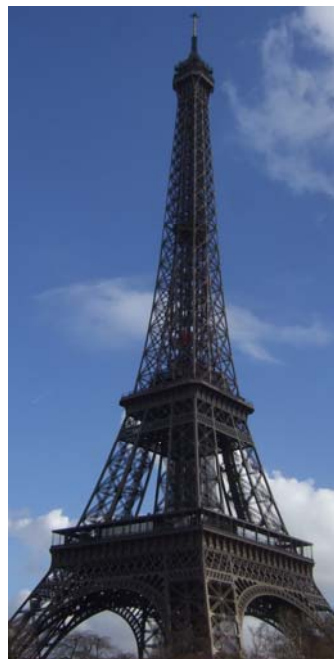
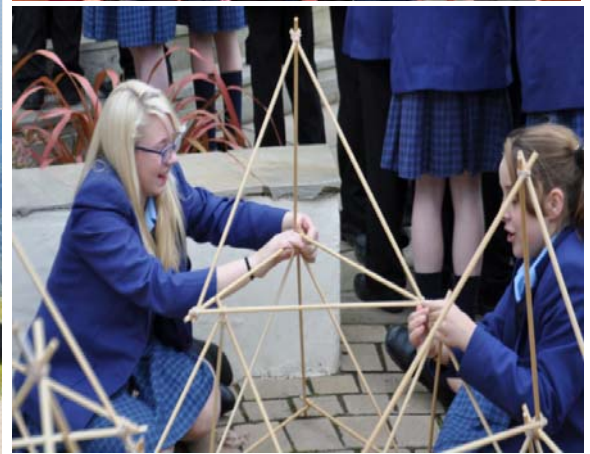




## Ofsted



Thank you to everyone involved in our Ofsted visit. We look forward to sharing their findings with you in the coming weeks.



## Dance Revolution



70 dancers from Years 7-12 took part in our annual 'Dance Revolution' on Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> April. The dance show this year took a different twist, with the girls and boys performing routines through the years. The show started out with a beautiful rendition of *Swan Lake* by Year 7 ending with a futuristic performance led by Year 12 boys. A packed out audience saw dances from the 70's, 40's, a medley of 90's classics and a turn back in time to 1920's Broadway. Dance show preparation started way back in October, with each performer practicing and attending rehearsal up until show day. They performed the best they could, making 'Dance Revolution' the best one yet. Well done to everyone involved. We are already looking forward to next year.

## History Competition



Congratulations go to the winner of the History Department's annual "Build a Castle Competition". Rachel McNally in 7OR claimed first prize of a £20 VUE cinema gift card with her fabulous model of a Motte and Bailey Castle, complete with a village and even farm animals!

### Next PTA meeting:

7pm Tuesday 18th June 2013  
in the College Staff Room.  
All are welcome.

## Sixth Form Revision and Coursework Support Timetable

Year	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>12</b>		Psychology Sociology Chemistry History DT ICT Business Studies	H&S Religious Studies Maths Biology History DT EPQ ICT	H&S Performing Arts Religious Studies Science Applied Media DT Business Studies	PE DT
<b>13</b>		Eng Lit (LT1 resit) Chemistry Media A2 Politics DT ICT Business Studies	H&S Religious Studies Biology DT ICT	Psychology Sociology Religious Studies Maths DT	PE DT

## Literacy Corner

All these words have a link or an idea that unites them.

For example: the answer to Q1 is: they are all caught.

Can you work out the links for the other 9?

See Mrs Connolly with your answers and win a prize!

1. A Ball - A Fish - A Cold
2. A Ball - A Salad - A Coin
3. A Cork - A Question - A Balloon
4. A Bottle - A Baseball Player - A Mushroom
5. A Bell - Mouth - A Shoe
6. A Tug of War - The Nightly News - A Boat
7. Seventeen - Time - People
8. A Basketball Court - A Highway - A Bowling Alley
9. Fog - A Jack - A Body Builder
10. A Hockey Game - A Restaurant - A Bank

## Coming up

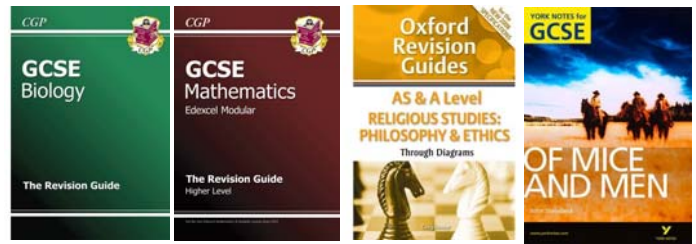
- Year 9 Bronze DofE Expedition: -3rd and 4th May
- Y9 Savio House Trip : 29th April - 1st May
- Bank Holiday - School Closed : Monday 6th May

