

Be The Best You Can Be

With CCSC

Week 34 - Monday 10th June 2024



Year 11 Final Week ☹️ ☹️ ☹️



**With Mr Dunn
(Science)**

Year	Event logs	Conduct logs	Best pupil with most ELs
Y7	1090 ↓	89 ↓	Bagguley, Lucy-Mae 7JD (15)
Y8	881 ↓	188 ↑	Meeson, Edith 8DG (25)
Y9	662 ↑	180 ↓	Moran, Holly 9YM (13)
Y10	520 ↑	171 ↑	Colclough, Casey 10P (15)
Y11			
Total	Event Logs = 3153 ↓ 20%		Conduct Logs = 628 ↓ 1%

	Zero Conduct Logs	100% Attendance	Attendance	Best form Attendance
Y7	167 (81%) =↑	157 (71%) ↓	91.8% ↓	7ND 95.7% ↑
Y8	126 (74%) ↑	119 (68%) ↑	89.9% ↑	8LHi 94.8% ↑
Y9	105 (64%) ↓	111 (67%) ↑	88.6% ↓	9MO 95% ↑
Y10	103 (63%) ↓	107 (66%) ↑	86.3% ↑	10P 93.9% ↑
Y11				
Total	501 (71%) ↓	494 (70%) ↑	89.2% ↑	

Film	Lord Of The Rings- The Two Towers (extended edition)
Place	Any beach in Wales
Team	Eddie Hall
Chocolate	Double-decker
Song	Blind and Frozen by Beast in Black
Book	DC Infinite Crisis
Colour	Green (Lantern)

What's on THIS week?

GCSE Exams Continue
 Mon – Maths, Spanish & IMedia
 Tue – Chemistry
 Fri – Geog & Physics

Mon 10th – Northwood Juniors
 Fri 14th – Summer Reports Sent to Parents

What's on NEXT Week?

Mon – Pupil Questionaries
 Tue – Y8 HPV
 Wed – Y10 Drama focus
 Thu - Y10 College Days Y9 Food Demonstrations
 Fri – Y9 Work Place Visits

REMINDERS!!!

Mon 24th CLW & Post 16 Week
 Mon 1st Training Day
 Fri 5th Sports Days

Trip Payments

Y8 & Y9 CLW June, Geog Trip
 Lyme Regis July

HOY AWARDS

Y7

Shelby Churchill 7EF

A wonderful young lady. Shelby is so polite, kind and hardworking. She can always be seen with a smile on her face.

Logan Yearsley 7EW

For a marked improvement in attitude and effort this week. Keep it up!!

Y8

Tilly Cosens 8AHP

Has been selected again but I have to give credit where credit is due. Working independently outside of lesson to support her studies in school. Excellent approach to school!

Teaghan Eardley 8KE

Another pupil who is putting good use of her creativity by working hard in and out of lessons. I have seen some of her art work that she has completed and it is brilliant! Well done!

Y9

Oliver Lester 9YM

A really good week, well done Oliver!

Stanley Robinson 9MO

Working really well and showing improved effort and focus.

Y10

Tom Vasey 10AO

For consistent effort in all subjects across the board. Tom is also a polite, hardworking and mature at all times and is a valued member of the team. Well done, Tom.

Casey Colclough 10P

A fantastic week of dedicated learning, a positive attitude to school and being an all-round beautiful being! Well done, Casey!

Y11

Every one of the year group has worked exceptionally hard in their exams and their conduct around school has been exemplary. Mrs Allen am immensely proud of all of you.



Lucky Dip Winners 10th June



Zero Conduct Log Winners

Y7 Turla, Vinz 7MK
Y8 Matthews, Jessica 8AHP
Y9 Alder, Logan 9MH
Y10 Perry, Felicity 10P
Y11 Walker, Jayden 11KM

Outstanding Work

Barlow, Pippa 9YM
RE
Event Log Plus
Weerasingha, Amika 8SWL
100% Attendance
Sims, Ellie-Mae 10GF

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.

