

Be The Best You Can Be

With CCSC



Week 23 (Lockdown 3.0 - week 9!)

Monday 28th February 2021

Drawn by Lucy Clarke Y10



Taken by Gracie Watt Y9



Taken by Rhiannon Kearns Y9



With Miss Machin

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| Curry | <u>Chinese</u> |
| Football | <u>Rugby</u> |
| Cake | <u>Pie</u> |
| <u>Tea</u> | Coffee |
| <u>Flying</u> | Driving |
| Sea | <u>Mountains</u> |
| <u>Dog</u> | Cat |
| <u>Coke</u> | Pepsi |
| Blue | <u>Red</u> |

Year	Event logs	Best pupil	Best form
Y7	192 ↓	Lois Walklett 7LCA (22)	7JWI (44)
Y8	427 ↑	Gracie Hemmings 8LE (21)	8LE (96)
Y9	367 ↓	Keira Aldridge 9EF (16)	9EF (116)
Y10	347 ↑	Lucy Clarke 10DS (18)	10AP (67)
Y11	302 ↑	Molly Jennings 11P (11)	11P (209)
Total	1635 ↑		

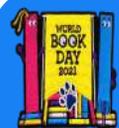
203 ↑ Students have logged in this week and completed 6,587 ↑ questions to test their knowledge



Student	Year	Class(es)	Qs Answered
1 Sadie Huxley	7	71y Sci	758
2 Bryony Oxford	9	9/1y Sci	346
3 Alexander Hughes	9	9/1y Sci	180
4 Sonia Ahmed	7	71y Sci	163
5 Joel Hodgkiss	9	9/2y Sci	112

Make sure you log in every week!

	Questions Correct %	Questions Attempted	Best Class
Year 7	66.9%	2,201	7/1y
Year 8	54.7%	707	8/1y
Year 9	60.7%	1,956	9/1y
Year 10	68.8%	1,068	10/1x
Year 11	70.5%	655	11/2
Whole School	64.4%	6,587	



World Book Day
Thursday 4th

English Department have lots of activities and competitions!

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK.....

Careers Week

Watch the interview videos to learn about a new career!

Y9 Mock Exams

Ensure you revise and use the KEY KNOWLEDGE documents

Fairtrade Fortnight



Take part in Mrs Tills competition

Word of the Week from Dictionary Dee

'camaraderie'

noun

mutual trust and friendship among people who spend a lot of time together.

Example Sentence 1

The football players had a sense of

camaraderie

which made them an unbeatable team. .



Example Sentence 2

Best friends have a deep

camaraderie which is

often unexplainable to others.



English Stars of the Week

DS English: Aysha Y (Y11) for just always being enthusiastic, hard-working and a blooming brilliant student. She goes above and beyond!

DS Film Studies: Sam Copeland (Y9) for being the king of editing! He produced some fantastic independent work before half-term and I am super proud of him.

GA: Laci-Jean Lench (Y7) for going above and beyond in each and every lesson. This week in particular has seen her complete an outstanding analysis of the title, front cover and blurb of our new text. A fantastic effort, well done

KDR: Jess Dolman-Swann (Y9) for STOW for her incredible knowledge of poetry and consistent, superb effort.

KM: Ethan Cooper (Y11) for demonstrating secure crucial knowledge in Macbeth! Well done!

EW: Grace Leonard (Y11) for her amazing effort in lesson, and creative writing talent.

Mr Worth: Roman Lockett (Y9) for his consistently high level of participation and effort in class this week

KW: Laci-Jean Lench (Y7). Laci has been absolute superstar. She is always on hand to answer questions and will always make sure her work is beautifully presented. Well done Laci, keep it up!

AP: Rachel Dennison (Y10) for her dedication and commitment to completing work to the best of her ability.

Word of the week:

A novel

Spanish: **Una novela**

French: **Un roman**

Italian: **Un romanzo**

German: **Roman**

Mr

**Whitehead's
star pupils**



Kian Wilshaw (Y9) – for his hard work and he always puts in 100%
Ellie-Mae Simms (Y7) – for her works hard and she's joined every online lesson
Class 10/2Y – those that have worked hard and joined every lesson without fail.

BRAVO!