## Revision Guides

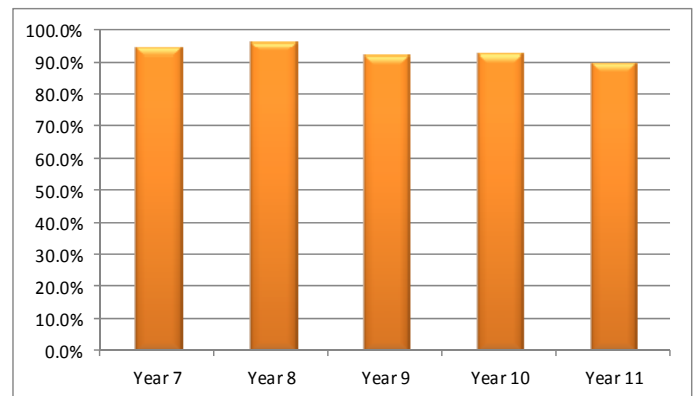
### BE WISE, REVISE!

With the exam season fast approaching and revision well under way, why not call into the library to browse through and borrow from the extensive range of GCSE, AS and A2 Revision Guides on offer to help you achieve your maximum potential.

Alternatively, you can access BBC Bitesize ([www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize](http://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize)) and other revision sites from any of the computers within college. Good luck to everyone sitting exams this Summer term.



## Attendance - 15/04/13 - 13/04/13



**Year 7 - 95.0% Year 8 - 97.0% Year 9 - 92.6%**  
**Year 10 - 93.0% Year 11 - 90.4%**

## Key Stage 4 Homework Clubs

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Lunch Time	ICT	ICT	ICT Geography	ICT	ICT
After School		Applied Science Triple Science SC9 RE Y10 ALPHA (pupils to go to their RE teacher)	French RE Y11(set 2-6)	History Science Core SC2 & SC4 Business Studies Spanish and French RE Y10 BETA (pupils to go to their RE teacher) Geography	PE BTEC

## Language Corner

### French fact of the fortnight

In France, 1<sup>st</sup> May is a bank holiday to campaign for and celebrate workers' rights. All banks, schools, shops and post offices are closed but it is traditional for people to sell and give special flowers to each other as a symbol of the festival. The special flowers are called Lily-of-the-Valley and Dog Rose flowers. There are also parades and demonstrations in towns to campaign for human rights in general, to demonstrate against racism or to highlight current social issues. Your challenge: In French 1<sup>st</sup> May is called 'La fête du Muguet' (the Lily-of-the-Valley festival) and 'festival of work'. How do you say 'the festival of work' in French?

- a) La fête de l'Emploi
- b) La fête du Travail
- c) La fête des Travaux
- d) La fête pour la main d'œuvre

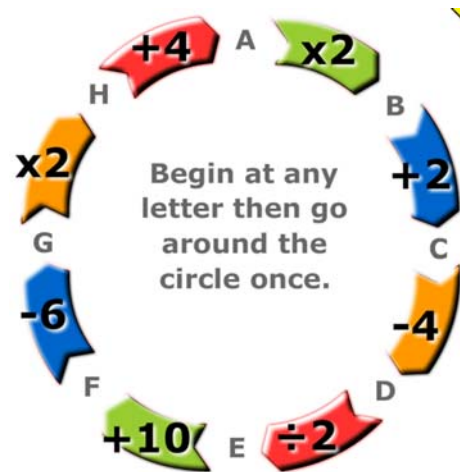
The first 5 correct entries to Madame Smart in MFL 5 will receive a house point.

Last week's winners were:

James Kane 7BH  
Abbie Christelow 7BH

## Maths Corner

Think of any number. Start at any letter then go around the circle performing each operation in order. Which starting point gives the largest answer? Which gives the smallest?



### Solution for last week

- 22 (Add 4 to the previous term)
- 47 (Add 9 to the previous term)
- 75 ( $T=2N + 11$ )
- S (Initial letters of days of the week)
- 5 (Numbers of letters in the counting numbers)
- 5 (This sequence is the next terms of the previous sequences)

## Weekly Theme - 'Love One Another'

John 13: 31-35

*When Judas was gone, Jesus said, "Now the Son of Man receives his glory, and God receives glory through him. If God receives glory through him, then God will give glory to the Son through Himself. And God will give him glory quickly." Jesus said, "My children, I will be with you only a little longer. You will look for me, and what I told the Jews, I tell you now: Where I am going you cannot come. I give you a new command: Love each other. You must love each other as I have loved you. All people will know that you are my followers if you love each other."*

Jesus says, "I have a new and simple rule for you; love one another, just as I have loved you." It's a simple rule and it is very clear, but it's really difficult because it clashes with our own selfish love. We find it easier to push in front of others, grab the best place or part for ourselves, take rather than give, expect to be waited on rather than serve. Je-

sus is correct in saying real and lasting happiness comes from our giving and not from our taking.

**God our Father, look upon us with love. Through Baptism you have made us your children, and you have given us your Son Jesus as our model and guide. Help us to live lovingly remembering to give is better than to take.**

Amen

