



Inspiring the leaders of tomorrow to think for themselves and act for others

MESSAGE FROM MR LAWLOR

Our national life is currently haunted by much discord across politics, the economy and industrial relations. At such moments, I think it is important to centre ourselves with those aspects that enrich our lives, including family and friends, of course. Moreover, the CCHS community provides us all with a sense of belonging, support and ambition, as we work together to progress our commitment to excellence in girls' education and empowerment. Indeed, we amplify and fortify our School vision and aims by cultivating core values, which direct and drive our work: citizenship, distinction, challenge, duty, imagination, enlightenment and diversity. These values gift us a shared language and common purpose.

- Citizenship – inspire future citizens to think for themselves and to act for others. (Amplification of School Vision: 'Developing the leaders of tomorrow')
- Distinction – students will be provided with an outstanding education, and we expect them to do their best in all endeavours. (Amplification of School Aim 1: 'The pursuit of excellence')
- Challenge – students will be stimulated to acquire new knowledge & understanding and motivated to develop new skills & attributes. (Amplification of School Aim 2: 'Fulfilling individual potential')
- Duty – students will conduct themselves with civility and compassion at all times, supporting each other and looking beyond themselves. (Amplification of School Aim 3: 'Contributing to the community')
- Imagination – enable students to explore new ideas and empathise with the thinking of others, without limitation or risk. (English, Sport and Arts subjects)
- Enlightenment – equip students with the insight and determination to embrace new ideas, technology and innovation, enabling them to contribute to the ever-changing natural and physical world around them. (Mathematics, Computer Science and Natural Sciences subjects)
- Diversity – provide students with the tools to respect and celebrate the great diversity of cultures, backgrounds and beliefs, within and beyond the School, whilst recognising that we have more in common than that which divides us. (Humanities, Languages and Social Sciences subjects)

Our ethos is anchored by a determination to care for, guide and inspire the people, children and adults, who grace our community.



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Student Achievements

Have you got some news to share?
If so, please email Mrs Gross (jgross@cchs.co.uk) and attach a photo or logo, if applicable.

Liana (9H) won a trophy with honours for her string class at the Chelmsford Music Festival.

Chiara (10H) won a trophy with honours for the classical singing category Chelmsford Music Festival

Liana has been chosen to join with the Essex Youth Orchestra. She had her first workshop with Essex Young People's Orchestra, who were impressed with her playing and have asked to move her to the Youth Orchestra.

Chiara auditioned for the National Youth Orchestra of Great Britain. She has received a wonderful email with lovely remarks saying she has been selected as Soprano 1.



CCHS Athlete of the Week

Athlete of the week
Ginika 10S, for running her socks off at the Regional Round of the Cross Country Cup



Please follow our CCHS PE Department Twitter account to keep up to date with our sporting news

[@CCHS4GPE](https://twitter.com/CCHS4GPE)



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ARTIST OF THE WEEK

Maariya in Year 12 for this wonderful digital piece of digital art celebrating culture.



Mo (12PKU) and Matilda (12DNO) have been selected for the STEM SMART programme.

It is a widening participation initiative from the University of Cambridge in association with Isaac Physics, aimed at students who may have experienced either educational disadvantage or belong to a group that is statistically less likely to progress to higher education.

This free 17 month programme will kick off in January and offers mentoring, online tutorials and live subject focused talks.

More details can be found [here](#)

Congratulations!



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The PE Department and everyone at CCHS would like to congratulate the Junior and Inter Girls who represented CCHS at the Regional Round of the National Schools Cross Country Cup on Saturday 12th.

The girls absolutely smashed it and all ran so incredibly well. We are very proud of them.

The Inter Girls team finished an amazing 8th place out of all the schools in Essex & Suffolk and our Junior Girls finished an excellent 4th place, missing out on Nationals by 2 points!! Bring on next year!!!



From 7th-11th November, 39 students from Year 9 were competing in the National Languages Challenge organised by GCHQ.

All our entrants did remarkably well, but particular congratulations must go to our top 5 performing teams - out of 2046 teams nationally, from over 650 schools, they all finished in the top 3%!

Elizabeth, Joelle, Vahini & Chloe placed 18th

Hannah, Liza, Ayame & Sophie placed 36th

Zeba, Linh Anh, Emilie & Debotri placed 46th

Ishya, Tomi, Sharanya & Maryam placed 52nd

Nesochi, Naisha, Eva & Alice placed 58th

Huge congratulations to these students and all who took part!



