

CCGS WEEKLY ROUND-UP

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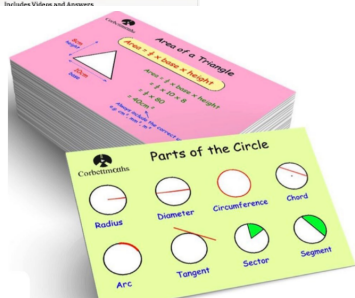
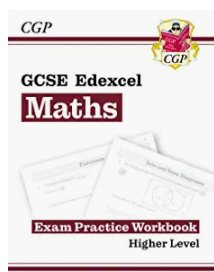
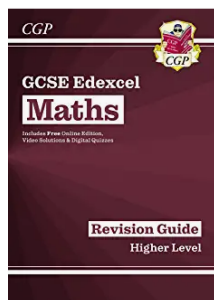
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Maths Revision

Maths department have CGP Maths revision guides and Maths revision workbooks for sale for £3.50 each. We also have the brilliant Corbett maths flashcards for £7. These have all the things to memorise plus QR codes to example videos and exam question solution videos on the back. An excellent resource if you want to help your child with memorising formulae and maths facts. Students can bring the money to their maths teacher.



French / Spanish vocabulary revision - Y7 to Y11

All students have weekly vocabulary tests in their language lessons. Students should be revising this vocab in short bursts throughout the week. We recommend that students spend 10-15 minutes, 3 times a week, learning the vocab using Quizlet or by creating flashcards. Regular vocabulary learning is key to longer-term retention of a foreign language, so it is important that all students invest the time needed into it.

Quizlet is an app / website into which we have inputted all the CCGS vocabulary and is designed to help students learn. Students have QR codes on the back of their vocab sheets which will take them to the set that they need to learn.

P.E. Updates

Just a reminder that we regularly update our Instagram page: @ccgs_pe_dept with fixtures, pictures and details about what is going on in the PE department. Please follow us to stay updated.

Clarendon Alumni

Last week it was really lovely to see some of the Clarendon girls who left in 1980 revisit the school together. They were full of stories of their old teachers and were curious to see how much the school buildings had changed since their day - not much by all accounts!

Roundabout Theatre Performance

Students from Year 9 headed to Newington Green in Ramsgate to see a performance of Half-Empty Glasses at the Roundabout Theatre last week. The play was part of the Paines Plough 'pop-up' theatre season hosted by Creative Civic Change, and the first time our students have been able to take part in the event.

The play tells the story of Toye, a teenager who is preparing for his piano exam to get into a prestigious music school. He's doing it for the contacts, the opportunity, the love of art. But when he notices the lack of Black British history in his school's curriculum, he begins to question himself and the world around him. Is this really his dream, or is he letting these institutions write his story?

This was a really nice production and a great way to start Black History Month with our pupils. The themes and ideas resonated with many of our students and it was presented in a really creative way.

Life of Pi

This week the Drama department took students from years 10, 11, 12 and 13 up to London to see the stage performance of 'Life of Pi'. The puppetry was magical with the terrifying and unknowable Richard Parker down to the shoals of luminescent flying fish. When the students could see the lighting, video, music and puppets working together, the effect was extraordinary. Or as the reviews put it - 'like being plunged into a waking dream'.