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Headteacher's Blog Week Commencing 12th October 2020

Wow, I cannot believe that it has been 6 weeks since we started the new term. With only one week to go before a well-deserved half term, the phrase, 'the time flies when you are having fun' is still so true at CODA. I have am still incredibly pleased with the quality of learning and the whole school approach to reducing the spread of the virus. Well done everyone!

The feel around school is one of productivity and learning. I have been delighted that the ClassCharts rewards points are so high again and even more students (1085) have received a positive 'On Call' during their lessons. This is an absolutely phenomenal achievement and demonstrates how focused CODA students are!

This week also witnessed the publication of the above 95% lists. Mr Bane published to the school community 'Current number currently qualifying is 814 students out of 956 on 95% or better. That is 85% of our students 😊. The names of all qualifying students will also be displayed on the TV in the Bistro.' Well done everyone, we are so proud of you all.

As a reminder, any student who gets a mention in my blog, gets awarded 20 additional Classcharts points.

First Time Success

Since we introduced the positive on calls, we have NEVER had a class who have received 5 positive on calls in a day.....Well today, that has happened. Well done to 8LS who have smashed 5 in a day. Mr Bane, had the privilege of going in for most of them and he said 'They produced some absolutely fantastic work. This was a class effort and we are so very proud of them.' I am absolutely amazed by this and will think of a super special reward for them. Well done goes to Connor A, Aayan A, Arslan O, Rudolf B, Victoria B, Tyreece C, Jana C, Rozh DM, Aryan D, Sabina B, Kobe E, Imrich F, Julie G, Anastasia H, Perla H, Manraj H, Mohammad I, Eessa S, Shania K, Sarlotta L, Kevin N, Prem R, Roland S, Kira S, Laiba Z

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Special Event Success continued!

I have to say well done to Talia P. Last year Talia won a Derby Youth Award and this year she has been nominated again. To top that, Talia has been co-hosting the awards. This has been a fantastic opportunity for her and we wish her good luck with the results. In addition to that Talia appeared on ITV news discussing youth projects over Lockdown. I also hope that we see Talia on the big screen in the future. Well done Talia we are so proud of you.



Geography Success

Mrs Redding wishes to congratulate the following pupils:

Amirah A 11X - Congratulation Amirah on your outstanding attitude to learning. Your hard work, both in and out of lessons is amazing. You are a true superstar Geographer!! Well done

Prudence Parker 9A - Congratulations on your amazing efforts shown in your Geography lessons...you have shown a true focus for learning and have an excellent recall of key ideas and information. Well done...

Phoebenne Ryder 9A - Congratulations on your amazing efforts shown in your Geography lessons...you have shown such maturity, have an excellent attitude to learning and a great recall of key facts from the lesson. Well done.

Mr Barker wishes to congratulate the following pupils for a combination of excellent work and high levels of maturity in geography lessons:

7A Go2 -Zain S, Lerayah W

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8A Go3 - Kobe E, Perla H, Eessa S, Laiba Z

9A Go1 - Aminah B, Ashley HB, Safeela H, Harman K, Ramandeep K, Sadiyah P, Noor S, Pawandeep S

9B Go1 - Tanya D, Paiden S, Agyapal S, Juwiria R, Danyal W, Isabel W

10X Go1 - Kyle T, Olivia A, Basil A, Kulveer B, Kian D, Jaydan E, Mojeed I, Nehemie I, Marek M, Hassan S, Malika S, Gurditt S, Jonathan S, Ashton S, Piotr S, Nikit S

Singing Success

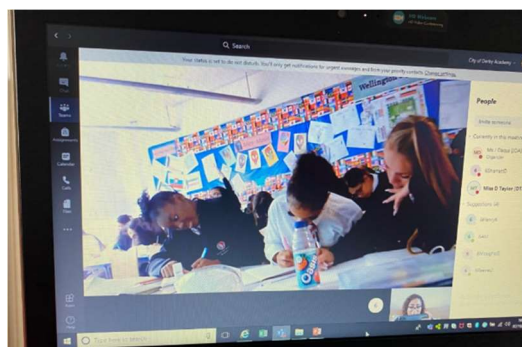
Miss Bell wants to say a huge well done to everyone involved in the singing workshops. Miss Bell said 'The impact that this is having on the wellbeing of these students is immeasurable. I was lucky enough to hear most of the workshops and I was incredibly proud of them all. The sounds they are producing together already are outstanding.

