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Headteacher's Fortnightly Blog Week Commencing 13th September 2021

I would like to start off by saying how excited I am to be welcoming you all back to CODA. In my first blog of the new year, I want to recognise the continuing excellence that is being demonstrated every day as well as the amazing events that have already happened at CODA.

The feel around school is one of productivity and learning whilst keeping everyone as safe. The start to this year's Classcharts points scoring has been the highest I have known. So many students being rewarded for their great work and fantastic effort. Keep it up everyone.

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

MFL Success

The MFL department would like to say a massive 'excellent' 'fantastisch' and 'fantastico' to the calm and settled return to learning by our pupils and we are looking forward to working with you all this year.

Danke.

Herr Milner und das Fremdsprachen-Team

Readers of the Week from Miss McQuilton

Ethan S -10HL

Mariyah N- 10EB

Esteban D - 9MG

Layla BR - 9HD

James S - 8SE

Ayokanmi A - 8RT

Douaa K - 8LS

Oliwia B - 7JH

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Connect Music Success

Miss Bell, Mrs Willatt and Ms Haywood want to say well done to Norbert B who performed brilliantly in music this week.



Year 7 Success

Year 7 have made a great start to life at CoDA including many positive on calls. This week has been a particularly good week. In Personal Development, pupils have been making connections with their peers in the spider web task. The Year 7 football team played their first game against an excellent Derby Moor team. CoDA worked very hard and achieved a 0-0. Keep up the great work Year 7.



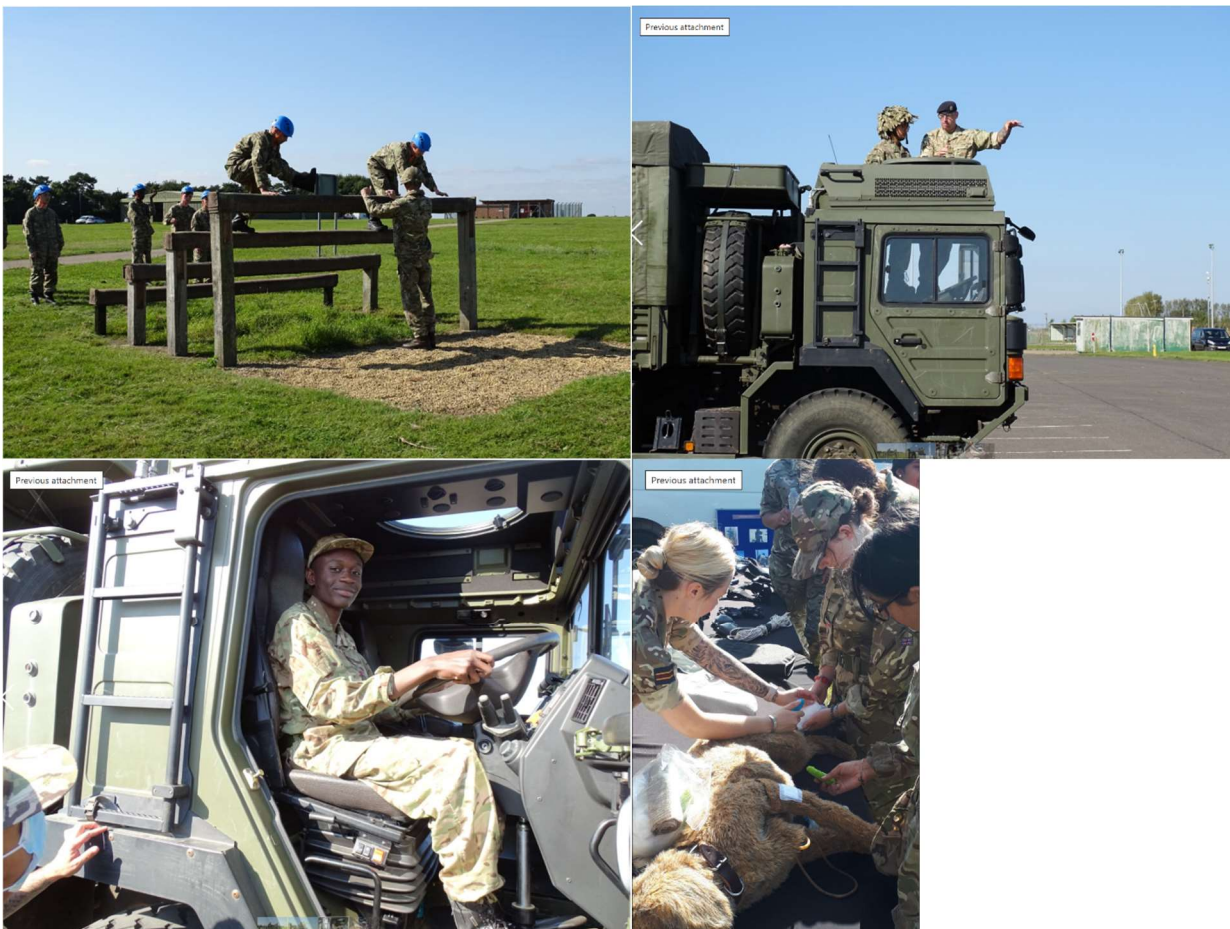
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Cadet Success

