

Newsletter Term 5 | 28 April 2023

Term Dates for 2022-2023

Term 5 Monday 17 April 2023-Friday 26 May 2023

Term 6 Monday 5 June 2023-Friday 21 July 2023

Inset Days

Friday 7 July 2023 (CLF Inset Day)

Parents' Evening Dates

Year 10

Wednesday 19 July 2023

Year 12 and 13

Wednesday 26 April 2023

*Should any of the above dates be rearranged we will inform parents/carers.

Dear parent and carers,

Please can I ask for your support in completing a parent and carer survey about Digitex and the CLF. Your feedback is highly valued and helps inform our practices and policies as we continually look to develop.

Link: <https://edurio.com/teacher/poll/wN1PUR>

Thanks in advance for your time and effort with this.

Best wishes,



Chris



Monday 1st May – School closed for Bank Holiday

Tuesday 2nd May – Strike Day – YR11's in school and some Y10's

Monday 8th May – School closed for Kings Coronation

Y10 recognition assembly – Congratulations to everyone who won an award!

Yasmin C

For always thinking outside the box and trying out complicated and wonderful designs!



Isan H-D

Working extra hard this term and trying new techniques + methods!



Stunning work from you all!

Cara B

For trying new and difficult sculpting methods with strong concepts and meaning!



Willow D

For incredible ideas for final pieces and developing great texture experiments



Summer K

For great experiments and a willingness to give everything a go

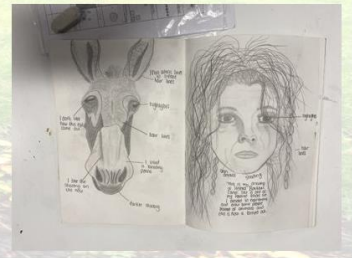
Rosie P

Great development of skills and going above and beyond with homework



Maddox G

For developing innovative ways to explore graffiti



Ellie K

Consistently sets high expectations and works hard to achieve them.

Willow D

Very good work ethic. An excellent approach to independent progress.

Osborn Mind map

- Combine: Combine two or more ideas to form a new one.
- Modify: Make a change to an existing idea.
- Magnify: Make an idea larger or more detailed.
- Substitute: Replace one part of an idea with another.
- Rearrange: Change the order of parts of an idea.

Design 2

Survey Results

Design Mix

Aesthetics

Function

Cost

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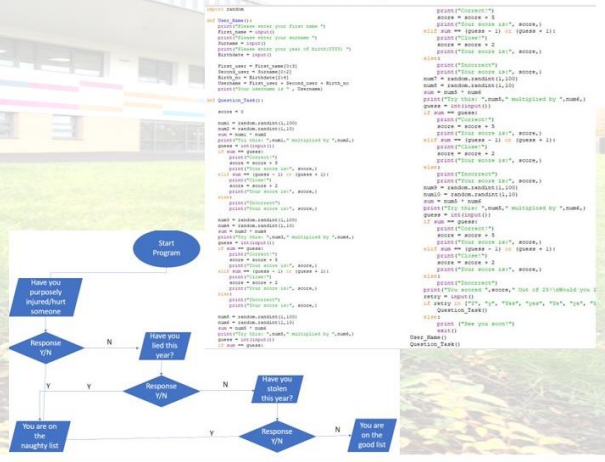
Alex M

Always ready to join in with group discussions and offer input

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range loops, most efficiently
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2 import time
3 score = 0
4 start_time = time.time()
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7 for maths in range(3):
8     x = random.randint(1,10)
9     y = random.randint(1,10)
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12 Sum = (x*y)
13 print(x, y)
14 ans = int(input("Please multiply these two numbers together: "))
15 time.sleep(0.5)
16 if ans == Sum:
17     print("Well done you are correct!")
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Oliver P

Incredible self-study and independent learning to further his knowledge and skills.



Jadine C

For really improving focus and effort on work and doing some great evaluation work



Ellie K

For always working hard in lessons and for aiming high with her coursework, improving her work from home, and asking for help when needed.



Ruby H

For always working hard in lessons and creating a great media project!



Alex M

For consistently participating and answering questions during content delivery in lesson, and for producing some amazing portfolio outcomes!



Digitech Plus

- **Louisa D:**
For a commitment to finding a Work Experience placement and for a phenomenal interview with the Royal West of England Academy of Art
- **Thomas D**
For a commitment to finding a Work Experience placement and for a phenomenal interview with the Royal West of England Academy of Art
- **Maddox G**
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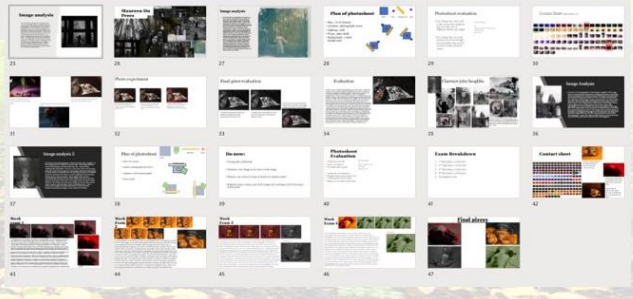


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Meg- Produced a wonderful portraiture project with fantastic final pieces. Takes care over the quality and quantity of their work



Rosie- Consistently produces wonderful projects in photography

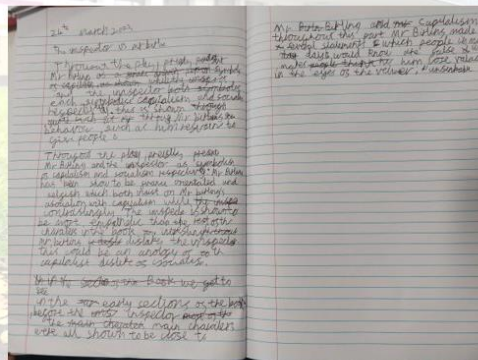
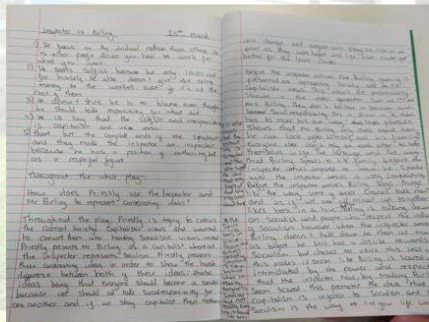


Sacha - 10R

Chloe B – Great essay writing!

Louisa D – excellent essay writing!