Due to the success of these workshops we will be running several more next week - we had so many year 7's take part that we are now looking at 3 separate workshops for year 7 alone! I'd also like to add that we have a great number of boys taking part which is very unusual for secondary school.

We are looking to do a whole school performance by Christmas – hopefully recorded. Watch this space!

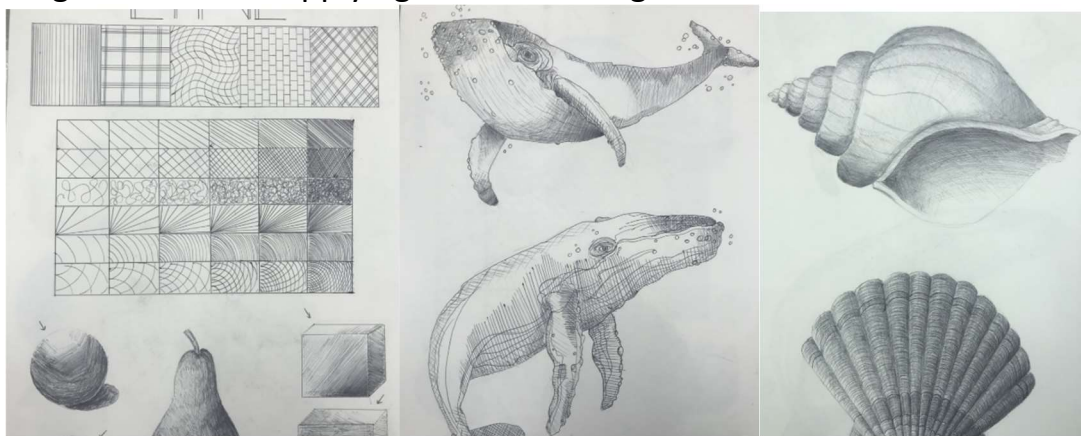
Health and Social Care Success

Mrs Dacus, would like to say a huge well done to her Year 11 Health and Social Care class. She said 'I had my second remote lesson with my Year 11 Health and Social Care class (facilitated by the lovely Miss Taylor) today. Although it's taking us a bit of getting used to, it was brilliant to see the class even though I couldn't be with them!

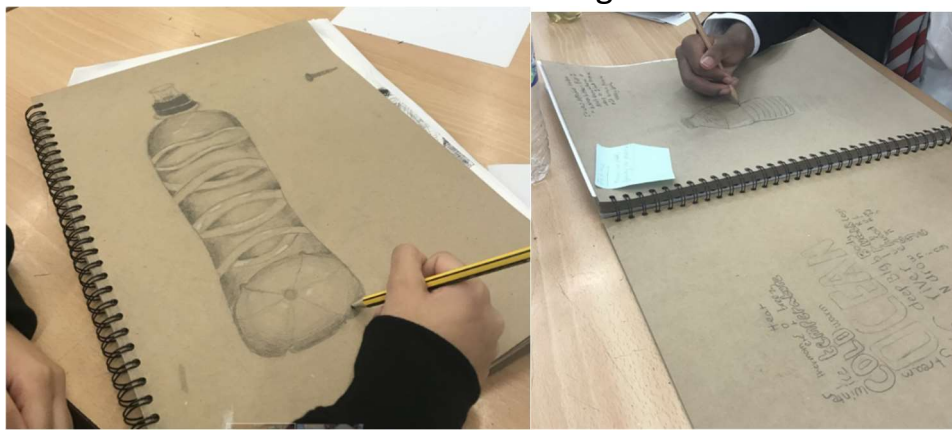


Art Success

Miss Wilshaw wants to say well done to a number of budding artists. She said 'Firstly, attached is some fantastic work completed during self-isolation by Ella D in year 10, the focus was on working with line and applying line to drawings. Well done!'



'Some fantastic work from Miss Richardson's Year 10 Graphic Communication group which is a new subject for GCSE this year. Their project is about environmental issues working on a Greenpeace brief with a focus on environmental damage of the oceans caused by mankind.'



'Year 9 are currently working on a very challenging subject 'Metamorphosis', pupils are demonstrating fantastic drawing skills creating a copy of the artist Redmer Hoekstra work. Pictured is the work of Jasmine B and Gurleen K.'



