)

WED 14 Cricket v Seaford 1st (H), 2nd (A), Colts B (H)
Cricket v Great Ballard, Colts A (A)
Rounders v Lancing Prep at Worthing U13A (A)
Rounders v Handcross Park U11, U10 (H)

THUR 15 Year 1 to the Bluebell Railway
Year 8 Trip to Arundel Castle Cricket 2pm

FRI 16 Year 8 depart to Skern Lodge
Charity Day

SAT 17 PA Summer Party

SUN 18

Week 8

MON 19 Athletics Meeting at Hurst U11, U10 (A)
Year 8 return from Skern Lodge

TUES 20 Pre-Prep Science Morning
Cricket v Handcross Park U9A U9B (A)

WED 21 Pre-Prep Transition Day
Year 8 First Aid 11am
Cricket v Handcross Park 1st (A), 2nd, Colts A (H), Colts B (A)
Rounders v Cottesmore/Windlesham U13A, U13B (A), U11 (H)

THUR 22 Year 8 Police Talk
Year 4 Trip to Mary Rose
Stevensons Uniform Sale in the Barn 3.30-5.30pm

FRI 23 K2 (Crawley) Area Athletics Year 6 to 8
Exeat: Reception to Year 4 leave at 3.30pm
Year 5 to Year 8 leave at 4pm

SAT 24

SUN 25 Leavers vs Old Boys Cricket Match

Week 9

MON 26 Concert Rehearsal Day

TUES 27 **Art Exhibition and School Concert 6pm**

Cricket v Cottesmore U9A & U9B (A)

Rounders v Bury School U9 (A) 2pm

Year 8 Southdowns Hike

WED 28 Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 Sports Day 11am

Cricket v Pennthorpe 1st (H), 2nd, Colts A (A), Colts B (H)

Rounders v Duke of Kent U13A, U10 (H)

Rounders v Pennthorpe U11 (A)

THUR 29 **Art Exhibition and School Concert 6pm**

FRI 30

July

SAT 1 Sports Day Years 3-8, 10am-12.30pm

SUN 2

Week 10

MON 3 Year 8 Sailing - Chichester Harbour 9.30-4.30pm

TUES 4 Year 8 Theatre Trip
House Swimming Gala Year 3-4, 2pm

WED 5 Year 8 to Pizza Express 11.30am
House Swimming Gala Year 5-6, 2pm
House Swimming Gala Year 7-8, 3.30pm
Year 7 & 8 Band Project Gig 5pm
Year 8 Leavers' v Parents Cricket and Rounders 5.30pm

THUR 6 Winning House Trip
Boarders' Party 6-8pm

FRI 7 School Assembly 2pm
All pupils leave at 3pm
Year 8 Leavers' Dinner 6pm for 7pm

SAT 8 **Church Service for leavers and parents 9am**
Prize Giving for the whole school, all pupils and parents 10.15am

SUN 9

All matches at 2.30 pm unless otherwise stated

SPORTS FIXTURE LOCATIONS

Please note that the postcode given is for the location where matches are played most regularly. Please check weekly team sheets in case the match location is different to the school address.

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| Ashdown House | RH18 5JY |
| Belmont House | RH5 6PD |
| Brambletye | RH19 3PD |
| Brighton College | BN2 0AL |
| <i>(other venues also used, contact Brighton College for further details)</i> | |
| Christ's Hospital | RH13 0YP |
| Churcher's | GU30 7HT |
| Cottesmore | RH11 9AU |
| Farlington | RH12 3PN |
| Great Walstead | RH16 2QL |
| Handcross Park | RH17 6HF |
| Highfield | GU30 7LQ |
| Hurst | BN6 9JS |
| K2 (Crawley) | RH11 9BQ |
| Lancing College | BN15 0RW |
| Lancing College Prep at Hove | BN3 6LU |
| Lancing Prep at Worthing | BN14 8HU |
| Oakwood | PO18 9AN |
| Pennthorpe | RH12 3HJ |
| Portsmouth Grammar | PO1 2LN |
| Prebendal | PO19 1RT |
| Seaford College | GU28 0NB |
| St Christopher's | BN3 4AD |
| Sunningdale | SL5 9PY |
| Westbourne House | PO20 2BH |
| Windlesham | RH20 4AY |

REPORT SCHEDULE

| Year Group | Autumn: Half Term | Christmas | Spring: Half Term | Easter | July |
|------------|---------------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------|
| R | Parents' Evening | Full Report | | Parents' Evening | Full Report |
| 1 | Parents' Evening | Full Report | | Parents' Evening | Full Report |
| 2 | Parents' Evening | Full Report | | Parents' Evening | Full Report |
| 3 | Parents' Evening | Full Report | | Parents' Evening | Full Report |
| 4 | Parents' Evening | Full Report | Parents' Evening | Interim Report | Full Report |
| 5 | Parents' Evening | Full Report | Parents' Evening | Interim Report | Full Report |
| 6 | Interim Report | Full Report | Parents' Evening | Interim Report | Full Report |
| 7 | Interim Report | Full Report Full Report | Parents' Evening | Interim Report | Full Report |
| 8 | Parents' Evening Interim Report | Full Report | | Parents' Evening Full Report | Leaver's Report |

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Autumn Term 2017

Wednesday 6th September to Friday 8th December

Half Term: Friday 20th October to Monday 30th October

Exeats: Friday 29th September to Monday 2nd October

Friday 17th November to Monday 20th November

Spring Term 2018

Tuesday 9th January to Friday March 23rd

Half Term: Friday 9th February to Monday 19th February

Exeats: Friday 26th January to Monday 29th January

Friday 9th March to Monday 12th March

Summer Term 2017 (provisional)

Tuesday 17th April to Saturday 7th July

Half Term: Friday 25th May to Monday 4th June

Exeats: Friday 11th May to Monday 14th May

Friday 22nd June to Monday 25th June

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