



Newsletter

September  
2015

## Important information

Wishing all of our families a warm welcome back to **LEAP School of Performing Arts** and a special welcome to all our new pupils! We are thrilled that you will be joining our LEAP family! As a new pupil at LEAP, you are bound to have lots of questions. Hopefully this newsletter will provide you with lots of information regarding the school and forthcoming events as we look forward to another happy and successful year. So if you have any questions at all – please ask me of your class teacher.

This newsletter is designed to be a one stop shop for the events and key diary dates during the forthcoming term.

### LEAP UNIFORM

Please come to class in the appropriate uniform!

I am delighted that the majority of students are adhering to our dress code as explained on the web site and that uniform is worn to all classes. Our uniform is not only smart but is practical for its designed use.

It is important that all students are correctly dressed for all classes. **Longer hair must be tied back at all times**

Uniform order forms can be downloaded off the website or from the LEAP board in the entrance to The Downley School.

### Desperate reminder - Emergency Contact Forms

Please can **all new LEAP pupils** send your emergency contact forms to me as your information needs to be added to the data base as soon as possible.

If anyone Leap pupils have moved, changed phone numbers or email addresses, please can you email me with the correct information as most of the LEAP letters are distributed via email.

### New LEAP website

Our New Website is now live. As a LEAP pupil you will have unique access to the pupil page where you can view exam and class material and audition information for 2016 LEAP productions.

Visit our New Website at: [leap-performingarts.co.uk](http://leap-performingarts.co.uk)

Please refer to email sent earlier this month for login details to access the pupil page – there is 1 id number and password per family to access the pupil page.

## Important reminder...

Can I remind all parents that LEAP is not an afterschool activity for The Downley School. LEAP hire the School premises and welcomes children from all schools. Mrs Gutteridge does occasionally work for The Downley School, but please remember LEAP is a separate organisation.

With this in mind please can I ask that all queries or concerns come directly to LEAP at [mail@leap-performingarts.co.uk](mailto:mail@leap-performingarts.co.uk) or phone/ text 07896 048841 or messages can be left in the LEAP post box just inside the School entrance (not The Downley School office). The ladies at the desk are always very helpful, but it is not their responsibility to pass information to LEAP.

The Downley School day finishes at 3:15pm with LEAP classes commencing at 3:30pm, LEAP teachers are voluntarily chaperoning children; it is therefore not the responsibility of the LEAP teacher to check school book bags, reading book or any other belongings have been collected from classrooms or cloakrooms. We will remind pupils to make sure they have everything, but are unable to leave the rest of the class to look for individual belongings. It is also school policy that children are not allowed to venture around the school grounds to retrieve forgotten belongings after 4:15pm.

Please can I also ask parents to double check collection times from LEAP classes.

If you are running more than 10 minutes late, you must leave a message or text the LEAP phone on 07896 048841 even if we do not pick up we will check all messages at the end of every class then we can

reassure the children that they will be collected as soon as possible.

If your child is in the Yr 5 Drama class and you are running late, the LEAP teacher will take your child over to The Downley School for collection, as there is another class starting at 5:45pm.

Please can you let your LEAP Teacher know if your child is to be collected by a different adult from classes and as it's also getting dark, please can you write a quick note to your LEAP teacher or notify them at the beginning of a lesson if you are allowing your child to walk home.

Please not all children must be collected at their usual collection point. They must never cross the car park unattended

We worry too!!!

## Arts Award and LAMDA examinations

Huge congratulations to all pupils, Drama Year Groups 5,6,7,8,9,10,11,12,13, Intermediate and Senior Musical Theatre who took their exams in June and July.

The Arts Award pupils took their exams in June, I am delighted to announce that LEAP continues to celebrate 100% pass rate and has been listed by Arts Award as a Centre of Excellence. VERY WELL DONE!

