

# Be The Best You Can Be

## With CCSC



Week 12

Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2020

Taken by Molly Philpott 10KE



Taken by Dom Jackson 11P



Taken by Leo Smith 10PS



### Attendance



With Miss Lowe

<u>Curry</u>	Chinese
<u>Football</u>	Rugby
<u>Cake</u>	Pie
<u>Beer</u>	Wine
<u>Tea</u>	Coffee
<u>Snow</u>	Sand
Wind	<u>Rain</u>
<u>Dog</u>	Cat
<u>Coke</u>	Pepsi
<u>Loud</u>	Quiet
<u>Summer</u>	Winter
French	<u>Spanish</u>



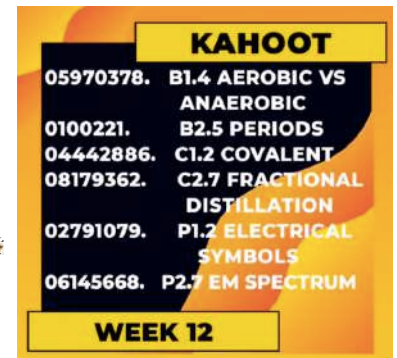
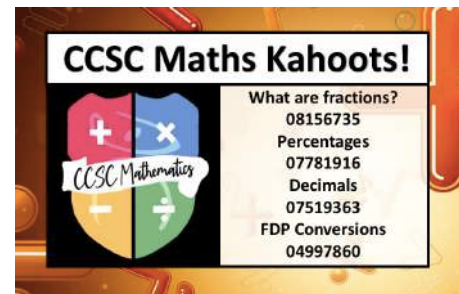
Y7 98.6% ↓	<u>ND 100%</u>
Y8 97.5% ↑	<u>KW 100%</u>
Y9 93.5% ↑	IR 97.8%
Y10 N/A	
Y11 94.5% ↓	<u>AW 100%</u>
Whole School.	96.8% ↑

### Event Logs

Y7-843 ↑ - MC 164
Y8-1308 ↑ - LE 218
Y9-1757 ↑ - EF 281
Y10-560 ↑ - DS 120
Y11-204 ↑ - P 58



Enter the Science & Maths Kahoot pins below to compete against your friends and test yourself on the **CRUCIAL KNOWLEDGE**. Make the leader board by the end of the week to receive event logs.



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

#### Y11 Mock Exams

Check your Y11 Teams page for your timetable and seating plans. Remember to try your best, read the question CAREFULLY and check your answers TWICE!!!

#### Y8 & Y10 Return

You MUST remember your masks and wear them in the corridors at ALL times!

#### Y7 Isolate

Don't forget to follow your normal timetable and use teams to join your live lessons.

#### Y10 Parents Evening

Thursday your teachers will be calling home via phone or teams. Don't forget to book your appointments.

# HOY AWARDS

## Y7

## Y8

## Y9

## Y10

## Y11

Sadie Huxley 7MC whilst isolating, Sadie produced a huge amount of work independently which she should be immensely proud of.

Cain Meadon 7MC excellent work across all subjects this week and amazing effort in Maths Whizz and Art.

Jessica Brook 8SE and Logan Smith 8SE. For consistently going above and beyond during the two-week isolation period. I am very proud of the mature and responsible attitude they have demonstrated during this difficult time. Well done!

Jessica Colledge 9AK For taking the time to explain to me how the game 'among us' works.

Kian Wilshaw 9KDR For always being hardworking, polite and a genuine delight.

Grace Lockett 9EW  
Blake Braxton-Meakin 9MK  
Maryam Chowdhury 9IR  
Keira Aldridge 9EF  
Madison Elliot 9KDR  
Maisy Baker-George 9AK  
Joel Hodgkiss 9AR

Olivia Swift 10DS Demonstrating an excellent commitment to her learning during the Year 10 isolation period.

Kayden Jones 10PY Fantastic engagement in live lessons this week.

Lauren Tomkinson 11P for always aiming high!

Ethan Whittaker 11AW For working well and being focused this week.