We have been overwhelmed with pupils' responses to the 30 Day Challenge, the Instagram quizzes and Blooket quizzes. Well done to those that have got involved in some way.

There's only a couple of days left for the 30 Day Challenge, so make sure you get your entries in for the possibility of winning some prizes!

This week is Year 9 assessment week. Your individual teachers will go through this with you. ¡Suerte!

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Netflix recommendation:

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The 33 (film)

Based on the real-life event when a gold and copper mine collapsed and Chilean miners were trapped underground for 69 days.



For Y11 (age 15+)

Elite (series)

We think you'll love this! When three working-class teens enroll in an exclusive private school in Spain, the clash between them and the wealthy students leads to murder.

HOY AWARDS

Y7

Y8

Y9

Y10

Y11

Stephen Barlow
7LCA

For being recognised in Art this week after he created an excellent piece of Pop Art work.

Scarlett Washington
7SR

For 100% effort in her P.E work and consistent good work in other departments this week.

Oskar Olesik 8KW

Great effort and excellent work across all subjects during lockdown.

Emily Higginbottom 8HB

Wrote an excellent recommendation of a new reading app

Charlie Rodgers 9IR

Increased attendance and excellent effort in Maths.

Gracie Watt 9AR

Constant effort and excellent work across all subjects.

Xander Moreton
Hamilton 10AP

Much improved attitude to his learning and this is recognised by many subject teachers.

Millie Powis
10PY

Consistently proactive and positive towards her subjects during remote learning.

Summer Shaw
11MP

A fantastic attitude to learning and lots of members of staff noticing this!

Joshua Michelson
11MO

I have seen some event logs commenting on his exceptional work, keep it up!

Outstanding Work



Cheriton
Community Sports
College

Please view all the students outstanding work @ CCSC. All students have been entered into Fridays lucky dip draw. Well done!!!

<https://www.ccsc.staffs.sch.uk/index.php/news/556-outstanding-work-at-ccsc>

Gold Star 250

Sarah Watt 7JWI



Silver Star 150

Paul Sherwin 7ND
Leron Doherty 7SR
Tilly Poole-Lockyer 7SR
Zach Riley 7SR



EL Club

New members of the 200 club

Jessica Colledge 9AK
Ella Doe 9AK
Olivia Mollart 9AR
Gracie Hemmings 8LE
Kiera McLaughlin 8AG
Maryam Chowdhury 9IR
Eve Sharpe 9EF
Lexxie Ingram 10EH



Lucky Dip Winners 26th February



Year 7

Outstanding Work/Newsletter - Casey Colclough
Form Tutor Nominations - Sonia Ahmed
10+ Event Logs (last week) - Sarah Watt
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Year 8

Outstanding Work/Newsletter - Ben Parker
Form Tutor Nominations - Filip Lysey
10+ Event Logs (last week) - Holly Rutter
10+ Event Logs - Aafreen Ahmed

Year 9

Outstanding Work/Newsletter - Lauren Mason
Form Tutor Nominations - Emily Taylor Cottam
10+ Event Logs (last week) - Izzy Conyon
10+ Event Logs - Keira Aldridge

Year 10

Outstanding Work/Newsletter - Cian Leyland
Form Tutor Nominations - Bryony Bowen
10+ Event Logs (last week) - Leo Smith
10+ Event Logs - Millie Powis

£5 vouchers will be in the post on Monday

Year 11

Outstanding Work/Newsletter - Lloyd Brown Yemm
Form Tutor Nominations - Lauren Tomkinson
10+ Event Logs (last week) - Kelis Ricardo
10+ Event Logs - Molly Jennings

Be The Best You Can Be

Work hard and get noticed!

WHAT IS OUR READING IS POWER MANIFESTO?

- GROWTH** When we read good books, we find ourselves
- CHOICE** Children use our age (and our) books
- POWER** We read better, for a powerful tomorrow
- KNOWLEDGE** Books give us the knowledge to save our future

Our manifesto was created for young readers, by young readers. When does Reading Is Power mean to your students and school?

World Book Day

Changing lives through a love of books and shared reading.

World Book Day is a registered charity funded by publishers and booksellers in the UK & Ireland.

WHAT DOES READING IS POWER MEAN TO YOU?

