

Be The Best You Can Be

With CCSC



Week 38

Monday 10th July 2023



**With Mrs Allen
(English & HOY 10)**

Year	Event logs	Conduct logs	Best pupil with most ELs	Best Form
Y7	191 ↓	62 ↓	Griffiths, Ned 7LH (7)	7LH 39 ↓
Y8	169 ↓	42 ↓	Moran, Holly 8YM (13)	8YM 45 ↓
Y9	132 ↓	89 ↓	Wragg, Daniel 9CK (6)	9GF 31 ↓
Y10	72 ↓	87 ↓	Brian, Abigail 10AG (3)	10HM 17 ↓
Y11				
Total	Event Logs = 564 ↓ 84%		Conduct Logs = 280 ↓ 61%	

	Zero Conduct Logs	100% Attendance	Attendance	Best form Attendance
Y7	139 (80%) ↑	130 (75%)=	93.1% ↑	7LH 98.6% ↑
Y8	132 (78%) ↑	122 (72%)↑	90% ↑	8MO 94.3% ↑
Y9	128 (76%) ↑	114 (69%)↑	89% ↓	9GF 95.9% ↑
Y10	130 (72%) ↑	115 (64%)↑	86.4% ↓	10HM 95.9% ↑
Y11				
Total	529 (14%) ↑	481 (70%)↑	89.6% ↓	

Film	Beauty & The Beast
Place	The Lake District
Team	Stoke City (If I have to choose a Team)
Chocolate	Fruit & Nut
Song	She Will Be Loved - Maroon 5
Book	The Illustrated Mum' by Jacqueline Wilson
Colour	Gold

What's on this week / Reminders

New
Timetable
Begins

All years move up a year on Monday.

Vaccines

Tuesday 11th

Year 6 Opening
Evening

Wednesday 12th
6pm Meet your teachers

Year 11 Public
Health Talk

Wednesday 12th
P5 & P6

National
Justice
Museum

Friday 7th
(Y9 & Y10)

HOY AWARDS

Y7

Marcin Orczykowski 7NC
& Chloe Watts 7AHP

Winning boy/girl in the Quad kids athletics competition. Well done!

Y8

Jack Sadler 8NW
For making huge improvements. Keep this up Jack!

Sonny Wilshaw 8LEH
Outstanding end to the week. Well done Sonny!

Y9

Ellie Hawley 9AP
For making better choices and showing a brilliantly mature side to her! Well done, Ellie. Keep this up.

Harry Wilshaw 9JST
For a consistent conscientious working approach and for endeavouring to be the best that he can be!

Y10

Thomas Hemmings 10LTA & Theo Bacciochi 10HB
For exceptional behaviour and conduct on our recent trip to NULC as well as winning the award in their chosen activity!

Rhianne Morgan 10KW
For always being positive, hard-working and dedicated, even when times are tough. I'm so proud of you.



Lucky Dip Winners 10th July



Zero Conduct Log Winners

Y7 Chapman, Leah 7SWL
Y8 Richards, Joab 8IR
Y9 Pye, Olivia 9JST
Y10 Rutter, Holly 10KW

Outstanding Work

Picked this week Miss Edwards
Johnson, Leah 8LEH Geog
Event Log Plus
Clarke, Lexi 10PF
100% Attendance
Drage, Aaron 7NC

Be The Best You Can Be
Work hard and get noticed!

Pick your Prize

- £5 Voucher
- £5 off a trip, CLW or Prom
- Free break food for a week
- Front of queue pass

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Please email Miss Edwards kedwards@ccsc.staff.sch.uk
With your choice of prizes from above.



Event Log Plus

Look who made a **BIG** impression this week! It hasn't gone unnoticed and we couldn't be more proud of you!

