



14TH JUNE 2024

THE WORD

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HEADTEACHER'S ROUND-UP

We have had another busy week here at school. Our Year 11s are coming to the end of their exams. We are immensely proud of their commitment to the revision sessions and the exams. We continue to wish them all the best for their last week.

Year 10 enjoyed a fabulous STEM activity day on Monday, the workshops were delivered by WMG, Warwick University and the Royal Academy of Engineers.

Our Year 8s have had their assessments this week. The feedback from staff has been very positive and hearing our students' discussions after has shown the active participation. Well done to all.

We have some exciting times coming up. Last week saw the heats for the Eisteddfod festival taking place, I can't wait for the finals in July.

The school is also in full preparation mode for sports day. The teams are busy planning and preparing for this wonderful all school event. One of the calendar highlights of the year. Please do encourage your children to be involved. I am looking forward to watching all the competitions.

Annette Kumbler

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WORD OF THE WEEK

REVISE:

Verb: To look at or consider again an idea, piece of writing, etc. in order to correct or improve it.

Noun: A change or set of changes to something.

HOUSE POINTS



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DIARY REMINDERS

ALL YEARS:

Monday 1st July - INSET Day

YEAR 7:

Wednesday 19th June - Year 7 Cricket vs Wheelers Lane (A)
 Friday 21st June - Year 7 Grades to Parents
 Monday 24th June - Year 7 Boys Football vs Moseley School (A)
 Tuesday 25th June - Year 7 Rounders Tournament @ Alderbrook

YEAR 8:

Monday 17th June - Year 8 Football @ Christ Church - 3pm
 Wednesday 19th June - Year 8 Cricket vs Wheelers Lane
 Thursday 20th June - Year 8 Girls Rugby Festival - Camp Hill RC - 4pm - 5.30pm
 Friday 28th June - Year 8 WAG & BFL issued to Parents

YEAR 9:

Monday 17th June - Friday 21st June - Year 9 Assessment Week
 Wednesday 19th June - Year 9 Cricket vs Wheelers Lane
 Thursday 23rd June - Year 9 Rounders Tournament at Alderbrook School












YEAR 10:

Thursday 20th June - Year 10 L Band visit to Cannock Chase
 Monday 24th June - Friday 28th June - Year 10 Assessment Week
 Thursday 4th July - Year 10 H Band visit to Cannock Chase

YEAR 11:

Wednesday 26th June - Year 11 Celebration Assembly
 Wednesday 17th July - Year 11 Prom

EXTRA-CURRICULAR PE CLUBS

Monday 17 th June	Tuesday	Wednesday 19 th June	Thursday 20 th June	Friday 21 st June
Super Sixes Athletics  Year 7-9 BOYS 4-5.30pm @ Tudor Grange Track		 Cricket All Years Mr Cole Astro	 Rounders All Years Mrs White Field	 Girls Football All Years Mrs Pemberton Astro
Softball All Years Mr Grasso Field 		 Fitness All Years Mr Grasso Gym	 Basketball All Years (first 30) Mr Yates Gym	 Tennis All Years Mr Yates Tennis Courts
 Tennis Year 7 & 8 Mrs White Tennis Courts			 Boys Football Year 7 & 8 Mr Grasso Astro	 House Dance All Years Mrs Marum-Shaw Gym
Athletics All Years Mr Cole Field 			 Mixed Touch Rugby Final Year 9 Mr Cole @ Sixways Worcester	
			 Girls Rugby Festival Year 7/8 4-5.30pm Mrs Pemberton @ Camp Hill RC	

Extra-Curricular PE Clubs
17th June – 21st June



Wednesday 10th July Year 12 Insight Day

Chat to your Sixth Form teachers

Taster Lessons

You will receive an interactive sample lesson for each of your chosen subjects.



Use of the Sixth Form facilities

Resources with information about our enrichment and extra-curricular programme.



