



NEWSLETTER

15th – 19th October 2018

REVISION WORKSHOPS – YEAR 11

Parents of Year 11 students joined the Heads of English and Maths this week to look at meaningful revision activities and how parents can help to prepare their children for the end of year exams.

It was lovely to see parents so willing to help their children and inspiring for us to see students working so well with their parents. The top revision activities for each subject are below:



English: Students started making flashcards for each of the poems they have studied. Once made, flashcards allow parents to test students on their key knowledge.

Writing algebraic expressions 3 (in context)
Example
Colin gets £x wages each week. After he pays his tax of £t he then pays his rent of £200. He then shares what's left between himself and his wife. How much do they each get?
 $x - t \xrightarrow{-200} x - t - 200 \xrightarrow{\div 2} \frac{x - t - 200}{2}$
 $\frac{x - t - 200}{2}$

153 - Writing algebraic expressions 3 (in context)

Learn how to write algebraic expressions from a series of steps given in context.

Video watched 0.00x

Your score New lesson HeggartyMaths avg 80%

[Do quiz](#)

Spotted a mistake in this video?

Maths: Students and parents familiarised themselves with Heggarty Maths, an online tool and app for the revision of key mathematics skills. Heggarty Maths makes it easy for parents to get involved and oversee the revision their children are doing.

If the parents of any Year 11 student want information on how they can help their children to prepare for Maths and English exams, please contact either Miss Martin or Mrs Hutchinson. We are here to help.

YEAR 7 – HOCKEY VS TAUNTON ACADEMY



In their first ever hockey match the girls put on an outstanding performance. The game was on grass and the girls adapted their skills for the surface and started to use the space up the wings. Georgia Purdy was fantastic in defence and took control of the many long corners Court Fields won. There were goals galore with 3-0 in the first half coming from Lauren Howe and Georgia Purdy. Then 3 more in the 2nd half from Evie Rowland and Chloe Payne. Taunton Academy put all their players behind the ball and the girls had to work hard when the D was so occupied. Overall Court Field won 6-0! Very proud of their first win to start of the season! Miss Gibbins.

YEAR 8 – HOCKEY VS TAUNTON ACADEMY

The girls played 8 a side on the grass pitch and adapted their skills well to the surface. The girls passed the ball well using triangles to create the space. A great cross into the D was finished off by Tenika Goss from close range ending the first half 1-0 to Court Fields. In the 2nd half Taunton Academy stepped up and had 2 chances in the D but with our defenders Halle Waitlin-Arnold and goalkeeper India Davey in the D, no shots were scored. The girls played as a team and had another few opportunities in the D but the Taunton Academy goalkeeper did well not to let any more in. Overall Court Fields won 1-0 with player of the match being awarded to Charlotte Ayers.



YEAR 8 – RUGBY – TAUNTON ACADEMY 0 – 55 COURT FIELDS

Two wins for the blue army as they marched to another fantastic win, scoring 11 tries without reply.

Following last week's impressive victory at Bishop Fox's, the Year 8s started very impressively, scoring two tries from the prolific Thomas Heggadon. The Academy responded by playing some good rugby, only to be thwarted by the solid defensive line of Court Fields. After this spell it was really only a one way affair with Court Fields going on to play some scintillating rugby and scoring a further 9 tries. Well done boys! Mr Conway



Try Scorers: Thomas Heggadon x5, Dylan Groves x3, Ben Fowler x1, Blake Lowman x1, Harry Jennings x1.

Man of the match: Dylan Groves

MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS DAY



On Wednesday 10th October, students wore green ribbons to raise awareness of positive mental health. Year 7s were set the challenge to make at least 3 ribbons each, one for themselves, one for a member of staff and one for another student. I felt so proud to see Tuesday morning students busy making as many as possible with one tutor group, 7R making 187 badges in 20 minutes! Each tutor group made over 100 and led the way to help raise awareness of such an important issue. Thank you to all Year 7 students and the rest of the school for wearing your ribbons.

Mrs Westwood - Head of Year 7

TRANSITION LEADER



Applications have now closed and we will begin short listing students to attend a short interview. We have had an outstanding response and we are looking forward to recruiting all our leaders in due course. I am so pleased we have so many Year 7 students who want to develop their skills as a leader. Keep up the great work!

Mrs Westwood - Head of Year 7

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