SELF-BELIEF & **HARD WORK** WILL ALWAYS EARN YOU **SUCCESS**



Eardley, Ryan	Austin-Ryles, Daniel	Allan, Megan	Barber, Maisie
Sherratt, Olivia	Buxton, Daisy-Boo	Eardley, Lucas	Brookes, Elisha
Tench, Amelia	Hobson, Ellenor	Everill, Teejay	Clarke, Lexi
Washington, Swayze	LIM, Stephy	Hammond, Charlotte	Docherty, Deon
Wilshaw, Sonny	Middleton, Jenson	Heinsohn, Jessica	Edwards, Page
Tench, Oliver	Petrillo, Logan	Kearsey-Smith, Zoe	Goode, Esmie
Webb, Shanel	Richards, Joab	Macavei, Medeea	Hill, Tiegan
	Sadler, Jack	Mountford, Erin	Palmer, Lacey
	Sturge, Freya	Taylor-Cottam, Lucy	Taylor-Jones, Heidi



Outstanding Work

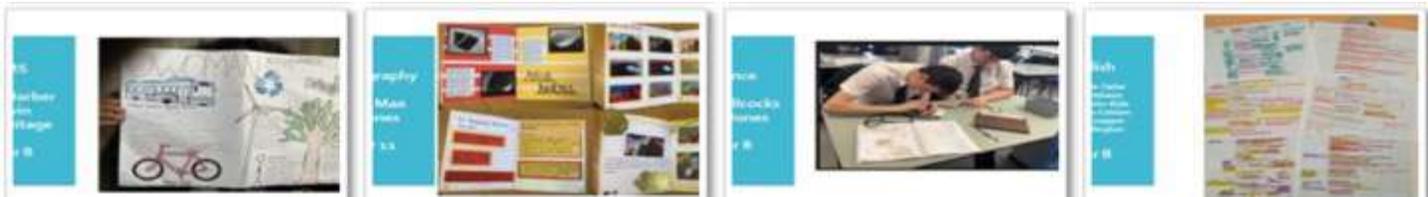


A HUGE well done to all the pupils featured in this week's 'Outstanding Work'! We love seeing this each week..... Check it all out using the link

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



Y10(1Y) SPANISH **HARLEY ROBERTS**
90 WORD QUESTION - APPLICATION



What has been happening?

Prom 2023: an amazing night for an incredible year group. It was a beautiful evening to say a final goodbye to the wonderful pupils. We will miss you all!



Sports Day 2023
Simply the best day of the year
and even better with perfect
weather.



Shrek



CLW 2023



CLW 2023



Year 7 Feedback from
Mental Health
Awareness Week

After School Clubs & Extra-Curriculum

catch catch fire!

CCSC Pokémon Card Club

Do you wanna be the very best,
Like no one ever was?

- Play (Learn)
- Trade & Build
- Compete!!!

POKÉMON TRADING CARD GAME

POKÉMON ACADEMY

Wed, Room 20, 3:05-4

Love reading? Love discussing books? Love finding new and interesting books to read? Then join....

Book Club

Monday after school in the Library.
Ask Dawn or Miss Durrant for details!
All years welcome ☺

GARDEN CLUB

We have been tidying up the flower beds at the front of school, and it's starting to look really good again. Come and join us on Wednesdays after school – meet in the workshop at 3.15.



After School Clubs are for all years and are always free and fun.

Come along and try something new :)

CCSC Performing Arts Presents

EVERY TUESDAY AFTER SCHOOL

Chorus Line

A new vocal ensemble open to all students working on anything from Andrew Lloyd Weber to Avril Lavigne

Room 31 - The Music Room

FILM CLUB

Back in September

Tuesdays 3:15pm-4:00pm
PLACE: Library 1

Follow us

Can your work make any stories?

Complete Independent Learning Tasks #ILT

Never feel embarrassed about asking for help

- ccscstaffs
- ccsc_maths
- ccsc_english
- ccsc_science
- ccsc_art
- ccsc_music
- ccsc_history
- ccsc_geog_dept
- ccsc_art_and_photography
- ccsc_health_and_social
- ccsc_child_development
- ccsc_theology
- ccsc_pe
- ccsc_drama
- ccsc_technology
- ccsc_rms

Do you like being creative? Do you like sharing your ideas?
Most importantly, do you like writing?