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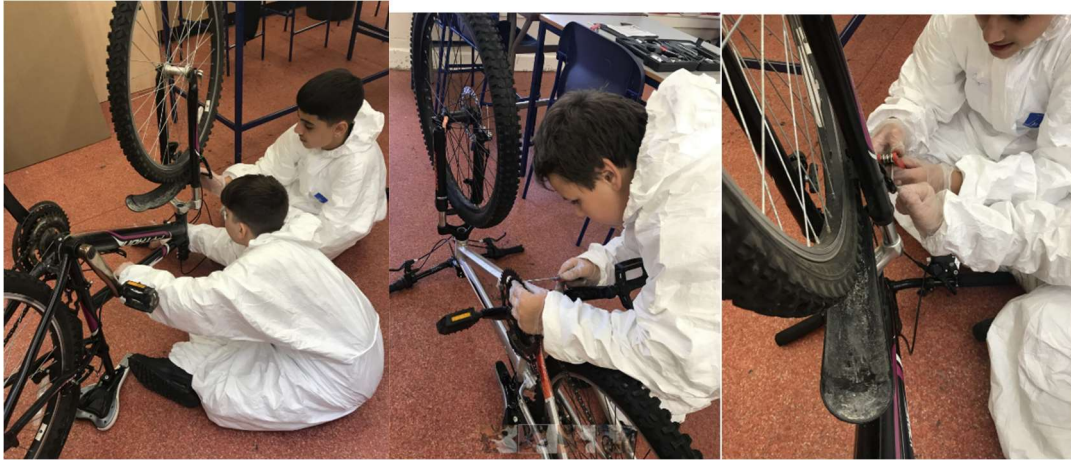
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As you can see the quality is phenomenal. Well done everyone.

Year 8 Ignite Success

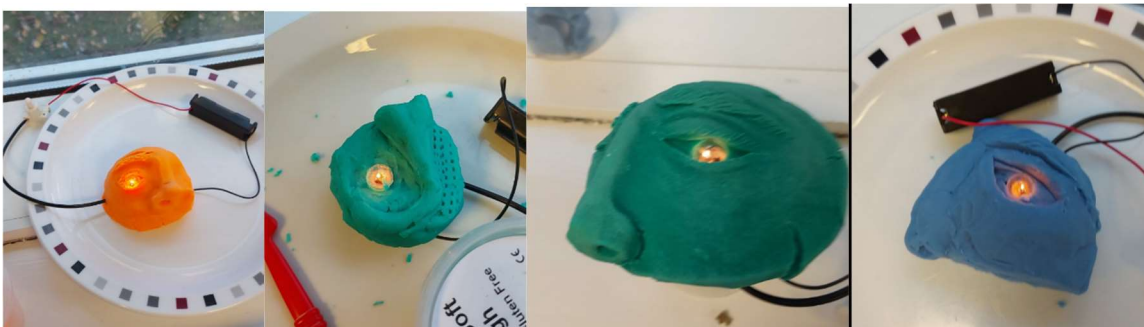
Year 8 Ignite students have been completing a bike club project. The group have thoroughly enjoyed the project. Not only are the students fixing some bikes they will be then plotting where to take them for a day of riding. Well done everyone we are proud of you.



Connect Success

Mrs Tomblin was super proud of her GCSE Art students. She said 'The Connect GCSE Art Students were combining science and art yesterday creating circuits to light up a bulb then sculpting eyes using modelling clay around the bulb which they will later paint. The Students have been exploring using different mediums to create eyes as part of a morphology topic. Please see attached photos.'

Well done to you all, phenomenal!



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Class Charts Top Scorers

Last week's top scoring class charts students, who will be awarded 20 extra points are: -

Year 11 – Mohammed A (217), Marianna K (200), Juwairiyah A (181)

Year 10 – Ella D (254), Michela B (196), Olivia A (191)

Year 9 – Harman K (292), Gurleen K (262), Viktor K (259)

Year 8 – Chater K (251), Aishjit K (236), Ismaeel M (222)

Year 7 – Ayotomiwa A (292), Helen C (281), Aminah B (262), Azaan D (262)

Overall

First - Ayotomiwa A and Haman K (292)

Second - Helen C (281)

Third - Gurleen K, Aminah B and Azaan D (262)

This week's top scoring class charts students, who will be awarded 20 extra points are: -

Year 11 – Jessica R (181), Marianna K (180), Nicole G (153)

Year 10 – Mohammed R (233), Estera L (187), Diana S (176)

Year 9 – Steareen A (272), Erik H (265), Natalia B (263)

Year 8 – Hayden F (221), Chater K (201), Emily W and Mehardeep S (201)

Year 7 – Tendai G (329), Abel B (281), Hanna B (275)

Overall

First - Tendai G (329)

Second - Abel B (281)

Third - Hanna B (275)

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Extra Rewards

In addition, I would like to say a massive thank you and well done to all of the students who achieved 100% attendance. To be at school EVERY day for a whole year is phenomenal. Attendance is so important to learning and I will award an extra 100 points for those with 100% attendance.