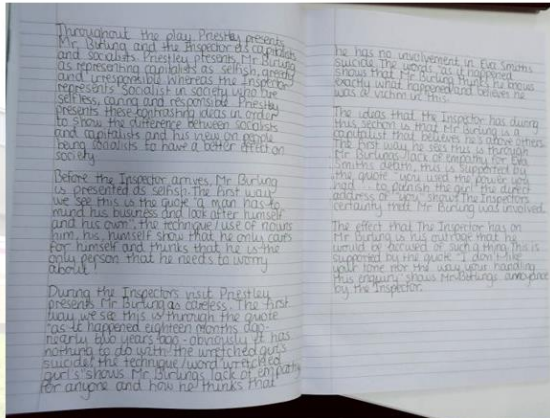
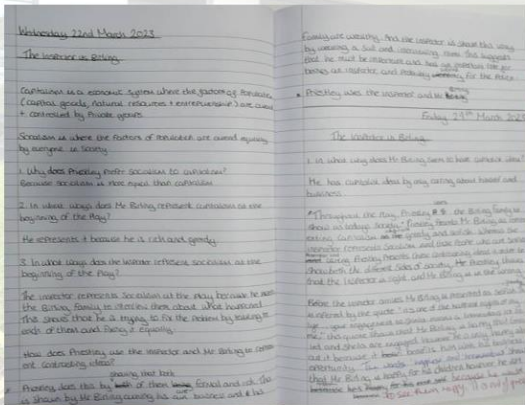
Oscar P – great focus and thoughtful ideas



Luci C – great contributions to discussions and some excellent work

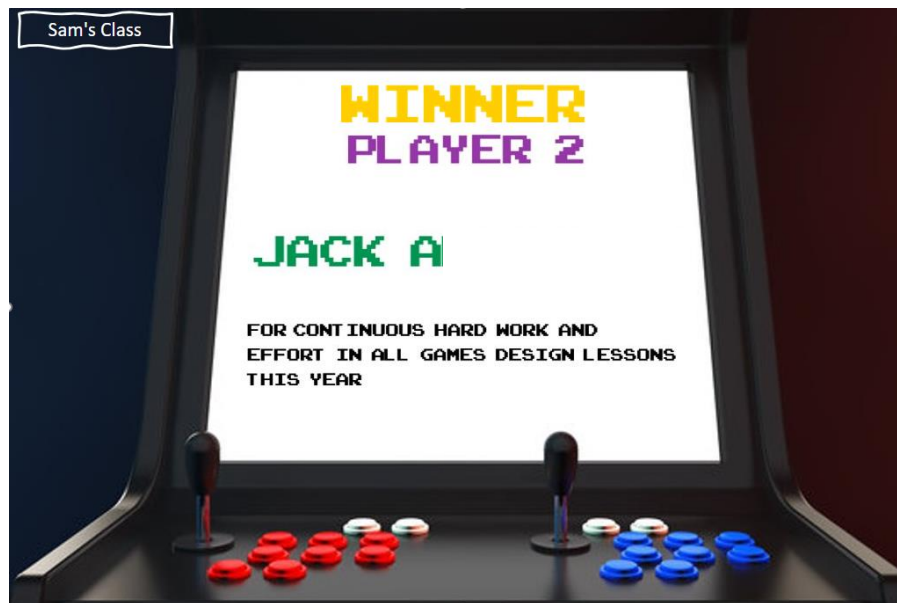
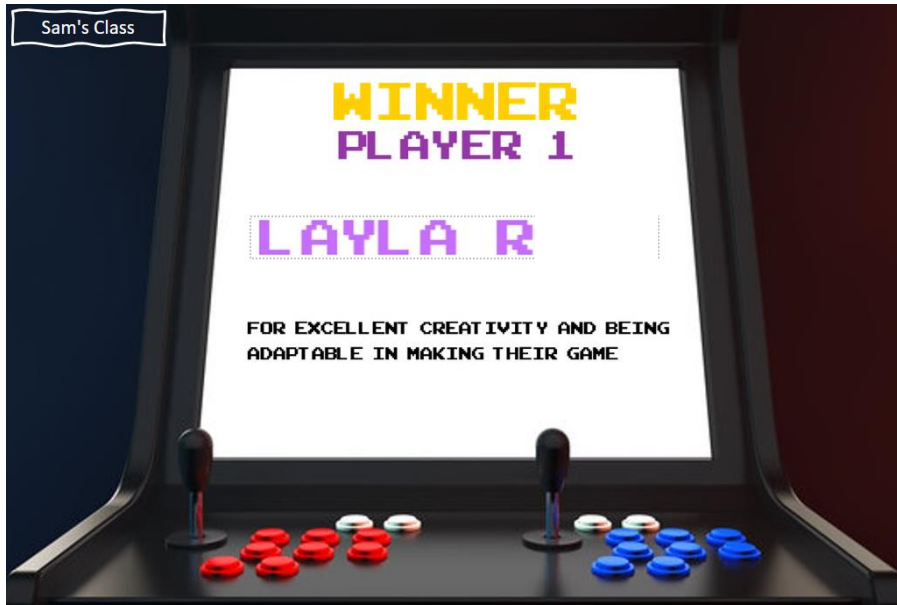
Laura 10L

Megan D and Ellie K – Excellent essay writing, asking questions and contributing to discussions to improve work too.



Hanna F, Oliver P – Excellent essay writing

Merryn L great contributions to lesson, using feedback to improve work.



Wednesday Class

Patrick C
Always works hard on the task and produces well thought out designs



Chloe H
For constantly pushing & improving skills in graphics!



Thursday Class

Tallulah W
Pushed herself with her graphics this term and has produced some excellent designs!

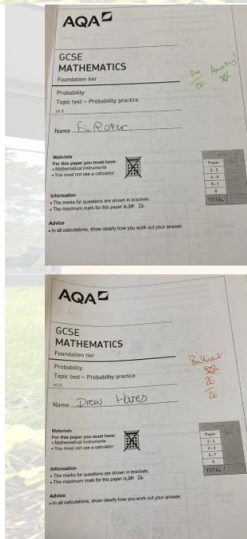
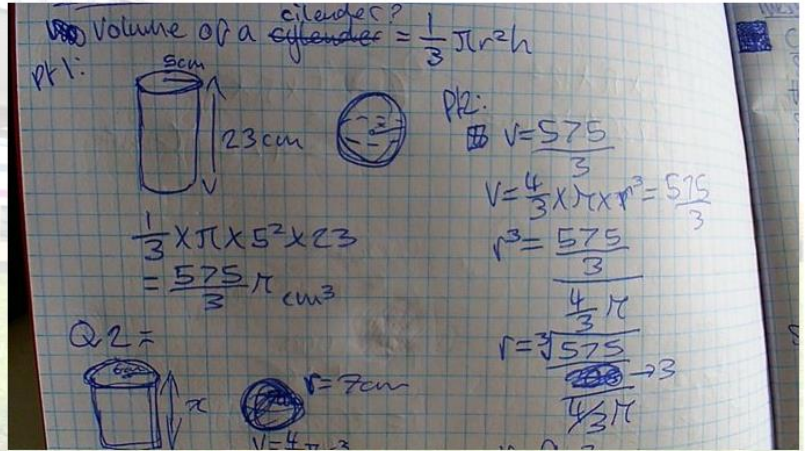


Isan H-D
Always on task and often doing extra work from home to complete work to a high standard!