Join

WRITING CLUB

Wednesdays Lesson 8
Years 7-9
Room 7
Bring your lunch

COME AND JOIN US!

LESSON X

"Be the best you can be"

Get involved every Tuesday after school till 4pm and try something different!

Lesson X

Extra Curricular

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<u>Y7/Y8 Lunch</u> Period 8 12:35			Writing Club Room 7 Peer Mentoring Room 11		
<u>Y9/Y10/Y11 Lunch</u> Period 9 1:05					Peer Mentoring Room 11
<u>After School</u> 3:05 - 4	Book Club - Library	Chorus Line - Music Room 31 Film Club Library 1 Film Club back in September Warhammer Painting Room 20	History Club Room 24 / Workshop Zumba Dance Studio Drama Club Room 34 Gardening Club Room Workshop Pokemon Club Room 20	School of Rock - Music Room 31 STEM Club - Room 22	

Updated

Boosters

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
3:05 – 4pm	Photography KS4 Room 17 Drama Room 34 Music KS4 Room 31	iMedia & D&T Workshop Religious Studies Room 34 Science Room 22 Y11 Health & Social Exam Booster Room 27	English Literature Room 8 & 9 English Language Library 2 & Room 6 Music Y10 Y11 Room 31 German Room 33 iMedia & D&T Workshop Y11 Child Development Exam Booster Room 27 Y10 Child Development & Health & Social Coursework Drop-In Room 27	English Literature Poetry Room 5 & 7 Maths (F) Room 11 (H) Room 14 Spanish Room 1/2/3 French Room 3 iMedia & D&T Workshop Business C/W Room 26	Italian Room 33 History Room 24
Subject & Room					

Boosters

Tuesday
Yr 10 coursework drop in for Health and Social and Child Development. Rm 27

Wednesday
Yr 10 coursework drop in for Health and Social and Child Development Rm 7

3:05pm - 4:00pm
Timetable from January to February Half Term



2022-2023 Summer Term. PE Extra Curricular Timetable.

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Year 7, 8 & 9 Lunchtime	Astro	Astro	Astro	Astro	Astro
Year 10 & 11 Lunchtime	Astro	Astro	Astro	Astro	Astro
After School (3:05-4:00pm)	Staff Meeting Night	Athletics (Year 7 & 8) – LEH & GF	Zumba (All Years) – NC Football Training (Year 10) – LEH & PS	Football Fixtures (Year 10) – LEH & PS	

Updated



24. Balance a Card on a Cup

Prep:

Ask someone to balance a playing card on the edge of a cup while holding a coin. No matter how many times they try it will never happen.

How to do it:

Fill the cup with water close to top of the cup without having the water spill out. Place the card on the edge of the cup. Using the water tension, you can now place the coin on the card without both objects falling on the table!

**Magic
With Mr
Young**



We have been studying 'The instruments of the Orchestra' this half term.

Have you liked what you have heard?



There are spaces available to learn a variety of instruments with us at CCSC, starting as soon as after the Easter holiday.

The Woodwind Family: you can learn recorder - flute - oboe - clarinet - saxophone - bassoon (Maybe look them up and listen to their sounds if you don't know what some of them are!)



The brass Family: trumpet, trombone, French horn and tuba.



The string family: Violin, viola, cello Double bass.

Percussion family: anything you hit – from djembes to the drum kit.



Don't forget the **piano and the voice.**

Children would be expected to sign up for at least the remainder of the year and can continue lessons while at CCSC. The cost is heavily subsidised by school and as a general rule much cheaper than private lessons. Lessons are weekly in term time with practice required between lessons.

Instruments are available to hire for free, there may be some cost for reeds and tutor books.