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**

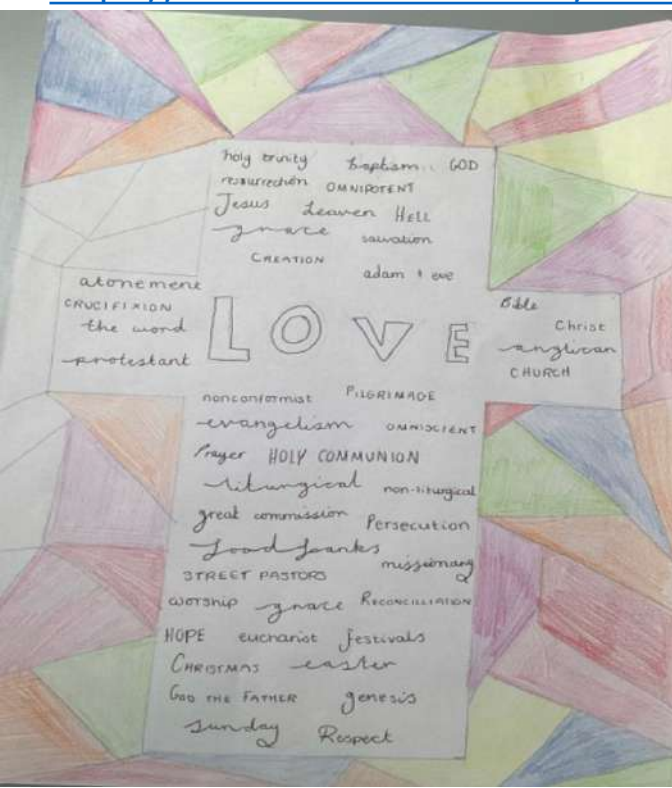


Bagguley, Lucy-Mae	Caulcott, Leah	Hanwell, Cassie	Eardley, Lucas	Davies, Theo
Forrester, Sophie	Dale, Edward	Haughton, Tayo	Mullen, Luca	Handley, Callum
Fradley, Kaiden	Dunn, Imogen	Richards, Libby	Pearce, Lottie	Umar, Mohammed
Guest, Tyler	Eardley, Ryan	Timmis, Isabelle	Salter, Marius	Woodcock, Evie
Shaw, Lewis	Hemmings, Daniel	Tomkinson, Lexie	Meadon, Lucy	Worgan, Elizabeth
	Jones, Ava	Walton, Oliver	Salt, Thomas	Wright, Tommy
		Weerasingha, Amika		

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>



RMS
Pippa Barlow
Year 9

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! Log! 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!



What Has Been happening....?

Chesterton Community Sports College
Presents

The Stars Were Born

A variety performance

Thursday 4th July 2024
6pm

Tickets will be available from Miss Owen after half term

Mrs Williams has said her goodbyes to a few more of her peer mentors...we all wish you well and thank you for your participation over the years. You are amazing and have been a credit. You will be missed ❤️

Faith Kershaw...Alfie Sellars...Ethan Goodwin Shone..Liam Pullin .. Clark Boardman



Well done to Marcin in Year 8 who travelled to Belgium this half term for a tournament with his football team JPL Staffordshire RTC and they won! A fabulous opportunity for him - well done Marcin

A HUGE well done to Thaleia who is now a member of MENSA!!! We are very proud of you - what an achievement



Tie of the Week



JPL Staffordshire RTC

U14

SCHEDULE STANDINGS

Ranking 17-20	Sportpark Sporta Spot	PLD	PTS	GD
1	🇬🇧 JPL ... e RTC	3	7	5
2	🇩🇪 RWL Sport	3	5	1
3	🇩🇪 VV SBC	3	4	-1
4	🇩🇪 Forumsport	3	0	-5

Fixtures Ranking 17-20 Sportp...



After School Clubs & Extra-Curriculum

Extra Curricular (23-24)

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Lunch	Peer Mentoring Y10/Y11 - Room 9		Peer Mentoring Y7/Y8/Y9 - Room 11	Writing Club Y7/Y8/Y9 - Room 7	Book Club Y7/Y8 - Library 1
After School 3:05 - 4	Book Club - Library 1 Dance - Dance Studio Y7, Y8, Y9s No experience needed	Lesson X - Room 18 Pokemon Club - Room 20	Garden Club - Room 3 Drama Club - Room 34 Entrepreneur 'Money Making' Club - Room 10	Pokemon Club - Room 20	

Boosters (23-24)

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
After School 3:05 - 4	Drama - Room 34 Music - Room 33	English - Rooms 5-9 Business Y10 - Room 26 Religious Studies - Room 34 D&T/iMedia - Workshop	English - Rooms 5-9 Science - Room 30 German - MFL Rooms Health & Social/Child Development - Room 27 Citizenship Room 26a	Business Y10 - Room 26 Spanish & French - MFL D&T/iMedia - Workshop Health & Social/Child Development - Room 7 Maths Foundation - Room 11 Higher - Room 14	History - Room 24 Geography - Room 28 Italian - MFL Rooms

