



FAMOUS FRENCH-SPEAKING PERSON COMPETITION

Each year we task our Year 7 students with finding out interesting information about a famous French-speaking person of their choice and present this information in a creative and interesting way.

Once again, this year, we have been overwhelmed with the quality of the projects and the creativity of our students. Each teacher selected the best three in each class and then we invited a number of staff to vote for their favourite.

The results are in!

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TWO COLLINGWOOD DEBATERS SELECTED FOR TEAM ENGLAND

We are delighted to announce that Ellie Bean (Year 13) and Bethan Wood (Year 10) have been selected for the Team England debating squad.

They were selected from hundreds of students who originally applied and they earned their place after gruelling trials over several days in October.

The squad represent the very best debaters in England from fee paying and state education and it is highly unusual for two students to be selected from the same school.

Ellie Bean is returning to the squad after her highly successful year as team captain where she took Team England to Vietnam for the World School Debating Championships.

Bethan Wood is the youngest student ever to be selected for what is normally a sixth form team and she is very excited to be given the opportunity to train alongside Ellie and the top debaters in the country.

I am sure we all wish Ellie and Bethan the very best for their upcoming international competitions.

Mr Baird - School Debating Coach

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY - DON'T MISS OUT!

- Thursday 9 November:** Year 12 Parents' Evening, 4.30pm until 7.00pm
- Friday 17 November:** Non-uniform Day in Support of Children in Need
- Thursday 23 November:** Year 13 Parents' Evening, 4.30pm until 7.00pm
- Friday 24 November:** Sixth Form Application Deadline
- Monday 27 November:** Additional College Day Closure

YOUTUBE CHANNEL TO SUPPORT STUDENTS' SCIENCE KNOWLEDGE

Is your child struggling to engage or revise for their Science Assessment in Years 7 and 8 (KS3) or in Years 9-11 (GCSE)?

Do you think they have gaps in knowledge? - then they would benefit from **SUBSCRIBING** to **YOUTUBE channel PURE SCIENCE EDUCATION** to support them.

The channel has been created for Collingwood students for the above purpose and students using the site regularly are increasing their grades. They will also automatically receive 1 **FREE video** a week, if they subscribe.

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCYDeVqnWJimN6BtbnPkqdCQ>

Mrs Pari - Science Department

ATTENDANCE - LEAVE OF ABSENCE/ HOLIDAY REQUESTS

Just to remind parents/carers that if they take their children out of school without authority, they will be liable to receive a penalty notice. Currently the amount payable under a penalty notice is £60.00 per parent/carer per child if paid within 21 days. Thereafter the amount increases to £120.00 if paid between 21 and 28 days. If the penalty notice remains unpaid after 28 days, the Local Authority will consider a prosecution in the Magistrates Court. Please note that penalty notices are issued per parent/carer per child so a family of two parents and two children will receive 4 penalty notices.

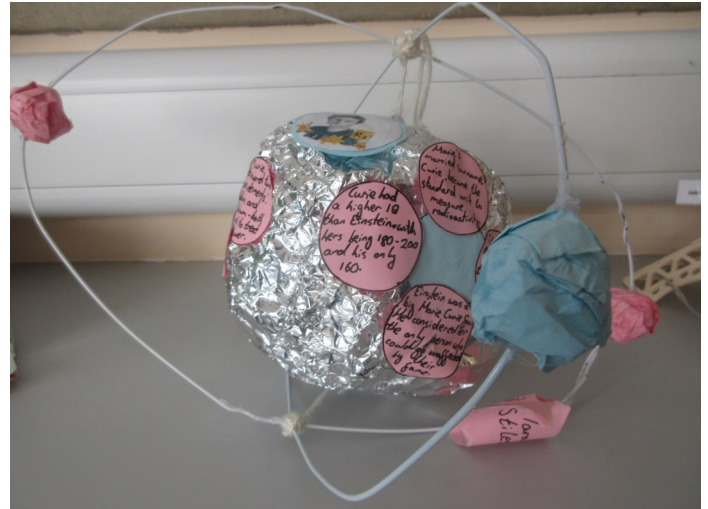
FAMOUS FRENCH-SPEAKING PERSON COMPETITION

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- ◆ 1st place: Chloe Smith 7B with a very original take on Coco Chanel
- ◆ 2nd place (with the same number of votes): Iris Rosten 7D for her beautiful work on Monet and Clara Stiles 7B for a very interesting creation on Marie Curie.

Huge well done to the winners (certificates and prizes will be awarded in assembly soon).

