



31st March 2023

Dear Parents/Carers

Ofsted

This week, we welcomed 6 Ofsted inspectors in to the school to look at how we're improving as a school. The inspection comes from the previous section 8 inspection, which took place in December 2021 where Ofsted identified their intention to return to the school within 1-2 years.

The inspection team spent two days walking the site, speaking with staff, students, Governors and Leaders, as well as visiting lots of lessons across the school. Lots of positives came through the feedback and we're looking forward to receiving the final report in a few weeks' time. Once the report is finalised, we will publish the report on our website for all our parents and carers to read.

Year 8 Football

Coundon Court vs Sidney Stringer

In difficult conditions the game started very intense as there were many opportunities and lots of shots taken off but no goal. After 5 minutes Jake B scored to make it 1-0 to Coundon. Not long after Sidney Stringer managed to get 2 goals within 10 minutes to make it 1-2 to Sydney Stringer. The rest of the half was very intense but no goals to change the score line.

The second half was brilliant as we managed to score to make it 2-2 for Coundon. It looked like Coundon was going to get more goals until a foul was committed in a bad area. Sidney Stringer managed to score the freekick and get them in the lead. Coundon knew they could not afford to lose another game, so they stepped it up and Steve F managed to score in the last 5 minutes to get Coundon back into it. It looked like the game was over but in the last 2 minutes a shot was taken and deflected off a defender to give an own goal and made the crowd go wild!

Year 7 Netball

The following girls took part in the Year 7 Netball Tournament on Friday 24th March after school at Cardinal Newman in very mixed weather. The girls played some fantastic netball, beating PK and Bluecoat, and drawing with Bablake. We then played KHVIII and Cardinal Newman in the semi-finals to finish 4th overall. The overall finishing position did not reflect their tenacity, commitment, and enthusiasm - they have been a superb team to work with this season.



Eve H, Amber S, Greta B, Ava H, Demaris R, Lexie H, Lacey C, Annabel C, Caitlin M, Ruby S, Emma O

Year 11 Netball

**Congratulations to the winners of the Coventry Schools Netball League 2023
A fantastic achievement in your final year!**

As the netball season has now finished, the Year 11 netballer's, well what can I say other than what a pleasure they have been to take as a netball squad. I can honestly say that each one of the girls has strived to improve their game showing endeavour and prowess at every opportunity. Coventry league winners in year 10 and year 11.

To a very special group of year 11 girls, many thanks for your endless enthusiasm, time, effort and commitment over the past two years. Good luck in whatever path you take and keep on playing!!

Well done to Mia H, Millie C, Izzy A, Grace O, Emily S, Erin U, Erin G, Lexie Y and Korey W



Under 14 Rugby League

The U14 rugby team had a fantastic season, reaching the Coventry Schools Cup final at the Butts Park Arena. The team comfortably beat Bablake and Caludon Castle in the run up to the cup final, with tries being shared around the whole side. It was also brilliant to have some new players join the squad over the last few months and to gain some game time experience. Unfortunately, the team came up against a very strong Bablake team on Monday in the cup final, falling short at the last hurdle. It was, however, a fantastic experience for the whole squad to play at Coventry's ground in front of a crowd, hopefully they can go all the way next year – well done for a great year!



Archie R, Harley H, Mitch N, Jack C, Zak K, Lewis W, King D, Fintan H, Noah C, Kieran G, Jacob K, Charlie J, Brandon P, Reggie J, Leo M, Lincoln C, Ollie M, Jude T, Dawson M, Sam M, Joe H, Ben V

Maths Sparx Points

Well done to the following students who achieved the most Sparx Maths Points last week!

YEAR 7	YEAR 8	YEAR 9	YEAR 10	YEAR 11
Daniel O	Samuel O	Maninder S	Mustafa T	Hannah-Jo M
Lottie C	Sophie F	Sofia J	Lucy M	Erin G
Shima S	Daisy G	Abdulrahaman B	Harleen R	Astou s
Alex A	Kriedon P	Adnan S	Michaela T	Zuzanna Z
Iqra S	Saad A	Danial A	Eloise C	Mia J

Tutor Star of the Week

Students are recognised for their efforts during the week by their tutor. Tutors nominate their star of the week for the student's commitment to their studies and achieving our Coundon core values of hard work, kindness, and respect. Well done to the following students who have been awarded star of the week this week.

