

YEAR 10 BUBBLE NEWS

Welcome back Year 10!

We have been really impressed with how well you have settled back into school and the strong start you have made on your GCSE journey! Your teachers have been so impressed with you and we have sent over 270 postcards so far.

Mrs Lawson, Mr Robinson and Miss La Broy



"The school and the bubbles feel very organised, we feel safe being back."

Subject Snapshot

ENGLISH: In English we have been working on creating characters to help students with English Language Paper One.

MATHS: In Maths we have been studying Sequences, Data Handling and reviewing some Number and Shape.

SCIENCE: We have been studying core aspects of the Science syllabus. Students receive a weekly newsletter which highlights "this week's learning" in Biology, Chemistry and Physics. All details of the topics are contained within this newsletter. It's well worth a look!

APPLIED STUDIES: In Media we've been exploring elements within an interactive media product. In Sport we have been investigating the Business of Sport. Students in Photography have been exploring the use of DSL cameras. In Vocational Skills students have done practical work on the allotment with plant maintenance.

ART: In Art students have been enjoying exploring and responding to artists.

BUSINESS: Students have been exploring the qualities of an entrepreneur and the different forms of business ownership.

CHILD DEVELOPMENT: We have been learning about parenthood and the biological processes in conceiving a child.

COMPUTER SCIENCE: Students have been learning to program in Python.

DIGITAL IT: In Digital IT we have been learning about User Interfaces and how we interact with them on a daily basis.

DRAMA: We have been looking at the role of theatre makers - sets, costume, designers etc.

DT: So far this term we have covered where our energy comes from and how this is changing.

FOOD TECH: We have been looking at food spoilage and hygiene and safety in the food industry.

GEOGRAPHY: In Geography we have been studying urbanisation and have looked at urban issue within Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE: Students have started their first bit of coursework on Communication. This will be finished by Christmas.

HISTORY: We have been studying the interwar period and some of the factors which played a part in the outbreak of WW2, the Treaty of Versailles and the League of Nations.

MFL: In French and German students have made an amazing start by learning and talking about their home and local area. In Spanish students have had an outstanding start to the first GCSE Spanish course, learning about families and friends and meeting Lucia, our Spanish assistant.

MUSIC: We have been learning the following topics of music theory: scales, key signatures, the circle of 5ths and intervals.

PE: Core PE have been participating in a carousel of different activities including fitness, volleyball, cricket and rounders. OCR Cambridge National - We have been looking at participation in sport and values that sport promotes. GCSE AQA - Students have been studying components of fitness and carrying out fitness tests.

PHILOSOPHY AND ETHICS: Students have been studying the beliefs that make up Christianity, including the meaning of sin, salvation, temptation and atonement.

TEXTILES: In Textiles students have been building their confidence on the sewing machine and producing some fantastic work.



Competition wins



Attendance Voyage Winners:

1st Place - ASJ & CAC

2nd Place - LRM

Uniform Voyage Winners:

1st Place - LJF & SMP

2nd Place - LRM, SMD & EWW



Bubble Brilliance



A big thank you and well done to the student council for making the charity rosettes!

