#### Headteacher - Mr Stephen Lawlor



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### MESSAGE FROM MR LAWLOR

We were very fortunate, thanks to Mrs Kurian, to host a CCHS Institute lecture on climate change delivered by Professor Paul Hardaker (CEO of the Institute of Physics) on Thursday evening. We were joined by an audience of our own staff, students and their parents, as well as guests from other schools.

School staff have been so impressed with Year 11 and Year 13 students during the recent period of school assessments. Students have been focused, engaged and supportive of each other. Credit to them all and thank you to parents for the encouragement you are providing. These are the moments when we all – students, staff and parents – play our part as members of this school community to make sure that our wonderful students are helped, supported and inspired.

We have been holding recruitment days recently, to bring in new members of staff to join our teams, as we continue to grow as a school. When candidates meet our students, during lessons and question panels, their feedback is always complimentary. Candidates comment on the positivity and politeness of students, how interested they are in their studies and the wider life of the school - and, importantly, how welcoming they are. These new colleagues will so enjoy working with CCHS students, as we do now.

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### Student Achievements

Have you got some news to share? If so, please email Miss McGrath (hmcgrath@cchs.essex.sch.uk) and attach a photo or logo, if applicable.

# CONGRATULATIONS

#### Rosie, 8A

Congratulations to Rosie in Year 8 who has been selected to represent Essex Schools in the South East Championships. As well as this, she managed to achiever her handicap goal for 2021 of below 10 (9.9). Huge congratulations and lots of luck!!

#### Anna, 11G

Well done to Anna in Year 11 who has been chosen for one of the lead roles in a forthcoming production of Adrian Mole, at the Cramphorn Theatre (25th-30th April). Anna will play 'Pandora' and as one of the main parts, Anna was recently interviewed by BBC Essex Radio about the show. We wish Anna the very best of luck with the show.



Huge congratulations to all our students who entered the UK Linguistics Olympiad at Intermediate Level, tackling puzzles in Languages from Maltese to the Vanuatuan creole of Bislama.

**Year 13:** Lottie, Lydia , Grace, Femi and Caitlin.

Year 12: Ishi, Shivaani and Sophie.

Year 11: Emily

During February Elevate Education will be continuing their Parent Webinar Series with the following: **Stress and Wellbeing on Tuesday 22nd March @ 6pm**.

In this webinar we will be showing parents how to:

How to spot your child's stress symptoms early
How to start a conversation about emotional wellbeing
Techniques your child can use to self-manage stress



If you would like to participate registration details are available here: Webinar Registration | UK (elevatecoaching.info)



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PF The Department would like to congratulate Kesia, 8F, Gracie, 9H and Alexa, 10S who were selected to be part of the East Regional team at the English Schools Inter-Division Swimming Association Swimming Championships in Coventry at the weekend.

There were some amazing achievements all weekend. Kesia took part in six events: 400m Individual Medley, where she finished 8th, 200m Butterfly, where she finished 4th and 200m Breaststroke, where she finished 6th. Kesia also took part in 3 relays, 4 x 100m Freestyle, 4 x 100m Medley and 6 x 50m Medley and finished 7th across the board. Gracie finished 5th in the 4 x 100m Medley relay and 4th in the 4 x 100m Freestyle relay. Gracie also came 6th in the 200m Breaststroke and 5th in 100m Breaststroke. Alexa finished 7th in the 100m and 200m Freestyle. Alexa also took part in the 4 x 100m Freestyle relay and finished 7th in the 4 x 100m Freestyle. Alexa also took part in 100m Breaststroke.

Huge congratulations to you all, we are so proud of everything you have achieved from being selected to taking part in all of your events.



#### Akshadha, 7G

Akshadha in Year 7 participated in a Guinness World Records challenge to complete a 10 km run in 24 hrs organised by virtualrunners in Sep 2021 worldwide. Akshadha finished her running of 10.03 km in a duration of 2 hrs 04 mins and 39 sec which was monitored and recorded by their app.

Akshadha started and finished her running in Gloucester Park, Basildon as one of the young runners across the world who participated in this challenge. She received a certificate for the official attempt of Guinness World Records and will shortly receive her medal too.

### LGBTQ+ Art Competition Winners

Grace, 12VCA







#### British Science Week at CCHS

Our Years 10 and 12 Science/ STEM Prefects have been working hard to organise a wide range of events and activities for the past few weeks to celebrate British Science Week. This week kicked off with a Science Quiz during form time followed by a wide range of lunchtime activities such as making model lungs, Microbe Origami, paper aeroplane engineering, creating photographs, which culminated in a science fair today in the Hall. A big well done to all the prefects who were involved in the organisation and running of the events and a massive thank you to the Science staff who worked behind the scenes.











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CCHS Institute Lecture: Predicting our changing climate and what that means for reaching net zero emissions

On Thursday, CCHS community and students from our neighbouring schools were privileged to attend a lecture on Climate Change by Professor. Paul Hardaker, Chief Executive of Institute of Physics.

Professor Hardaker gave us an insight about how scientists measure and model the changing climate, how climate model has become a key tool in driving government policy, and whether it is realistic to plan for net zero emissions by 2050, set out after COP26.

The lecture was followed by a Q&A session, which gave students an opportunity to ask some fascinating and thought-provoking questions which Paul addressed with great interest.





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Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> March 2022 7pm



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