Anybody can learn and playing a musical instrument is proven to help all learning. As a colleague once said - you never find a stupid musician!

Come and learn a new skill....maybe grab a friend to come and learn too.



BE ON TIME FOR SCHOOL

**8:20am – Arrive to school
– Go to your form room**

**8:30am – You are in your form room
– School gates close**

Pupils should be in their form room **before 8:30am** each day.



Independent Learning Sessions

How should I use my time?

Learn/test your Crucial Knowledge

- Pick a subject, then use the Crucial Knowledge resources to test yourself and learn anything you don't know
- You can find all the resources here:

<https://www.ccsc.staffs.sch.uk/index.php/2013-09-25-09-25-35/all-files/crucial-knowledge>

Complete all your Crucial Knowledge quizzes

- Work through all set Assignments in Teams
- Work through Educake, Kahoot, etc. quizzes set by your teachers

Make a 'to-do list'

- In OneNote (top of the page)
- Using 'Notes' on your iPad
- Or just on paper!

Read a book

- Improving your reading skills will help you in all subjects
- Find lots of books on the Sora app

Work through extra subject resources

- Go to your Teams classes
- Work through the extra resources that your teacher has put in your class Teams
- These resources will help to extend your subject knowledge

Organise/tidy your notes

- Organise and tidy up work in your OneNote notebooks
- Group pages together so your notes are in order
- Turn pages into subgroups so that topics are together

Make corrections and improvements

- Look at teacher comments in your exercise books or Class Notebooks
- See how you can improve previous work and have another go at it
- Look at any quizzes that your teachers have returned. Make notes on anything you got wrong and learn

Independent online revision

- All subjects: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize>
- All subjects: <https://quizlet.com/en-gb>
- All subjects: www.educake.co.uk
- All subjects: Kahoot! (For Science, search keccscb1, keccsc1, etc.)
- All subjects: <https://senecalarning.com/en-GB/>
- MFL: <https://www.language-gym.com>
- Maths: <https://www.onmaths.com>

Complete classwork & coursework

- Complete any work in your OneNote notebooks, exercise books, folders, OneDrive, etc.

Complete exam questions/papers

- Check the exam board with each of your subjects, then search for past exam papers and mark schemes

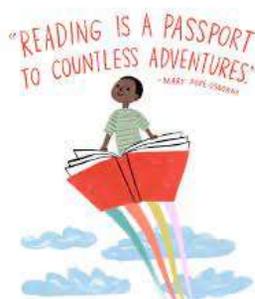
Crucial Knowledge (all subjects):
<https://www.ccsc.staffs.sch.uk/index.php/2013-09-25-09-25-35/all-files/crucial-knowledge>

Curriculum Intent Documents:
<https://www.ccsc.staffs.sch.uk/index.php/information/curriculum-and-qualifications>

CCSC Parent Information Video:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3I88V5qNVDk>

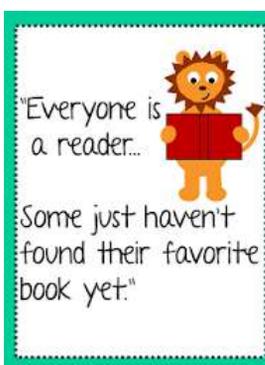
isams Information Video:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VEiolb-YHH4>

Careers & Post-16:
<https://www.ccsc.staffs.sch.uk/index.php/information/careers-post-16>



READING

is to the
MIND
what
exercise
is to the **BODY.**



English Department

The June 2023 writing competition was judged by Alex Foulkes,

author of *Rules for Vampires*. I've attached all the entries and their personalised feedback from Alex, who had the following to say about out school: *What amazingly talented writers you have at CCSC. I'm always blown away by the raw talent and creativity of student writers. Special mentions go out to... well, actually every single entry. Enormously inspiring and wonderful reads. I absolutely loved them and they have been the highlight of this past weekend, curled up with a cup of tea and a shiver down my spine! Well done, everyone. You are absolutely brilliant.*

First place: Phoebe O'Donnell
Second place: Pippa Barlow
Third place: Darcy Taylor

JUNE WRITING CLUB COMPETITION

INSPIRED BY THE ALEX FOULKES VISIT, THIS COMPETITION INVITES YOU TO WRITE A GOTHIC STORY. IT DOESN'T HAVE TO BE A FULL STORY. IT CAN BE THE BEGINNING, END OR MIDDLE OF THE STORY. JUST AS LONG AS IT'S IMAGINATIVE AND SPOOKY!

