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Dear Parent/ Carer

I hope you have had good week. Please find important information and links for the coming weeks below:

National Happiness Day (Wednesday 20th March)

We have been celebrating National Happiness Day this week at CoPA. After an online assembly to the whole school on Tuesday, staff and students (including former students), were asked to write a sentence or two about what they enjoyed about being at CoPA - we are going to display these across the Academy for all to see.

Here are just a few of the comments:

"I feel privileged to be able to learn about the cultural traditions and values of our amazing students, who are proud to tell me about their experiences".

Mrs Hegde

"We never give up on each other, staff, and students alike. Striving for excellence together"

Mr Hunneyball

"My favourite thing is the kindness/politeness from the students. Every single day, students say "Morning/Hi Madam, how are you?". This really does make your day, especially when you're having a tough one!"

Miss Plaice

"CoPA is an establishment like no other, as I've left, I've realised how much it represents a second home and family, its inclusivity and support goes beyond any school I've been in contact with. It's something we shouldn't have taken for granted in the moment."

Mia

Parent Feedback Survey

Thank you to those of you who have completed the latest parent survey.

There is still time to feedback to us if you wish to:

CLICK HERE TO ACCESS THE SURVEY



Year 11 Exam Preparation/ Easter Revision Sessions

With only 20 school days left until the first written exam on Friday 10 May, we continue to work hard in preparing our Year 11 students.

Thank you to the many parents who attended the in-person parents evening on Monday.

During the Easter break, staff have kindly given their time to run subject specific workshops - we would love to see as many students as we can.

Below is an overview of what is available each day and the timings of these sessions. There is no obligation for students to attend, however, past students have commented on how useful they have found this in the past.

Easter Revision Timetable Tuesday 2 April – Tuesday 9 April

	Monday 1st April	Tuesday 2 nd April	Wednesday 3 rd April	Thursday 4th April	Friday 5 th April
Session 1 9.30 – 12.00	Easter Monday	History FBH (Medicine and Elizabeth) AM Enterprise & Marketing- JHO, AHU Spanish-MKO OCR Sports Studies - KPE	Maths (Foundation) MBu Child Development - NKO	English – Lit/Lang SRO/EBE/CCA/KSW/HST	Geography Paper 1 (Small group intervention) SDO/VSI/MAT Music- CPL OCR Sports Studies -KPE
Session 2 12.30 – 3.00		History FBH (Cold War and Germany) Enterprise and Marketing JHO, AHU Spanish MKO OCR Sports Studies-KPE	Maths (Higher)- MBU Child Development - NKO	English – Lit/Lang SRO/EBE/CCA/KSW/HST	Geography Paper 2 (Small group intervention) SDO/VSI/MAT Music-CPL OCR Sports Studies - KPE
	Monday 8th April	Tuesday 9th April	Wednesday 10th April	Thursday 11 th April	Friday 12th April
Session 1 9.30 – 12.00 Session 2	Combined Science – Biology FMU/LPA Separate Science – Biology LRO Separate Science –	Separate Science Chemistry FMU Combined Science – Physics LPA/LRO Separate Science –	Eid	Eid	
12.30 - 3.00	Biology LRO Combined Science – Chemistry FMU/LPA	Chemistry FMU			

Please note that for those students attending all day, we unfortunately are not able to provide lunch due to the kitchen being closed. Please ensure that your child brings their own packed lunch on these days.

Students of the Week

In the run up to Easter, following the PPE exams, I have been meeting 10-12 Year 11 students per week to discuss revision, support and any other feedback. Students of the week from Years 7-10 have been meeting with our Deputy Principal, Mr Beeby, to celebrate their achievements.

Congratulations to this week's Students of the Week:

English	Student L (Year 9)			
Maths	Ellie-Mae Sansom (Year 9)			
Humanities	Chantel Gurure (Year 10)			
Science	Student S (Year 9)			
Performance	Michael Wambui (Year 8)			

Languages	Abdulmalek Al Ammarin (Year 9)		
Year 7	Hamza Monudi		
Year 8	Lukas M		
Year 9	Student A		
Year 10	Raja Hassan Ahmed		

If not done so already, please can I ask that you take a moment to complete our 'Permission to Publish Student Details Form', whereby you can opt in or out of certain student details being published within newsletters (such as the above table). We'd love to share your child's success! Thank you to those that already completed this.



And finally...

We are happy to announce that our booking system will open next week for our **Year 8 Parents Evening**, that is taking place on Monday 22nd April.

From Monday next week, 25th March, please use this link to book your **online** consultation:

https://copa.schoolcloud.co.uk

Have a lovely weekend.

Yours faithfully

Mrs N Treacy Principal