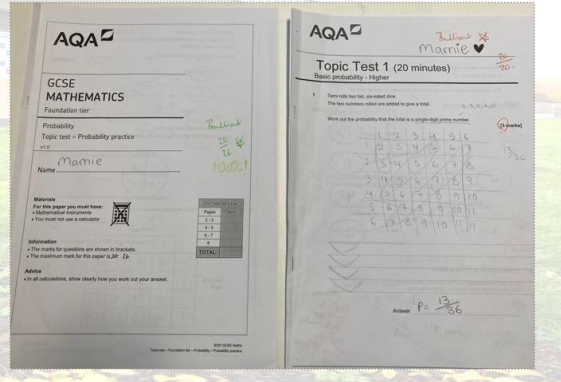
Gareth

Merryn L
Great attitude to learning, always striving to improve their understanding



Brilliant
10RMa2 - Fin

Sarah
10LMa1 – Brilliant work by Marnie full marks in both!!



Seneca Top 10

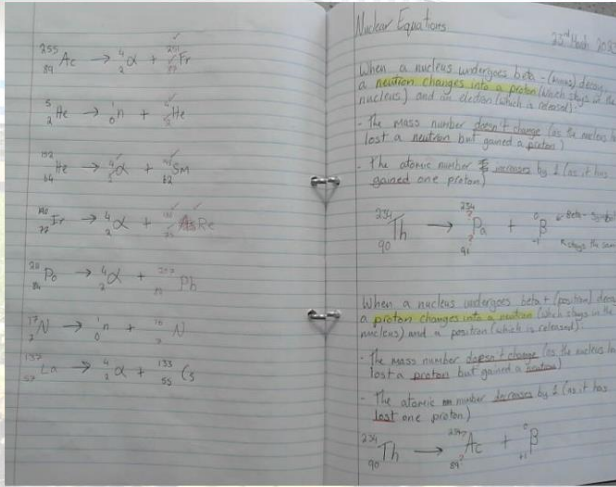


Total Study Time
Meg
Alex
Ellie
Emma-Mae
Chloe L
Finley S
Hanna
Marnie
Ash H-S
Harry

Siobhan

Ash H-S

Beautifully presented work. Always willing to contribute and works independently on tasks when needed

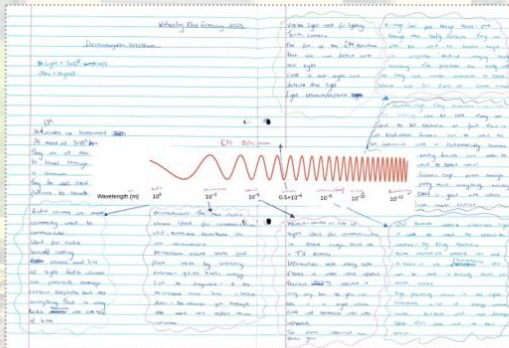


Steve

For outstanding effort and contribution in lessons

10R/Sc

Alex M



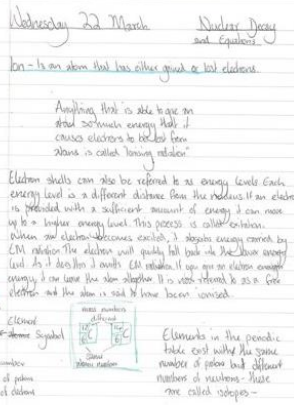
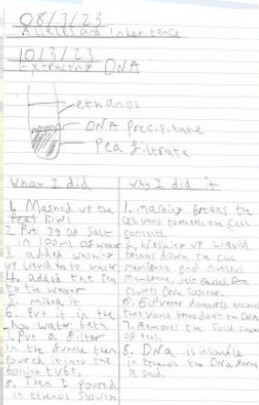
Moe R

Steve

For outstanding effort and contribution in lessons

10R/Sc2

Fin R

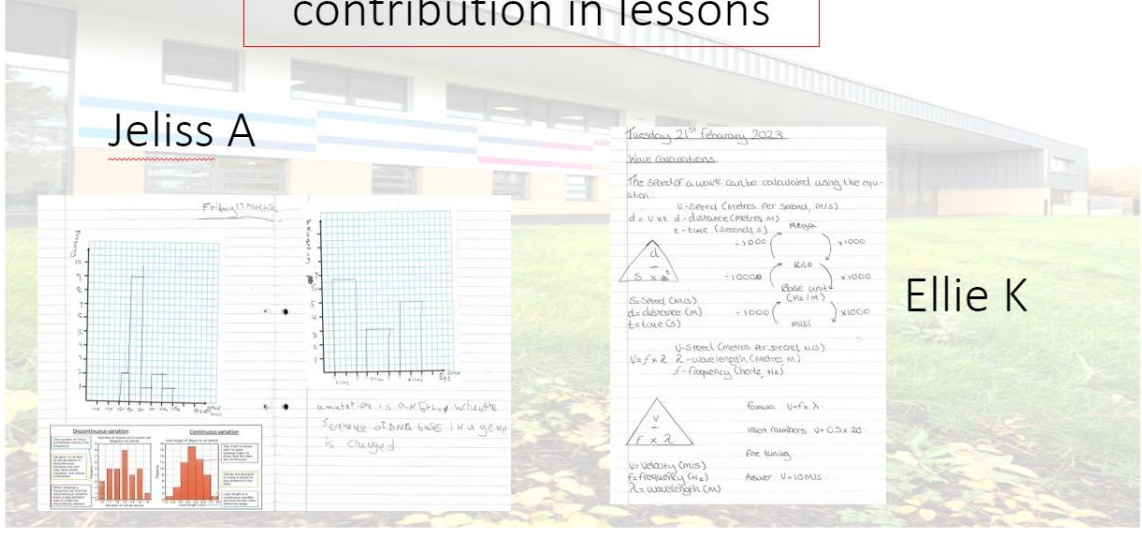


Nixus W

Steve

For outstanding effort and contribution in lessons

10L/Sc2



Jeliss A

Ellie K

• Jacob G-S

Increasing participation in regular sport or physical activity for different types of sports participants.

I recommend Priya to do the fitness activity of Yoga, so she can burn off some calories. The positive thing about Priya doing yoga from home would be she doesn't need to travel anywhere once she has finished work, which should help Priya to feel less stressed as she will be doing some activities from the comfort of her own home.

Yoga would be a good choice because she could prioritise her time throughout the day for work, she would save a lot of time on her evenings as she wouldn't need to drive to a gym. I feel like Priya would appreciate the relaxed environment and would help lower her stress levels, helping her to feel she is helping to prioritise her work life balance.

If Priya enjoys Yoga and wants to continue and maybe even progress, there is a private sector health club 5 minutes from her home. Private sector health clubs are private gyms, customers pay a membership fee to make sure they're allowed to use the facilities. Another way of explaining private sector would be the part of the economy that is run for profit and not state controlled. She would find that private sector health club would have good equipment and well-trained staff. We would recommend a private sector health club over a public sector club she will be able to enjoy the gym without having a time limit, she would also likely find the private gyms to be cleaner and quieter.

