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Dear Students, Parents and Carers,

I hope you had a lovely weekend and were able to enjoy some extended time together as a family. Again, thank you to all of the parents that have sent in their questions regarding information letters for transition. Over the next few weeks we will cover some of the following topics amongst others:

- Equipment expectations
- The school day
- Information on transition events for both students and families
- Special Education Needs provision

If you would like to submit a topic or question for us to include, this will be open until Friday 19<sup>th</sup> May. To submit a request, please click the following link: <https://forms.office.com/e/rqNuv1dSSg>

At CoPA, we believe in recognising and rewarding our students. Below you will see more details about how we do this.

### Rewards and Recognition

At CoPA, we use an App called Class Charts, where students will be awarded regularly for their hard work, good behaviour, excellent conduct, progress, participation, and engagement in learning. Also, for their engagement and development within the community or through extra-curricular links. Staff are encouraged to be passionate in their delivery and motivate students to achieve positive points. The App provides transparency, and you will be able to view the positive points gained by your child live on the App.

Students at CoPA will be encouraged to have high expectations of themselves and strive to achieve in their endeavours.

Students will earn positive points which then contribute to a variety of rewards at increasing milestones. Every 50 points gained students will also receive rewards or recognition for their hard work in a variety of other ways:

- Students will receive postcards by a member of the pastoral team when they achieve each positive point milestone.
- Students will receive gold badges and recognition for achieving no negative points in a half term.
- Students can earn golden tickets each lesson they attend. One is available each lesson to a student who demonstrates exceptional work, positive contributions, resilience or exceeds expectations. Each golden ticket earned is an entry to a weekly prize raffle.
- Principal lunches are awarded for achieving 400 positive points or following nominations by pastoral teams for showing their commitment to the school's values of **Be Kind & Work Hard**, shown by achieving 'excellent work' and 'kindness' points on Class Charts.
- Weekly and termly assemblies where additional prizes, certificates or vouchers can be won through raffles.
- Consistently good attendance will be rewarded. Those with 100% attendance will be placed in additional raffles every few weeks.
- Activity Day will take place at the end of the year. Good behaviour and attendance will lead to more choice and availability of activities.



## POSITIVE POINTS



Community Work  
 Enrichment Success  
 Excellent Work  
 Extra-Curricular  
 Golden Ticket  
 Great Effort  
 Helpful  
 Kindness  
 Leadership  
 Resilience  
 Teamwork

### 50 POINTS

Tutor Postcard

### 100 POINTS

HoY Postcard

### 200 POINTS

£10 Voucher

### 400 POINTS

Principals Lunch

### 600 POINTS

Activities Afternoon

### 800 POINTS

Rewards Trip

### 1000 POINTS

Family Lunch



## EVERY 50 POINTS



Choose a reward from your pastoral team

# Positive Points @ CoPA

**BE KIND. WORK HARD.**

In addition to the above, this academic year we have celebrated student achievements, progress, resilience, and improvements made by taking students on reward trips. Students chosen have been ice skating on the outdoor ice rink, eaten desserts at a dessert restaurant, and have had the chance to visit the cinema. More trips and rewards are planned in the near future.

Our rewards policy is reviewed and adjusted every year, considering the views of students and so elements of our rewards offer can change as we look to improve the offer for our students.

We look forward to celebrating your child's achievements and rewarding them in the new academic year.

A reminder that if your child is a recipient of Free School Meals or Pupil Premium, you can request support with purchasing uniform. This is not automatically assigned to Free School Meals or Pupil Premium recipients. It is done on a request basis. The request can offer each recipient support for up to £50 for Academy branded uniform from ChromaSports.

If you would like to request support for uniform, please complete the link by Friday 7<sup>th</sup> July.

<https://forms.office.com/e/T0bfSdf5Ug>

You will be notified of the successful application by Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> July.

Have a lovely weekend.

Kindest regards

Amberley McKeen

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