All students who have accepted their offer have now received their invite to our Insight Day. Please complete the form on your application profile to confirm your attendance (lighthall.applicaa.com).

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK

World Refugee Day - 20th June

Each year on 20 June, the world celebrates World Refugee Day, the international day to honour people who have been forced to flee.

Together, we can champion their right to seek safety, build support for their economic and social inclusion, and advocate for solutions to their plight.

What is World Refugee Day?

World Refugee Day is an international day designated by the United Nations to honour refugees around the globe. It falls each year on 20 June and celebrates the strength and courage of people who have been forced to flee their home country to escape conflict or persecution.



Why is World Refugee Day important?

World Refugee Day shines a light on the rights, needs and dreams of refugees, helping to mobilise political will and resources so refugees can not only survive but thrive. While it is important to protect and improve the lives of refugees every single day, international days like World Refugee Day help to focus global attention on the plight of those fleeing conflict or persecution. Many activities held on World Refugee Day create opportunities to support refugees.

When is World Refugee Day and when did it start?

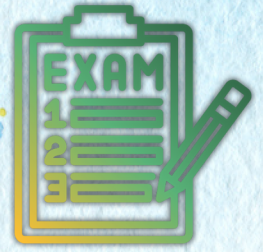
World Refugee Day falls each year on 20 June and is dedicated to refugees around the globe. World Refugee Day was held globally for the first time on 20 June 2001 to commemorate the 50th anniversary of the 1951 Convention relating to the Status of Refugees. It was originally known as Africa Refugee Day, before the United Nations General Assembly officially designated it as an international day in December 2000.

What happens on World Refugee Day?

Each year, World Refugee Day is marked by a variety of events in many countries around the globe in support of refugees. These activities are led by or involve refugees themselves, government officials, host communities, companies, celebrities, school children and the general public, among others. Read our World Refugee Day Live Blog to discover some of the activities that took place in 2023.



SUMMER 2024 EXAMINATION TIMETABLE



17/06/2024		Music
18/06/2024	Design and Technology	
19/06/2024	Food Prep and Nutrition	
20/06/2024		
21/06/2024		
24/06/2024		
25/06/2024		
26/06/2024	Contingency	Contingency
20/06/2024		
21/06/2024		

SPORTING ACHIEVEMENT



We are so proud of Taylor in Year 7 who competed in the Silver Regional 2 National Tumbling championships at the weekend & is now the English Champion in her category & age group!



British
Gymnastics

YEAR 10 STEM ACTIVITY DAY

Students were given an introduction to careers in Engineering and the Manufacturing industry Before designating their job roles that included; Design engineer, Electrical Engineer, Mechanical Engineer, and Software Engineer for the task ahead.

The students had to work in teams, to design an electric autonomous vehicle to steer around a track, while moving from A to B.