Detentions

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Lunch Y7-Y9	Room 13	Room 32	Room 32	Room 32	Room 33
Lunch Y10-Y11	Room 32	Room 32	Room 32	Room 32	Room 32
After School		Uniform Quiet Room	Lates Hall		



2023-2024 Summer Term 2. 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 Dance Club – Year 7, 8 & 9	Rounders – Year 7, 8 & 9 Swim Club – All Years	Badminton – All Years	Rounders Fixtures Indoor Cricket Nets – All Years	

House Events

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8
Autumn Term 1	X	House Assemblies - Laura	House event 1 - Welly Wearing	X	X	House event 2 - Tug of War	X	X
Autumn Term 2	X	X	House event 3 - Mastermind	X	X	X	House event 4 - Puns	X
Spring Term 1	X	House event 5 - Chess	House event 6 - Art	X	X	House event 6 - Art		
Spring Term 2	X	X	X	House event 7 - Masters of Deceit	X			
Summer Term 1	X	House event 8 - Slowly Race	X	X	X	House event 9 - KUB!	House event 10 - KUB!	X
Summer Term 2	House event 9 - KUB!		House event 10 - Hobby Horsing	CUV	House event 11 - Competition Day	New TT		

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Can your work make any stories?

Complete Independent Learning Tasks #ILT

Never feel embarrassed about asking for help

Follow

Leadership Opportunities

- We want you to **get involved** in school life as much as possible
- Our school is a **community** and we **value your opinions** and we want you to **play an active role**
- There are many opportunities in school where you can **contribute** to the school community
- Have a more **rewarding time** at the school

Leadership Opportunities at CCSC

- School Council → See Miss Brownbill and Miss Hopwood
- Subject Leaders → See your subject teachers
- Sports Captains → See your PE teachers or your Head of Year
- House Leaders → See Mr Powell for more info
- Careers Champions → See Mrs Waterhouse for more info
- Primary Ambassadors → See Miss Meakin for more info
- Peer Mentoring → See your PE teachers for more info
- Sports Leadership → See Mrs Thompson (Dawn) for more info
- Prefects → See Mrs Thompson (Dawn) for more info

Alsager Netball Club

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.

GARDEN CLUB

- What?** Help to make the front of school look nicer - by tidying up the old plants, clearing weeds, and planting new plants
- When?** Wednesdays after school
- Where?** Meet in Room 3
- Who?** Anyone who wants to get involved - any year group.
- Why?** To improve the look of the school. It is also good for your mental health to spend time outside doing something active.



YEARS 1-4 FRIDAYS 6-7PM	YEARS 5-6 WEDNESDAYS 6-7PM	YEARS 7 ONWARDS WEDNESDAYS 7-8PM
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ALL HELD @ ALSAGER LEISURE CENTRE

www.alsagernetballclub.co.uk

NEWDANCE CLASS

STARTING YEAR 7, 8, 9

MONDAYS
3.05 - 4.00PM
@
DANCE STUDIO

IF INTERESTED IN ATTENDING, PLEASE SEE MRS. HITCHEN.

START DATE MONDAY THE 25TH OF SEPTEMBER 2023

CCSC Pokémon card Club

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

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

THUR, ROOM 20, 3:05-4

All students can track their event logs,

conduct logs and attendance using the isams app which can be found in self service or from the App store.

Students log in details.....

Username: firstname.surname

Password: FSurname1234

(First initial, Surname followed by their ipad pin)

End of Term Reports are now live on Student and Parent Isams for you all to view.

Any problems with logging in please text or ring the office.

You can download the App or visit the website.

<https://shorturl.at/chBH8>

Be Prepared
Be the Best You Can Be
Follow Instructions

Know More, Remember More
Understand It, Apply It



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

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.

LATES

If you are late to lesson...

▪ **3 Late to Lesson CLs**

→ Lunchtime detention (HoY/KSL) + after-school detention (30 mins)

▪ **6 Late to Lesson CLs**

→ Lunchtime detention in Quiet Room + after-school detention (1-hour)

▪ **9 Late to Lesson CLs**

→ Day in Quiet Room + after-school detention (1-hour)

▪ **12 Late to Lesson CLs**

→ **AT LEAST** 2 days in Quiet Room + after school detentions (RS decides time) + parent meeting

Lunch Times (Wet Weather)

	Period 8 (Y7, Y8 & Y9)	Period 9 (Y10 & Y11)
Monday	Sports Hall Library	Sports Hall
Tuesday	Sports Hall	Sports Hall
Wednesday	Main Hall Room 27	Sports Hall
Thursday	Sports Hall Library	Sports Hall
Friday	Sports Hall	Dance Studio