Yoga is a fitness activity that can help with strengthening muscles and joints. It helps to make muscles more pliable. Helps to increase heart rate, improve respiration, energy and vitality. Yoga is also very good for maintaining or helping to boost metabolism. Metabolism is the way your body processes fat, your metabolic rate determines how easily your body burns on and loses weight/controls fat. Research also shows Yoga can help with mental health as well, it aids sleep and helps with a positive mentality.

Yoga would be a good choice for Priya as she is 40 and not used to doing any forms of fitness. Yoga helps to strengthen the muscles and minimise the amount of time being sedentary. Priya should undertake muscle strengthening activities twice a week, so doing yoga twice for 30 minutes to an hour. Yoga is a good choice for Priya because she can alter the amount, she does dependent on the amount of sleep she has had or how much work she must do. According to the government, Priya must do 150 mins of moderate exercise or 75 minutes of vigorous exercise per week.

If Priya attends the fitness classes at the private health club, she will begin to meet people with similar interests and if the class has an age range probably of similar abilities. Meeting new people and attending classes out of her comfort zone will also help Priya to build her confidence and friends.

A barrier would be Priya might find it overwhelming going to a class, it could cause her to feel anxious as she may have never attended a fitness class before. Priya should allow herself plenty of time to get to the class, so she does not feel rushed. While Priya is attending the class for the first time, if she is feeling anxious or worried, she could stand closer to the back, so she does not feel any pressure to be top of the class.

Priya may find although the private health club classes may have better trained staff and better equipment, the classes aren't run as often as a public health club. The public health club can get quite busy so to make sure the classes don't get too full they run multiple classes a week, whereas the private health club would only run 2-3. As Priya works a lot and might not always have the time to attend classes. A public health centre is different to a private health centre because public centres are given funding by the government so the membership fees aren't so expensive, meaning more people will attend a public health centre.

Golf

Golf is a sport and could be a good exercise choice for Priya because it provides moderate to intense levels of physical fitness. It is also an activity that Priya easy to learn, this will be good for Priya because she has not participated in regular exercise in ten years.

Priya is looking to make new friends because she has moved away in city to a smaller town where she doesn't know anyone. Golf could also be a good activity for Priya to make new friends because it is a social activity that involves friendly participants. Through playing a social physical activity such as golf it could help with her mental health because she is connecting with like minded people. They are more likely to be sociable because they are in a group when they are playing golf. They are also sociable in the clubhouse at the bar, cafe and sometimes in the shop.

Priya can play golf at a private golf course five miles from her home, she can afford to use a private golf club because she has a lot of disposable income. At a private golf club the facilities and equipment will be far superior to that of a public golf club, giving Priya the best experience for fitness and wellbeing.

A problem with regards to private golf clubs is that the memberships can be often expensive, this would not be an issue for Priya because she has a lot of disposable income. Another problem with private golf courses is that are in remote locations, which can be difficult to get to. This would not be problematic for Priya because she has enough disposable income to afford to get a taxi to the Private Golf course. Private Golf course are good because they are maintained to a high standard, in terms of greens and hedgerows.

One of the barriers to Priya participating in golf is that she is not confident with exercise and could be anxious in starting this sport. A solution for this could be that Priya could go to golf with her partner to make her more comfortable started learning the sport because she is with someone familiar to her. She could make some friends in group session with an instructor. It will make her feel safer and more confident and everybody is learning, not just her.

Another barrier to Priya starting golf is that she hasn't done any regular exercise for ten years so she may struggle to get into it and pick up the basic techniques. A solution to this is that Priya could get private lesson's to pick up the basic of golf to make her more comfortable enjoying the sport. Priya can afford to pay for private golf lesson's because she has a lot of disposable income.

Priya is not familiar with the area and because of this, she will not know what places to avoid. This could relate to her not knowing and if the golf course is in an unpleasant area, she will not know and she might

For exceptional effort towards their controlled assessments

• Sinead C

Task 1 - Sinead Cousins

I recommend golf for Priya because it will help build confidence as she has not participated in regular exercise for over 10 years and starting a recent activity after a long time may help her to confidence build.

Firstly, this could help Priya as she needs to reduce stress because her job can be stressful, so therefore this could help take her mind off work life and help her be focused on something else.

Another reason could be if she joined golf, that it could help her meet people. This is good for Priya because since she moved into the town with her partner, she has not met anyone new, which means joining a sport can help her with her confidence make friends. A lot of people play golf go to the golf club where they all drinks and meet up with their friends. Priya could do this and it might help because then she is building confidence speaking to new people and also making new friends. After going to a golf course, they can go to the club house talk and make friends that way.

This could be helpful to build her confidence by starting off with private lessons with a personal trainer and able to help her as she has not done sport in a long time, which will change her confidence and make her better at it.

Doing a sport after work may make Priya more tired as she is doing a lot using her energy and that means it might make her tired and fall asleep easier. Finally, this could improve her work balance as her mind's thinking on something else.

By doing golf Priya can overcome all these things by doing this sport as it has many advantages to it.

Secondly, Priya's barrier may hold her back because of her confidence. Another reason is great work-life balance and has hardly any time to complete any physical activity. Because she has not done any activities for 10 years it may not make her feel motivated to do something like golf. Priya also may feel that because work is stressful, she may want to focus on her work because that is what gives her a lot of disposable income. If Priya has trouble sleeping, then it's she will not want to participate in anything because of stress. Because she does not know how to drive getting somewhere that may be far may mean she will have trouble getting somewhere rather than getting on a train.

Solutions for Priya could be that she reduced the hours of work, it may make a less stressful for her to complete all her work and could help her with building confidence, meeting new people that live in her town.

Another solution would be that she could ride a bike, by a car as she is having a lot of disposable income, she could walk, run, or get a taxi. If she decided to run, walk, or use a bike that could be going to golf so doing exercise on the way to her sport.

Keeping yourself busy it means that by the end of the day if your mind not stressed then it can be relaxed as she could be tired as she is going to work and then done some sort of activity such as golf.

Priya could attend a public sector of provision as it's cheaper and if she did work less hours in work she may get paid less and then she can afford to go to leisure centre. Also, as she lives in a small town, they might not have a private leisure centre for people that can pay for better quality. This is an advantage that she can still save money she done a cheaper place and may be closer.

A disadvantage in a public sector could be that the equipment is not as good, this could mean they have less equipment or it's just smaller.

A lot of people choose to go to a leisure centre because there's closer so don't have to travel far and is cheaper to pay therefore it might be that it's a lot busier and then a lot of people will be there that it means if there's not a lot of the equipment you need as well then it's busy to go.

Another idea is that if you go after work there is going to be a lot of people there because it is when everyone will go as they can't stay open hours.