YEAR 7	YEAR 8	YEAR 9	YEAR 10	YEAR 11
Ryan W Siyaam H Nirvana S Adam F Imaan A	Chloe S Poppy T Troy C Sahar A Thirisha J	Frankie F Dawson M Jude T Emily D	Rita K Corey U Kelsey P Erin F Michelle U Nikhita C	Dylan S Ben S Mia L

Spring Awards Assemblies

This week we have been celebrating all the hard work of our amazing students in our end of term awards. Students have been recognised for the amazing achievements in lesson time, sport, attendance, and achievements.

Congratulations to our faculty award winners:

Subject	Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Year 11
Art	Paddy E	Freya FC	Morgan G	Ami B	
Business				Dylan K	Ben S
Computer Science				Stefan I	Reshaun P
D & T	Zaid M	Nataya O	Maya-Miriam L	Oliver B	Hasnain A
Drama	John B	Benjamin C	Maninder S	Holly M	Lexie C
English	Amber S	Sakana T	Aman A	Cadie S	Anya D
Food Tech	Kiera G	Harry R	Hansika M	Nikhita C	Jasminara A
French	Furqaan S	Amy F	Mandy H	Surosh A	Sravani S
Geography	Amran M	Alex B	Tiana M	Shayan N	Erin U
History	Isabella K	Scarlett w	Lucy D	Georgina W	Millie C
ICT	Ruby S	Chloe S	Mandy H		
Maths	Oliver W	Owen S	Frankie F	Felicity M	Isabella P
Music	Oliver W		Emmanuel O	Libby B	Harrison B
PE	James C	Ethan L	Kieran G	Kelsey P	Grace O
Photography					Maddie W
RE	Lucia H	Gursev T	Bilal M	Husnaa K	Jessica T
Science	Sarah J	Joseph H	Jo Jo B	Jananey K	Zuzanna Z
Sociology				Jananey K	
Spanish	Kelsey F	Zahira A	Kieran G	Heidi M	Nivisha P



Ethan J Year 8

Not only did Ethan gain the award for the Year 8 Student of the Term, he also has been awarded the Contribution to Charity Work Award by the Lord Mayor. Ethan has been working tirelessly to support the local charities to raise funds for all the amazing work they do to support the Coventry community. We are so proud of you Ethan - keep up the hard work!



Year 11 Master Classes – Easter

Master classes are a great way to get additional support and guidance from subject

Subject	Session	Time	Room and Staff
Art and Photography	Externally Set Task – Investigation Development leading to Final Exams	Wednesday 5 th April – 08.30 – 10.10 & 10.30 – 12.10	Mrs Birch – T11 Ms Connelly / Ms Davies-Goodridge – T12 Ms Rae – CG4
Business	Applications and analysis question practice Evaluation (PEEL) practice (Paper 1 and Paper 2)	Wednesday 5 th April – 13.10 – 14.50 Thursday 6 th April – 13.10 – 14.50	Mr Saeed – S11
Drama	Drama intervention – Exam practice and question breakdown	Tuesday 6 th April – 08.30 – 10.10	Ms Russell & Mrs Bal – PG1 & PG2
English	English Language Paper 1 Q3-5 English Language Paper 2 Q3-5	Tuesday 4 th April – 10.30 – 12.10 Wednesday 5 th April – 10.30 – 12.10	Ms Maton – L14, L15 & L16 Ms Ali
iMedia	Creative iMedia	Tuesday 4 th April – 08.30 – 10.10, 10.30 – 12.10 & 13.10 – 14.50	Ms Simak & Ms Waugh – S12/S13
MFL	Reading and listening in French and Spanish Speaking and writing in French and Spanish	Tuesday 4 th April – 08.30 – 10.10 & 10.30 – 12.10 Thursday 6 th April – 1.30 – 12.10	Mr Mascolo (French) Mr Cockrell (Spanish) Mr Mosely (French) Ms Nashad (Spanish)
Maths	Higher Problem Solving Foundation Problem Solving	Tuesday 4 th April – 10.30 – 12.10	Mrs Lawrence – 313 Mr McLeish – 312 Mr Lanwarne – 115 Mr Ellis - 112
RE	Writing for a clear line of argument and justified conclusion.	Wednesday 5 th April - 10.30 – 12.10	Ms O'Connor – C12
Science	Required Practical's and Working Scientifically.	Tuesday 11 th April – 10.30 – 12.10	Ms Cartmell, Mr Davies, Ms Norris, and Ms Sears – 221, 222 & 223
Music	Listening exam practice	Tuesday 11 th April – 08.30 – 10.10	Mr Partridge & Mr King – P11 & P12

specialists to brush up on your skills and knowledge ready for the exams. You will earn money off your prom ticket for attending master classes, so get collecting!