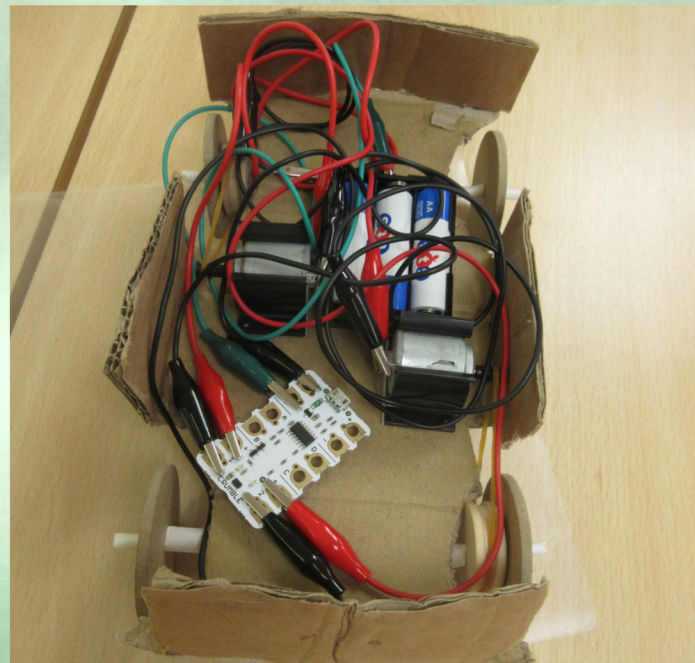
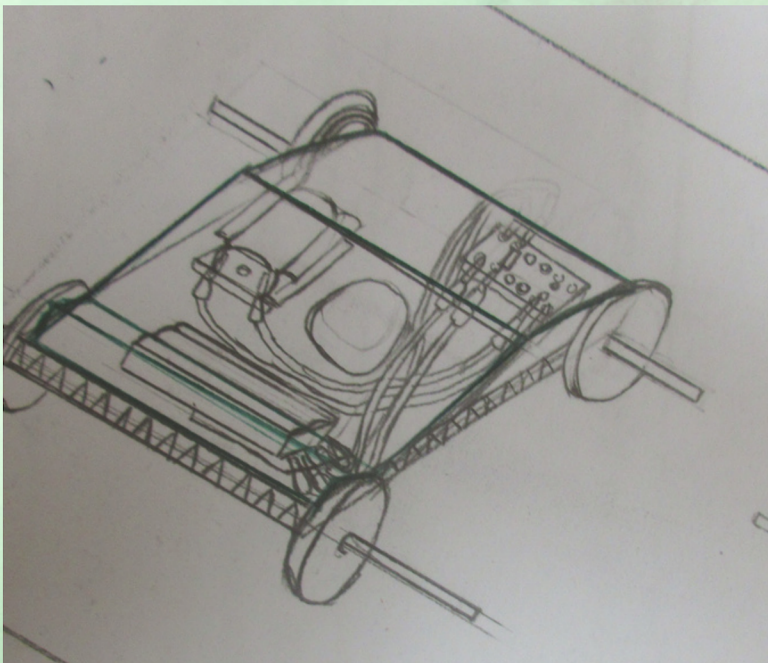
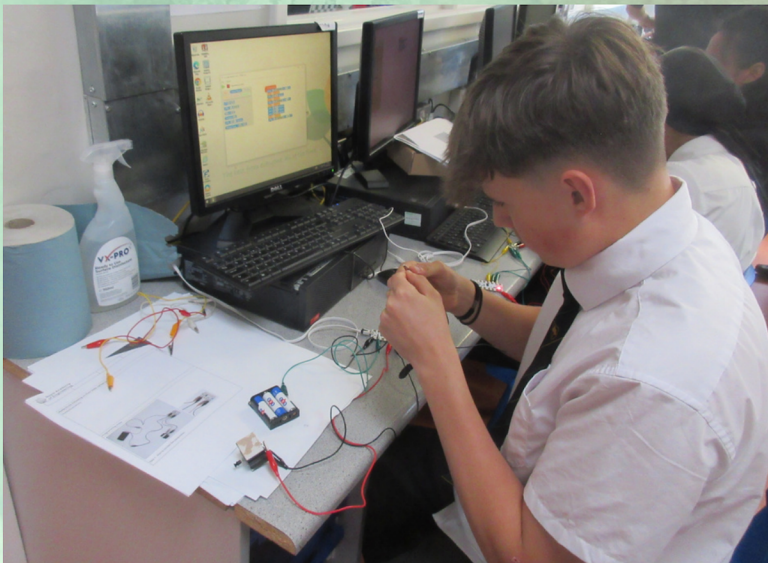
Students had to build the prototype chassis, Build the circuit and use the software to program to vehicle around a marked path.

All students took on the challenge admirably; with good team work evident as well as students willing to go the extra mile to help the opposing teams who were finding some of the aspects more challenging.

Well Done to Aiden W, Sean L, and Sam G for the team spirit.

