

Be The Best You Can Be

With CCSC

Week 6

Monday 10th October 2022



Sadie Huxley 9AO



Rubie Comley 10LTA



Chanel Baker 11P



With Mr Farr (Science)

School
Maths
NYE
He-Man
Sweets
Run
Coke

Scrabble

1 Best
Friend

University

English

Xmas

Thundercats

Crisps

Walk

Pepsi

Monopoly

5 Good
Friends

Year	Event logs	Best pupil	Best Form
Y7	1091 ↓	Cooper, Dominic 7LH (16)	<u>7NC 258 ↑</u>
Y8	920 ↓	Barlow, Pippa 8YM (13)	<u>8LEH 175 ↑</u>
Y9	592 ↓	Hampton, Alexis 9GF (12)	<u>9GF 150 ↑</u>
Y10	658 ↓	Rutter, Holly 10KW (14)	<u>10PF 146 ↑</u>
Y11	704 ↓	Hitchen, Lucy 11P (11)	<u>11P 346 ↑</u>
Total	3965 ↓ 21%		

	Zero Conduct Logs	100% Attendance	Attendance	Best form Attendance
Y7	156 (88%) ↑	146 (82%) ↑	95.3% ↑	7LH 98% ↓
Y8	111 (65%) ↑	141 (81%) ↑	92.9 ↑	8MO 95.4% ↑
Y9	106 (64%) ↓	125 (75%) ↑	92% ↑	9GF 93.8 ↑
Y10	106 (58%) ↓	128 (71%) ↑	91.1% ↑	10LE 96.6% ↑
Y11	126 (67%) ↑	134 (69%) ↑	89% ↑	11P 95.4% ↑
Total	605 (68%) ↓	674 (76%) ↑	92% ↑	

What's on this week?

Monday 10th &
Tuesday 11th

Y11 Sports Science
GCSE assessment

Wednesday 12th

Year 7 Science Trip
To Think Tank
Birmingham

Thursday 13th

Year 7 Settling in
Evening.
Book online

Friday 14th

Year 10
RSE day

HOY AWARDS

Y7

Y8

Y9

Y10

Y11

Pippa Chadwick 7AHP

After initial nerves about the transition to Secondary School, Pippa has settled in to school life really well. Well done, Pippa!

Tobias Rogerson 7DG

Only hearing good things about this young man. Excellent in PE and this attitude is matched in other lessons. Keep it going, Tobias!

Ollie Aston 8NW

Lots of event logs this week for 100% effort which is a fantastic attitude to learning. Keep it up!

Evie Patrick 8YM

Always being the best she can be and producing beautiful work!

Aimee Bagnall 9CK

For fantastic independent work in several lessons this week, great focus shown across the board, well done!

Lewis Cornwell 9GF

For his good participation in lessons this week and showing 100% effort in his work too. Great week, Lewis!

Taf Chinomona 10AG

For really trying his best and adapting a positive outlook to everything he does. I've been really impressed by just how settled and mature Taf has shown himself to be recently.

Lucy Griffiths 10HB

For consistently good work across all of her subjects (even Independent Study!) Lucy wants to do well and is willing to work hard to achieve this.

Emily Hassall

11P

and

Jamie Merrill

11P

For both having a great week collecting lots of events logs from a range of subjects. Keep up the great work.



Lucky Dip Winners 10th October



Zero Conduct Log Winners

Y7 Henry, Michelle 7NC
Y8 Sardar, Leylah 8MH
Y9 Hodges, Noah 9GF
Y10 Heath, Sofia 10PF
Y11 Wintle, Stan 11EW

Outstanding Work

Picked this week Mrs Waterhouse

Ella Doe 11P English
Event Log Plus
Bryan, Lily 7LH
100% Attendance
Dykes, Gabriella 7AHP

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

£5 vouchers
OR
Front of Queue Pass to Canteen
OR
Free break food for a week!
PLUS entry into the BIG prize draw

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Work hard and get
noticed!

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**



Addis, Eva	Jackson, Bethany	Evans, Adam	Braxton-Meakin, Blake	Elliott, Reece	Hibberd, Alfie
Banks-Edwards, Eliza	Meeson, Edith	Everill, Lucas	Cooper, Lilly	Gerrard, Miley	Higginbottom, Emily
Bromage-Hamilton, Connor	Naylor, Katrina	Gerrard, Ruby	Kearns, Rhiannon	Harrison, Mikala	Hill, Tiegan
Bryan, Lily	Oliver, Jasmine	Grant, Lee	Kirkham, Ellie-Mae	Salter, Marius	Jones, Keelan
Cartwright, Megan	Rogerson, Tobias	Jepson, Angel	Mason, Lauren	Sumnall, Grace	McKinley, Beth
Eardley, Ryan	Sherratt, Olivia	Lightfoot, Jake	Mothershaw, Libby	Wade, McKayla	McLaughlin, Poppy
Gould-Smith, Mia	Petrillo, Logan	Nelson, Orla	Rogers, Jamie-Jack	Williams, Leah	Rutter, Holly
	Robinson, Kyle			Wilshaw, Bayley	Sawyer, Luke



