

Friday 26th January 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

In the autumn term, over 110,000 questions were answered on **EduCake**. The top students will be getting prizes over the next few weeks. If students are struggling to get onto their EduCake accounts, please can they speak to their Science teacher. Homework is set on there regularly by the Science team and Year 11 have quizzes set every Wednesday.

If you are collecting your child from school by car, please remember to avoid using Croeswylan Lane at the Morda side exit of the school. This narrow road is used by service buses and becomes dangerous when cars also park there. Only students travelling by bus use this exit.

Lost Property – a new plan to get as many items back to you as possible:

Please label everything your child brings to school – uniform, shoes, trainers, lunch boxes, water bottles, pencil cases and calculators – and coats.

Every Friday, items left in rooms will be collected at Student Services. Items found in communal areas will be moved daily.

If an item has no label, it will be held until the end of the term before being recycled at charity shops or through our pastoral team.

We will be sharing photographs of items with the parent bulletin regularly. Valuable items will have their generic description shared whilst the item is stored safely.

Let us know how you feel the system is going, and we would love to hear of any success stories along the way.



REMINDERS & NOTICES

A Level Offers starting to come through - exciting futures ahead.

Chloe Rogers holds offers at Aberystwyth, Bangor, Keele, Chester and Leeds Beckett to study Sociology.

Daisy Jones holds offers at Leeds Liverpool, Manchester, Loughborough and Warwick to study English and Business.

Nia Jones holds offers at Bangor, Aberystwyth, Chester, Edge Hill and Keele to study Marketing.



Katie Wood has been invited to attend FIVE interviews for midwifery.



A Level Art Showcase



Coursework exploring the connection between mankind and machine was awe-inspiring and truly showcased a unique creative vision, including the creation of a chess board.

Reminder – Friday 9th February is a Trust Collaboration Day. →

Staying Alive Skills

Year 9 students enjoyed learning how to put PPE on and how to perform CPR with Affinity Home Care.



Staff will be working on curriculum across the five secondary schools. Students will be working through O365 from home. If you need support with IT connection, please let us know – more details on the way next week.

FOCUS Pop-Up Museums



7W4 have been working on their pop-up museums showing the invasion of Britain by William of Normandy and the Battle of Stamford Bridge. Exciting stuff. As you can see excellent work!



UPCOMING EVENTS



Click [here](#) to view our upcoming events. Events at a glance:

27th January – Park Run

1st February – Year 9 Parents' Evening

face-to-face & Options Evening

6th/7th/8th February – Shrek Jr Performances

Friday 9th February – Collaboration Day

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