The LAMDA groups also took their exams during the Summer term and the results were outstanding with

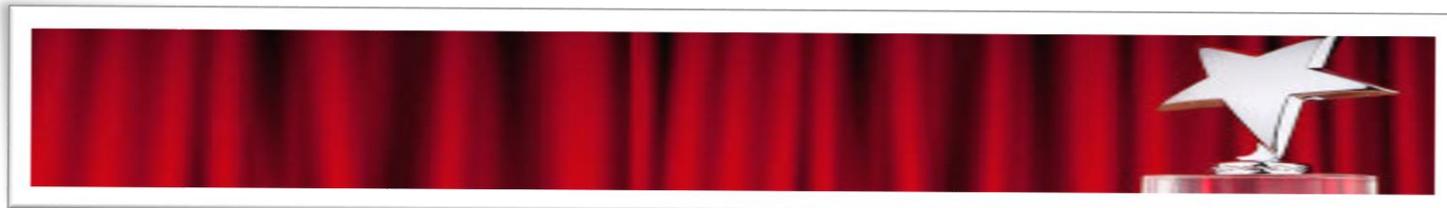


86 % of the pupils achieving Distinctions – again 100% pass rate. INCREDIBLE!

I have to say with approx. 90 pupils taking these exams, I am extremely proud of every one of them - their dedication, focus and commitment is a credit to both their parents and LEAP.

More Another 30 pupils took their exams earlier this month and we were so proud of their enthusiasm and commitment we now wait patiently for your results which can take up to 7 weeks.

We will be in touch as soon as they are posted through the door!



## LAMDA Achievement celebrations

Due to the high standard of the pupils LAMDA work this year, I feel that these should be shared with their certificates being awarded in an evening of achievement. The work the pupils produced this year was fantastic. Considering this, we would like to invite parents and friends to The Downley School to view some of the acting/ Musical Theatre pieces presented in their past examinations. Admittance is free of charge.

(All pupils arrive at classes normal time)

### Last Year's Yr. 7 & 8 Drama Classes who took their exam in July 2015

Monday 12<sup>th</sup> October – 6pm – 7pm  
The Downley School

### Last Year's Yr. 5 & 6 Drama Classes who took their exam in July 2015 –

Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> October – 7pm – 7:45pm  
The Downley School

### Last years 9 & 10 plus and Senior Musical Theatre who took their exam in June / July 2015 – Tue 13<sup>th</sup>

October 6:45pm – 7:45  
The Downley School Diner

### Last Year's Intermediate Musical Theatre – Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> October

1pm – The Downley School

### Last Year's Senior Musical Theatre who took their exam in June / July 2015 cannot make Tue 13<sup>th</sup> –

Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> October 12 noon – The Downley School

Each student who took their LAMDA exam in July will be required to perform one of their pieces with an introduction – further information will be provided during lesson time.

If you have changed classes this year and cannot make the date above please let us know as soon as possible and we can organise another time (especially if you were working with a partner).

We welcome back any pupils who left at the end of the year to join in this celebration – please contact us to confirm you can make it.

We will look forward to seeing you!



## ARTS AWARD

**Arts Award to LEAP – optional 2015/16 Bronze and Silver only.**

**The Aim of the Arts Award is to support young people who want to deepen their engagement with the arts, build creative and leadership skills, and to achieve a national qualification.**

Through Arts Award at our five levels, children and young people aged 7-25 can explore any art forms including performing arts, visual arts, literature, media and multimedia. The award builds confidence, helps young people to enjoy cultural activities, and prepares them for further education or employment.

Arts Award is managed by [Trinity College London](#) in association with [Arts Council England](#) working with 10 regional [Bridge organisations](#). Since its launch in 2005, the award has grown

quickly and is now flourishing in arts centres.

If you're ready to develop new experiences in the arts and media, doing a Bronze Arts Award is perfect for you – this will be aimed at pupils in year 6/7/8 – and they can achieve a Level 1 national qualification.

They will attend events, research their heroes and share passions with others.

## ARTS AWARD CONTINUED

Employers, universities and colleges recognise that Arts Award is a qualification that shows your level of commitment and progress in the arts, and in developing new skills

Doing Bronze Award means they will:

- take part in an arts activity, anything from dance to writing to beat boxing
- go to an arts event of your choice
- find their arts hero or heroine, research their story, and discover how they got to where they are today
- share their skills by helping to run a workshop or by giving a demonstration to others

They will build a portfolio of your ideas and activities in their own personal style and format. They might make a folder or sketchbook, a video diary or website - it's up to them. The Bronze Award will usually take you about 40 hours to complete.

