

Welcome

Huge congratulations to Jude, Harry, Emerson, and Callum in Year 7—and their incredible teammates at Stoke & Torbay Police FC Youth—on their fantastic double win, taking home both the league and the cup! What an achievement!

We're also celebrating Letty in Year 7, who shone on the dance floor at the MV Dance Competition in Birmingham, placing in all four of her events—an outstanding result and a testament to her hard work and passion.

Our students lit up the stage at the Dart Music Festival with an unforgettable performance full of energy, colour, and talent. A big thank you to Miss Kerek, Miss Peter, and all involved—you truly wowed the crowd!

And finally, our budding engineers and navigators took to the sea—literally—as part of the “Girls in Maritime” initiative at South Devon College. These hands-on experiences are more than just fun—they open doors, challenge stereotypes, and help our students envision futures in industries where they've traditionally been under-represented.

Thank you, as always, for your support. We're so proud of everything our students are achieving. *Mr Williams*

Girls Making Waves In Maritime!

South Devon College's Marine Academy is helping young women explore exciting opportunities in the maritime industry through its inspiring “Girls in Maritime” events. Aimed at students aged 11–16, these events are designed to challenge gender stereotypes and encourage more girls to consider marine careers.

Our students recently took part in a variety of hands-on activities, including marine wiring workshops, navigation and mapping challenges, time on the vessel simulator, and an on-the-water experience! The session offered a real insight into the industry and helped students to develop valuable practical skills!



Letty Shines On The Dance Floor!

We're incredibly proud to celebrate the amazing success of Letty in Year 7 at the **MV Dance Competition** in Birmingham on April 6th, 2025 — where over 300 talented young dancers competed!

Letty entered four dance categories and placed in every single one!

- Lyrical Solo - 3rd Place
- Lyrical Group - 3rd Place
- Street Solo - 4th Place
- Street Group - 4th Place

What an incredible achievement! Your hard work, passion, and dedication are truly inspiring, Letty. Keep dancing and keep shining!



League & Cup Title!

Huge congratulations to **Jude, Harry, Emerson** and **Callum** (all in Year 7), and the rest of their incredible team at **Stoke & Torbay Police FC Youth**.

What a phenomenal season — they've achieved the double win by taking home both the league title and the cup!

Their dedication, teamwork, and relentless effort all season long have truly paid off. You've made everyone proud — well done, boys!



Dart Festival Fever Hits The Right Notes!

After weeks of toe-tapping rehearsals, Miss Kerek and Miss Peter led 25 superstar students to the Dart Music Festival, and they absolutely brought the house down!

With the sun blazing and sombreros and straw hats in full swing, the stage was set for a sizzling performance.

From rockin' 60s anthems to dreamy French ballads and funky 70s grooves, the set-list had the crowd dancing, swaying, and cheering for more.

A massive shout-out to everyone involved—you didn't just perform; you owned the stage!





PAIGNTON ACADEMY OPEN EVENTS



OPEN EVENING THURSDAY 19TH JUNE

Tours at 4.30pm and 6.10pm - **WATERLEAT ROAD**

Attendance will be by **pre-booking** only

To book please click on the link below:

[Paignton Academy Event Booking Form June 2025](#)

or visit our website and click on 'Our Academy', 'Visit Us' (in Quick Links)

We are expecting high demand so early booking is essential.

Further Open Events will take place in October

Paignton Academy Open Events For September 2026 Admissions

We extend a warm invitation to primary school children and their parents to join us at our Open Events and experience the positive learning environment at Paignton Academy.

Throughout the event, you will have the opportunity to:

- Take a tour of our school
- Meet our Principal, Teachers, and Students
- Get answers to any questions you may have

Our Open Events were extremely popular last year, and we received a lot of positive feedback.

To find out more or to book a place, please visit our website.

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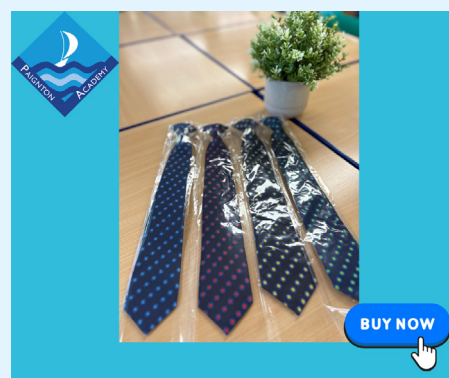
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Dates for Your Diary

Wednesday 18th June	Early Closure for Staff Training 1.40pm
Friday 27th June	School Closed
Friday 4th July	Year 11 Prom
Friday 18th July	Early Closure for Last Day of Term 2pm