### New members of the #100ELClub Well done to all 😊!!!

Y7 Lottie P, Lilly-Mo M, Eleanor C, Cain M Casey C, Leron D, Tilly P-L, Olivia P,  
Y8 Grace S, Eli G, Bailey Z, Paige V, Brianna H, Brad B, Afreen A, Mckayla W, Charlie J  
Y9 Emily T, Leon T, Nico R, Jasmine G, Rosie H, Ethan M, Richard O, Bartosz K, Beth J, Ethan P, Madison E, Hannah C, Emily T, Eve S  
Y10 Issac F



### Star of the Week

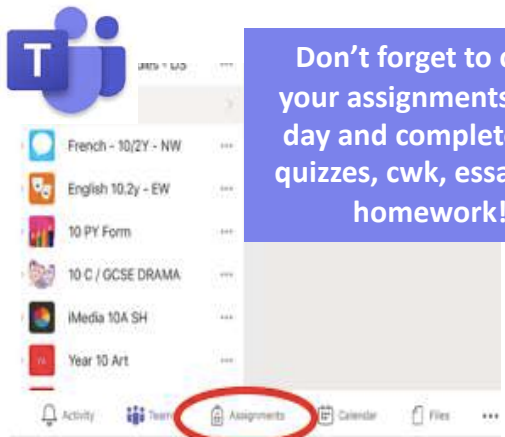


7MC Cain Meadon – 22 ELs  
8SE Alfie Poole– 23 ELs  
9EF Keira Aldridge– 29 ELs  
10PS Lexxie Ingram – 19 ELs  
11AW Kasey Tidyman– 5 ELs



### Most improved

11NW Ocean Bromage-Pepper  
9EF Harry Murinas,  
7MC Makayla Heeland,

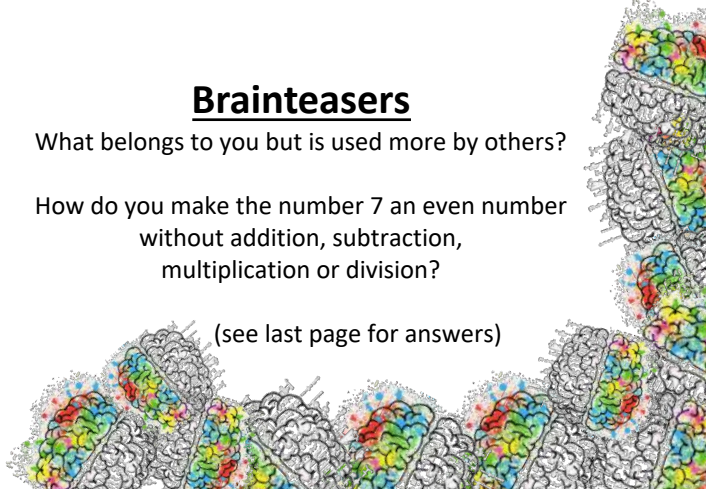


Don't forget to check your assignments every day and complete your quizzes, cwk, essays and homework!!

### Brainteasers

What belongs to you but is used more by others?  
How do you make the number 7 an even number without addition, subtraction, multiplication or division?

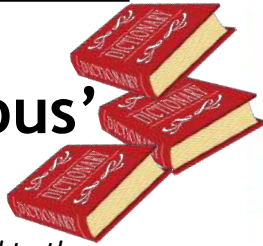
(see last page for answers)



# Word of the Week from Dictionary Dee



## 'extraneous'



adjective

1. irrelevant or unrelated to the subject being dealt with;
2. of external origin.

In CRUCIAL KNOWLEDGE lessons...

It is important not to learn

## extraneous

information during Mr Swindell's recap weeks.



In Film Studies...

The sound in the opening scene was categorised as non-diegetic because it was



clearly from an **extraneous** source.

## English Special Mentions

**AP:** Jack Aubrey Y9. Great contribution in lessons throughout the week.

**KDR:** Shyanne Woodings for having such a mature attitude towards her upcoming exams and generally just being cute!

**KM:** Anya Kozlowski for continuing to apply herself fully whilst working from home!

**EW:** Charlie Rodgers has made a fantastic start in our English group, working really hard and producing brilliant work.

**DS:** Kelis Ricardo for her amazing 'A Christmas Carol' essay

**DS:** Skye Johnson for her fantastic mock exam! 1 mark off 100%

**KW:** Phoebe Keegans (8/3) has been working hard consistently during home learning and can always be counted upon to share her wonderful ideas in class.

Word of the week:  
'Good luck!'

Spanish: ¡Suerte!

French: Bonne chance!

Italian: In bocca al lupo!

German: Viel Glück

Mrs Rutter's  
star pupils

8/4 Spanish who were absolutely fantastic with their virtual isolation over lockdown."