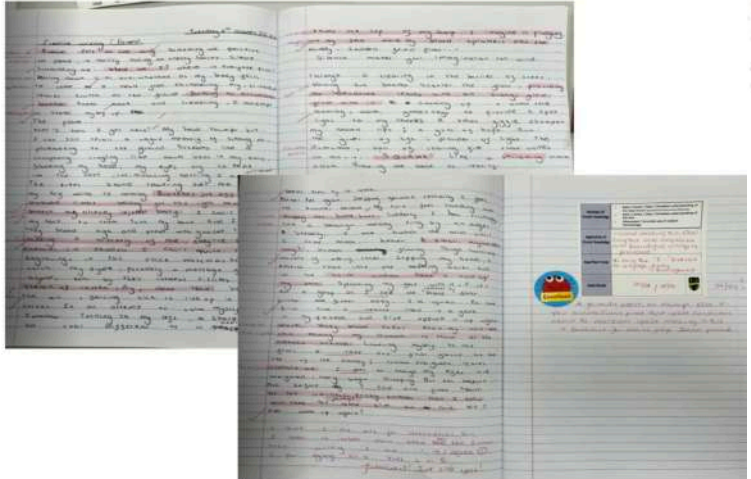
Outstanding Work



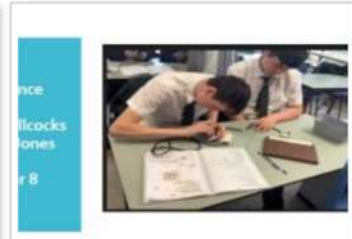
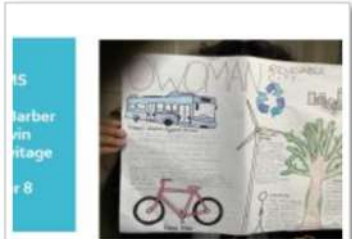
A HUGE well done to all the pupils featured in this week's 'Outstanding Work'! We love seeing this each week.... Check it all out using the link <https://www.ccsc.staffs.sch.uk/index.php/news/556-outstanding-work-at-ccsc>



English
Ella Doe
Year 11



English
Ella Doe
Year 11



Whole School Rewards

"Be the Best You Can Be"

Reward 1 – Earn 25 event logs to receive a voucher at the end of half term.

Reward 2 – Zero Conduct Logs! If you get NO conduct logs in a week (Sunday to Sunday), you will get entered into a lucky dip. A prize for one person, per year group, per week will be announced in Monday's newsletter.

Reward 3 – For every WEEK you receive ZERO conduct logs you get 1 ticket for entry into a lucky dip prize draw. 1 prize for each year group! At the end of each half term ALL tickets are entered into a BIG lucky dip prize draw for a bigger prize, again 1 prize per year!

Reward 4 – Event Log Plus – each teacher makes one phone call home per week to someone who has really impressed them! For every pupil who has had a phone call, they will enter a lucky dip draw. There will be ONE weekly winner who will be announced in the newsletter.

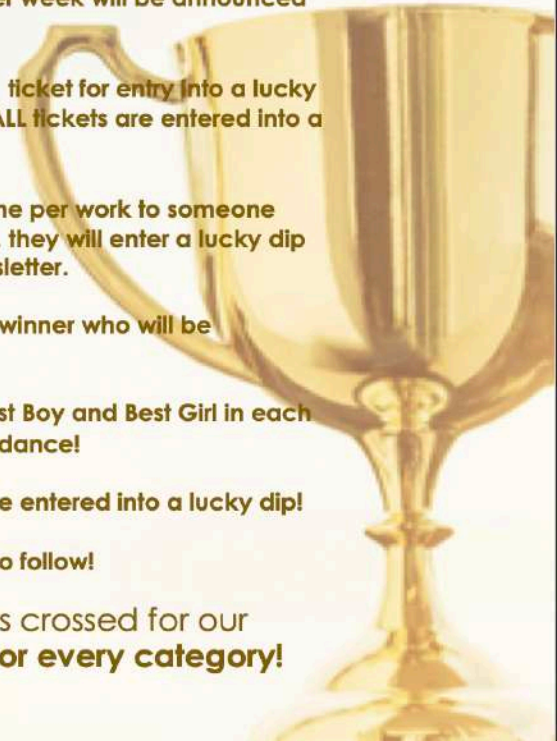
Reward 5 – Outstanding Work Submissions. There will be ONE weekly winner who will be announced in the newsletter.

Reward 6 – At the end of each half term, we present prizes for the Best Boy and Best Girl in each year group. We also do Best Form in each year, Best House and Best Attendance!

Reward 7 – Every pupil who has 100% attendance for that week will be entered into a lucky dip!

Reward 8 – Reward afternoons and Rewards Day – more information to follow!

SO, let's all keep working hard and keep our fingers crossed for our weekend prize draws- a winner in every year group for every category!



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NEW VIC THEATRE
WEDNESDAY
NOVEMBER 23RD
AT 10:30

SIGN UP ON
PARENT
PAY BY
OCTOBER
10TH



JOURNEY WITH ALICE AS SHE FOLLOWS THE
WHITE RABBIT INTO A CURIOUSLY
ENCHANTING NEW WORLD, FILLED WITH EVEN
CURIOSER CHARACTERS.



Key Dates 2022-23



Autumn 1

- 19th September – Additional Bank Holiday
- 22nd September – Open Evening
- 23rd September – Staff Training Day
- 29th September – Year 11 Film Coursework Day (specific pupils)
- 29th September – Parent/Carer Information Evening
- 30th September – Year 7 Photographs
- 3rd October – Year 10 Business Studies Trip
- 5th October – Year 11 Geography Trip (Barleston Downs)
- 7th October – Year 10 Business Studies Trip
- 8th October – Year 11 University Trip History (specific pupils)
- 10th October – Year 11 GCSE Food Exam (day 1)
- 11th October – Year 11 GCSE Food Exam (day 2)
- 12th October – Year 7 Science Trip (Think Tank)
- 13th October – Year 7 Settle in Evening
- 14th October – Year 10 RSE Day
- 19th October – Year 11 GCSE Drama Recording Day
- 20th October – Year 11 Visit to Cheshire College
- 21st October – Whole School Rewards/End of half term

