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To be named by YOU!!

Week 7

Monday 12<sup>th</sup> October



Taken by Ethan Watkiss



Taken by Jessica Swan



## Attendance



With Mrs Francis



Y7 97%	JWI 100%
Y8 96.4%	AG 99%
Y9 95.9%	KDR 99.2%
Y10 95.6%	DG 98.1%
Y11 92.5%	MO 96.7%
Whole School.	95.5%

## Event Logs

Y7 – 1690 - JWI 311
Y8 – 1257 - AG 337
Y9 – 1668 - IR 345
Y10 – 701 - PY 158
Y11 – 608 - P 252



## Maths-Whizz®

Y7 have spent **160** hours online and made **519** levels of progress!

This weeks 'Maths Whizzer' is **Corey Elis (7SMC)**

who has 1014 usage minutes and made 32 levels of progress.

Amazing Work!

**165** students have completed questions this week.



Top Scientists are **Lillyann Green Y8** with 118 Questions and **Thomas Arnold Y8** achieving 92%

### Curry

Football  
Cake  
Beer  
Tea  
Flying  
Sea  
Dog  
Coke  
Blue  
Summer  
Early start

### Chinese

Rugby  
Pie  
Wine  
Coffee  
Driving  
Mountains  
Cat  
Pepsi  
Red  
Winter  
Late finish

## WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK....

### Y10 Mock Exams

Check your timetable online and ensure you revise the crucial knowledge.

### Astro open for students at lunch times

Y7 - Monday, Wednesdays & Thursday  
Y8 Mondays & Thursdays  
Y9 Tuesdays & Wednesdays  
Y10 Mondays & Fridays  
Y11 Mondays, Thursdays & Fridays

### Deadline for Competition

Don't forget submit names for the newsletter.

# HOY AWARDS

Y7

Corey Ellis- for his monumental efforts on Maths Whizz this week.

Zoe Kearsey-Smith - for her exceptional work in science and her mature and focused approach to silent work in all lessons.

Y8

Poppy Pearson for achieving an amazing 76 event logs since the start of term. Well done!

Luke Jones for a real improvement in behaviour and attitude (as well as always remembering to sanitise his hands in between lessons!)

Y9

Ella Lim for outstanding work in all lessons especially in Science.

George Royse for asking insightful questions in lesson that extend the learning of those around him.

Y10

Luke Cartwright for his weekly commitment towards running most mornings.

Skye Johnson for her amazing start to Y10 and achieving the most event logs.

Y11

Chanelle Ashmore for her super level of focus and hard work.

James Grant for having the right attitude to all aspects of school.

## Y9 Stars of the week

9MK - 220 – Daniel Jones  
9KDR - 229 – Ruby Haywood  
9AK - 291 – Jacob Mountford  
9EW - 316 – Finn Curtis  
9IR - 245 – Lucy Hitchen  
9AR - 206– Olivia Mollart  
9EF - 161– Maddison Cowie



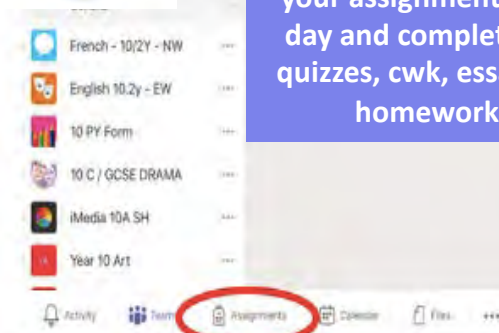
1<sup>st</sup> Member of the #100ELClub  
Well done Alicia Brearley 😊!!!

Very close.....