Priya could not attend a voluntary sector of provision as they do not do it, but if there were then helping like others could help you make friends because you have got to communicate to help others and talk. Priya could also attend a private sector of provision as she is able to afford to go there. If you went to a private sector, there more likely to have a lot better equipment and more resources.

As an advantage it would be a lot quieter where there are less people that could help her improve confidence and make her enjoy doing a sport again.

A disadvantage is that because she lives in a small town then she is unlikely to have to travel a small distance unlike a leisure centre that is close by, it means there is less gyms and further away.

I recommend a physical fitness activity such as circuit training because there is a lot of people to make friends. There are 3 different types of circuit training (normal circuit training and times stations circuit, stage circuits, total exercise). Circuit training can be a combination of six or more exercises performed with a brief period between them for either a set number of repetitions or a prescribed amount of time. Multiple circuits can be performed in one training session by each participant. Circuit training will usually involve 6-12 exercises also should be structured the way it enables you to keep performing exercises with good technique and noticeably short rest intervals. For Priya she is recommended to do 150 minutes of moderate intensity of activity per week, or 75 minutes vigorous intensity activity. Because she is 40 years, she can do circuit training because it would help her keep fit, healthy and strong and she can choose the muscles to focus on. Priya could do this twice a week, she could do this

for about an hour to start off with when she has days off work, she could also do it at home with her partner.

There is 10-20 people so she can meet more than a couple people, meaning Priya would be able to meet new friends. A barrier could be that she feels nervous to start something new, as it could be overcrowded with too many people to a solution to this is that she could take a pair of headphones in it's too loud for her or she could hide at the back of the room so she doesn't feel nervous or too scared to start something different.

The benefits of circuit training are to improve muscular endurance, to improve strength and muscle growth so as you grow you don't lose muscles, improves heart health so that you have less risk of getting something, offers full body workout so that you can work on each part, it is time efficient, improves exercise adherence, may promote weight loss to help if putting on weight, may improve your mood this can help to feel more positive, this is perfect for all levels such as beginners.

primary, intermediate, and advanced people this is good because it can help you make friends so that they can help you if you're a beginner and you can find new friends by helping each other.

Priya could do circuit training because she has a lot of stress from work and doesn't sleep most nights, she finds it hard to motivate herself to go to physical fitness activities and this may help because she's not got to do a lot of time doing this activity as it's something you don't have to spend hours doing therefore it won't take a long time and she can have less stress. This may help her sleep because she is burning energy.

Public health club would be better for Priya to attend so that it keeps the cost down and there would be more of a chance making friends at a public centre because more people will go as there's going to be more people there as the cost wouldn't be as expensive as a private sector as less people would go because the cost would be more expensive.

Private health centres are a private club that are more expensive than a public or voluntary as it's a better place to go where it's cleaner, more resources, less people and not many around in many places so you would have to travel further which would be a problem for people that can't access one because they're further away.

A public sector is one cheaper, smaller areas and more people come to it as it's closer there is always one around the areas they live in and it's more affordable for those that may have an issue to access places further away for if they did not have a car.

In my opinion if Priya went to a public sector health club it would mean that it's going to be cheaper than private even though she did not get an issue with money as she has a lot of disposable income but as there will be more people showing up to a public because there will be more people to make friends. However, it doesn't say if there is any leisure centres near where Priya lives.

For exceptional effort towards their controlled assessments

• Violet S



For exceptional effort towards their controlled assessments



Y11 recognition assembly – Congratulations to everyone who won an award!



Mae V-R

For working extremely hard, creating original pieces and trying new materials/methods (even getting myself –Zoe, to try new tricks!) Keep it up!



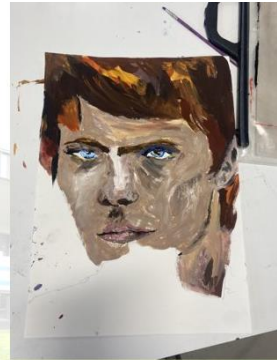
Olivia G

For creating amazing interesting final designs



Ren J-S

For creating beautiful sketchbook pages and producing ideas that give me goosebumps!!



Evie W

For constantly innovating their ideas. Listening and responding to feedback with a smile!

Cee Cee D-L

Consistent positive attitude to setting high standards for themselves

BUSINESS AIMS

Financial aims

- One of my financial aims is growth. I hope to grow my business in so in 4 months I'm selling at least 20 hoodies per month. I also want my income to grow too by me hopefully growing could sell 20 hoodies per month which would mean I would get around £188 in a month. By me getting that much money I could help improve my business and put more money in the packaging and even investing in my own domain.

Non financial aims

- one of my non financial aims is to have an more ethical business which eco friendly packaging and even when I source the hoodies to be more ethical. By getting this in the future the environmental consequences those people will want to invest back my into these companies, which do recently I have been trying to be. I also think by having an more ethi will know exactly where their pro produced in a factory where ethi

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Outflow			
Materials	35	42	52.50
Wages	60	60	60
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			107.50
			153
			260.50

MY BREAK EVEN POINT GRAPH AND GROSS PROFIT

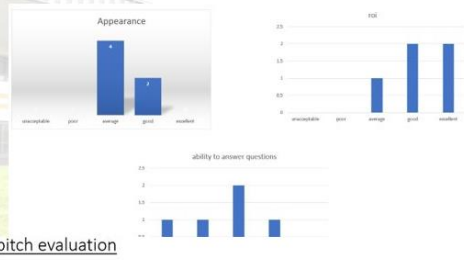
Income / outgoings

- Break even point
- Profit
- Sale price

£12 an hour (Ebi)
 £5 electricity per day.
 Fixed = 17
 £35 for 10 jumpers (3.50 each)
 £2 gross.
 Variable = 6.50
 Sale cost = 15
 BEP = 5 jobs

Mason C

Positive attitude towards GCSE outcomes and effort towards achieving.



Business pitch evaluation

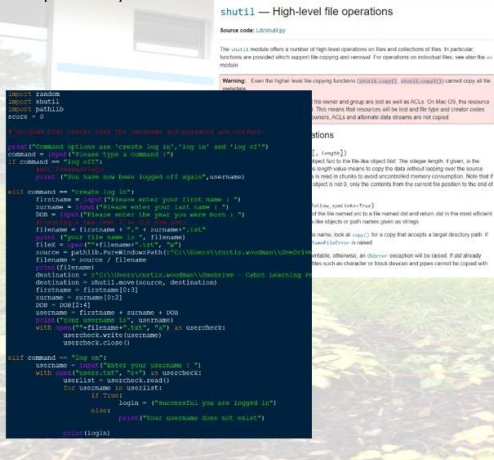
Based on audience feedback, they said overall it was quite average. I feel that I needed to work harder on my communication and eye contact. I was surprised at how good my financial details and my info about the target market was. If I got a second try with my pitch I would change the fact I didn't look away from the screen and have some of the time reading from the screen and sometimes look at the people assessing me and actually try to be speaking towards them not away from them.

www- my financial details were good as well as my info about the target market this means that if people know my financial detail they would want to invest because they would know how much money they would need to spend

Ebi- I recon it would be better if I looked and spoke towards the people grading me rather than looking at the screen the whole time because then people would be able to hear more clearly and would be able to get a good impression.