Challenge yourself and build your creativity

Through **Silver Arts Award**, pupils will develop their arts skills, lead activities in the art form of their choice and achieve a Level 2 qualification - this will be aimed at pupils in year 8/9/10/11 or 7 if previous obtained their Bronze award.

Like all Arts Awards, the Silver Award is flexible enough to fit into their existing studies or other commitments, but in-depth enough for them to achieve a qualification. Their success will show colleges and employers that you've made real progress in their art form, improved their understanding of the arts and developed arts leadership skills.

To achieve a Silver Arts Award they will complete two units:

Arts practice – complete a challenge they have set yourself within their chosen art form, and explore arts events and arts opportunities within their community

Arts leadership – plan, deliver and review their arts project

They can create their own portfolio to gain the Silver Award. Pick their own style and format – diary style, video, online, slide show presentation, or something different altogether, if appropriate.

More information about the Arts Award will be given to the pupils in the Autumn Term.

Please note that an extra fee will apply to actually gain this qualification.

## Half Term Workshops

### Halloween Workshop

30<sup>th</sup> Oct 2015 based at The Downley School.

Places for this workshop are available priced at £15.

This workshop is available for children in School Year groups 1-5

For more information please refer to leaflet emailed or collect from The Downley School reception or LEAP teacher.

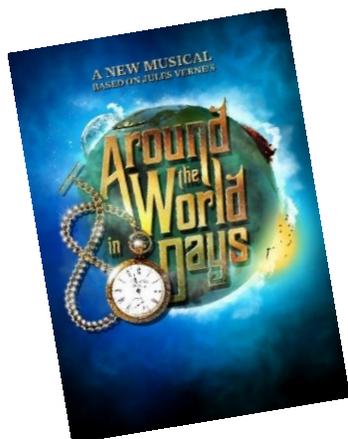
Please book early to avoid disappointment as half term workshops are popular.

Please note that these workshops are also available to children outside LEAP and The Downley School, so please bring friends along.

**10am -1pm**



# LEAP productions 2016



2015/16 for LEAP is show year! We have decided to produce two large shows during the Summer term. All the weekly acting classes will join together to present Around The World In 80 Days. Whilst the Junior, Intermediate and Senior Musical

Theatre classes will combined to produce Anything Goes! This is a hugely exciting year for the staff and pupils and will require dedication and team-work. Both performances will be held at Norden Farm Centre of Arts, Maidenhead. This is a fantastic state-of-the-art facility boasting a Courtyard Theatre/Cinema, Studio Theatre, Gallery, Cafe Bar and Norden's Restaurant. This venue will allow the pupils two performances for each show plus technical and dress rehearsals. Please find below important rehearsal dates and show dates for each event.

I do appreciate that this venue is not round the corner and considering this, I have arranged coaches there and back from the Downley School to Norden's Farm Arts Centre for the pupils to attend rehearsals. Further information about coach times and fares will be issued later in the year.



## IMPORTANT

As you can imagine productions of this scale will require quality rehearsal time and planning. Therefore, it is important that students are unable to attend these rehearsals and it is crucial that you contact me as soon as possible if holidays have already been booked. Rehearsal time is extremely valuable and as you can see from the dates we have tried to avoid school holidays as much as possible but it is important that the pupils do rehearse together at times (especially the younger children).

## Large cast Rehearsal dates so far...

**Around The World In 80 Days – weekday Drama Classes:**

**29<sup>th</sup> Sep Auditions for Characters**

**30<sup>th</sup> September Auditions for Dancers**

8<sup>th</sup> Nov All Drama Class pupils set big numbers pair up LEAP buddies 1pm-4pm at The Downley School

7<sup>th</sup> Dec All Junior Drama Class pupils (yr. 1 – 5) 3:30pm- 5:30pm at The Maplewood School

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10<sup>th</sup> April All Drama Class pupils Run 1pm-5:30pm at The Downley School – Dress Run

11<sup>th</sup> April All Drama Class pupils full rehearsal at The Downley School 4:45pm -7pm