Y7 Sarah Watt & Lilly Morgan  
Y8 Preston Goodall & Poppy Pearson  
Y9 Alex Hughes & Ella Lim



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



## Star of the Week



7MC Marius Salter – 22 ELs  
8AG Alfie Sellers– 17 ELs  
9IR Alex Hughes– 29 ELs  
10KE Ashlei Cuthbertson – 14 ELs  
11P Matt Wade– 17 ELs



## Most improved

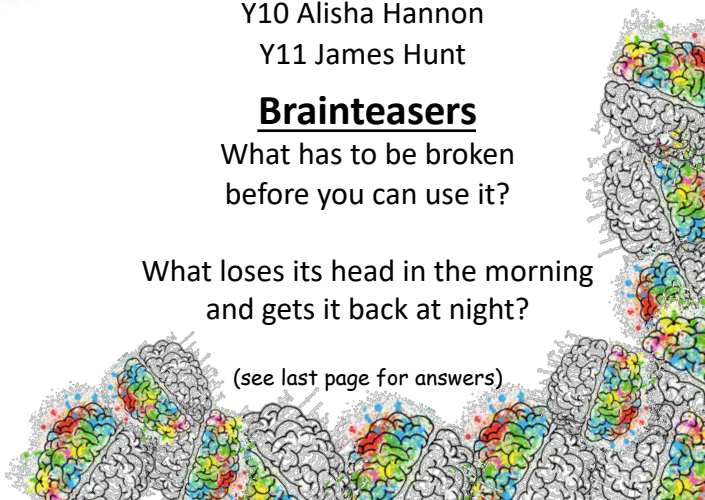
Y7 Macauley Edwards  
Y8 Leah Williams  
Y9 Amelia Jones  
Y10 Alisha Hannon  
Y11 James Hunt

## Brainteasers

What has to be broken before you can use it?

What loses its head in the morning and gets it back at night?

(see last page for answers)





# Word of the Week from Dictionary Dee



## Convivial



If you were describing an **atmosphere or event**, that happens to be **friendly, lively and enjoyable**, then this word is perfect!

### In Film Studies...

The party that Mr Gatsby throws in 'The Great Gatsby', might be described as **convivial**.



### In English Literature...

Fezziwig throws a

## convivial

party in stave 2 of 'A Christmas Carol' for his employees and people in the community.



Well done to all of those who took part in the lesson 6 quiz for European day of languages! Huge well done to

## Jess Bowen in Y10 and Ashley Macquire in Y9

For those who want to learn more about the European Day of Languages, visit the website below. <https://edl.ecml.at/>

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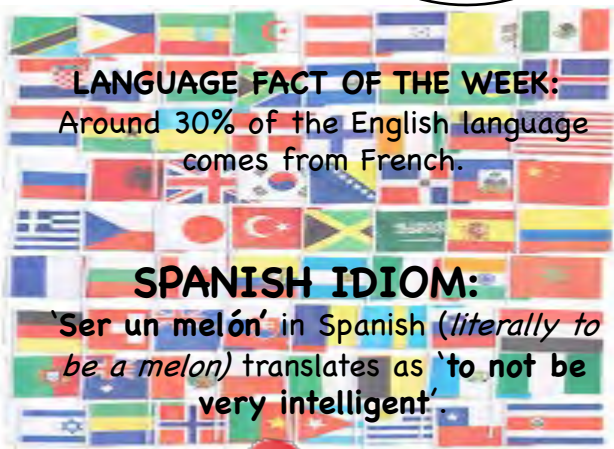
We were SO impressed with all of the entries! A big **BRAVO** to our winners!



Miss Wynters' star pupils

Keelan Jones & Faith Kershaw in 8/2Y

*"For always trying their best in class and making a fantastic start to Year 8."*



### Y10 Exams

Make sure you're using the crucial knowledge / vocab challenges in preparation for the exams – you will get these from your teachers.

### Revision guides for Y11s

If you want to purchase revision guide & practice books, we have some in MFL (£5 for both books – normally £12!!)





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- Offer reassurance
- Work together
- Spot the patterns
- Talk
- Talk about your own experiences
- Make a change
- Seek support

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# Ira Aldridge

1807-1867

Ira was the **first black** actor to play major Shakespearean parts.


