A big shout out to these pupils in particular:

Eli G, Ocean H, Finnley H,  
Ellie Mae S, Daniel A,  
Liam W, Grace S  
Cameron S  
**BRAVO!**



**Welcome back** to Year 8! And to Year 10! Some of you have been working really hard in isolation and the MFL Team have **enjoyed teaching you online.**

**Good luck to Year 11** who start their mock exams this week. Not only have they received their **Revision Guides**, but also a very useful work booklet to help with their revision. **Please speak** with your MFL teacher if you have any **difficulties or worries.**



We are going to start selling the \*amazing\* CGP Revision Cards to **KS4** students over the next few weeks. They will cost £5.40. Please register your interest with your MFL teacher. They will be on **Parentpay** shortly.





## Q&A Jeze Statham (Mr Farris Besty) Policeman, Firearms officer & Close Protection Officer

### What was your first ever job?

Police Officer-Metropolitan Police-joined the **Met cadets at 18** and moved to the Full Police at 19 (cadets no longer exist as an entry route-Most forces have **volunteer cadets**). I had done some temporary jobs at Wedgwoods during school holidays but joined the Police cadets on completing **A Levels at 18**.

### What is your current job title?

I have just retired as **Police Constable** on the response teams at Hanley-Staffs Police. I have been with Staffs Police for last few years having spent all my **career and life in London**.

### Which did you prefer The Metropolitan Police or Staffs?

Both very different and enjoyed **both-hand on heart though the Met**-It has given me a fantastic career in a fantastic city (I love London) and I have met some great people over the years.



### What roles can you specialise in in the police?

There are numerous roles. You have to do a 2 year probationary period-although it slightly varies from force to force after that you can specialise in things such as -**Dogs, Firearms, CID, Public Order, Major investigation teams, Mounted branch, Diving, River Police, child protection, Traffic and many many more**.



### What roles have you had?

I started like everyone on a **response shift** at a busy central London area. I moved on to **Public Order** roles where I loved the work and you had to be **physically fit** before moving to a **Firearms role**. I spent many years on the firearms teams and then became a firearms and Close Protection instructor where **I taught people to shoot and the tactics** involved in both roles.

### What would your average day be like?

There isn't an average day, **every day is different** and every role is different. You never know what to expect and that is why I have enjoyed policing so much-you should **never have any expectations other than EVERYONE TRIES THEIR BEST**.

### What's the best thing about your job?

Being able to **make a difference** to a situation and feeling that you have actually helped and even sometimes **save their lives**

### What has been your most enjoyable role and why?

All the roles involved with my **firearms**. Dealing with firearms incidents does make you feel as though you have made a real difference-Yes I have been involved in some **high profile incidents** of which I am very proud and wouldn't have been able to have that experience without a career in the Police.

**The Olympics** was very special in London.

I was a Close Protection officer at the time providing protection to **UK based and overseas royals and foreign leaders**. I love my sport and was lucky enough to see most of the Olympic events whilst providing this protection. **A once in a lifetime opportunity (literally)**.



### What's the worst thing about your job?

Sometimes no matter how hard you try then you cannot help or make a difference- **it is the fact that you TRY YOUR BEST AND GIVE 100% EVERY TIME**

**100%**

### Is your job satisfying?

Yes, it is very different now to when I joined but the principles remain the same in that **you want to help people**. I wouldn't change a thing, its like anything in life, **you get out of it what you put into it**.

### What other jobs have you done?

**Delivered papers** as soon as I was old enough. I always wanted to have my own money. I worked as a seasonal **labourer** on the Wedgwood estate during school **summer holidays**. I now have a business as an **Endurance sports coach** (specializing in Triathlon) which is part time and runs along side my other jobs. I coach and **train adults to compete in Triathlons** and am **Junior coach at Newcastle (Staffs) Triathlon club**.



If you could choose another career, what would it be? **A Professional golfer**. I love sport and love travel. I was good at golf as a junior and so this would have been a **dream career**.

### What were you best at when you were at school?

**P.E.** I tried every sport going and I think PE helps you problem solve. I was also good at English, Geography and History. I was lucky in that I had some **excellent and inspiring teachers**. (Marshlands High School at the time, Wolstanton High Now, although I believe it has changed its name again). I enjoyed **Maths but it didn't come easy**, I managed a pass with the help of some great teachers.

### What course options would you recommend for someone to get into that role?

The entry requirements often change depending on demand and where policing sits politically. You often have to **sit an entrance exam which tests Maths and English**. No matter how the entry requirements change Maths and English appear to be consistent.

### What three attributes would someone need to be a Police Officer?

(Lots LOL) Determination, Patience and resilience (**A sense of humour is a must**).



Following a couple of sleepless nights, lovely **Lola** decided to finally put on the 'big show'. **Eight hours** later, the little furry superstar had given birth to four gorgeous girls and five beautiful boys- **nine perfect puppies** in total!