Year 11 GCSE Timetable - Summer 2024

Day	P1	P2	P3	P4	P5	P6	P7	P8	P9	P10	P11	P12	
BANK HOLIDAY MONDAY													
Tuesday 7th May 2024	Normal Lessons				Normal Lessons				Lunch	Normal Lessons			
Wednesday 8th May 2024	Normal Lessons				Normal Lessons				Lunch	Normal Lessons			
Thursday 9th May 2024	RE Exam - Paper 1 1hr 45mins				Normal Lessons				Lunch	Drama Exam - 1hr 45mins (early Lunch - start 13:15) Italian Listen & Reading Exams			
Friday 10th May 2024	Biology Exams - Paper 1 1hr 45 -Triple 1hr 15mins - Combined				Normal Lessons				Lunch	Geography Listen & Reading Exams (early Lunch - start 13:15)			
Monday 13th May 2024	English Literature Exam - Paper 1 1hr 45mins exams				Normal Lessons				Lunch	Normal Lessons			
Tuesday 14th May 2024	Normal Lessons				Normal Lessons				Lunch	Normal Lessons			
Wednesday 15th May 2024	History Exams - Paper 1 & 2 1hr - each exam				Normal Lessons				Lunch	Computer Sci Exam - Paper 1 1hr 30m exam (early Lunch - start 13:30)			
Thursday 16th May 2024	Maths Paper 1 1hr 30mins Exam				Normal Lessons				Lunch	RE Exam - Paper 1 1hr 45mins (early Lunch - start 13:15)			
Friday 17th May 2024	Chemistry Exams - Paper 1 1hr 45- Triple 1hr 15mins Combined				Normal Lessons				Lunch	Geography - Paper 1 1hr 30m exam (early Lunch - start 13:30)			
Monday 20th May 2024	English Literature Exam - Paper 2 2hr 15mins exams				Normal Lessons				Lunch	Italian Writing Exam (early Lunch - start 13:30)			
Tuesday 21st May 2024	Geography Writing Exam Citizenship - Paper 1 (1hr 45mins) Business Exam - 1hr 15mins				Exam Clashes Normal Lessons				Lunch	Spanish Development - 1hr 15min Computer Sci Exam - Paper 1 (early Lunch - start 13:15)			
Wednesday 22nd May 2024	Physics Exams - Paper 1 1hr 45- Triple, 1hr 15mins Combined				Normal Lessons				Lunch	GCSE PE Exam 1hr 15mins Exam			
Thursday 23rd May 2024	English Language Exam - Paper 1 1hr 45mins exams				Normal Lessons				Lunch	Normal Lessons			
Friday 24th May 2024	Normal Lessons				Normal Lessons				Lunch	Normal Lessons			
MAY HALF TERM													
Monday 3rd June 2024	Maths Paper 2 1hr 30mins Exam				Normal Lessons				Lunch	Citizenship - Paper 2 (1hr 45mins) (early Lunch - start 13:15) GCSE PE Exam - Paper 2 (1hr15mins)			
Tuesday 4th June 2024	Spanish Listening & Reading Exams 1hr 45mins exams				Normal Lessons				Lunch	History Exams - Paper 3 & 4 1hr - each exam (early Lunch - start 13:00)			
Wednesday 5th June 2024	Geography - Paper 2 1hr 30m exam				Normal Lessons				Lunch	Health & Social Exam 1hr 15mins Exam (early Lunch - start 13:30)			
Thursday 6th June 2024	English Language Exam - Paper 2 1hr 45mins exam				Normal Lessons				Lunch	Normal Lessons			
Friday 7th June 2024	Normal Lessons				Normal Lessons				Lunch	Biology Exams - Paper 2 1hr 45-Triple, 1hr 15mins - Combined			
Monday 10th June 2024	Maths Paper 3 1hr 30mins Exam				Exam Clashes Normal Lessons				Lunch	Spanish Writing Exams 1hr 45mins exams Media exam - 1hr 30mins			
Tuesday 11th June 2024	Chemistry Exams - Paper 2 1hr 45-Triple, 1hr 15mins Combined				Study Leave Starts				Lunch	Study Leave			
Wednesday 12th June 2024	Study Leave				Study Leave				Lunch	Study Leave			
Thursday 13th June 2024	Geography & Physics prep sessions				Study Leave				Lunch	Study Leave			
Friday 14th June 2024	Geography - Paper 3 1hr 30m exam				Study Leave				Lunch	Physics Exams - Paper 1 1hr 45- Triple, 1hr 15mins Combined			
Monday 17th June 2024	Study Leave				Study Leave				Lunch	Music Listening Exam - 1hr			
Tuesday 18th June 2024	D & T Exam - 2hours Exam				Study Leave				Lunch	Study Leave			
Wednesday 19th June 2024	Food Exam - 1hr 45mins Exam				Study Leave				Lunch	Study Leave			