Autumn 2

- 31st October – Start of Half Term
- 31st October – Year 10 Mock Exams (two-week period)
- 10th November – Year 8 STEM Competition (specific pupils)
- 12th November – Year 10 University Trip History (specific pupils)
- 14th November (week beginning) – Year 11 Mock Speaking Exams (Spanish)
- 17th November – Year 7-9 History Theatre Trip (evening)
- 22nd November – Year 9 RSE Day
- 23rd November – Year 7 English - New Vic Theatre Trip
- 24th November – Careers Evening (Year 10 and 11)
- 24th November – Reports Sent Out (via Isams)
- 25th November – Music Performance Exams (mock)
- 28th November – Year 11 Mock Exams Begin (3-week period)
- 1st December – Year 10 Parents Evening
- 12th December – Whole School Careers Week
- 12th December – Year 11 Business Studies Trip
- 15th December – Year 10 English Theatre Trip – A Christmas Carol
- 16th December – Whole School Rewards/End of term (12:35pm finish)

Spring 1

- 3rd January – Staff Training Day
- 4th January – Start of Term
- 12th January – Year 11 Parents Evening
- 13th January – Year 11 Photographs
- 16th January - Year 9 Mock Exams Begin
- 16th January – GCSE Music Trip – Bridgewater Hall
- 18th January – Year 11 GCSE Drama Trip
- 23rd January (all week) – Year 10 Mock Speaking Exams (Spanish)
- 27th January – Year 8 RSE Day
- 30th January – Year 11 GCSE Food Exams begin
- 31st January – Key Stage 4 Spanish Play in school
- 6th February – National Apprenticeships Week
- 6th February – Year 7 Exams
- 9th February – Year 9 Parents Evening
- 10th February – Berlin Trip
- 13th February – Year 5 Days (week 1)
- 17th February – Whole School Rewards/End of Half Term

Spring 2

- 27th February – Start of Half Term
- 27th February – Year 5 days (week 2)
- 2nd March – World Book Day
- 6th March – Year 8 Exams
- 9th March – Year 7 Parents Evening
- 10th March – Year 9 and 10 Citizenship Trip
- 13th March – Year 11 Mini Mocks (two weeks)
- 16th March – Year 7 RSE Day
- 20th March – Year 8 Option Taster Sessions start
- 24th March – Year 11 GCSE Art/Photography Exam Day 1 (actual)
- 27th March – Year 11 GCSE Art/Photography Exam Day 2 (actual)
- 28th March – Year 11 Macbeth Performance (in school)
- 30th March – Whole School Rewards Day
- 31st March – Whole School Rewards End of Term (12:35pm)

Summer 1

- 17th April – Start of Term
- 20th April – Year 8 Options and Careers Evening
- 25th April – Year 8 Art Sculpture Trip
- 27th April – Year 8 Parents Evening (core subjects)
- 28th April – Year 7 Warwick Castle Trip
- 15th May – Year 11 Exams begin (actual)
- 25th May – Whole School Rewards/End of Half Term

Summer 2

- 5th June – Start of Half Term
- 22nd June – Year 7 and 8 Employers Day
- 22nd June – Year 10 College Day (Newcastle)
- 23rd June – Year 10 College Day (Cheshire)
- 23rd June – Year 9 Work Place Visits
- 26th June (week) – Year 7, 8 and 9 Creative Learning Week
- 26th June (week) - Year 10 Work Experience
- 3rd July – Staff Training Day
- 3rd July – School Show Week
- 4th July – YTF Book Awards
- 5th July – Year 8 and 9 Geography Trip
- 5th July – Year 6 Welcome Day
- 7th July – Competitions Day
- 7th July – Year 11 Prom
- 10th July – New Timetable begins
- 12th July – Year 6 Welcome Evening
- 17th July – Certificate Evening
- 21st July – Whole School Rewards/End of Term (12:35pm)

Extra Curricular

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<u>Y7/Y8</u> <u>Lunch</u> Period 8 12:35	Library 1	Library 1 & 2	Library 1 & 2 Writing Club Room 7 Peer Mentoring Room 11	Library 1	Library 1
<u>Y9/Y10/ Y11</u> <u>Lunch</u> Period 9 1:05			Library 2		Library 1 Peer Mentoring Room 11
<u>After School</u> 3:05 - 4	Book Club Library	Lesson X Hall Chorus Line Music Room 31 Film Club Library 1 Run Club Room 13 Swimming Pool Girls Football Astro	History Club Room 24 / Workshop Zumba Dance Studio Drama Club Room 34 Football Y11 Boys Astro Netball Fixtures Y9-Y11	School of Rock Music Room 31 Gardening Club Workshop STEM Club Room 22 Netball Training Y9-Y11 Football Fixtures Y11 Boys	Badminton Sports Hall

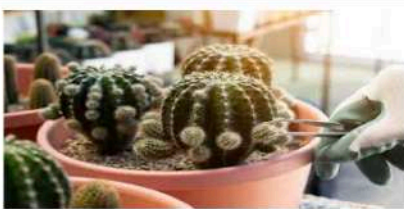
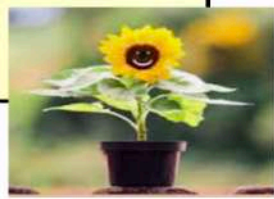
Boosters

	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	English Literature Room 8 & 9 English Language Library 2 & Room 6 Music Y10 Y11 Room 31 German Room 33 iMedia & D&T Workshop	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					



GROW YOUR OWN CACTUS!

Make a plant pot, and plant a baby cactus plant to take home. We are also planting cacti for the classrooms in school.
WHERE? – In the workshop
WHEN? – After school Thursday



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Can your work make any stories?

Complete Independent Learning Tasks #ILT

Never feel embarrassed about asking for help.

Follow

WRITING CLUB

Do you want to be a writer? Interested in poetry? Short stories? Each week we will look at examples of excellent writing and have a go at our own writing.

Wednesdays, Lesson 8
Room 7

Open to
Years 7, 8, and 9

See Miss Ferrari in Room 7 For more information.

