



Diary dates

18 January	Year 8	Taster Day at Frome College
25 January	Year 10	Parents' Evening (<i>information to follow</i>)
31 January	Everyone	Newsletter emailed home
6 February	Everyone	Success Together forum " <i>Helping young people stay safe</i> "
9 February	Everyone	Last day of Term 3
19 February	Everyone	First day of Term 4
28 February	All Years	Careers Talks
8 March	Year 11	Academic Mentoring & Intervention Day
22 March	Year 12	Parents' Evening
23 March	Everyone	Last day of Term 3
9 April	Everyone	First day of Term 4
19 April	Everyone	Year 9 Parents' Evening

News updates

Frome College welcomed a full house at the Merlin Theatre for Year 8 Options Evening last night. There were talks by Principal, Ms Reynolds and Senior Assistant Principal, Mr Robson, followed by opportunities for parents and students to discuss subject options with staff. We look forward to seeing the Year 8 students return for our Taster Day next **Thursday 18 January**.

Young Carers Awareness Day on Thursday 25 January

Young Carers often take on practical and emotional caring responsibilities of a family member who is ill or disabled, which would normally be expected of an adult. Research suggests as many as 700,000 secondary school children have moderate or high levels of responsibility. Young Carers are often proud of the support they provide, however early identification is essential to ensure that they have the support they need. If you would like to donate to the Carers Trust and help support vital services for young carers, please text **YCAD18 £5 to 70070**.

Free access to the Financial Times

All students and staff will now be able to access Standard FT content while at Frome College free. Any students aged from 16 to 19, can register with FT.com and create their own individual account giving access to the FT from anywhere, and allow them to download and use the FT app and other tools. A weekly email will be received containing content and classroom ideas recommended by teachers and FT editors. To register, follow the Financial Times link [here](#).



All parents & carers are invited to our **Success Together** parents' forum on **Tuesday 6 February** at 6.30pm in Frome Futures. This term's theme is "*Helping young people stay safe*". Please RSVP to this event by 12 noon on **Monday 5 February** to Sue.Gattiker@fromecollege.org

Frome College Library

The Library Theme of the Week is '*Resilience*'. Any students or staff who have book recommendations, please contact the Library via email at Leanne.Casey@fromecollege.org

Term dates for the 2018-19 Academic Year are now on our website [here](#).

You can also find Frome College on **Facebook** at www.facebook.com/fromecollege

Twitter at www.twitter.com/fromecollege

If you would like to advertise in our news areas or termly Newsletter, please contact the Communications Officer for details of discounts on offer Jane.Davis@fromecollege.org

For more news and updates, please visit our website at www.fromecollege.org

The next Frome College monthly double page **News Desk** feature is in the *Frome Standard* on **Thursday 25 January**.

This project is open to all students at Frome College to report on things they are interested in.

If you would like to include any updates in our news areas, or would like information about advertising opportunities in our termly Newsletter, contact the Communications Officer via Jane.Davis@fromecollege.org

Frome College Association of Parents

If you would like to join our Parents' Association, contact Sue.Gattiker@fromecollege.org

Community events

Join Frome Youth Choir

Thursdays at 5.30-6.45pm

For ages 6 - 14+ years old.

Run by professional musicians & teachers, the weekly choir session engages young singers & supports musical development.

FREE trial session for all new members, thereafter £4 a week.

For more information email fromeyouthchoir@btinternet.com

Frome Hockey Club

Thursdays at 7.00pm-8.00pm.

Frome Leisure Centre Astroturf.

'*Back to Hockey for adults*'.

'*Junior training*' 13-16 year olds.

Hockey sticks can be provided.

All abilities welcome!

Diary Dates for parents

More relevant dates for each year group can be found on our website [here](#).