



Monday 11th
May

G11 Normal
G12 Examinations

Tuesday 12th
May

G11 Normal
Timetable
G12 Examinations

Wednesday 13th
May

G11 Normal
Timetable
Presentation
15.30: Whole Staff Meeting
(held in Lower/Middle School)
India Evening
(held in Lower/Middle School)

Thursday 14th
May

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Friday 15th
May

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News from the Principal

In the coming week, we will be welcoming Andrew Mitchell to the school. Andrew will take up his appointment as Lower and Middle School Principal in August and is spending a week with us to meet with the school community. As mentioned in Bulletin 22, Andy Atkinson has taken up post of Director of ISL Schools UK and will be accompanying Andrew during his stay at the school.

G11/12 Key Dates May to June 2015

Day	Date	Event
Wednesday	May 13	India Presentation Evening
Thursday	May 21	IB Diploma (G12) examinations end
Wednesday	May 20	Philosophy of Art Lecture 1 (at Lower and Middle School)
Friday	May 22	G12 Graduation
Monday	May 25	Bank Holiday – no classes
Tuesday	May 26	School Holiday – no classes
Wednesday	May 27	Philosophy of Art Lecture 2 (at Lower and Middle School)
Mon-Wed	June 1-10	G11 Written Examinations
Wednesday	June 3	Philosophy of Art Lecture 3 (at Lower and Middle School)
Tuesday	June 23	Sports Day – all day event
Wednesday	June 24	17.30 – 19.30 G11 Parent Teacher Meeting (at 139)
Friday	June 26	Last Day of Term – classes finish at 12.00 pm
Tuesday	September 1	First day of term for all students 2015-16

Huw Davies - Principal - Diploma College



From the Deputy Principal:

Grade 12 Graduation

We look forward to seeing all our grade 12 parents and special guests to celebrate the **graduation of the class of May 2015**, Friday, 22nd May from 7pm. All parents should now have received an invitation in the mail – please RSVP to Linda Osman in the College office losman@isllondon.org with the number in your party and any special dietary requirements.

Presentation by Bocconi University, Milan



This week we hosted a representative from **Università Commerciale Luigi Bocconi** (Bocconi University), Milan, Italy. Bocconi perform in the top 50 in worldwide league tables for business and finance and alongside their programmes in Italian now offer degrees taught in English in Business, Finance, International Politics and Government. Interested students can find more information on the Bocconi website <http://www.unibocconi.it/> and in the College prospectus library.

Grade 11 have now participated in workshops to provide them with the background information and tools to research university options. Their objective is to identify a 'long list' of at least seven possible courses and institutions for the end of this semester, when we will begin work on the applications.

Paul Morris

Deputy Principal



Lectures on Art

Nigel Warburton, author of 'The Art Question', 'A Little History of Philosophy', 'Philosophy: The Basics', 'Philosophy: the Classics' and many other books and who is an interviewer for the popular Philosophy Bites podcast will be giving three lectures on: **The Art Question: an introduction to the Philosophy of Art.**

Students, staff and parents are most welcome to attend. The lectures will be held at Lower and Middle School.

More information on Nigel can be found at

http://nigelwarburton.typepad.com/philosophy_the_basics_cou/nigel-warburton.html

Lecture 1: 20th May 18:30 to 19:30: Art as Form - Focusing on Clive Bell's book *Art*, this lecture will examine the notion that art is more about the patterns of lines, shapes and colours - the forms - rather than its content.

Lecture 2: 27th May 18:30 to 19:30: Art as Expression - Is art mainly a way of expressing emotions? What does that mean? Through an examination of R.G. Collingwood's theory of art this lecture will clarify these questions.

Lecture 3: 3rd June 18:30 to 19:30: Conceptual Art - How can conceptual art be understood as part of the history of art? This lecture includes a discussion of Arthur Danto's and George Dickie's approaches to the question 'What is Art?'

Sign up sheet available at: <https://isllondon.bringit.bz/dashboard/827fa1>