Well done to Adam Evans
our new Student Rep

LESSON X

"Be the best you can be"

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

Lesson X

ASL, Yoga, CPR, BINGO, Chess, etc.

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

DRAMA CLUB

Have fun and join Drama Club! Every Wednesday 3.05 - 4 pm in Room 34

Everyone welcome!

For more information, speak to Miss Owen



Last week the Business pupils in Year 10 have been conducting market research for their coursework in and around the Potteries Centre. Their project involves coming up with the design for a backpack that will be profitable for them when sold.

For their market research they needed to complete observations of members of the public carrying backpacks and make notes on the backpacks available in the shops. They were also required to ask members of the public a series of questions about what they look for when buying a backpack.

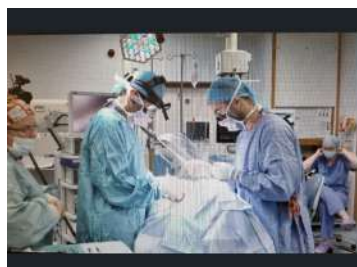


A BIG thank you to the Year 11 Prefects who helped with our Year 6 Bursley Academy primary visit last week.

They not only were fantastic ambassadors for our School, but looked after the primary pupils and made their experience here really enjoyable and welcoming – very well done!! Another four Primary visits this half term!!



Y11 pupils took part in a Geography trip to explore physical Geography (at Barleston Downs) and Human Geography (at Hanley city centre). This fieldwork will form the basis for their third geography paper in their exams next summer. Despite the weather, pupils enjoyed measuring the river depths, width and velocity. As well as this, pupils got to examine urban regeneration in a city centre setting. All pupils were a MASSIVE credit to themselves and the school.



Students took part in a Virtual work experience last week which was provided by the Staffordshire and Stoke on Trent Integrated Care System. It gave them an opportunity to learn about job roles, speak to clinical staff and watch a live surgical procedure.



Date	Wk	Staff	Title	Location	Staff	Title	Location
4-Oct	5	KE/NW	Bingo	Hall			
11-Oct	6	KE/NW	Karaoke	Hall	MP	Crosswords and Puzzles	14
18-Oct	7	KW/RF	School Treasure Hunt	Hall	KE/NW	Just Dance	Dance Studio
1-Nov	8	No lesson X!!!!					
8-Nov	9	AP	Crochet	English	KE/NW	Bingo	Hall
15-Nov	10	MC	Chess & Boardgames	Hall	KE/NW	Pokemon Card Club	20
22-Nov	11	CD	CPR for Dummies (with Dummies)	30	KO	Meditation and mindfulness	Hall
29-Nov	12	HF	Bingo	Hall	KE/NW	Movie	18
6-Dec	13	EF	Harry Potter Origami	18	KE/NW	Christmas Decoration Making	17
13-Dec	14	EW/KDR	Giant Scrabble	5 & 6	DM/SW	Xmas Pub Quiz	Hall



Lesson X

Collect a stamp or signature when you attend a Lesson X.
Also includes :

- Boosters
- OUTSTANDING independent learning tasks.

COMPLETED CARDS POSTED IN THE POSTBOX IN THE SCIENCE CORRIDOR

REWARDS

1. Bronze - Certificate & Chocolate Bar
2. Silver - £5
3. Gold - £10

EACH TERM there will be a lucky dip prize draw for the chance to win.....

Tickets for Cinema, Flip Out, Ninja Warrior, Escape Rooms, Bowling, Chocolate hampers, JD Voucher, Spotify and much much more.....

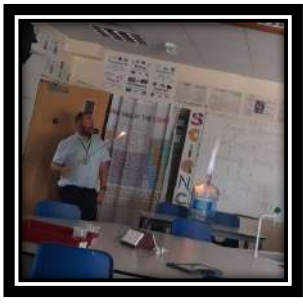


Lesson X Started with BINGO!!!!



Last Monday and Tuesday we took some photos of Jupiter and it's moons so we decided to do some research on our photos . On Monday Jupiter was approximately 367 million miles away , the closest to earth it had been since 1963 (it can be up to 600 miles away.) We also captured four of Jupiters Galilean satellites moons , Io, europa , Ganymede, and Callisto .

Dillon Cooper Y7



STEM Club really did enjoy themselves last week. Don't forget to come along every Thursday Room 22



	Monday 10th	Tuesday 11th	Wednesday 12th	Thursday 13th	Friday 14th
Lunch time			RF (7) Writing Club P8 (years 7, 8 and 9)		
After school	DT (lib) Book Club	KM (lib1) Film club	AP (9) Literature booster KW (6) Language booster	EW (5) Literature booster - poetry	

Don't forget to use Sora to fill in your reading passports.

🌟 English Stars Of The Week 🌟

GA: Paige Vaughan Y10 – for a fantastic effort in her recent A Christmas Carol essay. Paige always tries her best and is always seeking new ways to improve her work. Well done!

KW: 9/1Y Darcy Taylor – Volunteers to read A Monster Calls to the whole class and has impeccable speaking skills!!

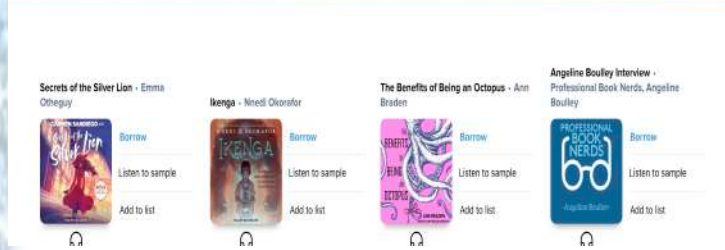
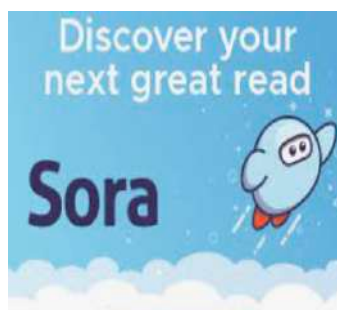
EW: Gracie Watt Y11 – always amazing in every English lesson, working to the best of her ability – superstar 😊

RF: My star of the week is Anastasia Kwiatkowski-Grand Y8 for excellent work on PEE paragraphs. She did a great job using her crucial knowledge to draft and improve a response.