- Form Group Quiz (Form Time)
- Individual Quiz (Teams)
- 'Opening Line Quiz' (Teams)
- Emoji Book Titles competition (Teams)
- Taboo(k)! (Insta)
- Recommended Read (English Lessons)
- Writing Workshops (Scholastic Live Events)

Form Tutors will have all of the information so make sure you check with them about deadlines and prizes!

Activity	Where?	When?
Form Group Quiz	Form Time	Deadline: Monday 8 th March
Individual Quiz	Teams	Deadline: Monday 8 th March
Opening Line Quiz	Teams	Deadline: Monday 8 th March
Emoji Book Titles	Teams	Deadline: Monday 8 th March
Taboo(k)!	Instagram Stories	Thursday 4 th March
Recommended Reads	English Lessons	Deadline: Monday 8 th March

Mr Whitehead's Recommendations!

For MFL, any good book in the language you are learning is always good. Or a dictionary (maybe that shows my age though! 😊)
 Charlie & the Chocolate Factory from when I was little but Weird Sisters by Terry Pratchett when I was a bit older – he wrote really funny books about 'fantasy' worlds that just happened to be really similar to our world.



Rhiannon's Reading Recommendations

📖📖 Week five 📖📖

Mrs Rutter's Recommendations!

I don't remember reading any full books in French or Spanish until I was in 6th-Form, so instead I am recommending two books which helped to inspire my love of languages. I had the Usborne "First Thousand Words in French" from Father Christmas when I was about 7 years old, and we were going on holiday to France the following year. I remember loving the sound of words in another language – it was like discovering a whole other world. I also loved finding the ducks on every page! For a story, I recommend the Asterix books. I remember this was the start of me enjoying clever use of language, puns, and recognising words from French that we have borrowed in English. It is also funny, and the stories are great.

As a child, my favourite books were the Famous Five series by Enid Blyton. However, I thought I'd recommend something a little less famous (excuse the pun) and I'm going for the Just William books by Richmal Crompton. My dad used to read them to me before I began reading them independently, and now I read them to my daughters. They are about the adventures of William Brown, a cheeky and scruffy schoolboy, and his friends Ginger, Henry and Douglas: 'The Outlaws', plus the awful Violet Elizabeth Bott. There are 39 books in the series and they are hilarious. There is one scene involving a parrot, which I still can't get all the way through without crying with laughter. I think you'd like them if you've enjoyed Horrid Henry or Charlie and the Chocolate Factory.

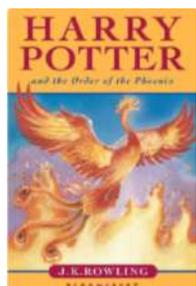


Miss Durrant's Recommendations!

A book I'd recommend for English would be 'Wuthering Heights' by Emily Bronte. It's the epitome of English literature. It has family drama, unrequited love, a creepy setting in the Yorkshire Moors and ghosts! Something for everyone really. It's so good it's even got a song named after it.

I'm a Harry Potter girl through and through. I got a copy of The Chamber of Secrets for my birthday when I was 8 – I was probably too young to read it because I had nightmares about the Basilisk for weeks afterwards. My favourite book in the series is The Prisoner of Azkaban; I used to love the thought of being an Animagus.

I think the best thing about Harry Potter is that you can relate to some of Harry's experiences growing up like: friendship, relationships and school but it's magical enough to be an escape from reality. I still love the books today and I'm currently reading them to my toddler. We are right in the middle of The Order of the Phoenix and he can barely manage a chapter before he falls asleep.



Emily Higginbottom Y8 would like to recommend a reading app that you can get on many devices. It is called **Wattpad** and is totally free. You can even write your own story and post it for others to read. There are many categories such as fan fiction and sci-fi. Emily is currently reading a book on and uses Wattpad everyday. She likes it because you can see how far along you have got. The best thing is it is **TOTALLY** free. I would love for many students to use this App and read any books they want at home.



Fairtrade Fortnight

Get involved!

Visit the Fairtrade Foundation website to learn about the amazing work being done under the Fairtrade logo all over the world.

Show what you have learnt about Fairtrade by writing an acrostic poem on the sheet provided.

Each line has to start with the letters which make up the word "Fairtrade" but it doesn't have to rhyme! It just has to tell us a little bit about what Fairtrade means!

Email your Fairtrade acrostic poem to Mrs Till by **Thursday 6th March**.

