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17 November 2023

Dear Parent/ Carer

I hope this letter finds you well. It's been another busy week, with lots for us to be excited about and for our staff and students to be proud of.

## Woodland Trust Tree Donation

We were fortunate in the Summer to win a bid with the Woodland Trust and gain 120 trees and shrubs for the school. Excitingly, they have arrived with us this week, just in time for our Eco Warriors being appointed within the school. Their first mission is to support a larger team to plant our mini forest. We are very excited to give our students the opportunity to leave a mark on the school and are looking to get plaques for the tree that they plant to demonstrate what impact they have had on CoPA and our environment. We look forward to being able to show you the progress of our mini forest over the next few years.

## Duke of Edinburgh

Our year 9 Duke of Edinburgh students are now underway with their award. Many students have started their volunteering, physical and skill placements. We have been very impressed with the organisation with this cohort so far securing volunteering placements outside of school in the community, which is great to see. Please be reminded that the next, and final, meeting for this year for students to ensure their accounts are up and running is scheduled for Tuesday 21 November 2023.

## Sporting News

	Year 11 Boys Football	Year 7 Girls Netball	Year 8 Girls Netball	Year 9 Girls Netball *
Results	Loss 3-1 KQA	Loss Bushfield	Loss Bushfield	Loss 3-1 Sir Harry Smith
Coaches Player	Student O	Student S	Student O	Student S
Players Player	Liam Moore	Student A	Student J	Student M

\*A really close game, holding a draw throughout the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> quarters of the game.

Also, Year 10 Girls Netball: Played a triangular fixture on Thursday 16 November 2023 against both Stanground and Nene Park. **Our Year 10 girls won both matches, showing a great attitude and determination throughout!**

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<b>Results</b>	Win 6-7 Stanground	Win 13-2 Nene Park
<b>Coaches Player</b>	Evie-Anne	Grace Roughton 10RAM
<b>Players Player</b>	Asreen A (10RAM)	Rose Bogle 10ANA

## Sparx Maths

All years are accessing Sparx Maths for their homework. This [video](#) shows the reason we have opted to use Sparx Maths.

This [video](#) shows how students can log in, recapping what our class teachers have already shown them. Our KS3 students will already be familiar with Sparx Maths due to using it once a week in tutorial.

## Anti-Bullying Week

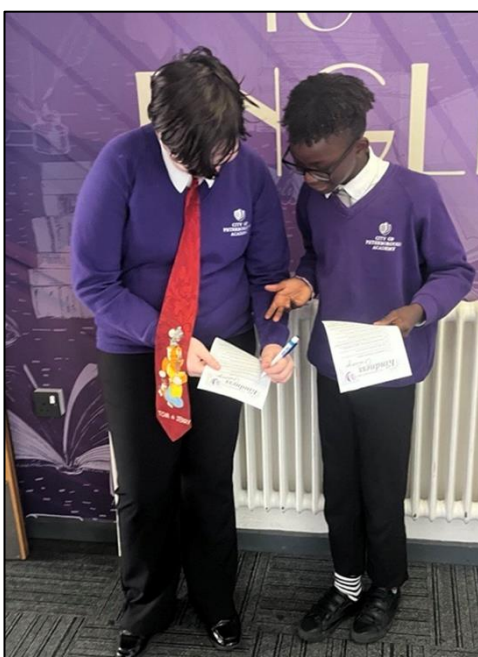
This Anti-Bullying Week students have been focusing on what they can do to add kindness into the world. Our Anti-Bullying Ambassadors have given assemblies to every year group talking about the impact of bullying and how we can help to eradicate it.



Students have been pledging to prioritise kindness and stand up against bullying by taking a photo pledge in our photo booth.



They could also choose to thank their teachers who go above and beyond to add kindness and happiness to the school by nominating them for a drink and biscuit delivery.



Students have been given a Kindness Challenge card to complete, to inspire them to prioritise being kind.

They have also been embracing their individuality by sporting quirky ties and odd socks!

## Hot Chocolate Friday

### Congratulations to this week's Students of the Week:

English	Nojus (Year 10)
Maths	Lola (Year 11)
Humanities	Student A (Year 7)
Science	Julie Zheng (Year 10)
Performance	Cohen (Year 11)
Languages	Student A (Year 9)

Year 7	Maddie Tuson
Year 8	Henley Moore
Year 9	Student AS
Year 10	Malakai Blades
Year 11	Student S

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.

Have a lovely weekend.

Yours faithfully



**Mrs N Treacy**  
**Principal**