



Dear Parents, Careers and Students,

Thank you for all your efforts over the course of term 1. Your continued support and contributions towards the school are greatly appreciated and I wish you all a good half term. We look forward to welcoming all students back on Monday 31<sup>st</sup> October for Term 2.

Please could you take the time to complete the parent voice via the link below:

<https://forms.office.com/r/mYhuZ7m89r>

Best wishes

Chris Ballard  
Interim Principal



**Start of  
Term 2  
Monday 31<sup>st</sup>  
October 2022**

## Newsletter Term 1 | 21st October 2022

### Term Dates for 2022-2023

<b>Term 1</b>	<b>Last Day of term 21<sup>st</sup> October 2022</b>
<b>Term 2</b>	<b>Monday 31 October 2022-Friday 16 December 2022</b>
Term 3	Tuesday 3 January 2023-Friday 10 February 2023
Term 4	Monday 20 February 2023-Friday 31 March 2023
Term 5	Monday 17 April 2023-Friday 26 May 2023
Term 6	Monday 5 June 2023-Friday 21 July 2023

### Inset Days

**Thursday 20 October 2022 (CLF Inset Day)**

**Friday 21 October 2022 (Inset Day)**

Tuesday 3 January 2023

Monday 20 February 2023

Friday 7 July 2023 (CLF Inset Day)

## Lates

We have listened to parent/ carer feedback on late detentions, and we will make it an exception to late students, where students are travelling on public transport and the bus has been cancelled or arrives late.

We ask that the parents/ carers make us aware by phoning reception or leaving a message on the absence line that there are transport issues. The student in this instant will not receive a detention.



### EXAM INVIGILATORS REQUIRED

We are looking for Exam Invigilators to join our exams team here at Digitech. Exam Invigilators will assist the Exams Officer in the efficient delivery of internal and external exams. You will ensure that the conduct of internal and external examinations takes place in accordance with Joint Council for Qualifications (JCQ) regulations and Academy procedures. You will ensure the candidates exam experience is a positive and supportive one; enabling that each candidate has an equal opportunity to demonstrate their abilities.

This is a casual position so workload will vary depending on the exam season. The working hours for this role can also vary as exam environments have to be set up before the beginning of the school day and on occasions can sometimes continue after the school day has finished.

This position requires flexibility as there are various exams held throughout the academic year; these usually fall within November, January and February/March, and the summer exams are held in May and June. There are also mock exams for Years 10 and 11 at different times throughout the year. It will also suit someone looking to work

*Salary: £9.50 per hour plus holiday pay. Total hourly rate £10.83*

Please pass this onto family and friends who are looking for casual work.

For further information please go to [www.clf.uk/careers](http://www.clf.uk/careers) - select Vacancies/Educational Support/Exam Invigilator (Bristol and South Glos Cluster)

# Reminder

## MOCKS EXAMS

Starting 31<sup>st</sup>  
October



### YEAR 11 MOCK EXAM TIMETABLE: 31 October 2022 – 4 November 2022

	Monday 31 October	Tuesday 1 November	Wednesday 2 November	Thursday 3 November	Friday 4 November
<b>Tutor</b>					
<b>Period 1</b> 09:00 – 09:50					
<b>Period 2</b> 09:50 – 10:40					
<b>Break</b>					
<b>Period 3 &amp; 4</b> 11:10 – 12:50		<b>Y11 Early Lunch</b>			
<b>Lunch</b>					
<b>Period 5</b> 13:20 – 14:10	Maths Paper 1 (1h30m) 13:30 – 15:00	English Lang (1h45m) 13:00 – 14:45	Biology (1h10m) 13:30 – 14:40		
<b>Period 6</b> 14:10 – 15:00	(Extra time finish 15:23)	(Extra time finish 15:12)	(Extra time finish 14:58)		