12<sup>th</sup> April GET IN - Tec rehearsal – **Principal characters only** at Norden Farm Centre 5pm – 7:15pm

13<sup>th</sup> April All Drama Classes Around the World... 4pm – 7:15pm Rehearsal at Norden Farm Centre for the Arts

15<sup>th</sup> April All Drama Classes Around the World... 4pm – 7:15pm Dress Rehearsal at Norden Farm

16<sup>th</sup> April All Drama Classes Around the World... performance

2:30pm and 7pm (pupils in at 1pm)

17<sup>th</sup> April All Drama Classes Around the World...performance 12 noon (pupils in at 11am)

### Anything Goes –Saturday Musical Theatre

3<sup>rd</sup> Oct Auditions for Characters / Dancers

From Sat April 16<sup>th</sup> - Sat 8<sup>th</sup> - Sat 18<sup>th</sup> June all Musical Theatre Pupils to attend classes on a Saturday from 9:30am – 12:45pm

25<sup>th</sup> June All musical theatre pupils' 10am – 5pm rehearsal at the Downley School

2<sup>nd</sup> July All musical theatre pupils' 10am – 5pm dress rehearsal at the Downley School

7<sup>th</sup> July Anything Goes Get in and Technical Rehearsal principal Characters 4pm – 7:15

8<sup>th</sup> July Anything Goes Rehearsal at Norden Farm Centre for the Arts 4pm – 7: 15pm

9<sup>th</sup> July Anything Goes Dress Rehearsal 1pm / Performance 7pm at Norden Farm Centre for the Arts

10<sup>th</sup> July Anything Goes Performance 12 noon (pupils in at 11am) at Norden Farm Centre for the Arts

### Auditions for LEAP Productions 2016 yr 3plus only

All pupils will be performing in the productions, however, there are principal and cameo character parts / Dance troops to be given out. We aim to do this as fairly as possible and will hold auditions for anyone who is interested in these roles. The auditions for Around the World in 80 Days for Drama Class pupils will be held on Tue 29<sup>th</sup> Sep from 4:45pm at The Downley School and Dance Auditions will be held on Wed 30<sup>th</sup> Sep Yr 3-5 5:30-6:30 Yr 6 plus 6:30-7:30pm and auditions for Anything Goes will be held on Sat 3<sup>rd</sup> Oct during class time till 2pm.

Character breakdowns and audition material has been issued in emails and is also available on the LEAP website in the pupil Login section. Please check these out if you are interested. Please note that principal parts will be required for extra rehearsals still to be scheduled. **Please can all audition forms be handed in by Fri 25<sup>th</sup> Sep (Around The World in 80 Days) Thur 1<sup>st</sup> Oct (Anything Goes).**

## Looking for Backstage Teams for LEAP 2016 Productions

During the past three years, both Junior and Senior classes have had several opportunities to perform on stage and demonstrate the diverse skills required to attain the confidence to act, sing and dance publically. This is only part of what Drama and Musical Theatre is about. Work backstage is equally challenging and needs

tremendous focus too. Considering the success of the previous productions, I am offering back stage experience to a group of Senior Pupils to work on LEAP's forth coming productions.

I am looking for a group of weekly drama class pupils (Yr. 6-13) to work behind the scenes of Anything Goes and a group of Senior/ Intermediate Musical Theatre Students to work

backstage on Around the World in 80 Days.

Any students interested in this opportunity to work on lighting, sound, costume, props, advertising, front of house or set design please complete Backstage forms issued week beginning 5<sup>th</sup> Oct to be handed in no later than **Sat 10<sup>th</sup> Oct 2015**.

## Theatre Trips



**Outing –The Importance of Being Ernest Sat 17th Oct 2015**  
2:30pm

To All Parents of Drama Class Pupils **Yr. 7 plus and Inter / Senior Musical Theatre pupils** in school yrs. 7 plus

LEAP is delighted to announce an outing to see **The Importance of Being Ernest**

**Rosalind Ayres, Nigel Havers, Martin Jarvis, Christine Kavanagh and Siân Phillips** will be reprising their West End performances, and are joined by **Nigel Anthony, Carmen du Sautoy and David Shaw-Parker**, performing as The Bunbury Company of Players.