18 Cadets from CODA's Combined Cadet Force attended a 'Look at Life' day at Prince William of Gloucester Barracks, to learn about different careers in the Military. Activities included an assault course, along with presentations from the Royal Air Force, Royal Logistics Corps and Veterinary Corps – who taught our Cadets some basic First Aid for Dogs! Well done to all who attended.



Religious Studies Success

Mrs Beeson would like to say a big WELL DONE to the GCSE RS class for their excellent start to the term, exploring complex Christian philosophy. Keep it up!

Well done to Jasleen K in year 9 who also produced some wonderful extra work about the importance of studying Religious Studies. Thank you so much!

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Connect Success

Friday Fiery Forest School at Connect

On Friday 24th September the Connect Students learnt about Survival skills and how to use a flint and steel to start a fire for cooking in the wild. Students made a Clay fire bowl, used tools, branches and other foraged materials to make their own fire square then prepared the area to be fire safe and worked together to get a fire going... The students worked well together and encouraged each other with a task which was not as easy as they thought it would be. Ryan S was the first to get his fire going and then went to help others. Students demonstrated excellent persistence, team work and social skills in the task... We all agreed we may need a little more practice before we get to the cooking stage!



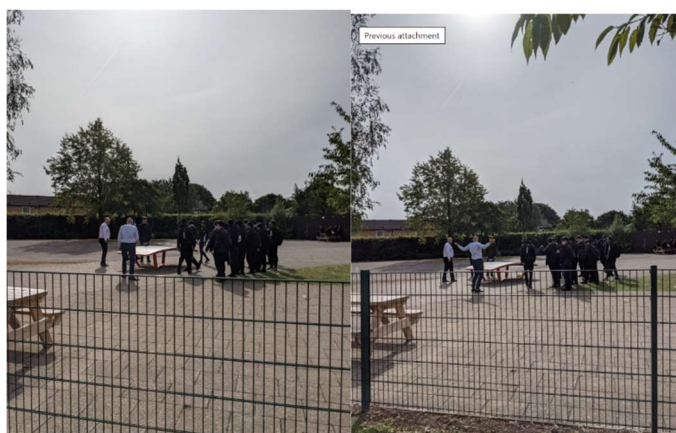
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All things new Success

This year CODA has been investing in students social time activities. There has been 2 outdoor table tennis tables, basketball hoops and a Teqball table installed. It has been wonderful to see the students use them and especially to see the Year 11s get a Teqball lesson from Mr Meehan and myself 😊. Come on guys, you need to up your game!



Science Success

I have received this excellent piece of independent learning from Jake B in 7CM. We had been looking at burning metals in science and it had clearly peaked Jake's interest.

I have already given Jake 20 classcharts points for this work and wondered whether it would be good to include in your 'Head Teacher's' blog.

How are the colours of fireworks are made?

They are made from metal salts other wise if you have no metal salts in fireworks it will have no colour.

The red colour fireworks are made from Strontium Salts. They are: Strontium Nitrate, Strontium Carbonate, Strontium Sulfate.

The orange colour is made from Calcium Salts. They are: Calcium Carbonate, Calcium Chloride, Calcium Sulfate.

