

Be The Best You Can Be

With CCSC



Week 15

Monday 14th December 2020

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Taken by Sadie Huxley 7MC



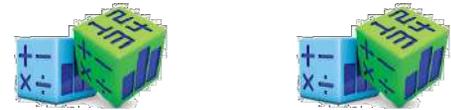
Taken by Bryony Bowne 10KE



Attendance



With Miss Brownsill



Maths-Whizz®

This weeks maths whizzer

is **Reece Elliott 7JWI** he completed 680 minutes and made 40 levels of progressions.

Y7 together have made **575 ↑** progressions and spent **175 ↑** hours online! Don't forget to log in every week and improve your Maths.

304 ↑ students have completed questions this week.



Top Scientists are **Eva**

McKechnie 11P completed 752 questions 77% correct and

Jacob Gibson 10DS

achieved 95% in 87 questions

Y7 96.5%	LCA 97.5%
Y8 94.8% ↑	KW 96.4%
Y9 95.3 ↑	9AR 97.3%
Y10 95 ↑	PY 96.3%
Y11 95.1% ↓	MO 96.8%
Whole School. 95.3% ↓	

Event Logs

Y7-844 ↑ - ND 193
Y8-1098 ↑ - AG 205
Y9-1133 ↑ - EF 222
Y10-484 ↑ - PS 112
Y11-26 ↓ - P 13



Cats	<u>Dogs</u>
<u>Biology</u>	Chemistry
<u>High School</u>	University
Swimming	<u>Running</u>
Saturdays	<u>Sundays</u>
<u>Ice Cream</u>	Cake
Skirt	<u>Dress</u>
Toes for fingers	<u>Fingers for toes</u>
<u>4 Arms</u>	4 Legs

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK.....

Careers Week

Students are studying a range of careers in their lessons. Alongside workshops about higher education, CVs, dragons den, university life, medical mavericks and much much more.

Last School day of 2020

Students will leave for Xmas at the following times.

Y7 - 12:20	Y8 - 12:30
Y9 - 12:40	Y10 - 12:50
Y11 - 1:00	

HOY AWARDS

Y7

Y8

Y9

Y10

Y11

Oliver Tench 8HM

7 Set 4. for being an all-round good egg! He always has a smile on his face and maintains a positive outlook even in the most difficult of times. We all need to be more like Oliver!

Staff have said that their behaviour has greatly improved this week. They have made a real effort to follow the school rules and complete work to the best of their ability, following their new seating plan. Well done and keep it up!

Tiegan Hill 8LE

For an amazing effort in English when completing a GCSE style question. Both myself and Mrs Durrant are extremely proud of the progress she has made!

Joel Hodgkiss 9AR

Outstanding effort in many subjects especially science where he continues to excel!

Emily Taylor-Cottam 9KDR

Always has a smile on her face in lesson, she is polite and a pleasure to teach.

Sophie Ralphs 10PS

An excellent attitude to learning this week.

Finlay Wood 10DG

For maintaining his excellent approach to learning in the past few weeks.

Lloyd Brown 11MP

I have been hearing so many fantastic comments about him from staff. Keep it up!

Ellie Harding 11MO

For her superb attitude and hard work over the last term.



New members of the #100ELClub

Well done to all 😊!!!

- Y7 Harvey Beswick, Libby Gorman, Sadie Huxley, Archie Johnstone, Paul Sherwin, Nathan Taylor-Wade, Daniel Wragg
 Y8 David Bediako, Bradley Boote, Elisha Brookes, Emily Higginbottom, Sky Johnson, Zeph Machin, Thomas McHugh, Alfie Sellers, Jack Willcocks
 Y9 Katie Ashley, Charlie Bakewell, Joshua Cooke, Oliver Goodwin, Emily Hassall, Daniel Jones, Jamie Merrill,, Libby Mothershaw, Millie Parton, Nathaniel Pearce, Neve Richards, Elliot Rowe, Elina Smith, Tori-Mya Swindell, Emily Taylor-Cottam, Georgia Walsh, Ethan Watkiss, Zane Wegehaupt
 Y10 Lexxie Ingram and Olivia Swift



Star of the Week

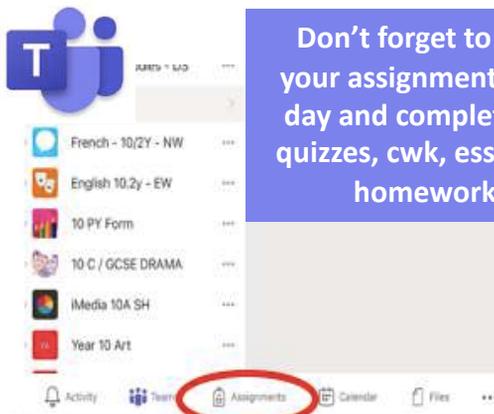


- 7JST William Austin- 18 ELs
 8HB Emily Higginbottom- 19 ELs
 9AR Joel Hodgkiss- 20 ELs
 10DS Liam Simpson – 16 ELs
 11P Courtney Cuthbertson- 10 ELs



Most improved

- 7SR Lexie-Devon McAllister
 8HB Georgiana Hobbs
 9IR Kharli Morris
 10PS McKenzie Cowie
 11NW Abbie Hanwell



Don't forget to check your assignments every day and complete your quizzes, cwk, essays and homework!!

