



WEEKLY BULLETIN

Week Ending: 14 May 2021

KEY MESSAGES

- Parents and Carers, **please remember to contact Student Services** if your child has any appointments. Also please remind students to ask Student Services to contact home if they are feeling unwell and not to contact home themselves.
- As the weather improves please remind children to bring a water bottle to school.

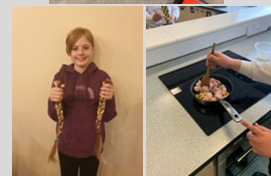
YEAR 7

We have been most impressed with the work Year 7 students have produced in lesson this week. In Drama students are studying a module, 'Exploring scripts'. Students have been developing their vocal and physical characterisation skills whilst working together in small groups to add gestures, emotional tones and movement to a scripted scene. Students have shown confidence when performing their work in their lesson. In Food Technology, students have been making chicken couscous salads. We are pleased to see students developing their cooking skills and supporting peers when using the equipment in the food classrooms.

During our Personal Development Curriculum, students have been involved in discussions around Mental Health Awareness Week. Students listened to an assembly on Tuesday which provided information on the positive effects of spending time outside and places to visit in Nottinghamshire.

Finally, we are very proud of Chloe who has had her hair cut and donated to the Little Princess Trust Charity. The charity create wigs for young people experiencing the devastating effects of hair loss. Well done Chloe!

Head of Year 7: Miss I Sheldon Achievement Coordinator: Mr A Surridge



YEAR 8

This week to mark Mental Health Awareness Week and to raise the profile of mental health support to our Year 8 students, the Nottinghamshire CAMHS Mental Health Support Team (MHST) delivered a virtual assembly to all our students. This was an important opportunity to share with our students the WHO? HOW? and WHERE? they can seek support in school and outside of school - as well as provide them with accessibly self-care strategies. Students relished the opportunity to discuss mental health support, and the conversations across all tutor sets was supportive and encouraging to hear.

We have also arranged for a Parents Information Evening delivered by the MHST to provide you with further information on the role of the Nottinghamshire CAMHS Mental Health Support Team (MHST). This will take place on Tuesday 18 May 2021, 5pm-6.30pm. Please email Mrs Wood (nwood@toothillschool.co.uk) to sign up.

The Year 8 tutor team are incredibly proud of the support we offer our students.

Head of Year 8: Mr R Wickens Pastoral Lead: Mr M Leslie



YEAR 9

Well done Year 9 on a superb week of learning.

This week students have been working hard constructing bridges and model cars in Engineering whilst others have been perfecting their baking skills in Food Tech.

During our Personal Development Curriculum in tutor time, students have been reflecting on ways we can save water to benefit the environment and have also taken part in Mental Health Awareness Week.

Keep up the great work Year 9!

Head of Year 9: Miss L Hughes Achievement Coordinator: Mr K Roebuck



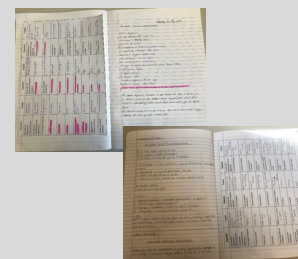
YEAR 10

Year 10 have continued to produce excellent work this week and show great focus and determination to their studies. It has been fantastic to see an array of written work, from a variety of subjects, all reflecting an exceptional high quality.

This week we would like to give a special mention to Isabelle B and Dominic W for their efforts in Spanish. As you can see from the pictures the work is commendable, and they have shown themselves to be a real credit to the school.

Over the coming weeks we look forward to more opportunities arising to explore further studies and careers with trips to Brackenhurst and talks from the RAF. Well done, Year 10!

Head of Year 10: Miss N Ward Achievement Coordinator: Miss B Marshall



YEAR 11

Year 11 have been busily preparing for their second week of evidence gathering which begins in earnest on Monday 17 May 2021.

Whilst preparing, there has also been the excitement around Leavers Day and Prom preparations. Year 11 students should have completed a form online to indicate if they intend to come to either event so we have a good idea of numbers before the payment system for Prom goes live. We are delighted to be able to put these events on for the students and we hope as many as possible can attend both.

Leaving Toot Hill School? Sign up and join our Alumni. Keep in touch, participate in events, and celebrate your achievements with us. Please fill out the Alumni [form](#).

Head of Year 11: Mr D Mordue Achievement Coordinator: Miss P Gordon