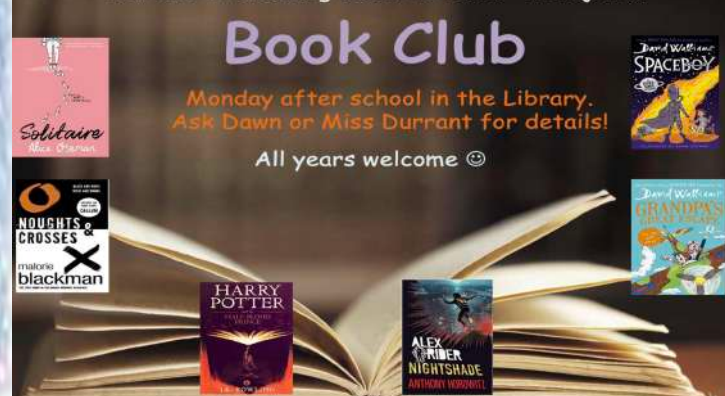
KM: Could have been a million people this week! I have been mightily impressed with the creative writing pieces from Year 11 but my star is going to be **ALEX HUGHES 11/1x** for his brilliant effort and engaging description of 'The Forest'.

AP: Karlee Austin (9.4): Karlee has worked really hard in English this week. She has produced a well-planned extended writing piece and has even done additional work at home. Well done, Karlee!

KDR: Harvey Beswick Y9 for being a superstar. Harvey has shown ace maturity and work ethic in his lessons. He is always the first person to put his hand up and always offers his ideas, which helps the rest of the class.



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





READING FOCUS

NATIONAL READ A BOOK MONTH

October 2022

WHAT CAN I DO TO CELEBRATE?

FOUNDED BACK IN 2003, NATIONAL BOOK MONTH IS A MONTH-LONG CELEBRATION FOCUSING ON THE IMPORTANCE OF READING, WRITING AND LITERATURE.

START READING A NEW BOOK



CHECK OUT THE TITLES THAT SORA HAS TO OFFER OR ASK DAWN IN THE LIBRARY FOR A RECOMMENDATION.

RECOMMEND A BOOK TO SOMEBODY ELSE



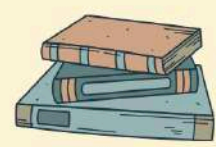
THIS COULD BE A FRIEND, SOMEONE IN YOUR CLASS OR A TEACHER.

JOIN BOOK CLUB



IT'S A GOOD WAY TO FIND OUT NEW TITLES AND MEET OTHERS WHO LIKE READING.

HAVE A GO AT WRITING



WRITING CLUB MEET EVERY WEDNESDAY IN ROOM 7 DURING PERIOD 8

CHALLENGE

Book Club are challenging you to read a new book this October.

Once you have read a book, send a review to Miss Durrant at kdurrant@ccsc.staffs.sch.uk



WRITE A STORY OR A COLLECTION OF 2-3
POEMS INSPIRED BY THE MOST HAUNTED
HOUSE IN ENGLAND

A CAKE OF SOAP ON THE
WASHSTAND WAS LIFTED
AND THROWN HEAVILY
ONTO A CHINA JUG...

SOMETHING FLEW PAST MY
HEAD, HIT AN IRON STOVE
IN THE HALL AND
SHATTERED.

THERE CAME A TERRIFYING
CRASH AND A PANE OF
GLASS FROM THE ROOF OF
THE PORCH HURTLER TO THE
GROUND.



Email your entries to Miss Ferrari by October 31st.

THERE ARE FEW PARANORMAL TALES MORE CAPTIVATING THAN THAT OF BORLEY RECTORY, AND STILL TO THIS DAY, NOBODY KNOWS THE TRUTH SURROUNDING THE MYSTERIOUS HOUSE THAT BURNED TO THE GROUND. APPARENTLY UNDER SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES IN FEBRUARY 1939, THE HOUSE NO LONGER EXISTS, AND NO TRACES REMAIN, BUT THE TINY HAMLET OF BORLEY ON THE ESSEX AND SUFFOLK BORDER STILL ATTRACTS HUNDREDS OF HOPEFUL GHOST HUNTERS EVERY YEAR, ALL HOPING TO CATCH A GLIMPSE OF THE GHOSTLY NUN, WHO IS REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN REGULARLY SEEN BY LOCALS AND RESIDENTS OF THE RECTORY DURING THE RECTORY'S FAIRLY SHORT LIFE.