YEAR 7	YEAR 8	YEAR 9	YEAR 10	YEAR 11
A, Muhammad	A, Aayan	A, Steareen	A, Boluwatife	A, Mardeen
A, Ayokanmi	A, Maylee	A, Amber	A, Nika	A, Raeanna
A, Ayotomiwa	A, Lily	A, Faizaan	A, Basil	A, Syed
A, Faizaan	A, Orlando	A, Joshua	A, Lidya	B, Jashanpreet
A, Soleen	A, Romeo	A, Joel	A R, Amal	B, Joshveer
A, Ibrahim	B, Victoria	A, Jovani	A, Samantha	B, Jake
A, Abaas	B, Amisha	B, Roseann	A, Sara	B, Paris
A, Bahara	B, Priya	B, Jagjit	A, Olivia	C, Muhammad
A, Muneeb	B, Danis	B, Aminah	A, Lily	C-P, Akmal
A, Divjot	B, Muhammad, Subhan	B, Natalia	B, Muhammad Adeel	C, James
B, Bahoz	B, Ashley	B-U, Fatima	B, Kulveer	C, Dusan
B, Lucas	B, Georgia	B, Sara	B, Zoe	D, Abby
B, Simran	B, Matilda	B, Martinus	B, Harry	D-M, Alex
B, Neve	D M, Rozh	B, Ashton	B, Prince	D, Alexandra
B, Harkeet	D, Conor	B, Alex	B, Michela	F, Lucy
B, Aaminah	D, Inderpreet	C, Nikita	B, Ella	G, Niks
B, Abdullah	D, Esteban	D, Paige	C, Jora	G, Marshall
B, Sara	D, Sabina	D, Tyler	C, Luke	G, Nekeesha
B, Sebastian	E, Kobe	D, Tanya	D, Ella	G-W, Jacob
B, Abel	E, Taylor	D, Aj	D-W, Jack	G, Mahedin
B, Leah	E, Lionella	D, Jasmine	D, Orya	H, Ali
B, Finnian	E, Edward	D, Justin	D, Tanisha	H, Alima
B, Billy-Joe	E, Arsenil	F, Joshua	D, Kaywan	H, Shaan
B, Melissa	F, Imrich	G, Andrew	D, Isabell	H, Muneeb
B, Hanna	F, Emanuela Awua	G, Imogen	D, Kian	I, Mohammed
C, Allana	F, Hayden	H-B, Ashley	E, Leah	I, Mohsin
C, Khadija	F, Daniel	H, Laura	E, Jaydan	J, Samra

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C, Helen	F-C, Lewis	H, Safeela	F, Mackai	K, Avneet
C, Kayla	G, Namneet	I, Scott	F, Paige	K, Harmandeep
C-S, Leo	G, Alena	I, Iqra	G, Ryan	K-B, Jayten
D, Christopher	G, Nikolas	J, Keegan	G, Sahil	K, Muhammed Huzaifa
D, Jake	G, Aya	K, Viktor	G, Tyler	K, Dylan
D, Azaan	G, Gemma	K, Amanpreet	G, Vanesa	K, Jay
D, Oscar	G, Jagveer	K, Harman	G, Kristyan	K, Amit
D, Warin	H, Issa	K, Jaswinder	G, Sian	K, Garv
E, Mohammed	H-R, Charnayo	K, Parmeet	G, Aleksandra	K, Rohan
F, Malayeka	H, Rylan	K, Ramandeep	G, Oliver	L, Igor
F, Callum	H, Rohan	K, Adam	H, Harkeeret	M, Nikola
G, Gaidhu, Ramondeep	I, Soraya	K, Meek	H, Affan	M, Jugraj Singh
G, Sukhdeep Saini	K, Aishjit	M, Katie	H, Simran	M, Lewis
G, Tendai	K, Jasleen	M, Miya	H, Dylan	M, Alyssa
G, Lucie	K, Ilaha	M, Archie	H, Monika	M, Vinjeru
H, Muhammad	K, Shania	P, Harjot	H, Raheem	M, Lewis
H, Dylan	K, Chater	P, Lizzie	H, Samuel	M, Freya
H, Ella	K, Moise	P, Jaskaran	I, Zenab	M, Ervin
H, Mohammed	K, Dominik	R, Juwiria	I, Mojeed	M, Subhaan
H, Sana	K, Victoria	R, McKenzie	I, Honah	M, Kai
H, Tiffany-Leigh	K, Sebastian	R, Joseph	I, Nehemie	N, Balraj
I, Rhema Beru	L, Sarlota	R, Zubda	J, Siham	P, Inder
J, Amleena Kaur	M, Leeyah	R, Jessica	J, Sheriff Modoulamin	P, Jilisa
K, Dadian	M, Rohullah	R, Phoebe	J, Toms	P, Samuel
K, Harnoor	M, Omar	S, Hannah Arzu	J, Silvie	P, Kyan
K, Summer	M, Omar	S, Muhammad	J, Aaron	P, Neena
K, Bryar	M, Seher	S, Saphina	J, Korey	P, Amina

