



PEACE EDUCATION VOLUNTEERS AT CATCH

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Our Year 9 pupils who have been doing volunteering work as part of their peace education programme were helping out at CATCH on Monday 22nd September.

The groups were taking part in different activities at the site to help out. Some were cleaning leaves and debris from the pathways around the venue to make sure it was safe and tidy, while others were hard at work at the farm.



CATCH have many animals to look after, just like we do at the Fairbank Farm, so pupils were using their knowledge to do animal welfare checks, changing water and hay for the goats and alpacas, and feeding the guinea pigs and chickens.

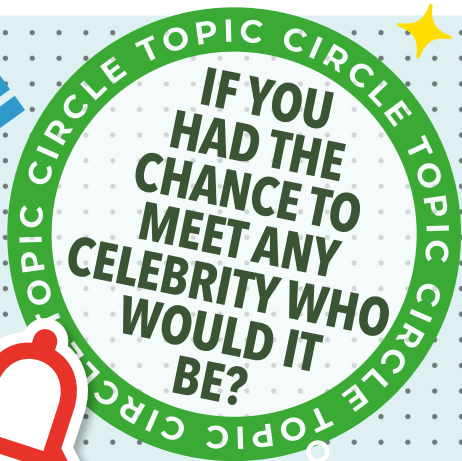
Mr Heath



'Memories of our lives, of our works and our deeds will continue in others.'

Rosa Parks

THE NOTICE BOARD



IMPORTANT DATES



SEPTEMBER

Monday 29th

- U11 football fixtures vs Manor Wood

Tuesday 30th

- Year 10 & 11 Digital Careers Fair
- Climbing coursework trip

OCTOBER

Wednesday 1st

- BTEC Dance trip to the Bradford Alhambra

Thursday 2nd

- Year 9 & 10 netball fixture at Trinity Academy

Friday 3rd

- INSET (school closed to all pupils)

Saturday 4th

- Open Day (10.00am - 1.00pm)

Monday 6th

- Year 9 Peace Education trip to CATCH

Tuesday 7th

- Blue Influencers trip to Meanwood Valley Urban Farm

Wednesday 8th

- Basecamp residential begins

Thursday 9th

- Year 7 - 10 netball fixture vs Cardinal Heenan

Friday 10th

- 3D Design trip to the Yorkshire Sculpture Park
- Everest Challenge House Competition

WELCOME SPACES

...has reopened at the Community Hub on Monday & Thursday 3.15pm - 6.00pm.

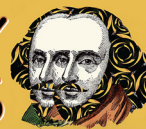
It is open to all Primary and Secondary Phase pupils. It is a place where you can take part in a range of fun activities, like mindfulness colouring, or simply sit and chat with friends.

Come join us for a game of table tennis and a warm cup of hot chocolate!

Miss Best and Miss Wall



THE COMEDY OF ERRORS



This year's drama performance is an abridged version of Shakespeare's *The Comedy of Errors!*

Well done to all the cast members who have auditioned and been at rehearsals so far. We are looking for more ensemble actors, so if you are in Years 9, 10 or 11, come to the Theatre on Tuesday from 3.00-4.30pm. We will be performing at the **Carriageworks Theatre** in March!

CALLING ALL STAGE MANAGERS AND COSTUME DESIGNERS!

Miss Wilkerson is looking to recruit a team of pupils to collect and manage props and costume for ***The Comedy of Errors***.

Please speak to *Miss Wilkerson* if you are interested.

GCSE Year 11 Food intervention takes place in G3 every Tuesday and Thursday lunchtime.

This is to support with the NEA coursework and exam theory retrieval and practice.





YEAR 4 ENGLISH

Year 4 have just completed their first writing focus of the year.

Taking inspiration from the Michael Morpurgo book, **Outlaw**, the children have developed their setting description style to write a description of Robin Hood's encampment in Sherwood Forest. They then transferred those skills to write a description of a fantasy setting.

Mr Read

Here are some snippets of their amazing writing:

"The flowing waters of the river slithers with the wind, meandering their way through the dense forest below."

"The mountains and cliffs reach their pointy fingers to the sky."

"The planets float like balloons in the sky"

"The towering turrets are splashed with rainbows, gleaming in the sun."



VICE CAPTAIN INTERVIEWS

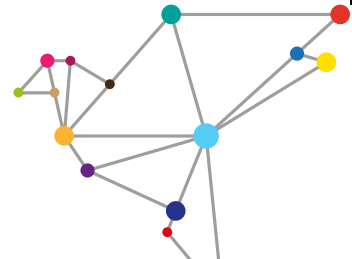
Last Friday saw our Vice Captaincy interviews take place in the Carr Manor Community Hub.

Pupils were tasked with designing a House competition in their groups and presenting it. The current House representatives were really impressed by the collaboration and leadership that was on display, with some strong presentations at the end.