Ms Bauduin - Head of Languages Department



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KS4 MOCK EXAM TIMETABLE - MONDAY 13 NOVEMBER UNTIL FRIDAY 24 NOVEMBER

	Morning (9.00am – 11.00am 2 hrs)	Afternoon (1.00pm – 3.00pm 2 hrs)
Week 2		
Monday 13 Nov		Business 1hr/1hr 30mins Yr9/Yr11) Film Studies 1 hr 30mins
Tuesday 14 Nov	Biology 1hr 15 mins/ 1hr 45mins	Maths 1hr 30mins
Wednesday 15 Nov	English Language 1hr 45 mins	Citizenship 53mins, Engineering 1hr 15mins Engineering Programmable Systems 1hr 15mins
Thursday 16 Nov	Chemistry 1hr 15mins/1 hr 45mins	Media Studies 1hr PE 1 hr 15mins
Friday 17 Nov	Geography 1hr 45mins	History (Conflict E Band, Health B/C Band) 1hr
Week 1		
Monday 20 Nov	Maths 1hr 30 mins	Psychology 1hr 30mins
Tuesday 21 Nov	Physics 1hr 15mins/1 hr 45mins	Languages 1hr 15mins (F) or 1hr 20mins (H)
Wednesday 22 Nov	Drama 1hr 45mins/ iMedia 1hr 30mins	Sociology 1hr 45mins Further Maths 1hr 45mins
Thursday 23 Nov	Computer Science 1 hrs 45mins/ D&T 1 hr/Child Development 2hrs	Maths Paper 3 1hr 30mins
Friday 24 Nov		Art

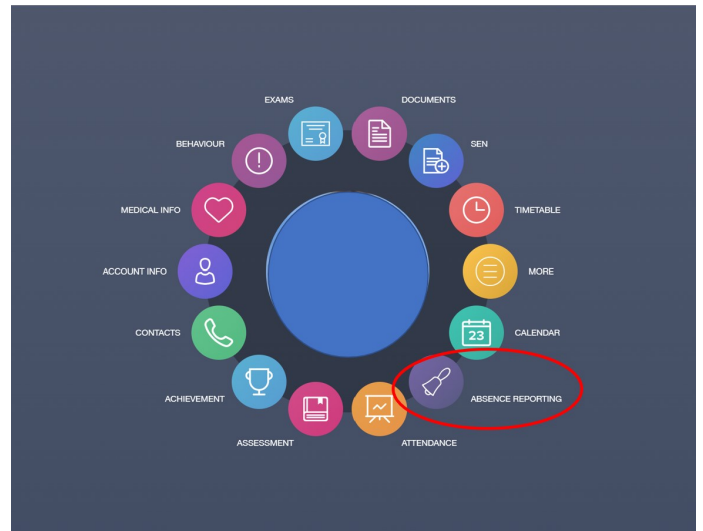
ABSENCE REPORTING VIA EDULINK

Dear Parent/Carer

As of next Monday 13 November, you should report all absences via Edulink.

When you log into Edulink you will be able to see a new icon shaped like a bell (Absence Reporting) as per the image to the right.

When you click on this you will be taken to a page where absences are reported (Image 2). Your child's name and photo will appear where the blue box sits in the image below.



- ◆ For illness we ask that you only report one day at a time on the day of absence.
- ◆ However, you will be able to report an absence for medical appointments, etc. in advance.
- ◆ Holiday requests should still be requested via our Leave of Absence form that can be collected from any reception and is also available on Edulink (Noticeboard, Forms).
- ◆ Select date From* and To*
- ◆ Insert Reason for Absence*. Please do not state unwell or illness. **Please specify details of the issue as you would have done via our previous recorded telephone calls** (example in Image 2).