For Example:

Death surrounded me. I was found in a graveyard, the air thick with an impenetrable fog. My eyes darted back and forth, the thick fog had appeared out of nowhere. I'd only come to visit my parents; it was their deathday and I'd thought of bringing some flowers. Flowers were nice. They represented beauty and love.

All of which I'd lost.

The orphanage didn't care about me. I'm not sure if anyone does. I'm alone. But not here. Here is when I feel the least alone. I'm surrounded with the memories of those that I loved. And I cherish them memories.

"Crack"

A sudden sound snapped me out of my self swallowing. I raised my hands in self defence, my heart beating quicker by the second.

There was another rattle.

Then the sound of footsteps.

"Clack"

"Clack"

They stopped.

I squinted, a faint green glow emerging from the fog.

And from that glow materialised my parents.

EMAIL ALL ENTRIES TO MISS FERRARI BY JUNE THE 30TH
THE JUDGE WILL BE ALEX FOULKES HERSELF! AND THE PRIZE: A SIGNED COPY OF HER BOOK, RULES FOR VAMPIRES!

MFL Department

Miss Moscati's Star of the Week
Deon Docherty – for trying really hard in Spanish and completing all work to a very high standard.

Mr Whitehead's Star of the Week
Elisha Brookes (10/4) for working so hard in lessons.

Mrs Knight's Star of the Week
Marius Salter and Lucas Eardley for their excellent work ethic and ongoing efforts in Spanish lessons.

Mrs Orton's Star of the Week
Lucy Taylor Cottam for being amazing in lessons and working really hard. Keep up the good work!

Mrs Rutter's Star of the Week
Miley Gerrard for working incredibly hard in every Spanish lesson

Miss Oviedo's Star of the Week
Ruqayah Sardar for excellent independent learning and outstanding behaviour during my lesson.

MFL Crucial Knowledge phrase of the week

Spanish

Fui a una fiesta y bailé con mis amigos
{I went to a party and I danced with my friends}

French

Je ne regarde jamais la télé-réalité
{I never watch reality tv}

Italian

Durante l'estate andrò alla spiaggia
{during the summer I'll go to the beach}

German

Meine Lieblingsjahreszeit ist Sommer,
weil es sonnig ist
{my favourite season is summer because it's sunny}

Science Department

KAHOOT

0033103
B7 Water Cycle

009769117
C8 Gas Tests

00640664
P7 Electromagnet

WEEK 35

KAHOOT

0051743356
B1 Food Tests

001348543
C9 Greenhouse Effect

005010699
P1 Energy

WEEK 37

Educake

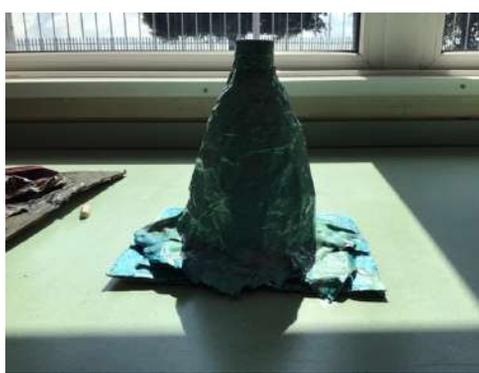
Don't forget to log into Educake every week and complete your weekly Crucial Knowledge Quizzes