REVISE

How To Revise/Recap



- Summarise**
 - Read a topic/chapter/page and summarise into 5 bullet points.
- 5 Questions**
 - Read the topic/chapter/page and write your own 5 questions with answers.
- Definitions**
 - Pick 5 keywords and write the meaning.
- Picture**
 - Draw a diagram/picture and label it to explain what it shows
- Video**
 - Watch a SHORT video on YouTube on a topic/keyword/concept and pause it at appropriate times to make 5 bullet points.
- Quiz**
 - Find 10 questions on kahoot, booklet or educake, answer them and make notes on anything you learn or need to remember.
- Mind Map**
 - Pick a topic and draw a mind map explaining 10 key points.
- Copy**
 - Pick a topic and read the crucial knowledge. Copy 5 sentences that you don't remember or understand.
- Memory**
 - Look at the crucial knowledge for 30 seconds. Cover it up and write down everything you can remember in 30 seconds. Repeat 3 times.
- Flash Card**
 - Pick a topic/chapter/page and on the front of the flash card write 5 keywords/phrases or pictures and on the back write what they mean.
- Exam Questions/Past Papers**
 - Pick a topic and answer exam questions. Ensure you use a mark scheme to check your answers. Past Papers can be found online and downloaded.
- Worksheets/Workbooks**
 - Pick a topic and complete a placemat or worksheet on that topic. Ask your teacher and they will print/send you lots. Use your memory first and then use other resources such as the crucial knowledge to help you.



QUIZ!



YEAR 11 PROM FRIDAY 5TH JULY 2024

Wychwood Park Golf Clubhouse
7.00pm-11.00pm

WHAT HAPPENS NEXT...

- > To secure a place, a £5 deposit will need to be paid by 12th April 2024. The remaining balance of £20 will need to be paid by 7th June 2024. You can use school reward vouchers.
- > Anyone with specific dietary requirements; vegetarian, vegan or food intolerance should make Dawn aware.
- > A professional photographer will join us to photograph the event. Photographs will be available to buy after the evening. No obligation to buy.
- > As always, we would like as many pupils as possible to be able to attend the prom, however, this will be dependent on behaviour during lessons, the exam period and around the school building.

Leavers Hoodies 2024

Standard

Standard

Extra Personalisation



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Extra Personalisation

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Once at Park

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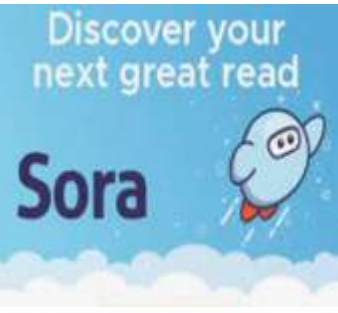
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English Department



🌟 English Stars Of The Week 🌟

KM: Madeea Macavei – for her insightful contributions to learning during the recap of “The Tiny 9”. Some lovely knowledge and ideas shared with the group. Well done.

GA: Elsie Fryer – Fantastic contribution to lessons this week and always. Elsie is so creative and has some really perspective ideas surrounding the texts we have been looking at.

NE: Charlotte Wilkinson – fab effort in lesson lately, she is becoming a lot more confident in her own abilities which is so lovely to see 🤔😊

KDR: Oliver Pointon for his increased participation in lesson. It’s been fab to see him with his hand up so much and sharing his ace ideas.

KW: Cassie Hanwell 9/3(GA): Improved effort in English and is always able to answer the questions about poetry.

EW: Lewis Wright for working really hard in English and producing really thoughtful poetry analysis

RF: Lucas Bennett (10.2y) for his incredible effort on this week’s essay and use of teacher feedback to improve his work.

Did you know that you can read with your ears using Sora!!



	Date	4th June	5th June
1	Staff	RF	KDR
	Focus	Language Paper 2	Language Paper 2
	Focus	Question 5	Question 4
2	Date	11th June	12th June
	Staff	EW	NE
	Focus	London	War Photographer
3	Date	18th June	19th June
	Staff	KW	AP
	Focus	The Prelude	Remains
4	Date	25th June	26th June
	Staff		
	Focus		
5	Date	2nd July	3rd July
	Staff		
	Focus		
6	Date	9th July	10th July
	Staff	KM	GA
	Focus	Speaking and Listening	Speaking and Listening
7	Date	16th July	17th July
	Staff	EW	KDR
	Focus	Speaking and Listening	Speaking and Listening

English Department



BOOK CLUB

Library 1

YEARS 7 AND 8

Friday - Period 8

Bring your lunch
All abilities welcome :)



WRITING CLUB



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

Thursdays, Lesson 8
Room 7

Open to
Years 7, 8, and 9

See Miss Ferrari in Room 7 for more
information.