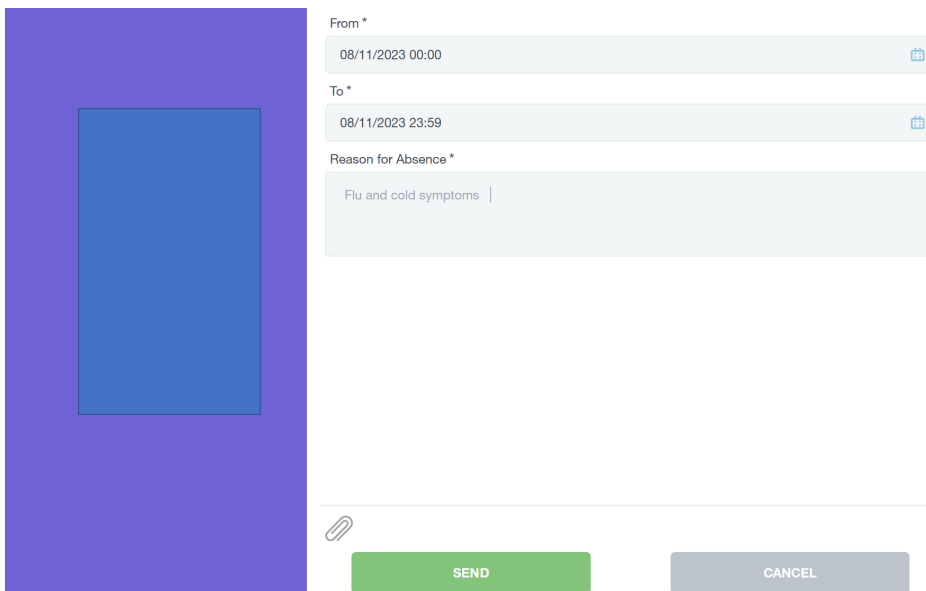


Image 2

Without wishing to state the obvious, please ensure that you click 'SEND'. This will send a message and an email to our Attendance Manager.

Should we not receive a communication from you we will send an absence call/message – normally around 10.00am. We do expect parents to respond to this for safeguarding reasons.

Should you have any information that you would like to discuss regarding your child's absence we would ask you make contact with your child's Form Tutor and/or Year Manager.

Please ensure that all absences are reported by 8.25am.

Many thanks for your continued support in keeping our attendance rates high.

Mr Cleary - Acting Head of Upper College / Mrs Alsop - Attendance Manager / Mrs Townsend - Home College Link Worker

'RED CARPET' ROLLED OUT FOR SECOND WEEK

On Monday 6 November we invited a group of students to a 'Red Carpet' event for the second week running.

This group of students showed integrity and resilience on the return journey home from the residential trip to Italy that occurred in the half-term break.

All the students received 25 praise points for this Principal's award. A full list of awardees can be viewed below:



9A	Isabella	Fludger
9A	Aidan	Lakritz
9A	Teagan	Mulcahy
9B	Daniel	Ospina
9B	Zoe	Ruske
9B	Gracie	Wilson
9C	Grace	Owen
9D	Madeleine	Baker
9D	Jake	Grove
9D	Daniel	Hughes
9D	Isobel	Owen
9D	Vukasin	Vujnovic
9E	Oliver	Densley
9E	Mu Ling	Lau
9F	Alice	Baker
9F	Malachy	McDonald
9F	Hollie	Nixon
9F	Oliver	Rangecroft
9G	Kathryn	Bull
9G	Jack	Grace-Lewis
9G	Sophie	Green
9G	Lincoln	Hui
9H	Jessica	Ford

9H	Jessica	Jarvis
9H	Sophie	Ross
9H	Sophie	Rushe
9I	Hannah	Pulsakowski
10A	Alexander	Brown
10A	Sophie	Cox
10A	Chloe	Little
10A	Lily-Grace	Murphy
10B	Natalie	Brown
10B	Harry	Cutting
10C	Emily	Green
10D	Samuel	Porter
10E	Lyla	Camden
10G	Keila	De Jager
10G	Neel	Harindranath
10H	Sienna	Philp
10I	Sebastian	Beamish
10I	Jay	Harindranath
10I	Freya	Taylor
10I	Arthur	Voinescu
10J	Aikaterini	Bourtsouklis-Cray
10J	Freya	Cull

YEAR 10 STUDENT REPORTS ON HIS WHEELER PROGRAMME EXPERIENCE



WELLINGTON
COLLEGE



You may remember a few weeks ago, Nischal Gurung (11A), reported about her Wheeler Programme experience in our newsletter (4 October edition). Please find below a report from Joshua who is also lucky enough to be a part of this programme.

I had an excellent time during my stay at Wellington College as part of the Wheeler Programme.

There were many amazing moments, but the one which stood out the most was the incredible visit to Sky Studios. We had the opportunity to watch live TV being broadcast and had an exclusive tour around the studios. We discussed global warming. In smaller groups we then wrote, made, filmed and even edited our own short news report assisted by the Sky team.

Another highlight was having the great experience of visiting a Taylor Wimpy building site. We were guided around the site seeing various stages of the house development. This included everything from underpinning, to house completion, right through to promoting the property for sale and sales completion.

During the residential we also got to meet Nick Wheeler, the founder of the Wheeler programme and also Charles Tyrwhitt (Clothing Business Company). He gave us a snapshot of his life which I found very inspirational and encouraging.

I look forward to continuing the Wheeler programme over the next few years and seeing what further opportunities this brings.