The yellow colour is made from Sodium Salts. They are: Sodium Nitrate, Sodium Oxalate Cryolite.

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|-----------|
| 38 |
| Sr |
| 87.62 |
| Strontium |
| 20 |
| Ca |
| 40.08 |
| Calcium |
| 11 |
| Na |
| 22.99 |
| Sodium |

The ISS

The ISS also called International Space Station and is a station in space were you travel to. You do all the normal things you do however with no gravity. You can also go out into space as well.

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

Year 11 – Jack DW (304), Basil A (282), Olivia A (282)

Year 10 – Elle R (330), Sabina G (300), Sofie G (279)

Year 9 – Danis B (257), Sukhraj S (249), Soumya S (242)

Year 8 – Timea P (306), Lerayah W (296), Sara B, Max H (291)

Year 7 – Aleena B (252), Benjamin B (250), Viktoria B (250)

Overall

First - Elle R (330)
Second - Timea p (306)
Third - Jack DW (304)

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

Year 11 – Malika S (380), Olivia A (365), Lewis S (351)

Year 10 – Gurleen K (336), Amanpreet K (294), Mariya N (292)

Year 9 – Halimah S (364), Danis B (234), Riley H (230)

Year 8 – Seyed Zain S (328), Hanna B (224), Selina M (218)

Year 7 – Viktoria B (272), Benjamin B (265), Muhammad S (265)

Overall

First - Halimah S (364)
Second - Gurleen K (336)
Third - Seyed Zain S (328)

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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 | Mohammed Bilal | A | Mueez | A | Connor | A | Kamyar | A | Joyce Acheampongmaa |
| A | Mujtebah | A | Muhammad | A | Aitzaz | A | Amber | A | Alisha |
| A H | Tomas | A | Ayokanmi | A | Aayan | A | Ahad | A | Basil |
| A | Leena | A | Ayotomiwa | A | Maylee | A | Alizah | A | Aneruin |
| A | Rahat | A | Kasis | A | Orlando | A | Joshua | A | Samantha |
| A | Cerim | A | Faizaan | A | Shayaan Hussain | A | Hilda | A | Sara |
| A | Adineh | A | Ibrahim | A | Francis | A | Jovani | A | Olivia |
| A | Keelan | A | Masih | B | Konika | B | Harry | B | Muhammad Adeel |
| A | Faris | A | Abaas | B | Amisha | B | Sandip | B | Danila |
| A | Malaak | A | Bahara | B | Georgia | B | Ashley | B | Zoe |
| A | Jayden | A | Divjot | B | Courtney | B | Jagjit | B | Chris |
| A | Keren | B | Anjali | C | Tyreece | B | Aminah | B | Harry |
| B | Benjamin | B | Bahoz | D | Aditia | B | Sara | B | Prince |
| B | Viktoria | B | Neve | D | Kornelija | B | Martinus | B | Ella Louise Grace |
| B | Jake | B | Urszula | D | Kristian | B-T | Aidan | C | Jora |
| B | Manit | B | Harkeet | F | Iman | B | Lucie | D | Letisha |
| B | Maja | B | Liam | F | Imrich | C | Nikita | D-W | Jack |
| B | Aleena | B | Ishveer | F | Hayden | C | Nigel | D | Orya |
| B | Hajra | B | Mariyam | G | Brayden | C | Tyler | D | Isabell |
| B-M | Annas | B | Aaminah | G | Alena | D | Abduarahman | D | Kian |
| B | Brianna | B | Abdullah | G | Nikolas | D | Joshua | E | Leah |
| B | George | B | Sara | G | Aya | D | Paige | E | Jaydan Jahmai Ian |
| B | Jasmine | B | Vanesa | G | Jagveer | D | Tanya | F | Jack |
| B | Lacey | B | Sebastian | H | Issa | D | Aj | F | Paige |
| C | Isra | B | Abel | H | Riley | D | Altin | G | Sahil |
| D | Rocco | B | Leah | H-R | Charnayo | D | Justin | G | Tyler |
| D | Finley | B | Finnian | H | Anastasia | F | Joshua | G | Vanesa |
| D | Reece | B | Billy-Joe | H | Rylan | F | Anna-Leigh | G | Sian |