BOOK CLUB

Library 1

YEAR 7 - 11

Monday - 3:05 - 4pm

All abilities welcome :)

February Winners

Liam Pullin, Olivia-Rose Lee, and Tayla Gorman

June writing challenge

Imagine time stops and you are
the only person that can move.



Email your
entries to
Mrs
Ferrari-
Evans by
July 5th





THE DAY NEWS DETECTIVES

THE EXTRA PAGE

TODAY'S BIG STORY

The day the world puts the Earth first

This Saturday, people around the world will take part in events to show their support for environmental causes. But should every day be earth day?



Planetary: One billion people in 193 countries will take part in Earth Day activities.

Planet Earth needs you this April! On 22 April, the world marks its 53rd Earth Day. It is an event that has been held since 1970. Now, about a billion people in 193 countries take part in Earth Day activities, demanding that we do more to **preserve** the natural environment.

Participants protest, stage cultural events, and clean up polluted areas, all hoping to raise awareness of the **plight** of Mother Earth.

Earth Day was started in the United States by a **senator**, Gaylord Nelson. Nelson was **appalled** by an oil spill in

THE STORY SO FAR

Earth Day became a worldwide event in 1990, after starting in the USA. It is important to activists and policy makers. The Paris climate change agreements were signed on Earth Day 2016.

California, and he decided it was time to make a stand. Millions stood with him, and Earth Day was born.

The first Earth Day helped pave the way for new **green** laws in the USA. Later days have called for further action.

The **theme** for this year's Earth Day is Invest in Earth. One of its big activities is cleaning up plastic pollution.

The president of earthday.org, Kathleen Rogers, said: "From harming marine and human health, to **clogging** our waterways and littering communities, plastic pollution is threatening the survival of our shared planet. Cleanups are just one way individuals can get involved."

People from around the world can use the Earth Day website to see what people near them are doing for the Earth on Saturday.

KEY WORDS

- Preserve:** Keep in a good condition
- Appalled:** Horrified
- Participants:** People who take part in something
- Plight:** Dangerous position
- Senator:** An important American politician
- Green:** Good for the environment
- Theme:** Topic or key message
- Clogging:** Blocking



YOU DECIDE

But should every day be Earth Day?

YES. It is not good enough to think about Earth just one day a year. We need to make at least 365 times more effort to save the planet!

NO. Having one Earth Day helps bring the most people together. It helps to raise awareness.

How to take part in Earth Day 2023

World Earth Day is fast approaching and this year will follow on from the work of the 2022 event.

The 53rd anniversary will be celebrated on Saturday 22 April, with people encouraged to do their bit and join the millions worldwide who take part.

The event this year will coincide with a big protest by climate activist group Extinction Rebellion. Thousands of people are expected to descend on Britain's Parliament to protest.

So what is World Earth Day, what does it mean and how can we take part? Let's take a look ...

When is World Earth Day?
World Earth Day is held on 22 April – the same date every year.

What is World Earth Day about?
Earth Day was first launched in 1970, when millions of people in America took to the streets to protest for environmental reform.

People all around the world are encouraged to do things to benefit the environment, from recycling and planting trees to reducing their carbon footprints.

What is this year's theme?
Normally each year, Earth Day has a different theme, this year it is "Invest in our planet" – the same as the 2022 event.

Earth Day was launched as a way to teach environmentalism and protest against the negative aspects



On the march: Earth Day has been taking place in April since 1970.

of industrialisation, and coincided with rising public concern about the environment. Earth Day soon grew to become a global environmental movement.

More than a billion people worldwide now take part in marches, petitions and clean-ups to protect the environment – making it the largest civic observance in the world.

People all around the world are encouraged to do things to benefit the environment, from recycling and planting trees to reducing their carbon footprints.

How can I get involved?
Organisers are encouraging people to make this year the best one ever. People wanting to take part can enter their postcode on the website and see what events are going on locally to them.

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The Day

MFL Department

Miss Moscati's Star of the Week
Luca Mullen for excellent participation in the lesson.

Mr Whitehead's Star of the Week
Callum Handley for working so hard towards the exams and keeping his sense of humour.