Joshua (Year 10)

Year 11 Maths Revision Sessions Autumn Term 2023

After College Revision Topics 2023-2024

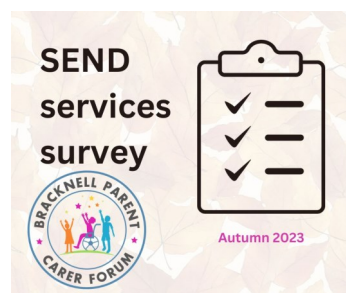
Monday	Topic	Foundation Grade 4+ Mrs Akbar - G23	Intermediate Grade 5+ Mrs Harbour - G25	Higher Grade 7+ Mrs Brockett - G26
Autumn Term				
30 th October	Ratio & Proportion	Using ratio and solving simple problems	Best Buys, ratios in the form 1:n	Similar Shapes, Solving complex problems
6 th November	Area	Area and perimeter of shapes	Volume and Surface Area	Frustums
13 th November	Factorising & Solving	Linear expressions and equations	Quadratics, Completing the square	Quadratic Formula, Completing the square where $a \neq 1$
20 th November	Mocks	General Revision (Grade 1-4/5)	General Revision (Grade 4-6)	General Revision (Grade 7-9)
27 th November - INSET DAY				
4 th December		tbc	tbc	tbc
11 th December		tbc	tbc	tbc

SENT ON BEHALF OF BRACKNELL PARENT CARER FORUM ...

Dear Parent/Carer

This is a message from Bracknell Parent Carer Forum, a group of parent carers who take your views of Special Educational Needs and Disability

(SEND) services in Bracknell Forest (Health, Education and Social Care) to the service providers.



Bracknell Parent Carer Forum

Working together to achieve the best possible futures for all families living with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND)

Could you please complete our [SEND Services Survey Autumn 2023](https://forms.gle/35qYxts1bCn2ecKVA) (<https://forms.gle/35qYxts1bCn2ecKVA>)

We would like to know from your viewpoint if improvements made to Special Educational Needs and Disability (SEND) services in Bracknell Forest (Health, Education and Social Care) are starting to have an impact on our children/young people. We want to monitor how these services are performing against previous surveys of parents/carers in Autumn 2022 and Spring 2023. We use feedback as evidence to push for change.

Thank you so much for your time.

Victoria Stageman - Chair

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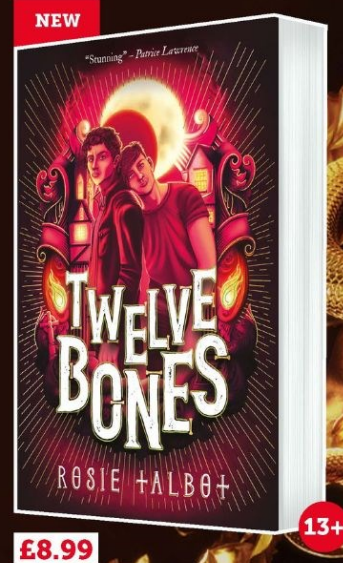
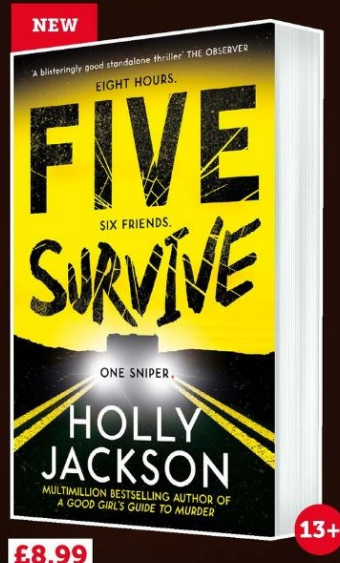
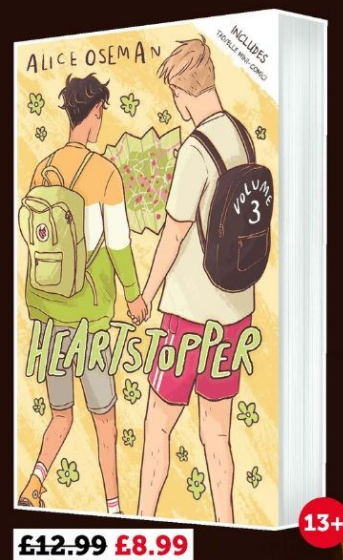
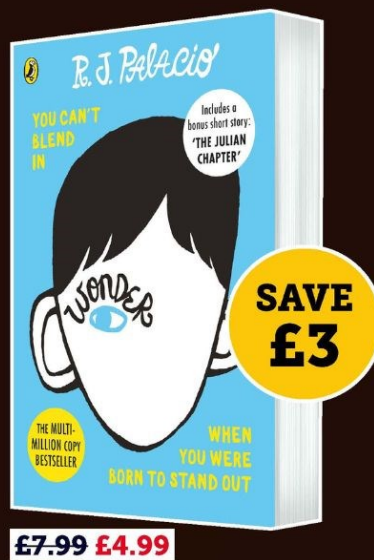
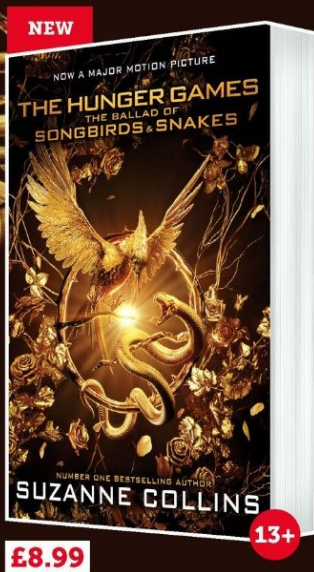
Please address payment envelopes to: 'Newsletter Adverts', c/o Kingston Office and email a copy of your advertisement to tc@collingwood.surrey.sch.uk