A winner will be selected from each year group on Friday 7th March and they will receive event logs and Fairtrade prizes!



As a FairActive School we have always held events to mark this but these obviously can't go ahead in their usual way this year.

Explore their website to find lots of activities you can do at home.

<https://schools.fairtrade.org.uk/teaching-resources/#page-1>

Or watch a video on Fairtrade

<https://schools.fairtrade.org.uk/teaching-resources/virtual-visit-from-a-fairtrade-speaker-9-minutes/>

National Careers Week



Newcastle College
February 24 at 11:28 AM

Calling all Year 11, just one week until the start of our NEW 'Virtual Taster' sessions!

Taking place throughout March, our 'Virtual Taster' sessions are available in loads of BTEC and A Level subject areas, and are a great opportunity to get to know the lecturers that will be teaching you, ask questions about the course and virtually meet others with similar interests.

Sign-up here

★ Vocational Tasters: bit.ly/3qqDTUp

🎨 Creative Arts Tasters: bit.ly/37hM5yO

📖 A Level Tasters: bit.ly/37i44Fl



www.nscg.ac.uk/newcastle-campus/events



Newcastle College
26 February at 13:30

Check out the The NSCG Apprenticeship Hub and Higher Horizons+ Apprenticeships, Preparing the Next Generation (Pre-16) virtual workshop on Monday 01 March, 4.30-5.30pm.

Hear all about the importance of GCSE's, CV Tips, lockdown learning skills and the importance of independent research. Get lots of information on Level 2 and 3 Apprenticeships and hear about the benefits of a Degree Apprenticeship.



Follow this link to access the event through Teams bit.ly/3uuxCcl



Not sure what career you would like?

Watch some interviews with Mr Whitehead and find out first hand what it is like to be a....



A. Gascoigne – Film Colourist: <https://youtu.be/Ut0KtrtzRul>

B. Wragg - Sports Lecturer: <https://youtu.be/AhCoiCzu5nA>

E. Wragg - Paramedic: <https://youtu.be/J79tmTrrci4>



THIS WEEK'S MFL

Blooket

CODES

[HTTPS://WWW.BLOOKET.COM/PLAY](https://www.blooket.com/play)

Year 7
El tiempo libre - 3545476

Year 8
La cultura de comida española - 4442287

Year 9
La tecnología - 6854567

Year 10
Là où j'habite - 8163330

Year 11
Los empleos - 6074620

THIS WEEK'S MFL

Kahoot!

CODES

[HTTPS://KAHOOT.IT](https://kahoot.it)

Year 7
Mi tiempo libre - 05413858

Year 8
Comida española - 08078162

Year 9
Spanish GCSE Theme 1 - 098971862

Year 10
Là où j'habite - 01938102

Year 11
Los empleos - jobs - 0981291

The Language Gym

Class (MFL)	Login
7 1x	8927A
7 1y	YN23W
7 2x	TN9NP
7 2y	K759E
7 3	8P9NS
7 4	GR686
8 1x	CS259
8 1y	B29KX
8 2x	VVH8B
8 2y	AV29K
8 3	N84YK
8 4	76587
8 5	3C9TN
9 1x	RT663
9 1y	8P XGH
9 2x	K2E2E
9 2y	N3Y9Q
9 3	VNM7A
9 4	WNNBR
9 5	PV7MU
10 1x	GL7CK
10 1y	P35AP
10 2x	PVK1E
10 2y	DT33D
10 3	LDA46
10 4	82AYG
11 1	4ZADL
11 2	DDFAC
11 3	UP7GQ
11 4	PAWZE
11 5	QW9NC
11 6	9LH89

Make sure that you are on the UK server and use your school email to access. Insert your class code if logging on for the first time.

Class (ITALIANO)	Login
Y9	XV1XT
Y10	X62ZY
Y11	8TUST

Students Return to school next week

	Test 1	Return date	Test 2	Test 3
Year 7	Mon 8th March	Tues 9th March	Fri 12th March	Tues 16th March
Year 11	Mon 8th March	Tues 9th March	Thurs 11th March	Mon 15th March
Year 8	Tues 9th March	Wed 10th March	Fri 12th March	Wed 17th March
Year 9	Wed 10th March	Thurs 11th March	Mon 15th March	Thurs 18th March
Year 10	Thurs 11th March	Fri 12th March	Tues 16th March	Fri 19th March

A letter has been sent home outlining the plans. If you have ANY questions please contact the school office.



