



Principal's Bulletin

Friday 12 January 2024



We hope you've had the most wonderful start to 2024. A new year sparks motivation for new goals and improvement. At Caroline Chisholm School, it's always our ambition to help our students and staff succeed in every opportunity.

This week we had external professionals from the Mental Health Support Team (MHST) lead '*Talking to your child about mental health*' which helped KS3 parents to support their children. This session was well received, and we look forward to running another session on the 28 February '*Understanding my child's low mood*'. It is currently open to book for KS3 parents/students, please see earlier emails for details.

To all who came along to our Sixth Form Open Evening this Wednesday, we thank you for joining us and hope you had an enjoyable evening. It was a fantastic turn out, we hope it helped give you an insight into Sixth Form life at CCS and answered any questions you may have about our provision. Mrs McTaggart, Head of Sixth Form said, "Our current sixth form students showed confidence, were very knowledgeable and worked hard to make it a positive experience for all attendees."

As part of Foundation Stage's real life heroes learning theme, "Ticket to Ride", the children were visited by two of our community police officers on Tuesday. They learned about the important job role of being a police officer, as well as finding out about their different modes of transport and uniform. A highlight was having a turn at sitting on the motor bike.



Congratulations are in order for our U15 boys, who won their recent game in the Football County Cup against Weavers Academy this week. Despite a short delay and some chilly weather on the day, the boys got stuck in and played brilliantly, with a final score of CCS 5 – 1 Weavers Academy. They now advance to the quarter final.

Warm regards,
David James
Principal

Key dates

Sixth Form Applications Open
Friday 12 January

Applications to our Sixth Form will open today. Please see our website for details on how to apply:
<https://www.ccs.northants.sch.uk/>

KS3 Census 1 reports live
Saturday 13 January

Census report 1 will be available by Saturday 13 January for KS3. Reports can be found via the 'documents' tab on Edulink.

Year 12 Parents' Evening (Virtual)
Thursday 25 January

Our virtual Year 12 Parents' Evening will be held from 15:40 to 20:00. Bookings will open via Edulink from Monday 15 January at 9am and will close Wednesday 24 January at 3pm. See email on 10/1 for more details.

Young Voices Concert
Friday 26 January 2024

40 students across Years 4-6 will be taking part in the Young Voices choir and travelling to Resorts World Arena Birmingham to perform alongside thousands of other children as a single choir – the children have been practising their songs and dance moves for weeks. We wish you all lots of luck for your final performance!