We are also happy to advertise goods for sale on behalf of parents and students for £4.00/week.

SCHOLASTIC TRAVELLING BOOKS

COME TO THE BOOK FAIR

YOUR SUPPORT HELPS EARN
FREE BOOKS FOR OUR SCHOOL



**STUDENTS MARK YOUR CALENDARS!
THE BOOK FAIR WILL BE IN THE LIBRARY FROM
24 NOVEMBER TO 1 DECEMBER.**

Harry & Ed's Aspiration Raising Trust (HEART) commemorates Harry and Ed Barker, two former Collingwood students, who sadly died ten years ago. The charity has supported many Collingwood students since its formation in 2014 and we are delighted to host the Camberley Craft Co-op Christmas Craft Fair on Saturday 11 November which will raise valuable funds for HEART. There will be a variety of Christmas craft gifts available and home-made cakes and refreshments. Please do come along and support this wonderful cause. There is a flyer below with full details.



Craft Co-op
CHRISTMAS
**CRAFT
FAIR**

SATURDAY 11TH NOVEMBER 2023
12PM - 4PM

KINGSTON THEATRE,
COLLINGWOOD COLLEGE,
CAMBERLEY GU15 4AE

FREE ENTRY • REFRESHMENTS • FREE PARKING

**HEART**

THIS IS A COMMUNITY
EVENT IN AID OF HARRY
& ED'S ASPIRATION
RAISING TRUST (HEART)
LOCAL CRAFTERS SUPPORTING
A LOCAL CHARITY

For more information email: craftcoopcamberley@gmail.com

At National Online Safety, we believe in empowering parents, carers and trusted adults with the information to hold an informed conversation about online safety with their children, should they feel it is needed. This guide focuses on one of many apps which we believe trusted adults should be aware of. Please visit nationalcollege.com for further guides, hints and tips for adults.

What Parents & Carers Need to Know about



WHAT ARE THE RISKS?

In October 2022, the enormously popular social media network Twitter was purchased by tech tycoon Elon Musk. That sparked a host of changes to the platform – not all which have been received positively by its fans. The alterations have continued with each passing month, many of them raising online safety concerns among the 530 million users of Twitter (now rebranded as simply X). With further adjustments reportedly in the pipeline, X has attracted more than its usual share of controversy and caution in recent times.

GENCENSORSHIP

A BLOCK ON BLOCKING

X has announced plans to remove its blocking feature. Previously, this stopped other users from viewing your profile or sending you direct messages, while also hiding their posts from your feed. Only this latter function will now remain. The decision has been criticised by some members, who feel that blocking (in its current form) protects them from X users who 'promote denial and hatred'.

LIMITED REPORTING FEATURES

X offers a premium membership, with some functionality (such as controlling who can view and reply to your posts) increasingly being made exclusive to those who pay the subscription fee. Several commentators have speculated that X could one day become an exclusively paid-for service, with access to accounts being revoked for anyone unwilling or unable to take out a subscription.

AGE-INAPPROPRIATE CONTENT

Many of X's less age-appropriate posts can feature anything from extreme political views to pornography. While accounts marked as 18+ are restricted from non-members, it's still fairly easy to stumble across this material accidentally. X's new 'For You' page also shows content from accounts that a user doesn't already follow – meaning that almost anything could end up on a child's feed.

