KELSO HIGH SCHOOL

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S6 Events 2026

We are delighted to share our plans for the S6 Class of 2026 as they approach the end of their time at school. Working with our S6 Head Team, along with the Heads of S6 Committees, we have planned a series of events over the next couple of months to celebrate our S6 learners' time at Kelso High School. This letter provides information about these events and outlines our expectations for learners during their remaining time at school.

S6 Final Month/Week

Our S6 learners will continue to attend all timetabled classes and should remain focused on key learning and revision.

We have agreed to celebrate their 'last day of school' on Thursday 2nd April. S6 pupils should arrive at school for 9.45am, when they will have time to have their school shirts signed by peers and staff.

- At 10.30am, all S6 pupils and staff will be invited to join together for coffee and cake. This invitation is also extended to parents/carers, grandparents and wider family members. As many were involved in their 'first day of P1', it feels especially fitting to welcome them to share in this 'last day of S6'.
- At 11.30am, our S6 will leave school and make their way to the beach for a fun afternoon.

As Qualification Scotland examinations begin on Wednesday 22nd April, study leave will commence on this date. Therefore, all S6 learners are expected to attend their timetabled classes on Monday 20th and Tuesday 21st April. From Wednesday 22nd April, learners are welcome to come into school to meet with key teachers to support their preparation for final assessments.

S6 Leavers Evening - 3rd June 2026

Our S6 Leavers' Evening will take place on Wednesday 3rd June. This is an opportunity to celebrate our S6 learners' time at school with peers, families and staff. This is an evening event and invitations will be shared in advance.

S6 Prom - 5th June 2026

Our S6 Prom will take place at Ednam House on Friday 5th June and is being organised by the S6 Prom Committee. This is shaping up to be a fantastic evening with food, music and dancing.

As we plan these events, it is important that we reinforce our expectations of our S6 learners. All S6 pupils are expected to attend timetabled classes punctually and behave in a respectful manner in line with our school values. We believe that maintaining these high standards helps prepare our learners for the wider world of learning and work.

Any S6 learner who does not behave appropriately in school may not be permitted to attend the Leavers' Evening or the Prom.

All S6 pupils will officially leave on **31st May 2026**. Further information will be shared shortly regarding arrangements for returning iPads and chargers (a charge of £14 will apply for any missing charger), as well as signing their Leavers Form.