

HEADTEACHER, MR STEPHEN LAWLOR

MESSAGE FROM MR LAWLOR

It was wonderful to welcome so many parents of Year 12 students to the Meet the Tutor Evening last week. Yesterday we held our Year 8 Meet the Tutor Evening; again, it was great to see so many of you. It has been too long since it has been possible to have parents visiting the school. We are looking forward to seeing the parents of Year 7 students at next week's New Parents' Welcome Evening (Thursday 23rd September, arrival from 6.45pm to see the new Sports Centre, before the event commences at 7.15pm).



Last week we welcomed Elevate Education to work with our Year 7 and Year 12 students on study skills and goal setting. To support this work Elevate have invited parents from all year groups to participate in their parent webinar series.

The next webinar takes place on **Tuesday 21st September at 6pm**, and is on **How to get (and keep) your child motivated**, looking at practical strategies for goal setting and motivation techniques. Please click on the link to register: <https://get.elevatecoaching.info/uk/register>

CCHS MUSIC DEPARTMENT RECOGNITION

We are really pleased to announce that our Music Department has been recognised as a Music Mark school for 2021-22. We were nominated by Essex Music Hub for our commitment to a broad and balanced curriculum and the value that we place on music.

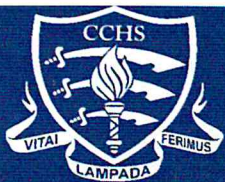


**MUSIC MARK
SCHOOL**

Music Mark is a membership organisation, subject association, and charity. Music Mark consists of Music Education Services and Hubs, their teaching and support teams; schools; individuals; NYMOS; HE/FE bodies; Hub and Corporate Partners.

This award supports the value CCHS places on the arts across our curriculum and re-enforces our status as an Artsmark school. It would not have been possible without the fabulous students in this school and their commitment to all aspects of musical life. Given the constraints of the last 18 months we have still been able to produce many quality musical performances both live and recorded.

However, with the relaunch of our music ensembles over the next few weeks the buildings are going to ring out with musical instruments and singing once more to which we are all really excited to hear. With music lessons across all year groups returning to near normal once more it has allowed the Music Department to review and update their schemes of work to ensure every student has the opportunity to continue to enjoy their music making and experience many musical styles and cultures.

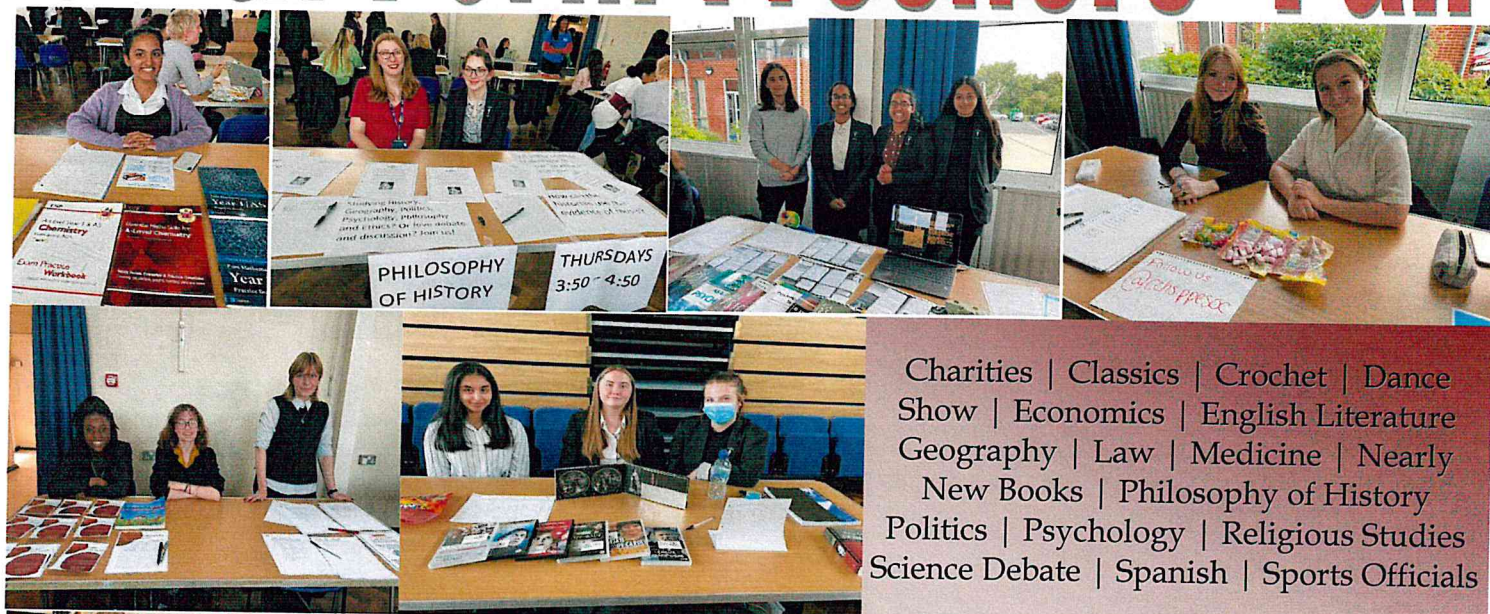


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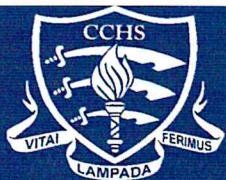


Sixth Form Freshers' Fair



Charities | Classics | Crochet | Dance
Show | Economics | English Literature
Geography | Law | Medicine | Nearly
New Books | Philosophy of History
Politics | Psychology | Religious Studies
Science Debate | Spanish | Sports Officials





WELL DONE MAGGIE, YEAR 10

We were delighted to receive news that Maggie, one of our Year 10 students, performed with the LSO East London Academy in Trafalgar Square during the summer. Maggie has been participating in a course since 2018 that provides young musicians with the opportunity to play with and be coached by members of the London Symphony Orchestra. The link below provides a live stream to this amazing concert—the LSO East London Academy are on at 38:54 and at 45:22 you can watch Maggie performing their piece 'DreamCity!' https://youtu.be/DNbKST2O_SY. What a wonderful achievement!



We will soon be publishing details about a new venture: the **CCHS Institute** – *a home for academic engagement, enquiry and enlightenment.*

The Institute will bring together and inspire a wealth of extra-curricular academic opportunities, including guest speakers, a programme of lectures, essay competitions, and research projects.

CCHS PARENTS' ASSOCIATION

Thank you!

The PA would like to thank parents for their continued support of the school. Together we have managed to fund £10000 for the new sports hall flooring and £12000 for equipment, including a defibrillator. This will help the school girls for many years to come.

Pre Loved Uniform Sales

The PA are collecting outgrown uniform to sell at the Pre Loved Uniform sales. Please can you place, clean and saleable items, in the green wheelie bin located outside the canteen entrance. Donations to be received by Friday 1st October.

Last year our sales raised over £3000!

Information regarding the autumn term sale to be published soon.

CCHS Christmas Fayre – Save the Date
Saturday 27th November 2021

See attached poster for more information.



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