BORLEY RECTORY WAS BUILT IN 1862 AND SHOULD HAVE BEEN AN ORDINARY VICTORIAN CLERGYMAN'S HOUSE. HOWEVER, JUST A YEAR AFTER ITS CONSTRUCTION, UNEXPLAINED FOOTSTEPS WERE HEARD WITHIN THE HOUSE, AND FROM 1900 UNTIL IT BURNED DOWN IN 1939 NUMEROUS PARANORMAL PHENOMENA, INCLUDING PHANTOM COACHES AND SHATTERING WINDOWS, WERE OBSERVED. IN 1929 THE HOUSE WAS INVESTIGATED BY THE "DAILY MAIL" AND PARANORMAL RESEARCHER HARRY PRICE, AND IT WAS HE WHO CALLED IT 'THE MOST HAUNTED HOUSE IN ENGLAND'. PRICE ALSO TOOK OUT A LEASE OF THE RECTORY FROM 1937 TO 1938, RECRUITING FORTY-EIGHT 'OFFICIAL OBSERVERS' TO MONITOR OCCURENCES. AFTER HIS DEATH IN 1948, THE WATER WAS MUDDIED BY CLAIMS THAT PRICE'S FINDINGS WERE NOT GENUINE PARANORMAL ACTIVITY, AND EVER SINCE THERE HAS BEEN A DEBATE OVER WHAT REALLY WENT ON AT BORLEY RECTORY. MANY BELIEVE THE BURNING DOWN OF THE RECTORY WAS DELIBERATE ARSON ON THE PART OF THE THEN OWNER, CAPTAIN WE GRECSON, WHO HAD INSURED THE HOUSE THREE MONTHS EARLIER. MANY BELIEVED HE BURNED DOWN THE RECTORY AND HOPED TO GET AWAY WITH FRAUD BY BLAMING THE "GHOSTS." GHOST HUNTERS (THEN) AND NOW BELIEVED HIM. THE INSURANCE PEOPLE DIDN'T.

Parents' Guide for Booking Appointments

Browse to <https://ccsc.schoolcloud.co.uk/>

Step 1: Login

Fill out the details on the page then click the Log In button.

A confirmation of your appointments will be sent to the email address you provide.

Step 2: Select Parents' Evening

Click on the date you wish to book.

Unable to make all of the dates listed? Click *I'm unable to attend*.

Step 3: Select Booking Mode

Choose *Automatic* if you'd like the system to suggest the shortest possible appointment schedule based on the times you're available to attend. To pick the times to book with each teacher, choose *Manual*. Then press *Next*.

We recommend choosing the automatic booking mode when browsing on a mobile device.

Step 4: Select Availability

Drag the sliders at the top of the screen to indicate the earliest and latest you can attend.

Step 5: Choose Teachers

Select the teachers you'd like to book appointments with. A green tick indicates they're selected. To de-select, click on their name.

Step 6: Book Appointments (Automatic)

If you chose the automatic booking mode, you'll see provisional appointments which are held for 2 minutes. To keep them, choose *Accept* at the bottom left.

If it wasn't possible to book every selected teacher during the times you are able to attend, you can either adjust the teachers you wish to meet with and try again, or switch to manual booking mode.

Y7 Settle In Evening

<https://ccsc.schoolcloud.co.uk/>

As you may already be aware, **Thursday 13th October is our Year 7 'Settle In Evening' from 3:15pm to 7:45pm.** It is important that you and your child attend so we can support them in their start to high school and to discuss how they have settled with us. These appointments will be with your child's form tutor and then you will have another evening with subject teachers later in their academic year.

Book online using the link
Any problems contact the office

Step 7: Book Appointments

Click any of the green cells to make an appointment. Blue cells signify where you already have an appointment. Grey cells are unavailable.

To change an appointment, delete the original by hovering over the blue box and clicking *Delete*. Then choose an alternate time.

You can optionally leave a message for the teacher to say what you'd like to discuss, or raise anything beforehand.

Once you're finished booking all appointments, at the top of the page in the alert box, press *click here* to finish the booking process.

Step 8: Finished

All your bookings now appear on the My Bookings page. An email confirmation has been sent and you can also print appointments by pressing *Print*. Click *Subscribe to Calendar* to add these and any future bookings to your calendar.

To change your appointments, click on *Amend Bookings*.

Miss Moscati's Star of the Week

McKayla Wade



Mr Whitehead's Star of the Week

Grace Sumnall



Mrs Knight's Stars of the Week

Daisy Baggott and Lilliah Miller



Mrs Orton's Star of the Week

Amelia Weaver



Mrs Rutter's Star of the Week

Evie Dykeman



Miss Oviedo's Star of the Week

Maci Walford



MFL Crucial Knowledge phrase of the week

Spanish

'Tengo dos hermanos. Son gemelos...'
{I have 2 brothers. They are twins..}



French

'ma couleur préférée c'est le bleu'
{my favourite colour is blue..}



German

'Nächste Woche werde ich in den Park gehen'
{next week I will go to the park..}



Italian

'Mi piace giocare a pallone ...'
{I like to play football..}



WEEK COMMENCING
26.09.22

TOP 5 SONGS IN SPAIN AT THE MOMENT



1. LA BACHATA
BY MANUEL TURIZO



3. 23
BY MORAT

2) SIN SEÑAL
BY QUEVEDO & OVV
ON THE DREAMS



4. QUIERO DECIRTE
BY ABRAHAM MATEO & ANA MENA



5. I AIN'T WORRIED
BY ONEREPUBLIC



Apple MUSIC



Thanks to Issy Conyon for this lovely roundup of Spanish songs

CCSC Maths Kahoots!



Converting metric units:

01186870

Area of a parallelogram:

03569992

Expanding Single Brackets:

04260668

Laws of Indices

07784239



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	64.4%	4,596	7/1x Double
Year 8	69.2%	5,141	8/2y & 8/2x
Year 9	58.7%	843	9/1y Double
Year 10	66.9%	1,990	10/1x Double
Year 11	67.9%	4,588	11/2x & 11/1x
Year 12	You don't have any science classes in this year		
Whole School	66.8%	17,158	

Student	Year	Class(es)	Qs Answered	% Correct	Student	Year	Class(es)	Qs Answered	% Correct
1 Summer Ryan	8	8 set 2y Sci	664	66%	1 Alexander Hughes	11	11 set 1y Sci	20	100%
2 Logan Kerr	11	11 set 2y Sci KE	547	52%	2 Sidney Hibberd	9	9 set 2x Sci MC	32	97%
3 George Royse	11	11 set 3 Sci	499	72%	3 Alexis Hampton	9	9 set 2y Sci KE	210	96%
4 Sam Copeland	11	11 set 3 Sci, 11EF...	480	80%	4 Joshua Hardy	8	8 set 2x Sci	28	96%
5 Mason Akehurst	8	8 set 1y Sci	453	84%	5 Oliver White	8	8 set 1x Sci	71	96%