	Questions Correct %	Questions Attempted	Best Class
Year 7	53.9%	2,337	7/1y Double
Year 8	71.9%	1,382	8/1x Double
Year 9	64.4%	525	9/2y Double
Year 10	58.2%	985	10/1x & 10/2y
Year 11	0%	0	
Whole School	60.5%	5,229	

Student	Year	Class(es)	Qs Answered	% Correct	Student	Year	Class(es)	Qs Answered	% Correct
1 Isabella Lane	7	7 set 4 (Sci)	204	85%	1 Madison Locock	8	8 set 1x Sci	30	97%
2 Camryn Powis	10	10 set 2y Sci	185	76%	2 Ryleigh Webb	8	8 set 1x Sci	30	97%
3 Ethan Sherlock-Hamma...	7	7/ly	126	53%	3 Freya Wilkinson	8	8 set 1x Sci	30	97%
4 Dylan Brown	10	10 set 2y Sci	117	56%	4 Sophie Lamb	8	8 set 1x Sci	30	97%
5 Luca Williams	7	7/ly	95	66%	5 Archie Davies	8	8 set 1x Sci	32	97%

STEM Club have been making Volcanoes.

**Jess Heinsohn
Year 9 tortoise**





- PSCE – Exploring pathways
- Opportunities with Higher Horizons begin
- Parent Workshops – Helping your child with their future choices
- Business and Enterprise Day
- Careers Week
- Employer Encounters in Lessons
- Careers Links on the Newsletter

- PSCE – CV Writing and Applications
- Opportunities (apprenticeships/training) advertised on Teams pages
- Parent/Pupil newsletter sent out regularly
- Careers Interviews continue
- SLT Interviews
- College/University Taster sessions
- College/University/Training provider assemblies
- Careers Evening
- Contact continues after Year 11

- PSCE – Start Programme
- Creative Learning Week
- BUZZ Quiz
- START Programme
- Assemblies and Topic of the Week
- Careers Week
- Employer Encounters in Lessons
- Careers Links on the Newsletter

- PSCE – Employability
- Options Process/Options Evening
- START Programme
- Assemblies and Topic of the Week
- RAF, Cadets and STEM opportunities
- Big Bang Event
- Careers Week
- Option Taster Sessions
- Employer Encounters in Lessons

- PSCE – Work Experience, Myth busting and Stereotypes
- Careers Interviews (Mark Stubbs)
- Work Experience
- Post 16 Week
- Mentoring with Career ready
- Careers Ambassadors
- Higher Horizons – curriculum opportunities
- College/University/Training provider assemblies
- Careers Evening
- Careers Week
- Employer Encounters in Lessons

CCSC Careers Programme

Colleges & Apprentiships

Newcastle College

<https://nscg.ac.uk/events/newcastle-openevent>



Stoke on Trent College

<https://www.stokecoll.ac.uk/open-events/>



Cheshire College

<https://www.ccsw.ac.uk>



Reaseheath College

<https://www.reaseheath.ac.uk>



Stoke 6th Form

<https://www.stokesfc.ac.uk>



Alsager 6th Form

<https://www.alsagerschool.org/alsager-6th-form/>



Kings 6th Form

<https://thekings.staffs.sch.uk/welcome-1/>

PM Training (Achieve training)

<https://www.achievetraining.org.uk/events>



Equality Training

<https://equality.training>

Martec Training

<https://www.martectraining.co.uk>



Put your hands together for more of our incredible A Level and Honours Programme students who have received offers from some of the country's most prestigious universities to continue their studies.



Aysa Yorukoglu, who is studying Biology, Chemistry and Maths has accepted an offer to study Neuroscience at Keele University. She previously attended Chesterton Community Sports College.

Biology, Chemistry and Geography student, **Eva McKechnie**, who also joined us from Chesterton Community Sports College, has received an offer to study Zoology at Exeter University.