VERIFICATION FOR SALE

Historically, Twitter's moderators granted account verification: certifying someone as authentic by placing a blue tick next to their username. One of X's earliest changes was to place verification behind a paywall; this caused the number of celebrity impersonators to rise and left no way to distinguish, say, a legitimate influencer from a copycat (like account seeking to exploit other users).

BLUE TICK SALE

Advice for Parents & Carers

PROTECT PRIVACY

Unsavory characters may try to gain access to a young person's X account – either to view their posts and gather information on them, or to completely take control of it. To minimise risk, ensure the account has a strong password and enable the 'Protect Your Posts' feature (via the account settings), so that strangers can't view your child's posts without first being approved as a follower.

DON'T RISE TO THE BAIT

To gain more views and followers, some X users post deliberately inflammatory comments on sensitive topics such as race, sexual orientation and gender issues. Many young people could find this upsetting. Emphasise that, if your child encounters someone spreading hate on X, it's best not to give that person what they want: an argument. Ignore them, mute their account and move on.

STAY ALERT FOR IMPOSTERS

Make sure your child understands that X's blue ticks no longer guarantee the identity of anyone on the platform. While it might be exciting if a celebrity liked your child's post, it could just as easily be an imposter with malicious intentions. If your child's not 100% sure that an X user actually is who they claim to be, advise them to err on the side of caution and avoid interacting with that account.

ONLY FOLLOW TRUSTED ACCOUNTS

Using the 'Following' tab on X helps to ensure that the only content your child sees has come from accounts they've chosen to follow: this should reduce the chance of them inadvertently being exposed to harmful, violent or explicit content. Show your child how to report another user's account if, say, they're behaving inappropriately by spreading misinformation or offensive opinions.

BE READY TO TAKE ACTION

If your child suffers harassment on the platform or becomes the target of a hack, you could consider deactivating their account entirely. Recently, X's safety features have been criticised for allegedly failing to protect users' wellbeing – so if your child is being subjected to abusive messages or similar mistreatment on the platform, it might be prudent to remove them from X altogether.

Meet Our Expert

Lloyd Coombes is Editor in Chief of gaming and esports site GGRcon and has worked in the gaming media for around four years. Always eager to test out the latest apps, games and online trends, he's also a parent who understands the importance of online safety. Writing mainly about tech and fitness, his articles have been published on influential sites including IGN and TechRadar.



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Presentation of The Duke of Edinburgh's Awards

THURSDAY 7th DECEMBER 2023

7.00pm for 7.30pm

KINGSTON THEATRE

Our guest will be the Mayor of Surrey Heath

**Awardees must arrive by 7pm prompt
with their guests taking their seats by 7.30pm**

ATTENDANCE AT THE CEREMONY IS BY INVITE ONLY



MUSICIAN CALLOUT

The music department are looking for musicians for our autumn showcase on **Wednesday 29/11**. This is open to people who play any instrument from any year group.

To sign up please scan the QR code or go to <https://forms.office.com/e/8BSNrKtppg6>



MANDATORY TECH REHEARSAL
TUESDAY 28/11, AFTER COLLEGE

CONCERT
WEDNESDAY 29/11, 7PM START

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE SEE A MEMBER OF THE PERFORMING ARTS DEPARTMENT



Collingwood College
BELIEVE SUCCEED

We're supporting **BBC Children in Need**

NON-UNIFORM DAY
FRIDAY 17 NOVEMBER

£1 to participate

We strongly recommend payment via ParentPay, but will still accept £1 cash (to Form Tutors) if this is not possible.

No bare midriffs, no hats, no low necklines.



Luxury Faux Floral Wreaths
Ready for Collection - Camberley



Instagram: @DreamWreaths
Facebook: Dream Wreaths

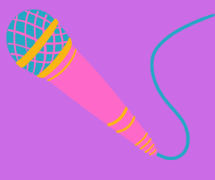
Performing Arts at Collingwood
AMBITIOUS BOLD Collaborative

- Extra-Curricular**
- Year 7 & 8 Drama Club - Wednesday After school - Miss Hardicre
- Choir (for all years) - Thursday after school - Miss Truglio
- Year 7 Dance Club - Thursday break time - Barossa Studio - Miss Ingram

Word of the Week
PHYSICAL THEATRE
a form of theatre which emphasises the use of physical movement, as in dance and mime, for expression.

Open Mic Night!

We hosted the first open mic night of the year on Thursday night - well done to everyone who came to support and to those who sang or played an instrument. Especially Molly who kept singing through a blackout.
Up next is our Autumn Concert on 29th November if you would like to be part of it see a member of the PA team



KENDRA BELCHAMBER

Kendra was very kind to play the Piano for the Y7 assembly this week. If you would like to play for the Year 7's please let the team know.