We have a well established history, here at Chelmsford County High School for Girls, of recruiting and training teachers new to the profession. If you, or someone you know, might be interested in training to teach, we've attached two flyers for information evenings with our partners at 'Essex School Direct' and 'The Teaching School Hubs in the East of England'. If you'd like further information on training to teach with us, please contact our Assistant Headteacher, Teaching and Learning & Staff Development, Mr A. Selby, or register your interest with our teacher training partners.

Train to Teach in the East of England

Free virtual event - **Wednesday 7th December 2022 - 4:30-6:00pm**

Thinking of training to teach in the East of England? Find out what our region has to offer:

- Get advice on next steps into teaching and how to apply
- Take advantage of the opportunity to hear from different training providers in the East of England
- Additional support for those applying for shortage subjects and overseas applicants
- Support for school experience visits
- Areas covered: Cambridgeshire, Essex, Norfolk, Peterborough, Suffolk



Click [here](#) to register or scan the QR code



This event is run by the Teaching School Hubs in the East of England and the East of England Regional Network for ITT



Got a degree you're not really using?

Thinking about becoming a teacher?



Robert, former School Direct trainee

Find out how you can **gain qualified teacher status (QTS)**, and an optional **post-graduate certificate in education (PGCE)** through the **Essex School Direct** teacher-training programme.

Join the next Essex School Direct online information event:
Tuesday 29 November, from 7.30pm

Scan the QR code to view our events and register for the latest one via Eventbrite, or visit our website:

<https://www.essex schooldirect.com/events/>



Our school is part of the Essex School Direct programme, which allows you to train with us or in a partnership school, local to you. You'll work as a member of the school team and learn your skills from **experienced professionals**, supplemented by high quality **online learning sessions**.

Get tailored, one-to-one advice today:

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Email: teach@essex schooldirect.com

Visit: <https://www.essex schooldirect.com>

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On Thursday we welcomed the moderator for our bronze Arts Awards.

We are pleased to say that all 76 students successfully passed the Level 2 award. The moderator was full of praise for the work she saw and made some lovely comments such as 'many students have gone above and beyond the bronze level'.

We now have 262 students across the school who have successfully completed this course.

I want to particularly thank Miss Burnham and Mr Copper who supported throughout the whole process by giving up their time to hold one to one sessions with students and ensure they were developing their projects.

Mr Lamberti



CCHS PARENTS' ASSOCIATION

Next week is Black Friday and Amazon donates 0.5% of the net purchase price of eligible purchases to CCHS PA.

If you wish to fund the CCHS PA this way, then please use the following link to purchase from Amazon
<https://smile.amazon.co.uk/ch/287962-0>

There are still Christmas puddings for sale, so if you would like to order a Christmas pudding then please do so via ParentPay.



Please Donate to support the

CCHS Winter Fayre

Saturday 26th November 11am – 2pm

The Fayre success depends on the generosity of the girls, parents, and many others

This year as well as collecting donations we have made an Amazon Wishlist for parents that would prefer to donate in this way (last orders 22nd November).

https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/15AFQYLFF8OKC?ref=cm_sw_wa_r_un_un_izm1h4DNpg7Jn

With almost 40 stalls, the Parents Association would like you to donate so we can all have a great day and raise lots of money for the girls to enjoy at school. Tutor groups running stalls have prizes to gather but we also need:

- ✓ **Bottles** for the **Bottle Tombola** (Any bottle; alcoholic drinks, alcohol free drinks, sauces, oils, perfumes etc)
 - ✓ **Chocolate** for most girls favourite - the **Chocolate Tombola** (Selection boxes, gift boxes, large tubs, small bars, multi packs)
 - ✓ **Gifts** for girls and guests to buy (New or 2nd hand in excellent condition) for the **Gift Stall** and **White Elephant stall**
 - ✓ **Items** for **Christmas Hamper Raffle** (Good quality hamper-style food)
 - ✓ **Cakes** for the refreshments stall – home-made or purchased - Bring to the Fayre
 - ✓ Any small items for **stall prizes** toys, sweets or gifts
 - ✓ **Prizes** for our **Grand Christmas Draw** (you can email gift vouchers to pa@cchs.essex.sch.uk)
- Between 8am and 8:45 representatives from the PA will be in the Dining Hall to collect donations on:

Friday the 18th November

Thursday the 23rd November

Friday the 25th November – for cakes and perishables

Your support is appreciated – Every little helps!

Last year the Fayre raised over £6k which went to the school to improve facilities

Parents' Association Grammticus Choir

Christmas Concert

Saturday December 17th 7.30 pm in the school hall

Raising funds for CCHS -
Please support us, have fun and get in the Christmas mood

WARNING -

- **You may have so much fun , that you decide to join the choir!**

Open to All!

For tickets, or interest in the choir , please contact sraybould@hotmail.com

£10 adult

£5 age 18 and under

