



Headteacher's Comment:

Thank you very much to all staff for the hard work and effort that went into the Year 11 Curriculum Evening and Post 16 Open Evening. There was a very positive vibe which stemmed from their enthusiasm and passion. Thank you to the students and their parent/carers for attending, hopefully the event has given you some ideas about next steps post 16. It was great to see so many students from other schools taking a look at our Post 16 offer – clearly the word is out there about how great we are. I am very grateful to Ms O'Neill, Mr Gridley, Mr Sturge, Mr Tape and Mrs Mulford and their teams for planning and executing the events so successfully.

On Wednesday we had an amazing Year 7 team building event run by WiseUp. Students were placed in groups and were required to use their LORIC attributes to solve a number of difficult problems. I was very impressed by the leadership, team work, resilience and initiative shown. Many thanks to Miss Thompson for organising and all the staff that supported the event.

A number of students in Years 8 and 9 took part in workshops organised by Cambridge University. We want our students to dream big and have high aspirations. The workshop dispelled some of the myths about the cost of university and, hopefully, planted a few aspirational seeds in their minds! Thank you for Mrs Donlon and Mrs Procter for organising the event.



Sporting Success:

Congratulations to our Year 9 football team, who won their first game of the season. They beat Cecil Jones Academy 8-0. Well done everyone!



Year 10 Parents' Evening:

We are holding our Year 10 Parents' Evening online on Thursday 12 October at 3.00 pm and hope all parents/carers take advantage of speaking to staff about their child's attainment and progress.

The booking system is now open:

<https://chasehighschool.schoolcloud.co.uk/>

If you experience any difficulties in booking appointments, please contact the year team for help.

YEAR 10 PARENTS' EVENING

Thursday 12 October
3.00pm - 7.00pm

Book Online



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European Day of Languages :

This week, Chase High has been exploring and celebrating a variety of different languages as part of the European Day of Languages. Headed up by our MFL department, the day was a great chance for students to earn LORIC badges as they explored a variety of languages and cultures in a language hunt around the school.



Rewards:

This week was LORIC week! Pupils from Years 7-10 have been taking part in an organisational challenge, where they have been designing and creating personalised boards for their tutor groups. It has been great to see pupils working as a team and sharing their imaginative ideas to be able to come up with the fantastic finished boards that we have today. The competition will be judged next week and the winners will be announced in the celebration assemblies during the last week of this half term. Well done to all students for their commitment and engagement in this task.

House points totals for this week



1110



1576



882



1121



Word of the Week

The word of the week from Monday 2 October 2023 is **Calculate**; to use numbers to work out the value of something. Pupils will explore this word during tutor time.

Calculate

To use numbers to work out the value of something.

LORIC COMMUNICATION



Dates for your Diary:

4.10.23 Year 7 Welcome Evening

12.10.23 Year 10 Parents' Evening



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