



**St Ursula's Weekly**  
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## Message from the Headteacher

“Take care  
especially that  
they are  
united and  
one in will ”



St Angela Merici  
10<sup>th</sup> Legacy /7

The Year 11's have all but completed their PPE's. They have worked incredibly hard and their behaviour and attitude has continued to be exemplary. I hope their exam results reflect the justice this deserves. Well done girls.

Next week we welcome back last years' Year 11's to receive their GCSE certificates and celebrate their achievements as a community. It is always a lovely evening and we are looking forward to it.

I am also please to tell you that we appointed a new Chaplain this week – Mrs Marie Norbury, who we will be welcoming on 26 November 2019.

Ms Hamilton

## School Calendar

### Tuesday 19 November 2019

7.30pm GCSE Certificate Evening  
Our Ladye Star of the Sea

### Sunday 8 December 2019

Carol Service  
Our Ladye Star of the Sea Church

### Wednesday 18 December 2019

Christmas Lunch

## Pupil Safety

Just a gentle reminder to pupils and parents, as the nights draw in to ensure that the girls are more aware of their safety.

Please talk t your daughters about being vigilant of their surroundings and have a sense of their wellbeing.

Advise them where they are able, to plan their route / know where they are going, walk/ travel in lit up areas, to not walk alone, stay in busy in places .

And if they are at all worried to go into a 'Safe Haven' shop and ask for help.

This is the advice given by the Police and local support groups.

## School uniform

If you require it, there is full school uniform list and suppliers can be found on the school website—[www.stursulas.com](http://www.stursulas.com) under the School Life tab and Uniform.



## Cold weather uniform

As the weather is changing, here is a reminder about winter uniform.

Please ensure that outdoor coats are plain black or navy with no logos.

Scarves and gloves must also be plain black or navy only.

Hats can be worn, in the “beany” style (no pompom’s please) again in plain black or navy with no logos.

Also ear muffs must not be worn. They are not school uniform but they are also a cause for concern in terms of health and safety as the girls can not hear properly when wearing them.

Any ear muffs being worn will be confiscated.

Thank you as always for your support.

Ms Hamilton



## THE SCHOLASTIC HALF PRICE BOOK SALE IS COMING! THURS 28<sup>th</sup> NOV-WEDS 4<sup>th</sup> DEC!

From Thursday 28th Nov – Weds 4th Dec we will be receiving our HALF PRICE SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR! Everything, including books, posters and stationery, will be half the marked price!

Classes will be given a time slot in which to visit the sale. The school will receive 10% of the total sales in credit to buy books for the library!

If a popular book runs out of physical copies, then additional copies can be ordered to arrive on the day the fair is collected or the following week.

Pupils bringing cash should bring small notes (£5 & £10) and change.

Parents can also pre-pay for vouchers instead of using cash on the Scholastic website <https://bookfairs.scholastic.co.uk/gift-vouchers>  
Make sure to quote our school at checkout!: St Ursula's Convent School SE10 8HN.

Buying a pre-paid gift voucher gives you 20% extra free to spend at the Book Fair – meaning you get a £12 voucher for only £10.

### **Before making a Voucher purchase, please read this important information:**

- A gift voucher can only be purchased for a specific upcoming Book Fair at a school and is non-transferable
- You will receive the gift voucher as an email when your purchase is complete
- Please print out your voucher and take it to the Book Fair to spend, handing it to the Book Fair Organiser (Miss Deegan) for verification
- Every gift voucher (or book) you buy at your Book Fair helps your school to earn Rewards to spend on free books and resources for the library.
- Change cannot be given with Book Fair Gift Vouchers. Scholastic do supply low cost items such as stationery if the books total isn't enough. If a child can't find items to use up their voucher, please contact Scholastic for assistance.
- Book Fair Gift Vouchers expire at the end of your school's Book Fair. If for any reason your child cannot attend the Book Fair, book purchases can be made by calling 0800 212 281 up to 12 months from the date of issue.