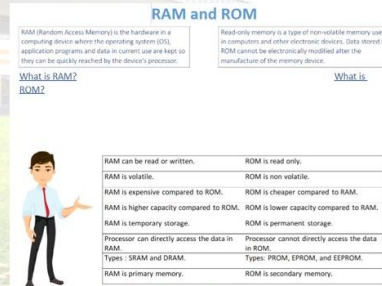
Curtis W

High level self-study, to extend classwork and research new topics independently.



Lizzy C

A perfect, positive attitude towards developing understanding.



Tuesday Class

Emily B
For putting in extra work with her Unit 203 project and doing bits from home too!



Wednesday Class

Anis- For working hard at completing the creation of a social media campaign



Harry F
For working hard to improve his unit before the final deadline



Lewis- For producing a well thought out media project

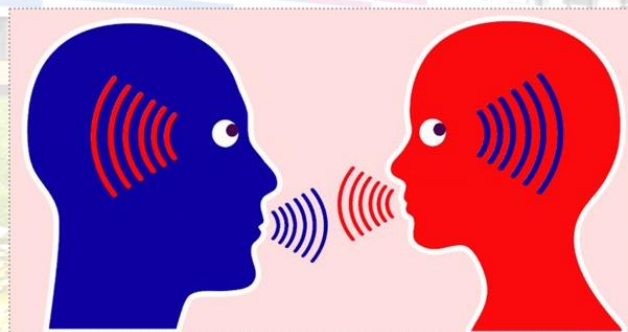


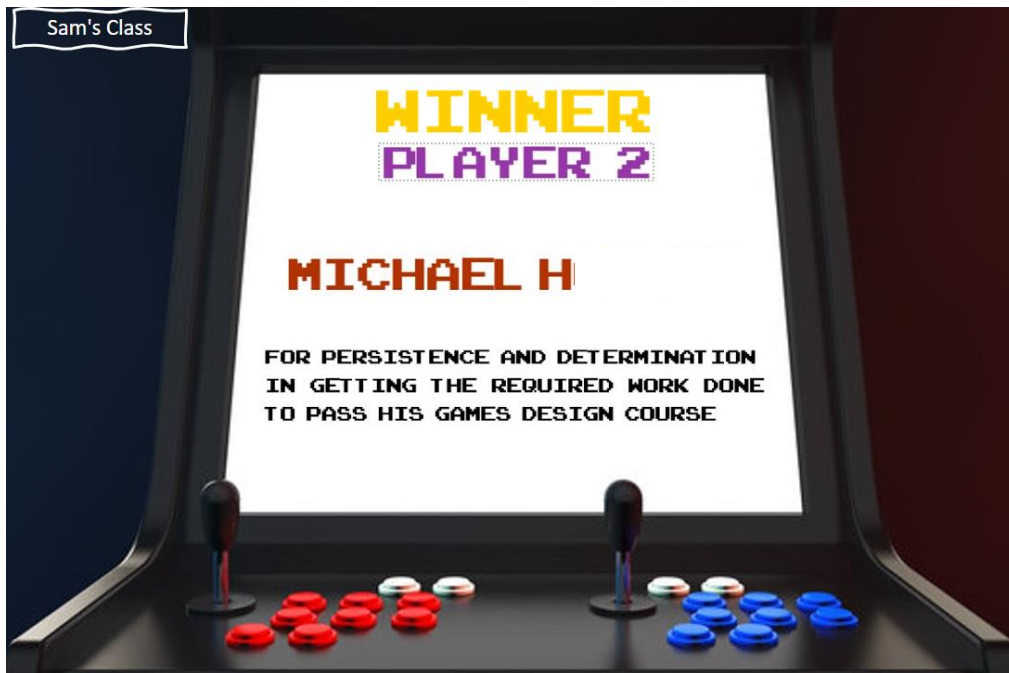
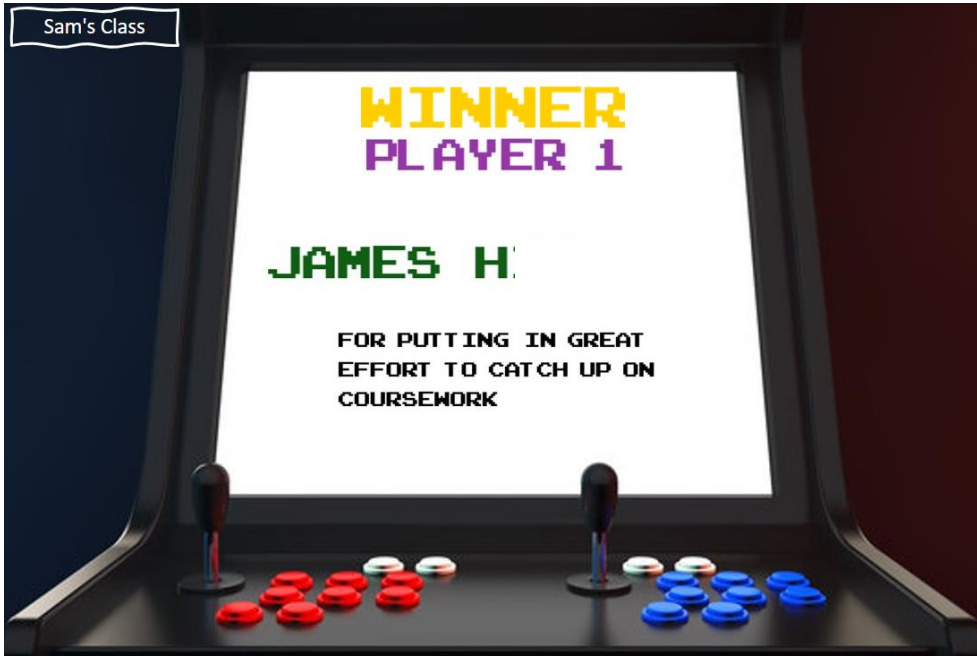
Maia H – a thoughtful, well prepared and interesting speaking and listening presentation exploring YA Literature showing clear planning and consideration of the task.

Abyan M – a personal and thoughtful speaking and listening presentation looking at current issues showing detailed preparation and careful consideration of the task.

Curtis and Shannon

Evie and CeeCee





Wednesday Class

Maia H
Always works hard on the task and has produced a thoughtful and personal project

Thursday Class

Kieran D
Produced some great designs for the exam project & really improved on his skills this term

Rico H
For improving focus in lessons and producing a great exam project!

Ren J-S
Worked hard on this project and got some awesome artwork!