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L, Ornella	M, Leyland	S, Marshall	K, Gurveer	R, Jamie
L, Connor	M, William	S, Jashandeep	K, Gurleen	R, Jessica
M, Safah	N, Jaya	S, Jaskirat	K, Jaskiren	R, Ali
M, Harry James	N, Asaph	S, Jograj	K, Kamal Preet	R, Jenson
M, Finlee	N, Hasiba	S, Navdeep	K, Parneet	S, Muskan
M, Arkan	O, Erik	S, Paramraj	K, Rashmeet	S, Khushi
M, Rhiannon	P, Urooj	S, Priyanshu	K, Ruby	S, Seyed
M, Alfie	Q, Rio	S, Ethan	K, Karan	S, Arooj
M, Connor	R, Bhavanjeet	S, Estera	K, Kunal	S, Karina
M, Romeo	R, Muskaan	T, Lukas	K, Tadisashe Faith	S, Zahra
N, Jawairia	R, Leyla	T, Anvesh	L, Eryk	S, Amritpal
N, Mueez	R-B, Layla	T, Kieran	M, Marek	S, Arashpreet
N, Maria	S, Riya	W, Jayden	M, Oliwia	S, Gurjap
N, Zara	S, Halimah	W, Ruby	M, Jovan	S, Gurjot
N, Amina	S, Eessa	W, Dean	M, Kacie	S, Lovepreet
O, Mateusz	S, Hajer	W, Joshua	M, Eva	S, Prabhjeet Kaur
P, Markuss	S, Jasmeet	W, Isabel	N, Brian	S, Skye
P, Natasha	S, Charlie	W, Christian	N, Danyal	S, Nathan
YEAR 7	YEAR 8	YEAR 9	YEAR 10	YEAR 11
P, Dainius	S, Ranveer		N-L, Luke	T, Rhea
P, Hermione	S, Taranvir		N, Sallimata	W, Sky
P, Karina	S, Olivia		O, Riley	W, Bailey
R, Abdul	S, Timon		O-S, Morgan	Z, Amaan
R, Banipreet	S, Harvey		O, Victor	Z, Buthaina Ismael Mussa
R, Jake	S, Kevin		O, Vivian	
R, Deepanshu	T, Quratulain		P, Keira	
R, Emmad	T, Bethany		R, Paige	
R, Ebaney	V, Mirela		R, Mohammed	
R, Hadi	W-L, Maddison		R, Ethan	
R, Amaia	W, Liam		S, Muhammad	
S, Seyed Zain	W, Ella-louise		S, Giya	
S, Zahra			S, Jasmin	
S, Jassa			S, Malika	
S, Enja			S, Yara	
S, Amar			S, Fiza	
S, Gurpeet			S, Leah	
S, Jasmine			S, Anshika	
S, Tanpuneet			S, Gurditt	
S, Yuvraj			S, Jaskiran	
S, Sienna			S, Jaspreet	
S, Izabela			S, Jowan	
S, Fatima			S, Manmol	
S,-H, Aydan			S, Sahilpreet	
T, Marwa			S, Sandis	
T, Radek			S, Lewis	
T, Muhammad			S, Abigail	

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W, Keely			S, Nikit	
W, Isabelle			T, Kyle	
W, Gabriel			T, Shannon	
Z, Malaika			T, Maryam	
Z, Deena			T, Paramveer	
			U H, Saad	
			U, Mackenzie	
			U, Edgars	
			W-L, Alicia	
			W, Blake	
			W, Jessica	
			W, Michael	

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