Assembly Music

ROOM CHANGES

Ensure you check Edulink messages for daily room changes





Kelly's Santa Fun Run

Saturday 2nd December 2023

Stoke Park, Guildford

100% of money raised goes to:



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Kelly's Santa Fun Run

Saturday 2nd December 2023

Registration from 9:00am, run starts at 10:15am

100% of the money raised will help make it possible for every disabled child to play and have fun, without limits

5k and 2.5k fun run
Festive food and drink
Fun activities and games
Santa's Grotto

*see website for more information

Every penny you donate will be **DOUBLED** through Christmas Challenge BigGive

Sign up today: charity.kellystorage.co.uk

POLITE NOTICE

Please treat our staff with the same respect you would expect to receive.

Verbal and physical abuse will not be tolerated, in person or on the telephone.

We reserve the right to ask anyone giving verbal abuse to members of staff to leave the premises or end a telephone call. (The conversation will be continued at a more suitable time).

Please remember that all our staff are always trying their best and are here to help you and your children.





This newsletter is a collation of all the opportunities we have heard about from employers and universities. Please use the links included to read more information and apply to anything you are interested in.

Links are underlined.

Remember, you can use Unifrog and Career Pilot any time to research your career options, take part in quizzes and see which jobs might suit you.

OPPORTUNITIES



Did you know that 6th-11th November is Green Careers Week? Around 60% of young people are 'worried' or 'extremely worried' about climate change (according to a global survey conducted by Bath University in 2021). Green Careers Week exists to highlight the amazing career pathways you can follow to improve the future climate.

If you want to learn more about Green Careers, here are a few things you can take part in or do to find out more:



You can attend a live webinar on 9th November entitled "A day in the life of an environmental apprentice". You will hear from three different apprentices about their job role in a Green industry.



If you're someone who prefers to read information than listen, this Green Skills Report outlines some of the key skills that will be needed in the workplace.



Use the Green Careers Website to research live and current job roles in Green industries, learn how much you could earn, where roles are based and what employers are recruiting.



Do you have a sustainability idea that you think could make a difference? Applications for the 2024 cohort of beVisioneers are now open! At the core of the offering is a 12-month intensive hybrid-learning program funded by Mercedes-Benz and designed and implemented by education pioneers The DO School Fellowships, that focuses on the implementation of your project. You have to be 16 for this opportunity so if you're not old enough this year - remember to check back when you are!

JOB OF THE WEEK



This week's video focuses on the job role of a Environmental Engineer. An Environmental Engineer optimises the use of natural resources, helping to develop renewable energy sources and maximise the use of existing materials. Watch the video to learn more about how much you could earn, the qualifications you need & what subjects link to this career.

LABOUR MARKET INFORMATION FACT

More than two-thirds of UK businesses (71%) have been hit by labour shortages in the last 12 months.

This means they do not have the right people with the right skills to do the jobs that they need.

What do you think could or should be done about this?

Source

If you have any questions or need support, please email careers@collingwood.surrey.sch.uk



CAREERS NEWSLETTER

OPPORTUNITIES



Are you considering a career in Gaming? As a growing industry and there are more resources available all the time to help you explore your options. Check out this [Games Careers Resource Library](#) to learn more.



The [Big Bang UK Young Scientists & Engineers Competition](#) is free, and is open to young people in the UK aged 11 to 18 in state-funded secondary education, who are home educated or who enter as part of a community group. Competitors can only enter one project, either on their own or as part of a team. The Competition will close for entries on 27 March 2024.

The BBC have opened their apprenticeship applications for 2023/24. They are offering over 100 entry-level apprentice roles across the UK, on 15 different Level 6 (degree) and Level 7 (higher/masters) apprenticeship schemes in technology, journalism, business and production management. [You can read more about these opportunities on their early careers website.](#) Their Head of Early Careers has advised that more apprentice opportunities (Levels 3-5) will be coming up next month so keep an eye on the website if you're interested.

OPEN



Have you ever considered the job roles that are involved in creating your favourite fragrance? There are way more than you might think! [Check them out and read more here.](#)



BIG NEWS! As of 18th Oct, every applicant who logs into their UCAS student account, known as the [UCAS Hub](#), will now see the most relevant apprenticeship opportunities for them alongside degree courses. [Read more about the launch of the UCAS apprenticeship service here.](#) This will make it easier for you to review apprenticeship opportunities alongside university options.