KAHOOT

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B4 Plants Photosynthesis

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C4 Metals

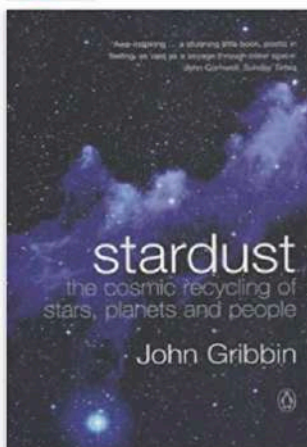
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P4 Atomic Model

WEEK 6



Science Book of the Week



Have you ever wondered what stars like the Sun are made of... or where they came from... or how they will change in the future... or about the amazing nuclear reactions that go on inside them to release unimaginable amounts of energy into space?

Read this book to find the answers!

Read this if you like:
Space and stars
Physics
History





- PSICHE – 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

- PSICHE – 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

- PSICHE – 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

- PSICHE – 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

- PSICHE – 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-openevents>



Stoke on Trent College

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



STOKE ON TRENT COLLEGE

Cheshire College

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



Cheshire College South & West

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>



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



Post 16 Pathway
Newcastle-under-Lyme College, Sports and Exercise Science
Staffordshire University, Sports Therapy

CCSC ALUMNI



Be the best you can be.



Caitlin Kosturczak

Churchfields Primary School



2009-2014



“Even if you think you are not going far you will always be on a track that leads you to success... ‘Action is the foundation to all success’”

Current Career
Therapy Instructor at
Royal Stoke hospital

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>



College Open Evenings

Make sure you look around

Mrs B Baker

Head of Vocational Studies, Head of Year 10

Schooling

- Queens County Primary School in Fenton
- St Thomas More Catholic College in Longton
 - 12 GCSEs A* to C
 - 3 A Levels Grade C

Further Education and Qualifications

- Manchester Metropolitan University
- 2:1 in Secondary Physical Education with Qualified Teacher Status

Jobs

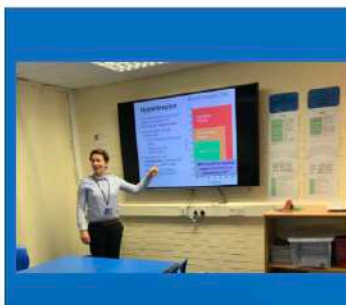
- Football coach at Port Vale Football Club.
- Receptionist then Reception Supervisor at Alton Towers Hotel.
- Administration Team Leader at Aspire Housing

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

At first, I wanted to be an astronaut, but by the time I was 12 I knew I wanted to be a PE Teacher.

Interests and hobbies

- Sports (Mainly Football and Man Utd)
- Walking with the dogs
- Running
- Gardening



Reaseheath College: 01270 625131

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

Events are from 10:30am – 2:00pm. Students can attend talks from 2 course areas at 10.30am and 12.30pm.

8th October 2022
5th November 2022
3rd December 2022

Cheshire College: 01270 654654, (Crewe campus)

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

4th October 2022, 5:30pm – 8:00pm
30th November 2022, 5:30pm – 8:00pm

Stoke-On-Trent College: 01782 208208, (Burslem & Caudon)

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

19th October 2022, 5:00pm - 7:30pm
30th November 2022, 5:00pm - 7:30pm
8th March 2023, 5:00pm - 7:30pm
20th May 2023, 10:00am – 2:00pm
21st June 2023, 5:00pm - 7:30pm

Stoke Sixth Form College: 01782 848736

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

12th October 2022, 5:00pm - 7:00pm
22nd November 2022, 5:00pm - 7:00pm
1st February 2023, 5:00pm - 7:00pm
22nd March 2023, 5:00pm - 7:00pm

Visit websites below for information / forthcoming events at:

MARTEC Training:
13th October 2022 3:30pm– 6:00pm

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

E.Equality Training: (Newcastle, Hanley, Stafford centres)

<https://equality.training>

School 6th Forms:

Alsager School:

<https://www.alsagerschool.org>

The King's School: (Kidsgrove)

<https://the.kings.staffs.sch.uk>

Trinity 6th Form:

<https://saintjohnfishercc.co.uk/curriculum/trinity-sixth-form>

St Joseph's College: (Trent Vale)

<https://www.stjosephstrentvale.com>

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PARENT

Be Prepared
Be the Best You Can Be
Follow Instructions

Know More, Remember More
Understand It, Apply It

All students and parents can track their event logs, conduct logs and attendance using the **isams app** which can be found in self service or from the App/Play store.

Students log in details.....

Username: firstname.surname

Password: FSurname1234

(First initial, Surname followed by their ipad pin)

Don't forget to check your Emails and Teams notifications every day, especially your year group team page!!



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!

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

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**

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 (KS4): <https://www.onmaths.com>
- Maths (KS3): <https://www.whizz.com>

Complete classwork & coursework

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

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

Complete exam questions/papers

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



Arrangements for 2022-23



Our Pastoral Team

Year 7

Head of Year - Mr P Salt

7KE - Miss K Edwards
 7DG - Mr D Gribbin
 7LH - Miss L Holdcroft (new Maths)
 7AHP - Miss A Hopwood (new Geog)
 7SWL - Mr S Williams (new Business)
 7NC - Miss N Oviedo (new Spanish)

Year 8

Head of Year - Mrs B Baker

8NW - Mr N Whitehead
 8IR/PY - Mrs I Rutter and Mr P Young
 8MO - Mrs M Orton
 8YM - Mrs Y Meakin
 8LEH - Mr L Essenhigh
 8MH - Mr M Horner