Ultimately there was one winner who performed well in all areas of the challenge that included; the design, the build, the program coding and final presentation pitch at the end.

Congratulations to Sam G, Tom M and Abdul G!



YEAR 9 ASSESSMENT SCHEDULE

English		Maths		Science		L&M		Drama	
H1	17.06.24 P1	H1	20.06.24 P3	HS	20.06.24 P5	H1	17.06.24 P4	H1	21.06.24
H2	17.06.24 P1	H2	20.06.24 P3	HC	20.06.24 P5	H2	17.06.24 P2	H2	21.06.24
HE	17.06.24 P1	H3	20.06.24 P3	HI	20.06.24 P5	HE	19.06.24 P3	HP	18.06.24
HN	17.06.24 P1	H4	20.06.24 P3	HE	20.06.24 P5	HN	19.06.24 P3	HS	17.06.24
L1	17.06.24 P1	L1	20.06.24 P3	LS	20.06.24 P4	L1	17.06.24 P5	L1	17.06.24
L2	17.06.24 P1	L2	20.06.24 P3	LC	20.06.24 P4	L2	20.06.24 P1	L2	20.06.24
LE	17.06.24 P1	L3	20.06.24 P3	LI	20.06.24 P4	LE	18.06.24 P5	LF	20.06.24
LN	17.06.24 P1	L4	20.06.24 P3	LE	20.06.24 P4	LN	21.06.24 P5	LR	20.06.24

History		Geography		IT		Art and Design		Design Tech	
H1	18.06.24 P2	H1	17.06.24 P4	H1	19.06.24 P4	H1	20.06.24 P3	H1	17.06.24 P3
H2	19.06.24 P3	H2	18.06.24 P2	H2	19.06.24 P4	H2	20.06.24 P2	H2	17.06.24 P3
HE	20.06.24 P4	HE	19.06.24 P4	HE	21.06.24 P2	H3	20.06.24 P3	H3	17.06.24 P3
HN	18.06.24 P1	HN	17.06.24 P3	HN	19.06.24 P4	I1	17.06.24 P3	I1	25.06.24 P4
L1	19.06.24 P5	L1	21.06.24 P3	L1	17.06.24 P3	I2	17.06.24 P3	I2	25.06.24 P4
L2	18.06.24 P2	L2	21.06.24 P3	L2	17.06.24 P3	L1	19.06.24 P1	L1	21.06.24 P2
LE	21.06.24 P3	LE	17.06.24 P3	LE	17.06.24 P5	L2	19.06.24 P1	L2	21.06.24 P2
LN	21.06.24 P4	LN	21.06.24 P1	LN	19.06.24 P5	L3	19.06.24 P1	L3	21.06.24 P2
						M1	21.06.24 P2	M1	19.06.24 P1
						M2	21.06.24 P2	M2	19.06.24 P1

French		Spanish		Music		Music	
L1	18.06, 20.06, 25.06	H1	17.06, 18.06, 26.06	H1	19.06.24 P1	L1	20.06.24 P2
L2	17.06, 18.06, 25.06	H2	17.06, 18.06, 27.06	H2	19.06.24 P1	L2	20.06.24 P3
LF	17.06, 20.06, 25.06	HP	19.06, 21.06, 26.06	HP	17.06.24 P5	LF	18.06.24 P1
LR	17.06, 20.06, 25.06	HS	18.06, 19.06, 25.06	HS	21.06.24 P5	LR	18.06.24 P1