Did you know that you can make a [UCAS hub account](#) no matter what year you're in? It's a great way to explore your options and keep all your notes and thoughts in one place.

EMPLOYER SPOTLIGHT



"We're looking for highly motivated, unconventional thinkers to join us. At Patagonia, we appreciate that all life on earth is under threat of extinction. We're using the resources we have—our business, our investments, our voice and our imaginations—to do something about it."

You can read more about their careers [here](#).

UNI SPOTLIGHT

"Discover yourself at a green and spacious campus university just minutes from the hustle and bustle of the UK's lively and diverse second city. Find your perfect undergraduate course here with us at the University of Birmingham."

You can read more about University of Birmingham [here](#).

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Happy Green Careers Week! Use the hashtag #GCW2023 on social media to find relevant posts, events and advice from employers and education companies.

LIVE

UCAS have teamed up with careers, higher education, and application specialists to help you take your next steps via their new live events; UCAS Hub Live. Plus they'll be talking to current uni students and apprentices who will be bringing you some serious insight on student life, the things they wish they knew, and how to choose the right path for you. Read more here and submit your questions.



Are you considering a career in Film and TV? Check out the BAFTA's new 'Follow Your Spark' campaign is designed to help young people build a creative career.



WonderWhat is a free web app where career advice meets creativity. Created for ages 13+, simply tap on images you like, and it'll match-make you with 3 creative career options. You can then learn realtime sector salary information, the freshest news, and social accounts you should follow.



On Wednesday 15th November from 5pm – 6:30pm Young Professionals will be hosting the first event of the year with Deloitte; this virtual webinar will be held via Zoom so you can join us from anywhere in the country! This fantastic evening will give you an insight into what Deloitte do and what a career at such a huge global firm can look like. They will be sharing tips on how you can succeed in your future, and we will be hearing from top professionals who will be sharing their personal insights to a Big 4 firm.

JOB OF THE WEEK



This week's video focuses on the job role of a Neurologist.

They diagnose, treat & manage conditions affecting the brain, spinal cord, and disorders of the nerves & muscles that activate movement & transmit sensations to & from the brain. Watch the video to learn more about how much you could earn, the qualifications you need & what subjects link to this career.

LABOUR MARKET INFORMATION FACT

Shortages in skilled tradespeople, such as plumbers, carpenters, and electricians, are set to cost the UK £12bn a year in missed economic growth by 2030, according to research. The UK is currently facing a shortage of 166,000 tradespeople, with vacancy levels for many trades close to record highs.

Source

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CAREERS NEWSLETTER

OPPORTUNITIES



13th - 17th November 2023 is Discover! Creative Careers Week. It is part of an award-winning, industry led initiative that directly addresses some of the creative sector's most urgent challenges and risks around skills shortages within the creative economy – a challenge that must be tackled together to ensure we continue to thrive. [You can see the live events taking place here.](#)



The British Library is a fascinating organisation with a number of varied areas and exciting opportunities available to you. To help build your understanding of these areas and more, Springpod has partnered up with the organisation to bring you a fantastic programme all about the world of The British Library. [Sign up here.](#)



This virtual work experience programme will introduce you to a range of net zero careers with the help of the LSBU Green Skills Hub, supported by Lewisham, Lambeth and Southwark councils. Here, you'll explore core areas such as retrofitting, low-carbon heat and energy, green infrastructure and more. [Sign up here.](#)



Few industries capture our imagination as much as aerospace and aviation - in careers relating to these areas, the sky is no longer the limit! Although we might have an understanding of some careers found within the industry, how much do you know about the breadth of opportunities available? With the aviation and aerospace industry, there are possibilities that'll take you above and beyond, so long as you have the knowledge, skills, and passion to take you where you want to go. [Sign up here.](#)



Interested in the business of housebuilding? Then the Destiny programme with Countryside Partnerships could be perfect for you... Countryside Partnerships is one of the UK's leading housebuilding organisations and they're offering you the chance to take part in a four-week virtual work experience spread over five hours of work. [Sign up here.](#)

EMPLOYER SPOTLIGHT

Deloitte.

"No matter what you choose to do, we'll offer you the support to succeed. From technology to audit, legal services and much more, there's a business area here to suit everyone's skills. A career at Deloitte offers a diverse range of opportunities to make an impact on the things that matter most to you."

You can read more about their careers [here.](#)

UNI SPOTLIGHT

"Solutions to the world's most complex and interconnected problems won't come from a single specialism or subject. We need to bring together experts and knowledge from across the arts, sciences and humanities. It's time to change the way we think. Connect the dots with LIS."

You can read more about London Interdisciplinary School [here.](#)

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