Mrs Knight's Star of the Week
Lewis Shaw and Lily Wilshaw for their recent hard work preparing and then delivering their answers in their speaking assessments. I am really pleased with their progress.

Mrs Orton's Star of the Week
Lottie Pearce for her amazing achievement on the End of half term Listening and Reading assessments. Keep up the good work!

Mr Jackson's Star of the Week
Elizabeth Worgan for her performance in the speaking assessment and how well she had prepared for it.

Mr Shadwell's Star of the Week
Paige Brierley for an excellent introduction to conjugation in Spanish

Mrs Rutter's Star of the Week
Chloe Cartledge and Lilly-Mo Morgan for outstanding results in their assessments

Exam Prep - Structure of the week:

Lo bueno / malo / peor / mejor –
 Match up the English and Spanish

1. Lo bueno del hotel era que tenía una piscina enorme.

2. The worst thing about the town was that it was noisy.



1. Lo mejor de mi cole es que tiene muchas instalaciones deportivas.

2. The bad thing is that the teachers are strict.



1. Lo malo de mi hermano es que es muy egoísta.

2. The good thing about my parents is that they listen to me.



1. Lo peor de las redes sociales es que te enganchan.

2. The best thing about TikTok is that it's free.



1. Lo bueno del cine es que la imagen es mejor en la gran pantalla.

2. However, the bad thing is that the tickets are expensive.



1. Lo bueno del futbol es que me mantiene en forma.

2. The best thing about going out with my friends is that we always have fun.



1. Lo peor de mi ciudad es que hay demasiado tráfico en el centro.

2. The good thing about my town is that there is lots to do.



1. Lo peor de la comida basura es que es muy adictiva.

2. The good thing about my diet is that I eat lots of fruit.



1. Lo mejor de mi trabajo es que las horas son flexibles.

2. The bad thing about my job is that my boss is mean.



1. Lo peor de fumar es que puede causar cáncer.

2. The good thing about my house is that we have solar panels.



Science Department

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B6 Inheritance & Variation

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C7 Alkanes & Alkenes

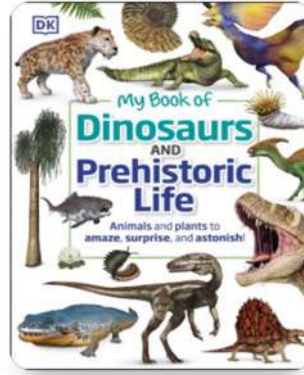
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P6 Electromagnetic Spectrum

WEEK 34



Science Book of the Week

Available now on the Sora App!



Most people find dinosaurs interesting but this book is not only about dinosaurs – you will learn about other extinct creatures as well as prehistoric plants and early humans

Can you pronounce the name of this prehistoric animal - quetzalcoatlus



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

	% Correct	Questions Answered	Best Class
Year 7	82.1%	3,756	7/2x & 7/2y
Year 8	77.6%	692	8/1y Double
Year 9	77.2%	2,876	9/1y Double
Year 10	65.1%	1,113	10/2y & 10/4
Year 11	70.4%	223	11/1x Double
Whole School	77.6%	8,660	

Student	Year	Class(es)	Qs Answered	% Correct	Qs Set Themselves
1 Noel Garside	7	7/2x Sci EF/PF	342	82%	268
2 Maddison Everill	10	10 set 2y Sci KE	150	91%	0
3 Leon English *	7	7/1x Sci KE	135	96%	0
4 Dylan Jones	7	7/1y Sci CD	127	86%	0
5 Aafreen Ahmed	11	11 set 1x Sci HB	125	74%	125
6 Leah Johnson	9	9 set 1y Sci KE	120	92%	0
7 Ella Scott	7	7/2x Sci EF/PF	117	76%	0
8 Eva Booth	7	7/2y Sci MC	116	86%	0
9 Lewis Cornwell	10	10 set 4 Sci CD	105	80%	0
10 Aimee Bagnall	10	10 set 2y Sci KE	100	79%	0

Student	Year	Class(es)	Qs Answered	% Correct	Qs Set Themselves
1 Chloe Barker	9	9 set 1x Sci HB	30	100%	0
2 Holly Davies	9	9 set 1x Sci HB	30	100%	0
3 Tobias Lindsay	7	7/1y Sci CD	29	100%	0
4 Sonny Bednarski	8	8/1y Sci EF	21	100%	0
5 Olivia Gouyet	8	8/1y Sci EF	21	100%	0
6 Stanley Robinson	9	9 set 2y Sci CD	6	100%	0
7 Kian Braddock	7	7/1y Sci CD	5	100%	0
8 Kiera Simpson	7	7/1y Sci CD	5	100%	0
9 Lexi Kinsella	7	7 set 5 Sci HB	3	100%	0
10 Poppy Fletcher	7	7 set 5 Sci HB	1	100%	0