He won acclaim as Othello and for many other roles such as King Lear, Shylock, Macbeth and Hamlet. Ira was born in **New York**, 1807.

Ira arrived in the UK by 1825 and quickly started to find acting work. In 1863 he became a **British citizen**. He died whilst on tour in Poland in 1867.

Did you know the original 'Greatest Showman' in the UK was black. His name was **Pablo Fanque**



# Extra Curricular

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>Whole School</b>			KS3 MFL YouTube 	Book Club Teams Astronomy PF Teams 5-6pm KS4 MFL YouTube	Italian - Teams 
<b>Y7</b> 2:40-3:40				Drama Club KO Sports Hall in Nov 	
<b>Y8</b> 2:50-3:50			Drama Club KO Sports Hall in Nov 		RMS Leaders KO Lunch (P7) Room 21  Ukulele Club KDR Lunch (P7) Room 19 in Nov
<b>Y9</b> 3:00-4:00	GCSE PE PS Astro 		History LM Room 13 		Maths AR Room 9 
<b>Y10</b> 3:10-4:10		Science KE Room 34 		GCSE PE PS Astro 	
<b>Y11</b> 3:20-4:20	Art/Photography Room 2  	Maths Room 2  Food AO Room 16 	Health & Social Child Development BB Room 2 	Science KE Room 1 Food AO Room 16  	History LM Room 3 GCSE PE PS Astro  



## 'Laying down the Law'

### An interview with Mr Whitehead (senior)



#### Why did you become a lawyer?

At **university** I did a non-law degree and went to the Careers advisers to discuss options. They recommended the law on the basis of my interests.

#### What type of law did you do?

I started with **criminal law** advising and representing people in court, preparing cases for **barristers** to present in the Crown Court. Over the years I worked in:

- Personal injury
- Matrimonial (marriage & divorce)
- Probate (dealing with wills)
- Company & commercial property
- Housing and antisocial behaviour law.

#### What are the main types of lawyer?

- Solicitors** - work in legal practices or for big companies and do a wide variety of work
- Barristers** - work in 'chambers' and spent a lot of time in court with wigs & gowns
- Legal Executives** - legally qualified and can do some work independently
- Paralegals** - not always qualified but help out other lawyers

#### Any advice you'd give to an aspiring lawyer?

- Be prepared** for long hours and challenging work, the law is complex and often obscure
- You need a good understanding of **English** to clearly express concepts and thought
- You will be held to the highest possible standards of **behaviour and competence**
- Many clients come to you in great distress and you must be able to **empathise**
- Be aware that you **cannot fix** "everything" for clients.

#### What qualifications would you recommend?

- A good understanding of **English** is needed as you will need to **persuade** people of your argument.
- Skills that may be learned or improved by training in the **performing arts**, formally or via "Am Dram"
- A law **degree** is the usual but not only entry route. Consider the legal executive training courses or paralegal courses.
- Legal apprenticeships** now offer another route and often combine **business** skills with learning the law.





PE hoodies have arrived and have been given out in lesson. A new order will be placed after half term for those who didn't get one this time.



Mr Farr will be participating in trials for a vaccine for Covid-19.



Performed in collaboration with the UK Government's Vaccines Taskforce, the trial will investigate the safety, efficacy and immunogenicity of NVX-CoV2373. Novavax. He may trial the vaccine or he receive a placebo in these double blind phase three tests.

Chanel Baker Y9 made her debut for Kidsgrove Athletic Girls U14 this weekend. Not only did Chanel have a great game, she scored a goal and got 'Girl of the Game' in their 4-1 Victory. Huge Well Done Chanel!!



Brainteaser Answers

An egg

A pillow.

Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> October  
Anti - Slavery Day

Help free the UK from modern day slavery.

It is closer than you think.

[www.antislavery.org](http://www.antislavery.org)

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](mailto:kedwards@ccsc.staffs.sch.uk)