Say the Color of each Word!

(Don't read the word)

How Fast can you say it?

black white yellow green red blue
 yellow red black green white red
 white green red black yellow green
 black white yellow green red blue
 white green red black yellow green
 yellow red black green white red
 white green red black yellow green



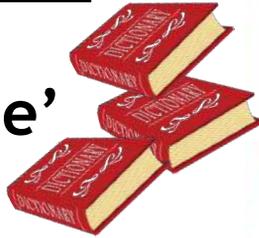
Word of the Week from Dictionary Dee



'execrable'

adjective

extremely bad or unpleasant.



In 'A Christmas Carol'...

In stave 3, Scrooge visits his nephew's house and during a game of blindman's buff, a guest gets a little carried away...



*But when at last, he caught her; when, in spite of all her silken rustlings, and her rapid flutterings past him, he got her into a corner whence there was no escape; then his conduct was the most **execrable**.*

In pigeon

world.....



English Stars of the Week

AP: Ethan Moody 9EW (9.5) Ethan works consistently hard to complete all work in lessons and even helps those around him. Well done, Ethan!

EW: Kenzie Randles 9AR For his impressive work, contributions to lessons and perceptive thinking during our poetry lessons

KDR: Kian Wilshaw 9KDR because he always contributes his ideas in lesson... even if it's an embarrassing story about him being the cause of his mum's broken ankle!

KM: Reece Elliot 7JW1 (7/1x) for always applying himself fully every lesson and doing so with a smile!

GA: Ksawier Puszcz 11MP for the most improved performance in the Language exam. Ksawier always works exceptionally hard and it was a delight to see this pay off. Proud Allen!

KW: Zoe Kearsey-Smith 7LCA (72X) She has been a superstar in English since the start of the year and has even brought in independent learning from the isolation period. Well done Zoe!

DS (English): 11.1 are my stars of the week. Not one of them has missed an exam and they've coped really well with a tough mock period. Add to this that they've all done really well too and that makes for a VERY proud Steveo.

DS (Film): Keisha LH 11JD has worked hard in the lessons and she has shown an impressive work ethic that will stand her in good stead for her mock film exam.



Word of the week:
MERRY CHRISTMAS!

Spanish: ¡Feliz Navidad!

French: Joyeux Noël!

Italian: Buon Natale!

German: Frohe Weihnachten

Mrs Edbrooke's
star pupils



Ashlei-Rose Cuthbertson
10/4 French for consistently working hard in EVERYTHING we do!

Joshua Cookson & Samuel
Brain 9/4 Spanish for amazing contributions in lessons, and for always working hard.

BRAVO!

We wish you all a very Merry Christmas and Well Done for all of your hard work! Enjoy your well-deserved rest.



Bisous, Besos, Baci, Küsse, Team MFL



Maths Challenge

I have decorated my tree, I used:-



16 Red baubles, 15 gold baubles, 14 Pine cones, 13 pieces of tinsel, 12 green baubles, 11 hanging bells, 10 silver baubles, 9 hanging chocolate, 8 pieces of holly, 7 hanging angels, 6 Purple Baubles, 5 hanging trumpets, 4 santas, 3 pieces of cinnamon, 2 sets of lights and 1 star.

How many items are used to decorate my tree?



Our new Y7 RMS Leaders
Wish you a Merry Christmas!



We've had 20 amazing shoeboxes donated for Teams 4U and Operation Christmas Child.



Thank you so much to everyone who has filled a shoebox or brought items in, **they really will mean the world to the children and families** who will receive them.



Theo Matthews 7LCA was born with a rare unbalanced chromosome rearrangement, talipes (clubfoot) and a VSD (hole in heart). He spent the first part of his life in and out of hospital, Theo started **taekwondo** in spring 2014 at his primary school as his coach, **Mike Pejic**, came into the school and coached the younger pupils in a Taetots programme, Theo entered his very first competition, at a week's notice, at the Poomsae National Championships in Nottingham in December 2017 and won Silver.



<https://www.britishtaekwondo.org.uk/2018/06/theo-matthews/>

KAHOOT

08744168. B1.1 OSMOSIS DIFFUSION
ACTIVE TRANSPORT

08817506. B2.5 NERVOUS SYSTEM

03517058. C1.2 GIANT STRUCTURES

08721028. C2.6 REACTION RATES

06661538. P1.3 FLUIDS

05618124. P2.7 MAGNETISM

LAST OF 2020 MERRY XMAS!!

WEEK 15

Recap the crucial knowledge with the weekly kahoots!