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| D | Jessica | B | Melissa | H | Amara | G | Holly | G | Aleksandra |
| D | Milusa | B | Hanna | I | Aneeka | G | Katie | H | Harkeeret |
| E | Lee-James | C | Allana | K | Muskandeeep | G | Andrew | H | Affan |
| F | Tyler | C | Kayden | K | Ilaha | G | Callum | H | Monika |
| F | Jasmina | C | Kayla | K | Chater | G | Imogen | H | Samuel |
| F | Alivia | C-S | Leo | K | Victoria | H | Tia | I | Mohammed |
| F | Demi-Leigh | D | Yusuf | L | Sebastian | H | Laura | I | Zenab |
| G | Arpad | D | Christopher | M | Patrik | H | Callum | J | Sheriff Modoulamin |
| G | Jaskarn | D | Jake | M | Leeyah | J | Sienna-Mai | J | Toms |
| G | Jason | D | Azaan | M | Bushra | K | Gurleen | J | Korey |
| G | Kyle | D | Oscar | M | Helena | K | Harman | K | Anna |
| G | Dusan | D | Sukhman | M | La'Talie | K | Ramandeeep | K | Gurleen |
| G | Kayla | D | Bartolomej | M | Ismaeel | K | Adam | K | Jaskiren |
| G | Zuzanna | D | Tomas | M | William | M | Anaiya | K | Kamal Preet |
| G | Kaja | E | Mohammed | M | Abdullah | M | Katie | K | Rashmeet |
| G | Kayson | F | Malayeka | N | Jaya | O | Roni | K | Yaicika |
| G | Kian | G G | Ramondeep | N | Elijah | O | Roya | K | Karan |
| G | Tia | G | Sukhdeep Saini | N | Hasiba | P | Prudence | K | Kunal |
| G | Tyler | G | Tendai | O | Erik | P | Sadiyah | L | Estera |
| H | Alfie | G | Lucie | O | Kimberley | P | Harjot | M | Marek |
| H-N | Javae | G | Mason | P | Urooj | P | Jaskaran | M | Oliwia |
| H | Maddie | H | Kianna | R | Bhavanjeet | P | Mya | M | Jovan |
| H | Ashpreet | H | Dylan | R | Muskaan | R | Sajan Singh | M | Laiba |
| H | Daniel | H | Corey | R | Leyla | R | Juwiria | M | Arian |
| H | Liam | H | Maximilian | R-B | Layla | R | McKenzie | M | Annija |
| H | Xenia | H | Mohammed | S | Riya | R | Joseph | M | Vanesa |
| H | Kelan | H | Zayaan | S | Halimah | R | Jessica | M | Kacie |
| H | Awais | H | Sana | S | Kimran | S | Hannah | N | Oliver |

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| I | Komal | I | Rhema Beni | S | Valentina | S | Madina Arzu | N | Sallimata |
| I | Khadijat | J | Amleena Kaur | S | Jasmeet | S | George | O | Riley |
| I | Maheen | J | Baylee Fane | S | Charlie | S | Sarthak | O-S | Morgan |
| I | Rehan | K | Douaa | S | Charan | S | Paiden | O | Victor |
| I | Daniel | K | Aleeza | S | Ishkaran | S | Sophie | O | Vivian |
| J | Millie-May | K | Harleen | S | Janbaz | S | Agyapal | P | Keira |
| J | Dmitri | K | Harnoor | S | Mehardeep | S | Anas | P | Parmjit |
| J | Tulisa | K | Jasneet | S | Soumya | S | Jashandeep | P | Rebeca |
| K | Jessica | K | Sabprit | S | Sukhraj | S | Jaskirat | P | David |
| K | Ekampreet | K | Bryar | S | Taranvir | S | Jograg | R | Paige |
| K | Harneet | K | Bilal | S-S | Yuvraj | S | Navdeep | S | Hassan |
| K | Simran | L | Nikita | S | Diana | S | Paramraj | S | Muhammad |
| K | Husnain | L | Connor | S | Timon | S | Pawandeep | S | Giya |
| K | Sana | M | Safah | S | Kevin | S | Dylan | S | Gurmeen |
| K | Shah Meer Ali | M | Harry James | T | Sarah | S | Ethan | S | Jasmin |
| K | Zara | M | Finlee | T | Bethany | S | Estera | S | Malika |
| K | Gabriel | M | Zaviyan | V | Mirela | T | Mia | S | Yara |
| K | Daniel | M | Decosta | W | Marcel | T | Lukas | S | Leah |
| L | Viera | M | Tyler | W | Millen | U | Mohammed Abdul | S | Amrinder |
| L | Allen | M | Arkan | W | Joshua | W | Jayden | S | Anshika |
| L | Xuan | M | Rhiannon | W | Emily | W | Danyal | S | Jaskiran |
| M | Nellie | M | Alfie | W | Alexis | W | Dean | S | Manmol |
| M-L | Madison | M | Sandijs | W | Ella-louise | W | Joshua | S | Sahilpreet |
| M | Maksymilian | M | Selina | Z | Haristh | W | Isabel | S | Lewis |
| M | Jonathan | M | Wanita | | | Z | Minahil | S | Piotr |
| M | Patrik | M | Connor | | | Z | Mussa | S | Kian |
| M | Beatrise | N | Jawairia | | | | | S | Nikit |
| M | Farhan | N | Maria | | | | | T | Paramveer |