Follow CCSC careers on Instagram for all the latest events, opportunities and apprentices





Post 16 Pathway
Newcastle-under-Lyme Medical Theatre
Staffordshire University Degree in Policing

CCSC ALUMNI



Corbin Ball

Bursley Academy



2013 - 2018

Be the best you can be.



'Nothing is impossible. The word itself says 'I'm possible!'

Current Career

Teacher of business and
Response Police Officer

Mrs E Fower



Schooling

Westwood First School, Leek
St. Edward's Middle School, Leek
Westwood High School, Leek
Archaeology, Biology, Chemistry and
Psychology A-level

Further Education and Qualifications

Adult Nursing Dip Keele University
Warwickshire College- BSc Equine
Science
PGCE- Teacher Training

Jobs

Alton Towers- game host
Healthcare support worker at Leek
Moorlands Hospital during my nurse
training.
Bar work at University (loved #!!)
Student warden at university
Howden's Joinery- Kitchen designer and
external sales Rep
CCSC

When I was younger, I wanted to be ...

When I was young I always wanted to be a
Doctor!

Interests and hobbies

I love nothing more than a family trip
to the zoo! I love animals,
conservation and zoology.
Horse riding
Reading



Past Pupil of CCSC?

Want to share your journey with us?
Then please use the link below,
we love hearing from you!!

<https://www.ccsc.staffs.sch.uk/index.php/alumni>



Thank you to all the Parents that
completed the Careers Hub Survey.
The School placed 2nd in the whole of
Stoke and Staffordshire for
the most entries.



MATERNITY VIRTUAL WORK EXPERIENCE

HEALTH & CARE CAREERS



Launching in June 2023, Maternity Virtual Work Experience is a week long
immersive careers programme designed for students aged 14-19

**Explore the varied careers in maternity
services:**

- Midwives
- Health Visitors
- Maternity Support Workers
- Nurses
- Sonographers
- Doctors and many more...

Learn about responsibilities, progression and pathways, and hear from real life professionals in LIVE webinars!



FREE Free to apply for students aged 14+

Meet clinical professionals in 3 LIVE Webinars

Packed full of interactive activities and quizzes

Certificate on completion

To find out more visit:
<https://staffsstokeics.org.uk/careers-education/virtual-work-experience/>

Or email us at:
icspeopleprojects@mpft.nhs.uk

Sign up, Log in and Learn about how to start your career in maternity services!

APPLY TODAY!



Be Prepared

Be the Best You Can Be Follow Instructions

Know More, Remember More Understand It, Apply It

Ways to create Positive Change

(Positive Change is about doing something different that leads to beneficial outcomes whether the changes are big or small).

Appreciate what you have	Once you do this, it's then about what you do with what you have: Your abilities, skills and the opportunities available to you.
Plan	Planning is a simple and effective way to make a change and reach a goal. You can plan to achieve a large-scale change in "bite-size" steps and you can then go about a task without worrying what needs to be done and have interim pleasure of achievement. It can also actually save time overall.
Make Time	Time is finite for all of us. Each day our life is about choosing how we spend our time. Getting the most enjoyment out of our choices is all about balance. This also includes not wasting time and thinking carefully about whether an activity is good for us or not.
Take Care	Any Plan and goals must include time set aside for our physical and mental health. Sleep, exercise and doing activities which we enjoy are very important to looking after ourselves. Looking after our things (possessions) can also increase our sense of wellbeing and self-worth.
Develop Good Habits	Any change requires effort particularly in the beginning and that is helped by self-discipline. With perseverance good habits can become engrained into our everyday behaviour and become almost automatic.
Find what motivates you.	Understanding what motivates you can help to keep you on track. Achievement of interim goals and the pleasure you get from that can then increase that motivation and helps you to persevere.
Make room for others	Showing love, thoughtfulness or consideration for others more often results in those kindnesses being returned giving you the inner strength, motivation and encouragement to make and continue with any positive changes.



Have an idea, event or news that you want to share in next week's edition please email

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