Mr Joyce



PEACE DAY WORKSHOP



As part of our Peace Day on Friday 19th September, we held a workshop for families.

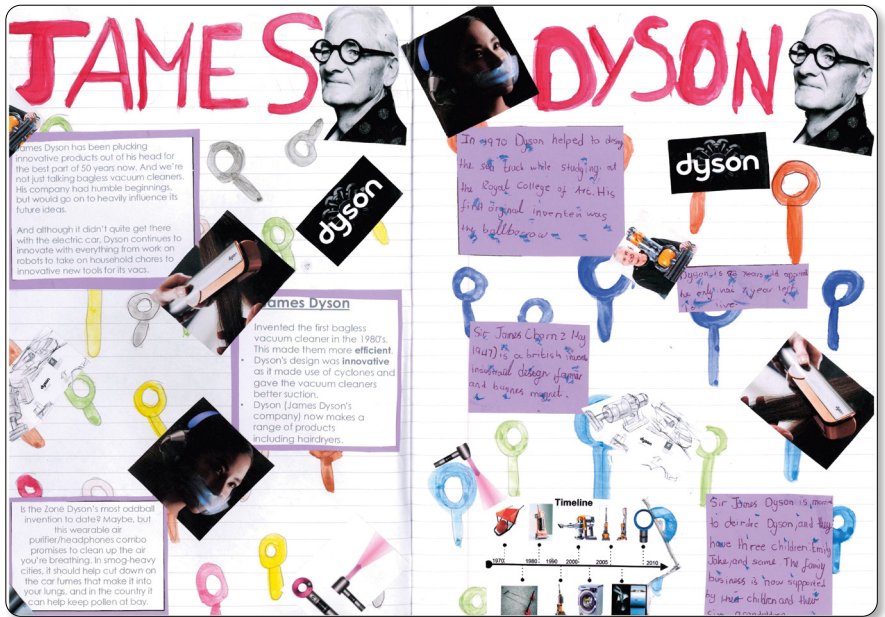
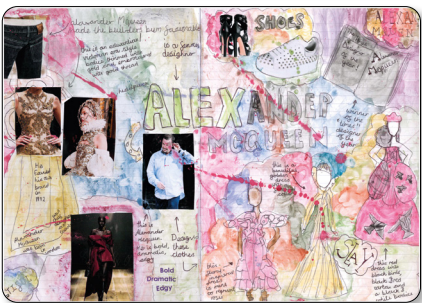
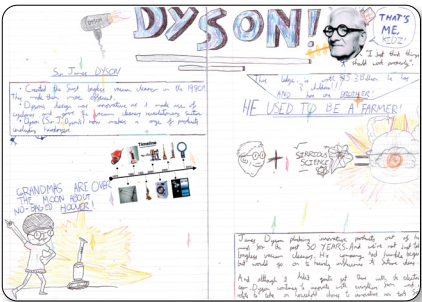
Well done to the House Captains who helped to facilitate this session where our families learnt more about our approach to Peace Education.

Mr Grealish

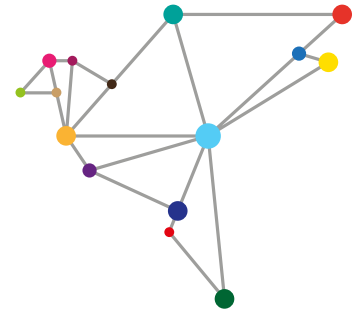


YEAR 7 DESIGN TECHNOLOGY

Mrs Seddon wants to say well done to all of her Year 7 Design Technology classes, who have made an excellent start to the year!



YEAR 4 PEACE DAY



Children in Year 4 created their very own "Tree of Peace" (our Communitree), it is covered with leaves that have ideas of how we can keep, build and make peace within our school and community.



It was a great community session as we had parents/ carers and Year 10 pupils in the classroom supporting the project.

Check out the tree if you're passing Year 4!

Mr Read



- BLUE INFLUENCERS -



For this session, the Blue Influencers split up to work on different activities.

Some started clearing a space to build a Bug Hotel with Tom from Ground Control, while others did some research into what will go on the Otter Information Board with Jack from Groundwork.

They will begin work on the otter statue soon, which is being arranged with the Willow Weaver.

Mr Heath



LITERACY CORNER

DEBATE IT!

Books are better than movies.

Debate it!

Sentence Stems

- I think that... because...
- In my opinion, ...
- I agree/disagree because...



CURIOSITY CORNER

If you are interested in Ancient Greece, try one of these!

Key Stage 1

Arthur and the Golden Rope

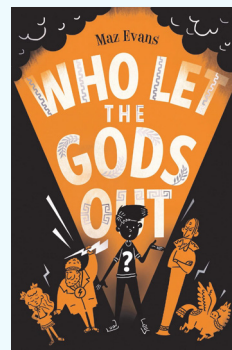
by Joe Todd Stanton



Key Stage 2

Who let the gods out?