- PSCHE – 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

- PSCHE – 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



- PSCHE – 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

- PSCHE – 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

- PSCHE – 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

Newcastle College

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



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>



OPEN EVENTS 2023/24

Pre-registering for the events via the college website is highly recommended

**Please check college / provider websites for any last-minute changes



Newcastle College (NSCG): 01782 715111

4th October 2023 5:30pm - 8pm
 16th November 2023 5:30pm - 8pm
 20th January 2024 10am - 12 noon
 20th April 2024 10am - 12 noon

Reaseheath College: 01270 625131

7th October 2023 10:30am - 2pm
 4th November 2023
 2nd December 2023
 13th January 2024
 10th February 2024
 23rd March 2024
 20th April 2024
 8th June 2024

Cheshire College: 01270 654654, (Crewe campus)

11th October 2023 5:30pm - 8:00pm
 14th November 2023 5:30pm - 8:00pm

Stoke-On-Trent College: 01782 208206, (Burslem & Caudon)

18th October 2023 5:00pm - 7:30pm
 29th November 2023 5:00pm - 7:30pm
 6th March 2024 5:00pm - 7:30pm
 18th May 2024 10am - 2pm
 26th June 2024 5:00pm - 7:30pm

Stoke Sixth Form College: 01782 848736

11th October 2023 5:00pm - 7:00pm
 21st November 2023 5:00pm - 7:00pm
 27th February 2024 5:00pm - 7:00pm

Open Events 2023

Wednesday 4 October 2023, 5:30pm - 8pm

Thursday 16 November 2023, 5:30pm - 8pm

Saturday 20 January 2024, 10am - 12noon

Saturday 20 April 2024, 10am - 12noon



Visit websites below for information / forthcoming events at:

MARTEC Training:

E. Quality Training: (Newcastle, Harley, Stafford centres)

School 6th Forms:

Alsager School

The King's CofE Academy (Kidsgrave)

Trinity 6th Form

St Joseph's College: (Trent Vale)



Anti- Homophobe
(Against Homophobia)

Homophobia encompasses a range of negative attitudes and feelings toward homosexuality or people who identify or are perceived as being lesbian, gay or bisexual.

In the early 1950s, the police in the UK actively enforced laws prohibiting sexual behaviour between men. By the end of 1954, there were 1,069 homosexual men in prison in England and Wales, with an average age of 37 years. In 1967 the Sexual Offences Act was passed which decriminalised private homosexual acts between men aged over 21, while at the same time imposing heavier penalties on street offences.

The male homosexual age of consent in the United Kingdom was set at 21 in the Sexual Offences Act of 1967, lowered to 18 in the Criminal Justice and Public Order Act 1994, and then finally lowered equally to 16 in England and Wales and Scotland in the Sexual Offences (Amendment) Act of 2000.

Some historians estimate that during World War 2 the part played by **Alan Turing** in Bletchley Park's massive codebreaking operation, especially the breaking of the German U-boat Enigma code, shortened the war in Europe by as many as two to four years.

Turing was a homosexual man and was convicted in 1952 of "Gross Indecency." He was faced with an impossibly cruel choice of imprisonment, or probation on the condition he underwent a form of chemical castration (hormone treatment). He chose the latter and following the physical and mental distress this caused Turing died from suicide two years later. His life at Bletchley Park and later death, was dramatised in the 2014 film *The Imitation Game*. In 2013 Alan Turing was "symbolically" granted a posthumous Royal pardon (a release from punishment for an offence, granted by a monarch).



Today there are still over 60 countries worldwide that have laws that criminalise homosexuality and numerically nearly half of these are in Africa.

The death penalty is the legally prescribed punishment for same-sex sexual acts in a handful of countries and for a similar number of countries there is no legal clarity, so it could be applied.

Some studies suggest that the reasons for homophobia are linked to three factors-poor economic development, lack of democracy and fundamentalist religion. Some Middle Eastern and African nations where Islam or conservative Bible-based religious faiths are commonly practised, have some of the least tolerant attitudes.



Countries that criminalise LGBT people.

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SATURDAY 15TH JUNE 2024
Hanley Park, Cleveland Road
Stoke-on-Trent, ST1 4DX

Don't forget to check you emails and Teams DAILY to complete your homework quizzes/assignments!



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

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