Mollie Abdul

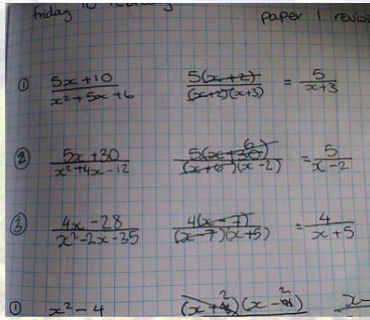
For getting the best marks in the recent mock exam.....

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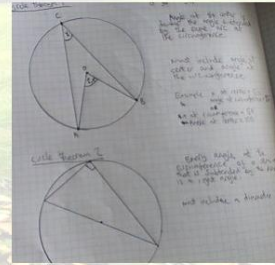
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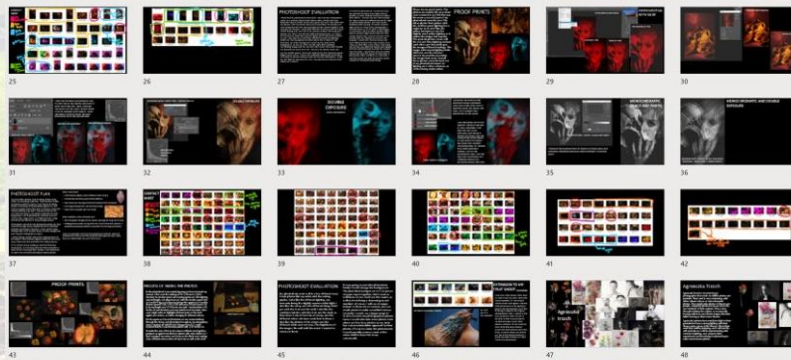
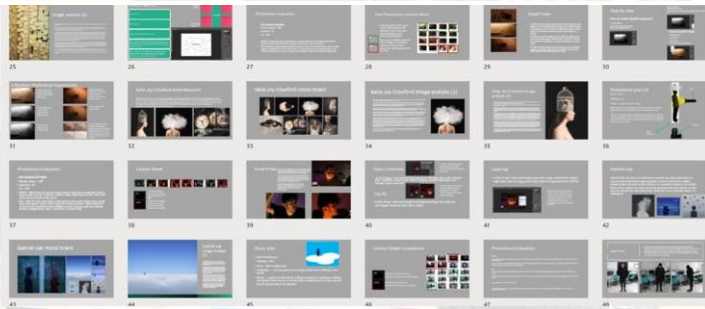


But top overall was Ellie who continues to work hard in every lesson– well done!



Harry F

For producing some fantastic photographs and always getting stuck in to support friends



Serena P

Going above and beyond in their photography the last couple of weeks

Seneca Top 10



Total Study Time
Rico
Mason
Lewis H
Kingston
Anis
Aleigha
Jacob
Lennon
Ellie H
Tabatha

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Siobhan

Jayden B

Improvement of over 20 marks between November and Feb mocks – excellent contributions in lessons

The student places a magnet near to the phone on the table. Figure 4 shows the magnet and the new display on the screen.

Figure 4

State how changes in the magnetic field measured by the phone from Figure 3 to Figure 4.

The strength of the magnetic field was stronger. The arrow is pointing 56° towards the magnet, whereas it was 0° before.

Describe how the student could use the mobile phone to investigate the strength of the magnetic field at different distances from the magnet.

They could put a compass in front of the phone and keep moving it back while measuring the magnetic field.

Ellie H

Strong mock performance – excellent focus in lessons and always giving every question a go

Which halogen is a green gas at room temperature and pressure?

Chlorine reacts very quickly.

When iron wool is heated with chlorine iron chloride is formed. Write the word equation for this reaction.

Iron + bromine/chlorine → Iron chloride

Give the name of the halogen in Figure 6 that is the most reactive with iron.

Chlorine

Calculate the mass of iron and the mass of chlorine in 125g of iron chloride.

125g - 43g = 82g

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Steve

For showing real commitment to success through effort in class and revision at home.

11L/Sc1

Jenaya-L R

Water: H_2O

Ammonia: NH_3

Methane: CH_4

Hydrogen chloride: HCl

Curtis W

Relative atomic mass = 12.5

Relative atomic mass = 12.5

Steve

For showing real commitment to success through effort in class and revision at home.

11R/Sc2

Olivia G

Substance	Boiling point (°C)	Melting point (°C)
Water	100	0
Aluminium	2543	933
Mercury	357	-39
Lead	1774	327

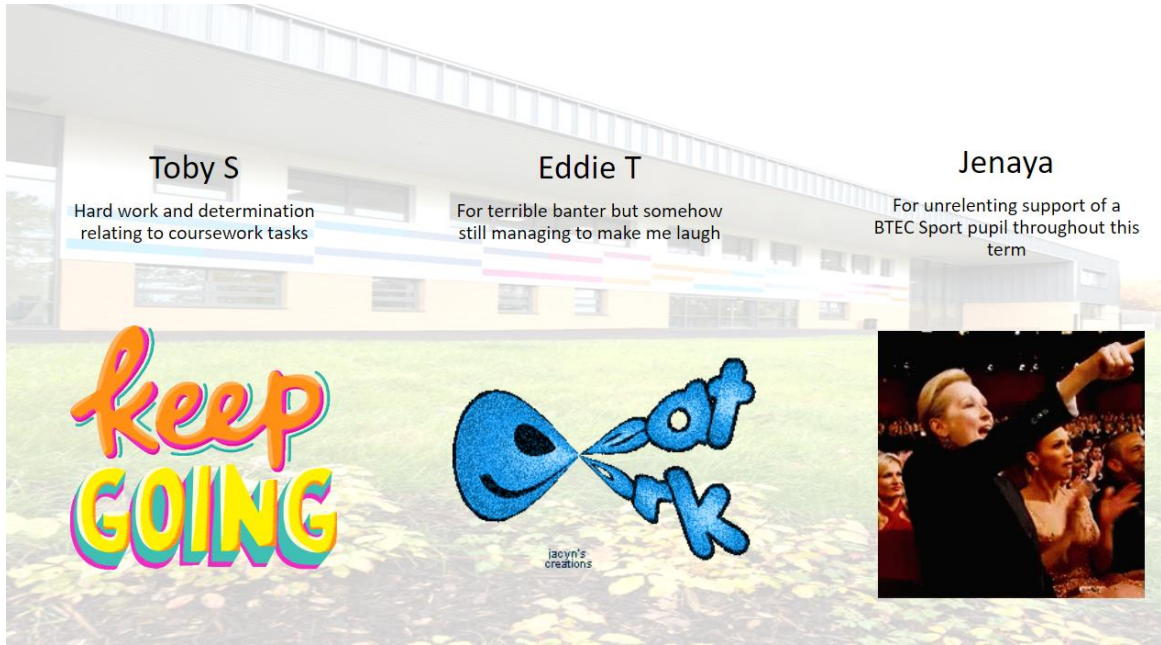
Temperature of absolute zero = -273.15°C

Relative zero - the point where particles stop moving and there is no more pressure.