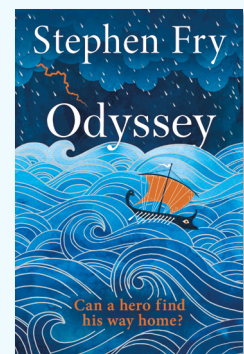
By Maz Evans



Key Stage 3 & 4

The Odyssey

by Stephen Fry



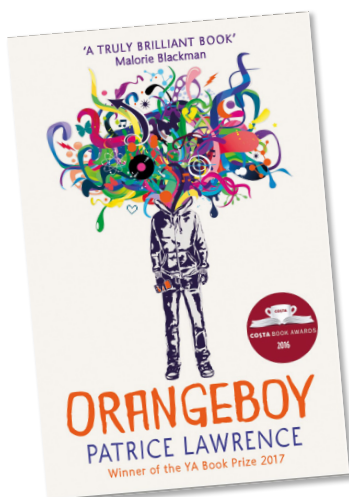
VOCABULARY VAULT

Fixated

Means: To be obsessed with or focused on something.

Sentence: *The cat was fixated on the mouse as it ran around the room.*

ADVENTURES IN BOOKLAND WITH...



ORANGEBOY

PATRICE LAWRENCE

Orangeboy by Patrice Lawrence is a gripping story about Marlon, a teenager who suddenly finds himself mixed up in a world he never wanted to be part of.

It's about friendship, family, and the tough choices that can change everything. The book is exciting and emotional - once you start, it's hard to put down.

If you like stories that keep you hooked and make you think, Orangeboy is definitely worth a read.