### YEAR 11 MOCK EXAM TIMETABLE: 7 -11 November 2022

	Monday 7 November	Tuesday 8 November	Wednesday 9 November	Thursday 10 November	Friday 11 November
<b>Tutor</b>					
<b>Period 1</b> 09:00 – 09:50		Maths Paper 2 (1h30m) 09:00 – 10:30	English Lit (1h50m) 09:00 – 10:50	Maths Paper 3 (1h30m) 09:00 – 10:30	Physics (1h10m) 09:00 – 10:10
<b>Period 2</b> 09:50 – 10:40		(Extra time finish 10:53)	(Extra time finish 11:18)	(Extra time finish 10:53)	(Extra time finish 10:28)
<b>Break</b>			<b>Late Break</b>		
<b>Period 3 &amp; 4</b> 11:10 – 12:50					
<b>Lunch</b>					
<b>Period 5</b> 13:20 – 14:10	Computer Science (1h30m) 13:30 – 15:00	Chemistry (1h10m) 13:30 – 14:40			
<b>Period 6</b> 14:10 – 15:00	(Extra time finish 15:23)	(Extra time finish 14:58)			

This term we have been exploring the new skill of felting. The felty crafters have been making Gnomes, a new skill which they as you can see from the results they mastered superbly. Each has their own personality and will take pride on the mantle of any home.





## School Health Nurses Free webinars for parents and carers

**Practical and informative online sessions from your expert team of local School Health Nurses.**

Our webinars lasts between 30 and 45 minutes, with the opportunity to ask questions throughout. They're suitable for parents and carers of children and young people of all ages.



### Topics include:

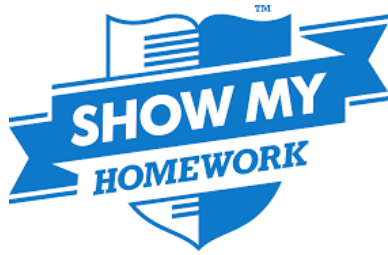
- Keeping your child happy and healthy
- Healthy eating and physical activity
- Supporting your child's emotional wellbeing
- Eating disorder awareness
- Dental health
- Sleep



Find out more and book your free space:  
[cchp.nhs.uk/schoolnursewebinars](https://cchp.nhs.uk/schoolnursewebinars)

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Class work will appear in **RED** for students not in lesson.

Homework will appear in **GREEN**

## HOMEWORK & CLUBS

Every Tuesday students are welcome to attend

### Art Club

after school



## ENGLISH REVISION

Every Thursday students are welcome to join us at a revision session after school.

We will be reviewing what has been taught over the last week and students will have the opportunity to complete short practice tasks in small groups with teacher supervision.

Students will be told the topics we will be covering in advance and the tasks will support the homework that is set for y11 weekly.



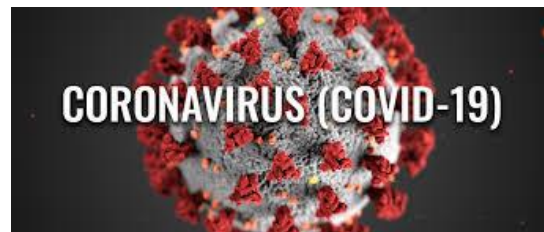


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#### Covid-19 Related Absences Following Public Health Guidance

Children with mild symptoms such as a runny nose, sore throat, or mild cough, who are otherwise well, can continue to attend their education or childcare setting.

Children and young people who are unwell and have a [high temperature](#) should stay at home and where possible avoid contact with other people. They can go back to education or childcare setting when they no longer have a high temperature, and they are well enough.

Should a child or young person have a positive COVID-19 test result they should try to stay at home and where possible avoid contact with other people for 3 days after the day they took the test. The risk of passing the infection on to others is much lower after 3 days, if they feel well and do not have a high temperature.

Children and young people who usually attend an education or childcare setting and who live with someone who has a positive COVID-19 test result should continue to attend as normal.

Anyone over 18 who tests positive for Covid-19 should stay at home and where possible avoid contact with other people for 5 days.