Challenge Mr Cartledge @ Chess!

White to move....
Checkmate in 2 moves →
What are the moves?????



CCSC Maths Kahoots!

GCSE Number 07175014
GCSE Algebra 01884772
GCSE Geometry and Measures 02391164

Coca Cola wasn't rationed in America during WW2 because it was seen as essential in soldiers' lives. It was difficult to ship to US forces abroad so they built bottling factories on the front line. 10 billion bottles were consumed by US forces in WW2.
.....Holidays are coming....



	<u>Zero CL's</u>	<u>Weekly Lucky Dip Winner</u>	
Y7	126 ↑ (75%)	Canyon Eleanor	7SR
Y8	150 ↑ (78%)	Armstrong Christian	8SE
Y9	136 ↓ (69%)	Hood Chloe-Rae	9MK
Y10	101 ↓ (62%)	Meakin Abbie	10PY
Y11	124 (87%)	Kominou Konstantina-Nikoleta	11NW
Total		636 ↓ (74%)	



Were YOU the best you could be last week?
See if you can find your name.



Congratulations

You were picked at random for achieving zero CLs last week. Please pick your reward.

- £5 shopping voucher
- Free break food for a week (£1 per day)
- VIP room at lunch for you & 4 friends plus goodies.
- A week queue jump pass for break & lunch.



- Y7 <https://www.online-stopwatch.com/random-name-pickers/the-wall/?r=AqqZsWKIhb>
- Y8 <https://www.online-stopwatch.com/random-name-pickers/the-wall/?r=8BRo0WKIhb>
- Y9 <https://www.online-stopwatch.com/random-name-pickers/the-wall/?r=0gFs6WKIhb>
- Y10 <https://www.online-stopwatch.com/random-name-pickers/the-wall/?r=edRNBWKIhb>
- Y11 <https://www.online-stopwatch.com/random-name-pickers/the-wall/?r=us6AIWKIhb>



Since the last 'pupdate', we have had plenty of pups making a break for freedom. Even the chunkiest pup was caught on camera dangling over the side of the whelping box the other night! The puppies are far more mobile than the drunk toddlers that I described them as last week, and it is

really tiring for Lola. As a little treat for the pups (and a break for mum), they have been introduced to puppy milk. It was a little bit confusing for them at first, but they soon got stuck in.



This is our last Newsletter of 2020. Have a great holiday and stay safe

School restarts Tuesday 5th January with **Whole School Recap**

21st January **Y11 Parents Evening**
25th January **Y9 Exams start**



Xmas Tress

- 1-Mrs Melvin
- 2- Mr Farr
- 3-Mr Whitehead
- 4- Miss Meakin
- 5- Miss Rafferty
- 6-Miss Weston & Miss Wedgewood
- 7- Miss Fox
- 8-Miss Robson
- 9-Mrs Hawkins
- 10-Miss Allen
- 11-Mr Dean
- 12-Miss Brownsill
- 13-Mr Mackin
- 14-Mrs Fower
- 15-Mr Kelsall
16. Miss Edwards

Maths Challenge

$16+15+14+13+12+11+10+9+8+7+6+5+4+3+2+1 = 136$

These are like triangular number

Formula is $T = (n)(n + 1) / 2$

So for 16 $T = 16 \times 17 / 2$

$T = 272 / 2 = 136$

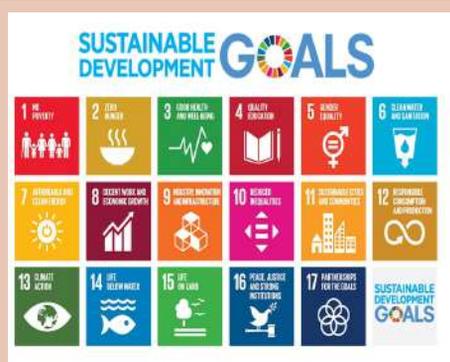


Brainteasers

Money, the future

Chess

White queen on H6 → H7 and gives check. Black knight on F6 → H7 and captures the white queen. White bishop on C2 → H7 captures the black knight and **CHECKMATE!**

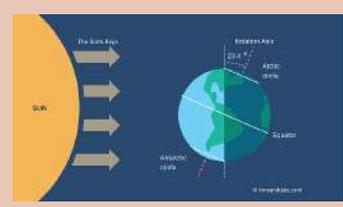


What can **YOU** do in 2021 to meet one of the sustainable development goals?

Friday 18th International Migrants Day
Sunday 20th International Human Solidarity Day
Monday 21st Winter Solstice

<https://www.un.org/en/observances/human-solidarity-day>

Winter solstice: the **SHORTEST** day of the year. During the winter solstice, the North Pole is tilted **farthest away from the Sun**, delivering the fewest hours of sunlight of the year, Approx. 7-8 hours



Have an idea, event or news that you want to share in next week's edition please email Miss Edwards kedwards@ccsc.staffs.sch.uk