ATTENDANCE



OVERALL HOUSE ATTENDANCE

FIRST	SECOND	THIRD	FOURTH
TOMLINSON	BREMNER	TRUEMAN	ROBINSON

100%

ATTENDANCE AWARDS

PUNCTUALITY



E-RL



**100%
ATTENDANCE**



RD-F



**100%
ATTENDANCE**



ND



PUNCTUALITY



E-JK



**100%
ATTENDANCE**



DB



**100%
ATTENDANCE**








LG













STARS OF THE WEEK



RECEPTION 	RECEPTION 	YEAR 1 	YEAR 2 
			
DA	RH	SB-W	AI

YEAR 3 	YEAR 4 	YEAR 4 
		
AB	SM	MA

YEAR 5 	YEAR 5 	YEAR 6 	YEAR 6 
			
SP	RDT	AP	BS-G

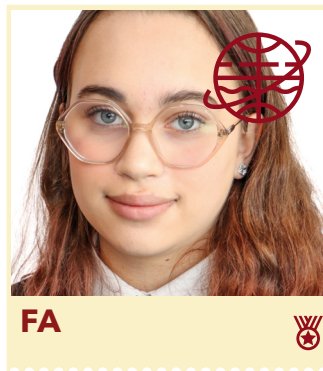
CARR MANOR AWARDS

PRIMARY PHASE LINGUIST



NOMINATED BY MR KENGA

HUMANITIES HERO



NOMINATED BY MR BOWMAN

DIGITAL SUPERSTAR



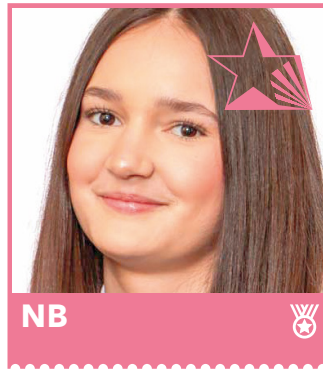
NOMINATED BY MR MAHMOOD

SPECTACULAR SCIENTIST



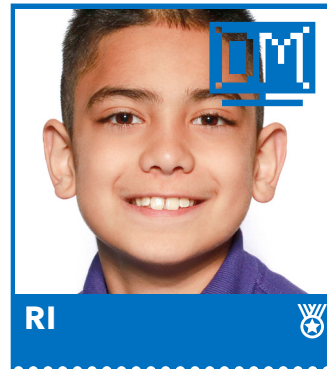
NOMINATED BY MR MALIK

PERFORMING ARTS AWARD



NOMINATED BY MRS PEARCE

PRIMARY DIGITAL SUPERSTAR



NOMINATED BY MR MAHMOOD

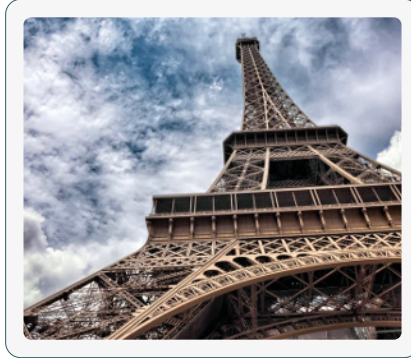
COACHING ACTIVITY

Landmarks • Quiz

A



B



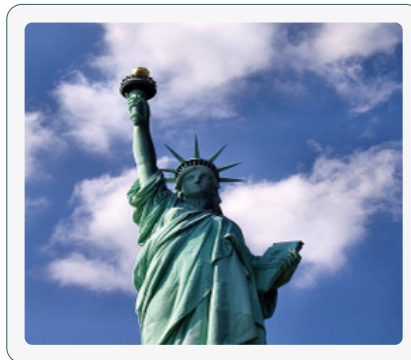
C



D



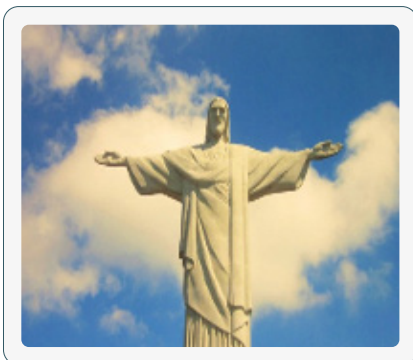
E



F



G



H



I



Answers

A: Pisa - Italy

B: Paris - France

C: Great Wall of China

D: London - England

E: New York - USA

F: Paris - France

G: Rio/Brazil

H: Giza - Egypt

I: Agra - India

RUGBY FIXTURES

Year 10 played two rugby fixtures at Allerton Grange recently.

They won the first game vs Garforth and drew to the hosts. This saw us finish top of the group and qualify for the plate finals in January.

Well done to **SH** and **JU** on making their debuts for the team!

Mr Joyce



YEAR 8 FOOTBALL TEAM SHOW GRIT AGAINST ALLERTON GRANGE

The Year 8 football team returned to face Allerton Grange this season with determination and a point to prove after last years' heavy defeat.



Despite a challenging start, the team demonstrated real progress and resilience throughout the match.

Carr Manor found themselves 2-0 down early on, with defensive lapses allowing Allerton Grange to take the lead. However, a spectacular save from goalkeeper **OS** proved to be the turning point, re-igniting the team's fighting spirit.

Debutants **KS** and **TR** combined brilliantly to pull a goal back, showcasing the fresh talent in the squad

The momentum continued as **SA** made a surging run down the right wing, firing a powerful shot that forced the Allerton Grange keeper into a mistake - parrying the ball into his own net to level the score at 2-2.

Despite their spirited comeback, Carr Manor conceded two quick goals late in the game, with the final whistle blowing at 4-2 in favour of Allerton Grange.

Whilst the result wasn't what the team hoped for, the performance was a significant improvement on last season, and the players can take pride in their progress and teamwork.

MOTM: HB

Mr Dixon

YEAR 9 FOOTBALL FIXTURES

Year 9 began their league campaign with three points away at Temple Moor.

It was an extremely windy evening, but this did not stop the boys from emerging victors by two goals to one.

The goals came from **ZB**, who has started the season in fine form, and **RU**, driving on from the centre of midfield.

On Monday 22nd September, they played the first round of the Cup competition against Leeds West.

At half-time we were 1-0 up thanks to a great strike from **CJ**. The group showed their class early in the second half with a couple of cultured finishes from **ZB**.

The highlight of the game came with just a few minutes to go when **AT** controlled a ball 25 yards from goal and hit it on the bounce straight into the top corner. We finished the game as 0-6 winners. This sees us into round two where we are away from home at Oulton Academy.

Mr Joyce





Mexican Leaf Frogs Bred at Wildlife Park

Source: www.bbc.co.uk

Rare giant Mexican leaf frogs have been successfully bred at a wildlife park in the UK - something that's only thought to have happened once before.

Keepers at the **Cotswold Wildlife Park** had to recreate the extreme weather conditions of the frogs' natural environment in the dry forests of Mexico, which are quite different to south-west England!

But their dedication paid off and it's the first time the rare amphibians have been bred at the park.

Its curator Jamie Craig says the metamorphosing stages - where an amphibian changes into its adult form

from a tadpole *"can be very tricky and we are delighted to have had success with our Mexican leaf frogs"*.



IMAGE: COTSWOLD WILDLIFE PARK



Thomas Wiewandt is an ecologist and evolutionary biologist he's studied the frogs and says their reproductive habits are *"somewhat unconventional"*.

Due to the extreme conditions of their natural environment the species has evolved to limit when they breed to a few hours a year.

Mexico can get so hot, that ponds which are essential for the survival of their eggs, can dry up in as little as 24 hours.

When the summer rains arrive they start their mating calls, then the female will deposit her eggs on the leaves of shrubs and trees and will continue to cover them in water from ponds to protect them until they are ready to hatch.