# SCHOLASTIC HALF-PRICE BOOK FAIR TIMETABLE

## 28<sup>th</sup> Nov – 4<sup>th</sup> Dec

Pupils will be visiting the Scholastic half-price book fair in class groups at the below times during the school day.

Pupils will need cash or their pre-paid Scholastic voucher. Change cannot be given from vouchers (see details above)

Week 2

Week 1

| P  | Thursday<br>28/11            | Friday<br>29/11          | Monday<br>2/12                           | Tuesday<br>3/12           | Wednesday<br>4/12        |
|----|------------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1  | Waiting<br>For               | 11L/En<br>DEV            | I<br>N<br>S<br>E<br>T<br><br>D<br>A<br>Y | 8b/En3<br>WRI             | 9b/En2<br>DIA            |
| 2  | Fair<br>Delivery             | 8b/En1<br>DEV            |                                          | 7b/En1<br>CAH             |                          |
| B1 | INVENTORY                    |                          |                                          |                           |                          |
| B2 | INVENTORY                    |                          |                                          | LONG FORM<br>Last Chance! |                          |
| 3  | INVENTORY                    | 7c/En1<br>GOM            |                                          | 9a/En1-DIA<br>9a/En2-WRI  | 8a/En1<br>DEV            |
| 4  |                              |                          |                                          |                           |                          |
| 5  | 8a/En2<br>DIA                |                          |                                          | 8b/En2<br>CAH             | 9b/En3-DEV<br>9b/En1-CAH |
| 6  | 11S/En - DIA<br>11U/En - CAH | 7e/En1<br>DEV            | 11R/En-WRI<br>10S/En-DIA                 | 7a/Gg1<br>ECA             |                          |
| 7  | 11A/En - DEV                 | 10R/En-DEV<br>10A/En-CAH | 7d/Re1<br>EDU                            | 10U/Re-CUS<br>10L/En-WRI  |                          |



## PRICING GUIDE

Here's a handy, at-a-glance guide to book prices at the Half Price Book Fair, there will also be low cost items like posters and stationery.

**RRP      Half Price**

**£0.40 → £0.20**

**£0.50 → £0.25**

**£1.00 → £0.50**

**£1.50 → £0.75**

**£2.00 → £1.00**

**£2.50 → £1.25**

**£2.99 → £1.49**

**£3.50 → £1.75**

**£3.99 → £1.99**

**£4.99 → £2.49**

**£5.00 → £2.50**

**£5.99 → £2.99**

**£6.99 → £3.49**

**£7.99 → £3.99**

**£8.99 → £4.49**

**£9.99 → £4.99**

**£10.00 → £5.00**

**£10.50 → £5.25**

**£10.99 → £5.49**

**£12.99 → £6.49**

**£14.99 → £7.49**

**£19.99 → £9.99**

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## *Donate for St Ursula's Girls*

There are many ways you can assist FOSTUR and help the school.

All of your donations will go towards buying much needed IT equipment and funding playground improvements for our girls.

**We really value your support.**

We are also set up for donations directly through **payroll giving** if your employer offers that option – **Charities Aid Foundation** and **Charities Trust** have FOSTUR listed for your donations. This type of donation is taken tax free from your salary!

**A special thank you to all the parents that have donated through payroll giving.**

You can donate online via CAF or send CAF cheques to school for FOSTUR attention.

You can use this link for ad hoc donations or set up monthly payments:

[virginmoneygiving.com/charities/stursulas](https://virginmoneygiving.com/charities/stursulas)

### What we have already achieved so far

We are a registered charity and eligible for gift aid. In our first 3 years we have held many events including the popular quiz night, bingo for the girls, support for the production of Annie including licencing, lighting and scripts, a FOSTUR sponsored run by parents, girls and staff, raffles and our annual summer fair.

We have raised over £19,000 so far, and have already paid for many items, including towards the sun shelter, 13 iPads, benches, music equipment and various educational items for our girls.

**Many thanks for your future support - with your help we can build on this success.**

**£19,000**  
Raised

**13**  
Ipads donated

**1**  
Sun shelter

**1**  
Electric drum kit