The puppies are very squeaky but extremely cute, and they are keeping Lola very busy. Pups are born **unable to see or hear**, and their eyes remain tightly shut until they are 10 days old. They are reliant on Lola for all their needs: still **unable to regulate body temperature**, they seek out their mum in order to stay warm. They also have a hot water bottle in there to keep them **nice and cosy too**, along with a heat lamp positioned over their bed.



## Maths Challenge



If you don't like algebra you can solve by trial and improvement.



**Alf is currently fifteen years older than Bernie, in 10 years' time Alf will be twice as old as Bernie, how old are Alf and Bernie now?**

Pick an age for ALF, try the adding 10 and doubling and see how close you are, change your guesses if it doesn't work out and try again.

Answer on last page. Don't forget to show your maths teacher in class or email how you worked it out for event logs.

Miss Meakin would like to give a **BIG THANK YOU** to all mentors and mentees who have taken part. It is going great and new badges have been handed out!!



A **huge well done** to our new mentees Ronnie Barry, Logan Smith, Elijah Clowes and new Mentors Ben Davenport and Archie Brownsword.

## Mr Youngs Logo Quiz

See last page for answers



**Were YOU the best you could be last week?**



**See if you can find your name.**

**Y7**

<https://www.online-stopwatch.com/random-name-pickers/the-wall/?r=M2I4KInIhb>

**Y8**

<https://www.online-stopwatch.com/random-name-pickers/the-wall/?r=YR5JSInIhb>

**Y9**

<https://www.online-stopwatch.com/random-name-pickers/the-wall/?r=MbbPZInIhb>

**Y10**

<https://www.online-stopwatch.com/random-name-pickers/the-wall/?r=ofBxgmnIhb>

**Y11**

<https://www.online-stopwatch.com/random-name-pickers/the-wall/?r=wteemmnIhb>



	<u>Zero CL's</u>	<u>Weekly Lucky Dip Winner</u>	
Y7	153 (90%)	<b>Mullen Luca</b>	7SR
Y8	148 (78%)	<b>Sawyer Luke</b>	8KW
Y9	132 (67%)	<b>Woodward Riley</b>	9AK
Y10	159 (97%)	<b>Parton Grace</b>	10KE
Y11	122 (85%)	<b>Locock Ryan</b>	11P
Total	672 (83%)		



# Crucial Knowledge



# Uniform & Lates

As year 11 mock exams start this week it is important that ALL students know, remember and understand the crucial knowledge for their exams.

Don't forget to wear FULL correct uniform for school, this includes NO HOODIES except PE school hoodies on PE days.

This can be all found on our website and used for revision.  
<https://www.ccsc.staffs.sch.uk/index.php/2013-09-25-09-25-35/all-files/crucial-knowledge>

Detentions are after school on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

Any genuine reasons for incorrect uniform your parents need to contact the office on **01782 568350**

# BLACK FRIDAY

Or

# Buy Nothing & give to charity Day

## YOU ALREADY HAVE SO MANY REASONS TO BE HAPPY

If you have **FOOD** in your fridge, **CLOTHES** on your body, a **ROOF** over your head, and a place to sleep, **YOU'RE RICHER THAN 75% OF THE ENTIRE WORLD.**

If you are **ALIVE** today and **HEALTHY**, you are more blessed than the **MILLIONS** of people who will not **SURVIVE THIS WEEK AND DIE.**

If you have **MONEY** in your wallet and can go **ANYWHERE** you want to, you are among **18% OF THE WORLDS MOST WEALTHY PEOPLE.**

If you can actually **READ, HEAR AND UNDERSTAND** this message, you are more fortunate than the **3 BILLION** people in the world who are blind, deaf or illiterate.



England captain Harry Kane has scored for England on every day of the week, except a Wednesday!



**Answers**  
**Maths Challenge**  
Alf = 20 years  
Bernie = 20 - 15 = 5 years

**Brainteasers**  
Your name  
Drop the 'S'  
**Mr Youngs Logo quiz**

1. Android
2. DreamWorks
3. Nike
4. Apple
5. Jelly Belly
6. Beans
7. Mazda
8. Arsenal FC
9. St Tropez



All Photos taken by Rhiannon Kearns  
9AK

## National Tree Week Friday 27<sup>th</sup> Buy Nothing Day

- <https://www.bbc.com/future/article/20190911-what-would-happen-if-all-the-worlds-trees-disappeared>
- <https://treecouncil.org.uk/take-action/seasonal-campaigns/national-tree-week/>
- <http://www.buynothingday.co.uk>

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