

CCGS ROUND-UP

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To Prime Parents of: 

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CCGS Weekly Round-Up

Y10 Disneyland Paris Visit Sun 13 - Wed 16th Nov

Please keep an eye on your emails over the coming days for details of hoodie orders and rooming requests. There will be a parent information meeting towards the end of term, date tbc. Mrs Shuttle.

Parallel by Simon Singh

This is a quick note to recommend a website that offers students a chance to complete some extra maths each week, building on the work done in the classroom.

The Parallel Universe:

- is completely free;
- offers a weekly maths problem sheet, known as a Parallelogram;
- offers a live online maths circles, where students can learn from some of the best maths educators in the world;
- offers programmes tailored to each age group, from 10 to 16 years old;
- awards certificates and diplomas to students who complete Parallelograms and attend Maths Circles.

There is no obligation to get involved, but we think this is a great opportunity for keen maths students to stretch themselves and explore mathematical concepts beyond the classroom. This is also ideal for students who want to go on to study science or engineering.

The Parallel Universe is the brainchild of Dr Simon Singh MBE, whose book about Fermat's Last Theorem was the first maths book to become a No. 1 bestseller in the UK. He will be delivering many of the maths circles and he has created all of the Parallelograms.

Students or parents can find out more or create a free account by visiting parallel.org.uk

If you are ready to sign up online, please use the teacher code **"e7fk3f"** when prompted. **If you would like to discuss this further, please email Mrs Bridger (fbridger@ccgrammarschool.co.uk)**

Calculators

Maths department have Casio Fx-83-GTx calculators for sale for £11. The payment will be open on School Gateway until 30th September. This calculator will last your child until the end of the GCSE course.