YEAR 10 ASSESSMENT SCHEDULE

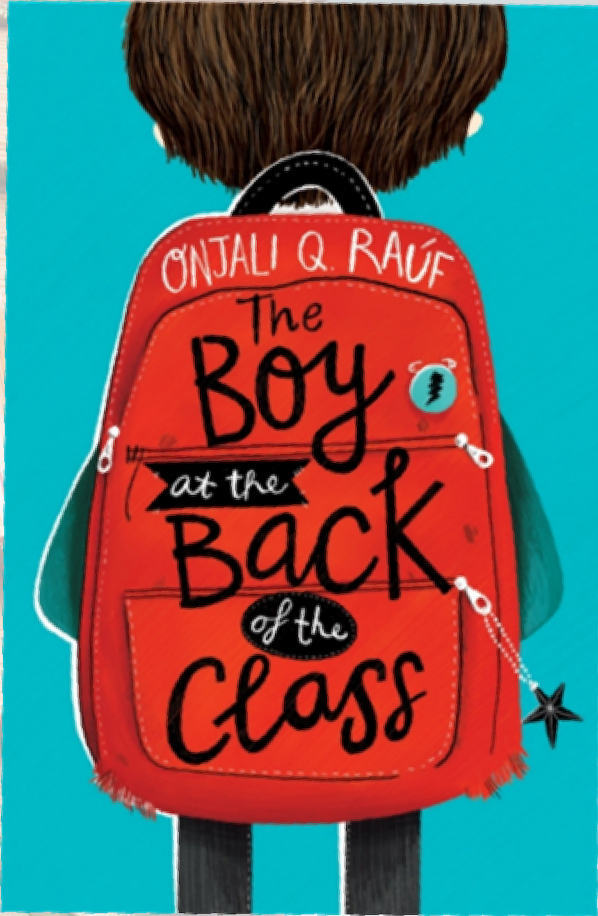
Date	Session 1 (P1) 09:05-10:05	Session 2 (P3) 11:30 - 12:30	Session 3 (P5) 13:50 - 14:50
Monday 24/6	Maths paper 1	English 1	L&M
Tuesday 25/6	History/ Geography	Science 1 - Biology	
Wednesday 26/6	English 2	Option A	
Thursday 27/6	Science 2 - Chemistry	Option B	
Friday 28/6	Option C	Maths paper 2	

Option subjects A, B & C – all exams to last 60 minutes.

Design Technology
 Computing
 Drama
 Sport Science
 iMedia
 Food Technology
 Business
 French (Writing) / Spanish (Writing)
 Separate Science – Physics
 Geography
 Child Development

- Combined physics exam to happen during lesson time L band Wednesday 26/6 period 5, H band Thursday 27/6 period 5
- Music shall be assessed in lessons
- Business studies additional paper will be assessed the week before mocks. **Students will be told by their class teacher which lesson.**
- French and Spanish – (Listening, Reading and Speaking) will also be assessed in lessons. Students will be told by their class teacher which lesson.

RECOMMENDED READS FOR THIS WEEK



Told with humour and heart, *The Boy at the Back of the Class* offers a child's perspective on the refugee crisis, highlighting the importance of friendship and kindness in a world that doesn't always make sense.

'Illegal' is a story of refugees. It's about a young boy in Africa who's determined to catch up with his brother and meet up with his sister, both of whom have set out to make a better life for themselves in another country. But the path to freedom is dangerous and harrowing. This fictional account is based on many true stories of people trying to cross the rough African Desert and the Mediterranean.



**NEVER
STOP
READING**

NATIONAL THANK A TEACHER DAY

Join the whole of the UK in celebrating National Thank a Teacher Day on Wednesday 19th June. This day is dedicated to all the schools and colleges at the heart of our communities, from the teachers helping us make sense of the world to all the wonderful support staff keeping things running.

There will be heaps of ways to get involved, from sending free thank you cards, entering our competitions and enjoying our free on-the-day activities. Don't forget to register your interest using the button below to be the first to hear more details!

Send a free personalised thank you message

To celebrate National Thank a Teacher Day, you can send a free personalised limited edition e-card to anyone working in a school. Whether it's an amazing teacher, stand out member of support staff, or a whole school team and let them know why you appreciate them.

<https://thankateacher.co.uk/thank-a-teacher/thank-a-teacher-form/>



Thank
you
Teacher!