**The Importance of Being Earnest** is known to elegantly lampoon the hypocrisies of a Victorian society and opens as two bachelors, the dependable John Worthing, J.P. and upper class playboy Algernon Moncrieff, feel compelled to create different identities in order to pursue two eligible ladies Cecily Cardew and Gwendolen Fairfax. The hilarious misadventures which result from their subterfuge; their brushes with the redoubtable Lady Bracknell and the uptight Miss Prism result in a plot that twists and fizzles with some of the finest dialogue to be found in theatre

Playing at The Wycombe Swan Theatre I have secured 12 seats at a discount rate of £23 each

Requests will be on a first come first served basis and payment must be made by **Oct 5 !! Not long to sign up.**

Pupils who wish to see the performance will meet at the Theatre's main entrance Sat promptly at **2:00pm**. Once

signed in, a staff member of LEAP will chaperone students until the drop off time – at the same place, (time to be confirmed).

All pupils are to wear their LEAP uniforms and if permitted, may bring sufficient funds to purchase refreshments and/or programmes.

## Outing –Around The World in 80 Days – Play version



**Sun 29<sup>th</sup> Nov 2015 2:30pm**

To All Parents of Drama Class Pupils **Yr. 4 plus and Junior / Inter / Senior Musical Theatre pupils** in school yrs. 4plus

LEAP is delighted to announce an outing to see **Around the World in 80 Days**

Race around the world with **Phileas Fogg** this winter in the deliciously outlandish **Around the World in**

## THEATRE TRIPS CONTINUED

**Eighty Days.** Adapted from **Jules Verne's** beloved novel by celebrated

playwright Laura Eason (House of Cards), this latest, ingenious production of Verne's tale will thrill audiences.

Weird, wonderful and wealthy, the inimitable Phileas Fogg bets his vast fortune that he can circumnavigate the globe in just eighty days. With his devoted valet Passepartout by his side, Fogg starts his journey in the murky streets of Victorian London and travels through the mysterious subcontinent and the tumultuous Wild West in an action-packed race against time!

Around the World in Eighty Days features trains, boats, fights, dances, an elephant and escapades galore. Part romance, part chase story and part epic quest, this quirky and ebullient play boasts a fantastic eight-strong cast who play more than 100 characters.

Playing at Off-West End venue the **St James Theatre**, just moments from Pall Mall where Fogg begins his incredible journey, Around the World in Eighty Days is a must see.

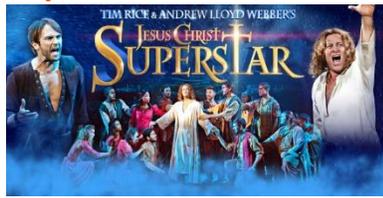
**£33 each including return rail fare!!**

Note: Pupils who wish to see the performance must be able to meet at High Wycombe train station Sun 29th Oct promptly at 12 noon (will be confirmed nearer the time) Once signed in, a staff member of LEAP will chaperone students until the drop off time – at the same place, (time to be confirmed).

All pupils are to wear their LEAP uniforms and if permitted, may bring sufficient funds to purchase refreshments and/or programmes.

There are only 25 seats. Requests will be on a first come first served basis and payment must be made by **21<sup>st</sup> Oct 2015!**

### Outing –Jesus Christ Superstar



**Sat 5<sup>th</sup> Dec 2015 2:30pm**

To All Parents of Drama Class Pupils **Yr. 6 plus and Musical Theatre pupils** in year groups 6 plus

LEAP is delighted to announce an outing to see Jesus Christ Superstar.

**Jesus Christ Superstar** exploded onto the musical scene in 1971 – stunning audiences and changing the face of musical

Theatre forever. **Tim Rice** and **Andrew Lloyd Webber's** rock opera tells the story of the last seven days in the life of Jesus through an extraordinary, groundbreaking score. As compelling today as it was at its inception over 40 years ago, Jesus Christ Superstar has some of musical theatre's most legendary songs from *I Don't Know How to Love Him*, *Everything's Alright* and *Gethsemane* through to, of course, *Superstar*.