Year 9

Head of Year - Mrs L Till

9ND - Miss N Davies (Mrs A Parton)
 9CK - Mrs C Knight (new Spanish was LC)
 9AO - Mrs A O Rourke
 9SR - Miss S Rafferty (Miss R Ferrari)
 9JS - Mr J Steele
 9GF - Miss G Fellows (new PE was JWI)

Year 10

Head of Year - Mrs G Allen

10HB - Miss H Brownsill
 10AG - Miss A Gittins
 10LE - Miss L Evans
 10PF - Mr P Farr
 10LT - Mr L Taylor
 10HM - Mr H Morgan
 10KW - Miss K Wedgwood

Year 11

Head of Year - Mr L Mackin

11KDR - Miss K Durrant
 11MK - Mr M Kelsall
 11MP - Mr M Powell
 11JD - Mr J Daley
 11EW - Miss E White
 11EF - Mrs E Fower
 11P - Mrs D Thompson



Your New Form Rooms



Year 7	KE (33)	DG (30)	LH (15)	SWL (10)	AHP (34)	NC (11)	
Year 8	NW (23)	MO (24)	IR/PY (25)	MH (26)	LEH (28)	YM (26a)	
Year 9	AP/ND (22)	AO (21)	CK (20)	JST (19)	RF/SB (18)	GF (29)	
Year 10	HB (1)	AG (2)	LE (17)	PF (3)	LT (5)	HM (4)	KW (6)
Year 11	KDR (8)	MK (12)	MP (14)	JD (13)	DT (library)	EW (7)	EF (9)

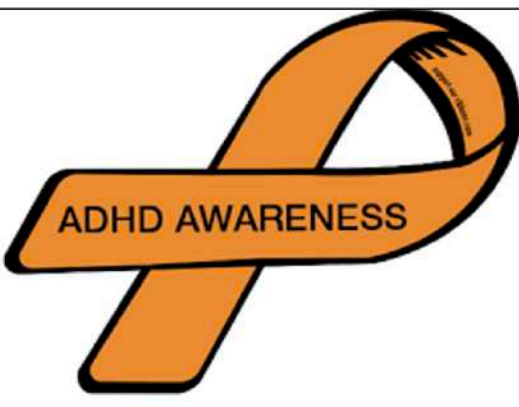


Our School Day



- 7:30 – 8:15 – Breakfast Club (optional)
- 8:20 – All pupils arrive
- 8:30 – Form Time (all)
- 8:50 – Lesson 1
- 9:20 – Lesson 2
- 9:50 – Lesson 3
- 10:20 – Lesson 4
- 10:50 – Break Time (all)
- 11:05 – Lesson 5
- 11:35 – Lesson 6
- 12:05 – Lesson 7
- 12:35 – Lesson 8 (Year 7, 8 and 9 Lunchtime)
- 1:05 – Lesson 9 (Year 10 and 11 Lunchtime)
- 1:35 – Lesson 10
- 2:05 – Lesson 11
- 2:35 – Lesson 12
- 3:05 – End of School Day (all)
- 3:05 – 4:00 – After School Clubs and Boosters

Arrangements for 2022-23



Week 2. What is like to have ADHD?

ADHD is a condition that both children and adults can have. **The symptoms include an inability to focus, being easily distracted, hyperactivity, poor organization skills, and impulsiveness. Not everyone who has ADHD has all these symptoms.** They vary from person to person and tend to change with age.

People with ADHD will have at least two or three of the following challenges: **difficulty staying on task, paying attention, daydreaming or tuning out, organizational issues, and hyper-focus**, which causes them to lose track of time. They are often highly sensitive and empathic.

People with ADHD have a hard time with conversation. **They might get distracted and lose track of what the other person is saying. They might ramble, and monopolize the conversation. Obsessing and ruminating are often part of living with attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADHD).** No matter how hard you try to ignore them, those negative thoughts just keep coming back, replaying themselves in an infinite loop.

People living with ADHD may have a variety of skills and abilities beyond those of their neurotypical counterparts. These may include hyperfocus, resilience, creativity, conversational skills, spontaneity, and abundant energy. Many people view the benefits of ADHD as “superpowers” because they are additional skills that their neurotypical counterparts do not have. ADHD gifts people a unique perspective on the world that those without ADHD are unlikely to understand.

National Braille Week



Louis Braille

born. 4 January 1809 in Coupvray, France

died. 6 January 1852 in Paris.

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When Louis was only three years old, he had a terrible accident in his fathers harness workshop. He damaged his eye and it became infected and the infection spread to the other eye, blinding him in both.

At school he found that he could not learn everything just by listening. Aged 10, he was granted a scholarship to The Royal Institute for Blind Youth in Paris where the huge books in the library had raised letters but in normal typeface.

When Louis was only 13, he had an idea when a soldier Charles Barbier, visited his school and talked about a new invention called “night writing.” Louis realised that the idea could be modified to provide a “touch-based reading system for blind people. **By the age of 15 he had developed a comprehensive system for reading and writing. He adapted his system for music at the age of 19.**

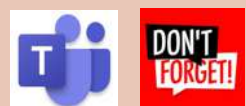
After graduation, Braille was asked to stay at the Royal Institute as an instructor and by 1833 was promoted to professor. **When Braille died in 1852 from tuberculosis at age forty-three, he did not realize that his invention would enable blind and visually handicapped people throughout the world to read and write as well as sighted people.** Today, we have approximately eighty-five braille systems in the world based on Braille's invention.

On June 20, 1952, his remains were transferred from his home town to the Panthéon in Paris on 22 June 1952, as a National tribute by the people of France.



ADHD Awareness/Black History/ Walk to School Month
National Braille Week, 10th World Mental Health Day, 11th National Coming Out Day
(Week beginning 10th October 2022)

Don't forget to check you emails and Teams daily to complete your homework quizzes!



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

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