Toby S

Relative atomic mass = 12.5

Relative atomic mass = 12.5



Year 11 Exam Timetable

Exam Weeks Timetable Summer 2023 (Weeks 1 and 2)

15th May	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Before School		Toast it Biology	Toast it English		Toast it Maths
P1	Science L	Biology P1	English Lit P1	Maths Revision	Maths P1
P2					
P3	Science R	English		Maths Revision	Computer Science
P4					
P5					Computer Science P1
P6					Science Revision
After School				Maths Revision	

Key
Exam All Students
Exam Some Students
Revision All Students
Revision Some Students
Lessons as normal

22nd May	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Before School	Toast it Chemistry		Toast it English	Toast it Physics	
P1	Chemistry P1	English Lit Rotation	English Lit P2	Physics P1	
P2					
P3				Sport and Computer Science	
P4	Business Revision	ICT Revision	Science Revision	Computer Science P2	
P5	BTEC Enterprise	BTEC IT		BTEC Sport	
P6					
After School		English Revision		English Revision	

HALF TERM

Exam Weeks Timetable Summer 2023 (Weeks 3 and 4)

5th June	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Before School	Toast it English from 8am		Toast it Maths		
P1	English Language P1		Maths P2		
P2					
P3	Maths Revision				
P4		Optional Early Finish	Optional Early Finish	Optional Early Finish	
P5					Biology P2
P6					
After School					

Key
Exam All Students
Exam Some Students
Revision All Students
Revision Some Students
Lessons as normal

12th June	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Before School	Toast it English from 8am	Toast it Chemistry	Toast it Maths		Toast it Physics
P1	English Language P2	Chemistry P2	Maths P3	Physics	Physics P2
P2					
P3	Chemistry	Maths	Physics		Leavers Assembly
P4					
P5	Optional Early Finish	Optional Early Finish	Optional Early Finish	Optional Early Finish	
P6					
After School					

News From The Hub

The Hub Coffee Afternoon Thursday 25th May 3pm - 4:30pm

This is an opportunity to meet other parents, talk about SEND, and share strategies. Claire Phillips from Autism Education Trust (AET) will be joining us and will be happy to answer any questions. Everyone is welcome ☒

If you would like to join us or have any questions about the event, please email:

carolyne.goh@clf.uk

Introducing two further members of our amazing Hub team, please meet



Carol (She/Her)

Carol is a Tues-Fri TA with an English specialism and a background in working with disadvantaged young people. Carol loves a good puzzle!

Sam (He/Him)

Sam works as TA Tues-Fri, often supporting with Maths or IT based subjects. Sam also teaches Games Design on a Monday and is a keen musician.



“ Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world. - Nelson Mandela ”



Justin Bieber is one of many famous faces that has ADHD

Prom Dress and Suits Donations

We are collecting new and gently used

Prom Dresses

Bridesmaid Dresses

Evening Gowns

Suits

Jewellery

Shoes

Accessories

Clutch Bags

Ties

If you have any of the above items gathering dust in your wardrobe and would like to donate, please feel free to bring this into Digitex reception. Please can all items be clean and gently pre-worn. Any items you can donate would be gratefully received.



Next Friday 5th May is 'Rainbow Day' organised by some of our year 10 students. This is a fundraising event to raise money for AKT <https://www.akt.org.uk/> A charity supporting homeless young people who have been made homeless due to being part of the LGBTQ+ community. Bring £1 to wear bright colours, there will be a cake sale at break and lunch, plus rainbow face painting for a donation. Look out for the posters around school and join to make a difference to the lives of many young people.



Rainbow day is on the 5th of May for all your rainbow needs

Wear rainbow clothes, hang out with friends, eat some cookies, the possibilities are endless.

Bring in £1 to wear rainbow clothes and help raise money for the Charity AKT and help homeless LGBTQ people all over the UK.

Newsletter Term 5 | 28 April 2023**Dress Code**

School uniform is not required as we **understand that you are individuals and feel that it is important to allow you to feel entitled to individuality, and to express this through your choices about your appearance. However, we are also very serious about educating you and preparing you for the world of work, and the formal expectations that this can bring. For this reason, we have the following dress code expectations appropriate for study and learning:**

- No overly revealing or extreme styles of fashion, no nightwear, no clothing with offensive messages, either through words, logos or images.
- No coats/ or jackets worn in the classroom – these must be removed as you enter the classroom.
- No hats or hoods to be worn in the building.
- Jewellery and make up is allowed if health and safety conditions are met,
- footwear needs to follow health and safety guidelines e.g. No open toed shoes, flip flops, sandals, sliders, or crocs.

PE Kit

Students are not required to wear a specific Digitech Studio School PE kit. However, it is expected that pupils wear appropriate sports kit (trainers, tracksuit bottoms or shorts, t shirt and a sports top). Pupils are encouraged to bring a long-sleeved top, in the event of cold weather and a waterproof outer layer for the walk to Kings' Oak Academy.

Students are expected to remove all piercings and jewellery before Core PE lessons commence, and hair chin-length or longer needs to be tied back. Lastly, pupils need to ensure their footwear has adequate grip and ankle protection and as such, shoes and boots are not appropriate for PE. If you have any further queries relating to Core PE, please direct any queries to the PE Team - Joe.McCabe@clf.uk and Simone.Ryan@clf.uk

***n.b.* We reserve the right to challenge students on their dress and expect full cooperation from parents and carers if we deem that a student is not dressed appropriately for an educational environment.**

Thank you for respecting the clothing expectation, it is aimed at allowing our full community to feel comfortable and conversations about what you are wearing are never intended to criticise your choice, but to ask for consideration to others who may be affected. Thank you for being courteous.





Bristol Youth Hub within the Bristol Launchpad



Bristol Youth Hub*
Galleries Shopping Centre
Broadmead
Bristol
Unit 17 / 17A
BS1 3XD



**The Bristol Youth Hub is situated within the Bristol Launchpad (See Photographs)*

Google Maps location – Enter the following coordinates into the search bar: 51.45650334 133565, - 2.5902364511023426

Directions:

- Enter the Galleries Shopping Centre on the ground floor using the Broadmead entrance between Greggs and F. Hinds the Jewellers
- The Bristol Launchpad is between the YMCA store and the History of Video Games store



Bristol Youth Hub – Bristol Launchpad



Department
for Work &
Pensions



Summer Support for Students

Visit and get support with:

- CVs and applications
- Improving job searching
- Identifying transferable skills
 - Changing career
 - Interview skills
- Finding courses and training
- Current and future jobs markets

Every Tuesday between 10am – 2pm throughout the Summer holidays.

Jess Wensley – Schools Advisor for Department for Work and Pensions.

Pre book an appointment (07584520123) or Walk in



EXAM INVIGILATORS REQUIRED

We are looking for Exam Invigilators to join our exams team here at Digitex. 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: £10.10 per hour plus holiday pay. Total hourly rate £11.51

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

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