Leading performer **Glenn Carter** returns as Jesus, a role he has played in the West End, on Broadway and on film. Musical theatre star **Tim Rogers**, whose theatre credits include *Carousel*, *Whistle Down the Wind* and the title role in *Jekyll & Hyde* at the Union Theatre plays Judas Iscariot, while X Factor finalist **Rachel Adedeji** stars as Mary

Magdalene direct from the UK and European tour of *Thriller Live*.

Playing at The Wycombe Swan Theatre I have secured 20 seats at discounted rate of £14 each!! (Usually £35)

Requests will be on a first come first served basis and payment must be made by **24<sup>th</sup> Oct 2015!!**

Pupils who wish to see the performance will meet at the Theatre's main entrance Sat 5<sup>th</sup> Dec 2pm promptly. Once signed in, a staff member of LEAP will chaperone students until the drop off time – at the same place, (time to be confirmed).

All pupils are to wear their LEAP uniforms and if permitted, may bring sufficient funds to purchase refreshments and/or programmes.

#### INTERESTED IN THESE TRIPS?

Interested in these trips? – see your LEAP teacher at the end of a class session, e-mail at [mail@leap-performingarts.co.uk](mailto:mail@leap-performingarts.co.uk) or call 07896 048841 (please leave a message so that we can get back to you the same day).

## AUDITIONS OUTSIDE WORK

# Sat 3 October | 10am

Odos Entertainment, the world's biggest Pantomime Producer, is seeking four boys to appear in this year's Pantomime in the shared roles of Michael and John.

AUDITIONS - Michael and John:  
Saturday 3 October 2015  
Wycombe Swan Oak Room, St Mary Street, High Wycombe HP11 2XE

All boys must have excellent stage presence and very strong acting ability. Previous experience and singing ability are both desirable but not essential. There is a maximum height restriction of 4'6" for Michael and 4'8" for John.

Both roles are to be played by boys who live within 20 miles drive distance from Wycombe Swan. For the audition you should prepare a monologue, poem or rhyme to present and be prepared to read a short excerpt from the script.

Rehearsals will take place from the end of November and boys will join the professional cast in December until the production opens on Fri 11 December. Once the production has opened, each team of boys (two teams in all) will perform twice on alternate days from Fri 11 December – Sun 3 January 2016, when the production closes.

To audition you must pre-register by emailing the audition form to Katie Ell [kell@wycombeswan.co.uk](mailto:kell@wycombeswan.co.uk) or download audition pack off The Wycombe Swan website.

## LEAP PHOTO SHOOT

Every couple of years LEAP likes to update our pupil's photos and now into a new academic year with many additional students and change of classes, I would like the advertising material to feature all classes and age ranges.

On Saturday 14th November 2011 from 12:30– 2:pm, I am inviting students as possible to come along to The Downley School in full LEAP uniform (black socks, black jazz shoes or plimsolls) with neatly groomed hair to have their professional photos taken. Please note that if they are not suitably attired, I regret that they will be excluded from the shoot. Musical Theatre pupils will have their photos taken during their class time.

If you are successful in obtaining a principal role in the LEAP 2016 Productions you will also be required to pop along to have a head shot taken for the show programs.



## And finally...

This newsletter has been packed with information about forthcoming events and activities – which I feel clearly demonstrates LEAP's commitment to developing its pupils and maximising their opportunities. As we look forward to an exciting term, I would like to take this opportunity to thank all the pupils, parents and staff that make LEAP what it is!

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30<sup>th</sup> Sep Auditions for Around the World in 80 Days Dancers

3<sup>rd</sup> Oct Auditions for Anything Goes Characters, Dancers.

6<sup>th</sup> Oct Recall auditions Around The World...

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LAMDA Evenings/ Afternoon of Achievements - (all pupil's arrive at classes normal time)

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3<sup>rd</sup> Nov Leap Classes return

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29<sup>th</sup> Nov Around The World In 80 Days Theatre Trip

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26<sup>th</sup> Mar Last Class before Easter break

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– Dress Run

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(pupils in at 11am)

28 May last class before Half Term

6th June LEAP classes return

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16th July Last class of the Summer  
Term,