Please send entries via the link below - good luck and may the best house win! **CLOSES MONDAY 29TH 3pm**

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=DZjmWw3xw0yN12K2EJOpZottzfnckjBgr2Wlib9QMCSUNjU4TTFZWTg0M0taOTNSWFWUOTIOMFZJMi4u&fbclid=IwAR00Rk1MmRok4SiYJtggN6SzdsIHutaJDCzd8F2mxlYjqp5NhOe_nzBw

Team Elgar: <https://youtu.be/iGpBg-nhWos>

Team Bannister: <https://youtu.be/s2XYLC2ObMY>

Team Newton: <https://youtu.be/VqgNP5HMfNw>

Team Shakespeare: <https://youtu.be/o6gatp55nPl>



Student	Year	Class(es)	Qs Answered
1 Jack Copeland	9	9/3 Maths	290
2 Aysha Yorukoglu	11	11/1 Maths	147
3 Chloeae Hood	9	9 2x	126
4 Libby Coomer	9	9 2x	126
5 Kian Wilshaw	9	9 2x	126
6 Emily Taylorcotam	9	9/5 Maths	116
7 Ella Duff	9	9 2x	113

175 students logged on this week
5779 questions were completed.

Year	Questions Correct %	Questions Attempted	Top Class
Year 6	You don't have any maths classes in this year		
Year 7	53.7%	268	7/1x
Year 8	62.4%	981	8/1x
Year 9	57.4%	2,390	9/1x and 9/3
Year 10	57.5%	1,022	10/1y
Year 11	71.5%	1,118	11/1
Whole School	60.8%	5,779	

CCSC Maths Kahoots!

What are fractions?
03024941
Rounding
09441314
Ordering
01218354
Vocabulary
038544

Enter your name and year to receive Event Logs if you are on the leaderboard!



Bannister Challenge

How fast can you run 1 mile?

Collage Challenge

Take a photograph of an object that represents the colour of your house

Dear Challenge

Create a 30 second performance inspired by a British musician

Newton Challenge

BUILD THE TALLEST TOWER THAT CAN SUPPORT AN APPLE

Shakespeare is famous for his interesting villains. Write a speech from a villain's perspective.

'JK Rowling is the new Shakespeare. We should study Harry Potter for our GCSE.'

Write a letter to the head of the exam board, arguing your view on the statement.

KAHOOT

05732712 B1.2 - DIGESTIVE ORGANS
0973788 B2.7 - CARBON CYCLE

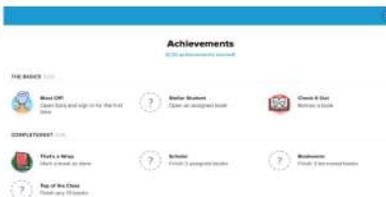
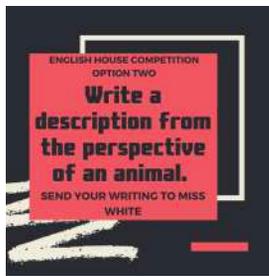
03158848 C1.5 EXO VS ENDO
05604194 C2.7 - FRACTIONAL DISTILLATION

04149879 P1.1 - ENERGY SOURCES
08890112 P2.7 EM SPEC

WEEK 23



Rhiannon's Sora Review



I have used this app for quite a while now and I really like it. I think that it is very useful. At the moment, I am learning about Macbeth in English at the moment so I borrowed the play script from Sora. I LOVE the features my favourite one is how you get achievements for reading the books.



Our digital library collection will be launched to you on World Book Day, more information will be available in the World Book Day assembly which will be shared during form time. Get to know Sora! A quick guide.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Lg9obXf37k8>



Sora
The student reading app
Get Sora and start reading today!
soraapp.com
Brought to you by your school, and built with by OverDrive



Fair trade, defined simply, is when producers in developing countries are paid a **fair** price for their work, by companies in developed countries.

www.worldbookday.com

National Bed Month, Fairtrade fortnight, 1st St David's, 3rd World Wildfire 4th World Book Day

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