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| M | Bernadett | N | Amina | | | | | W | Jessica |
| N | Milly | O | Mateusz | | | | | W | Michael |
| N | Keita | P | Timea | | | | | | |
| N | Azaan | P | Markuss | | | | | | |
| N | Laurentiu | P | Natasha | | | | | | |
| N | Angel | P | Dainius | | | | | | |
| N | Dawud | P | Alija | | | | | | |
| O'B | Matthew | P | Hermione | | | | | | |
| O | Kevin | P M | Megina | | | | | | |
| O | Sahra | Q | Hadia | | | | | | |
| P | Rytrel | Rafay | Abdul | | | | | | |
| P | Ansh | R | Banipreet | | | | | | |
| P | Alyssa | R | Deepanshu | | | | | | |
| P | Kai | R | Emmad | | | | | | |
| R | Summayyah | R | Ebaney | | | | | | |
| R S | Sukaina | R | Hadi | | | | | | |
| R | Muhammad | S | Deanna | | | | | | |
| R | Sarah | S | Harkeerat | | | | | | |
| S | Samera | S | Mustafa | | | | | | |
| S B | Saina | S | Nicola | | | | | | |
| S | Malad | S | Summer | | | | | | |
| S | Yuvraj | S | Seyed Zain | | | | | | |
| S | Memphis | S | Alina | | | | | | |
| S-B | Tianna | S | Karim | | | | | | |
| S | Jana | S | Shakar | | | | | | |
| S | Millie-Mae | S | Zahra | | | | | | |
| S | Antoniyo | S | Yuvraj | | | | | | |
| S | Syra | S | Moad | | | | | | |

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| S | Muhammad | S | Jassa | | | |
| S | Eakam | S | Amar | | | |
| S | Har Sehej | S | Armanpreet | | | |
| S | Karanveer | S | Gurpeet | | | |
| S | Elliot | S | Jasdeep | | | |
| S | McKenna-Leigh | S | Jasmine | | | |
| S | Klara | S | Maheer | | | |
| S | Dominik | S | Simrat | | | |
| T | Bhavandeep | S | Tanpuneet | | | |
| T | Ramandeep | S | Yuvraj | | | |
| T | Sahib | S K | Ranyot | | | |
| T | Frankie | S | Jan | | | |
| T-W | Aleah | S | Sienna | | | |
| T | Gracie | S-D | Kyan | | | |
| V | Rajvir | S | Izabela | | | |
| W | Sana | S | Fatima | | | |
| W | Muhammad | S-H | Aydan | | | |
| W | Daisy | T | Marwa | | | |
| W | Deacan | T | Logan | | | |
| W | Reece | T | Radek | | | |
| W | Amy-Lee | T | Muhammad | | | |
| W | Daniella | W | Ayshia | | | |
| W | Alexandra | W | Gabriel | | | |
| Y | Amarah | W | Kien | | | |
| Z | Javeira | Z | Malaika | | | |
| Z | Eman | Z | Kashaf | | | |
| Z | Alex | | | | | |
| Z | Ahmad | | | | | |