Year 13 Master Classes – Easter

Subject	Session	Time	Room and Staff
Health and Social Care	Unit 4 Exam Revision	Tuesday 11 th April – 08.30 – 10.10	Ms Hulse – OG2
	Writing to explain biological functions.	Thursday 6 th April – 10.30 – 12.10	Ms O'Connor – OG1
	Writing to analyse and evaluate monitoring, treatment, and care needs	Thursday 6 th April – 13.10 – 14.50	Ms O'Connor – OG1
Art and Photography	Externally Set Task – Investigation Development Leading to Final Exam	Tuesday 4 th April – 08.30 – 10.10 & 10.30 – 12.10	Mrs Birch – T11
English	John Donne Revision	Tuesday 11 th April – 10.30 -11.40	Ms Redfern-Crane – L18
Psychology	Revision Booster	Tuesday 11 th April – 10.30 – 12.10	Ms Franklin & Ms Hulse – OG1
Business	Component 1 - 12-mark practice	Tuesday 11 th April – 13.10 – 14.50	Mr Saeed – S11
	Component 2 - finance practice	Wednesday 12 th April – 13.10 – 14.50	Mr Saeed – S11
AS Further Maths	Decision 1/Mechanics 1	Tuesday 4 th April – 13.10 – 14.50	Mr Lanwarne - 115
Maths	Mechanics – Forces and Projectiles Pure - Integration	Tuesday 4 th April - 13.10 – 14.50	Ms Lawrence - 114

Mental Health

The association for Child and Adolescent Mental Health (ACAMH) have released a podcast around the PRIMERA programme, which investigated how best to support young families experiencing parental mental health issues.

You can listen to the podcast on the website link here

<https://www.acamh.org/podcasts/the-primera-project-parental-mental-health-and-family-focused-interventions/>, or through other platforms such as apple, Googlepodcasts, SoundCloud.

Panic Attack at School

Young Minds recent blog 'How I learnt to manage panic disorder in school' focusses on real life experiences and coping techniques to help young people manage a panic attack in school.

It is a short blog that can signpost a young person, or adult, to further support and advice. You can read the blog here <https://www.youngminds.org.uk/young-person/blog/how-i-learnt-to-manage-panic-disorder-in-school/>

Achievements This Week

Congratulations to these students, who gained the most points in the Year this week.

YEAR 7	YEAR 8	YEAR 9	YEAR 10	YEAR 11
Iqra S	Reggie N	Sofia j	Lola H	Ethan H
Aqsa W	Zahira A	Brandon S	Mustafa T	Hanna B
Imaan A	Sophie F	Kiera Q	Michaela T	Finley M
Annabel c	Samuel O	Joss O	Agamjot S	Anya D
Ryan W	Ava C	Zainab S	Lewis S	Oliver M

Week Done to Singer House – who have gained the most Achievement Points this week.

House	Achievement Points
Singer	3886
Massey	3780
Dunlop	3596
Jaguar	3544
Rotherhams	3356
Courtauld	2856

The Tutor Groups with the most points in their year are:

Year 7: 7TMS, Year 8: 8CRA, Year 9: 9RAL, Year 10: 10ING, Year 11: 11DEN, Sixth Form: 12ALD

PIPA

Please see the attached information to register for the PIPA Trial being conducted by the University of Warwick, the deadline for registering closes today on 31st March 2023.

Invigilators Required

We are currently recruiting Invigilators to work at our school for the summer exam season which runs from Monday 15th May to the end of June. If you are interested, please apply through the link below.

<https://www.coundoncourt.org/join-us/current-vacancies>

Yours sincerely



Mr C Heal
Principal