

CCGS WEEKLY ROUND-UP

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GHIC Cards

If your child is coming on the Y7 Opal Coast trip in July or the KS4 Spain trip in October, please can I remind you that they will need a GHIC card which I advise you to have applied for now. It is free and can be applied for at this address: [Get healthcare cover for travelling abroad - NHSBSA](#)

Year 11 French / Spanish Mock Speaking

All students who are taught by Miss Motte, Miss Griffiths and Miss Kudinova will all have their French or Spanish mock speaking test this week (w/c Monday 12th December) as will students in Mrs Walters' boys class and 15 of Miss Thelliez's students.

This speaking exam will be 25% of their mock grade. All students have a series of questions which they should be practising in preparation for the exam. Parents can help by listening to students saying the answers even if they do not understand what is being said.

Year 10 Maths Exam

Our year 10 mathematicians have been preparing for their end of Term exam. This will take place on Monday 12th December in the common room during the students' maths lessons. Students should revise using their topic check list and their revision pack. Two revision tasks have also been set on Dr Frost maths. Parents can help with testing of recall of formulae, for example for the area of trapezium, triangle, parallelogram or volume and surface area of cylinder and nth term of a geometric sequence.

Learning Ethos

As part of our CCGS Learning Ethos, we teach students that the causes of things are complicated and often things don't go our way which can sometimes lead to arguing or blaming others. We teach them that complaining and blaming is often comforting because it excuses us from taking responsibility for our actions. If your child has a complaint (e.g. querying why they have been given a p6) please encourage them to raise this with a teacher politely after the lesson.

Christmas Jumper Day and Christmas Lunch

This year was another resounding success and we would like to say a huge thank you for the overwhelming amount of donations given by students and parents to the family food bank at Priory Children's Centre.

Reverse Advent Calendar

The sixth form also donated to the reverse advent calendar again this year and the collection was bigger than ever before. This has now been delivered to the Salvation Army to make up festive hampers as well as popping a treat or two in the bags prepped by the food bank. We are proud to be part of such a community spirited school, particularly during this difficult economic climate.