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Year 12 Settle into Student Life at Sigma Sixth

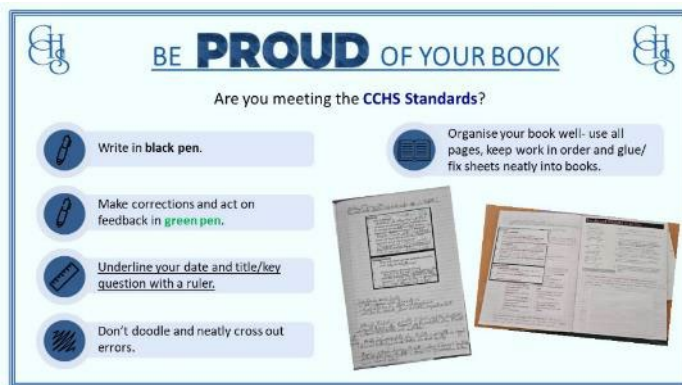
This term we are thrilled to have welcomed 140 new Year 12 students to our Sigma Sixth community, bringing our total number of sixth formers to over 300! It's wonderful to see the college growing and thriving. For those who may not know, Sigma Sixth, located at the Tending Education Centre in Jaywick Lane, offers all the benefits of a dedicated sixth form college without the long commute. We pride ourselves on providing high-quality post-16 education and a strong sense of friendship and camaraderie. To help them settle in, the new Year 12 students took part in a fun and busy induction day last week. The day was packed with activities designed to help them transition from GCSE to A-Level studies and get to know their new classmates. A particular highlight was the team-building challenge where groups had to design and create an outfit entirely out of newspaper. Themes included Superheroes & Villains, Historical Figures, Fantasy Creatures, Futuristic Fashion, and Mythology. The creativity and teamwork on display were fantastic, and it was a brilliant way to kick off the new academic year.



The newspaper outfit activity became rather competitive as groups of students competed to produce the most stylist newspaper costume

Focus on Student Presentation

At our school, we believe that taking pride in one's work is a vital part of the learning process. We encourage all of our students to take responsibility for the presentation of their work and their exercise books. A well-presented book is a powerful tool for learning and revision. We ask students to use black pens for their writing and to layout their work neatly. This not only makes it easier for them to revisit and understand topics they have previously covered but also prepares them for effective revision later on. These books will be a key resource for them throughout their time at school. We kindly ask that parents and carers support us in this effort by encouraging your child to be **PROUD** of their exercise books and the work they produce. A little encouragement from home can make a big difference in fostering a sense of ownership and pride in their academic journey.



My Poem about Life at CCHS

To highlight our expectations and **PROUD** ideals, we are delighted to receive a poem written by one of our Year 8 students, which expertly sums up our school's community spirit...

*We follow the rules,
To keep it safe and sound,
In the hallways, classrooms and playground all around,
Our core values guide us,
Every single day,
Be safe, be ready, be respectful in every way.*

Written by Beyonce-Honey Serrant

*We come prepared, with books and a curious mind,
Ready to learn and leave our worries behind,
We respect our peers and teachers too,
Treating each other with kindness and love that's true.*

*By following the rules and living our core values bright,
We show we care about our school and each other's light,
Let's work together to make it a great year,
Be safe, be ready, be respectful always near.*

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Extra-Curricular Clubs & Activities – Autumn Term 2025






We're excited to announce our wide range of extra curriculum clubs, activities, and support sessions for students in Year 7 to 11 this autumn term. These opportunities go beyond the classroom, giving students a chance to learn new skills, deepen their knowledge, and explore their interests. We encourage all students to get involved and make the most of what's on offer. This term, we have a wide range of activities available, from sports and arts to academic support and special interest clubs. Please see the list below for all the details, including which year groups each activity is for and where it takes place. Please can parents and carers promote these activities and encourage their child to participate in as many activities as they can. A digital copy of this list is also available on our ['Clubs & Activities' webpage](#), where we will publish new opportunities throughout the year, so be sure to check back often. For more information about a specific club or activity, students should speak directly with a staff member from the department organising the session. The majority of clubs will begin next week, unless a different start date is noted in the list. Sign-up lists are now open for clubs that require them. For many clubs, students can simply turn up on the day, but we do encourage regular attendance. Any sign-up requirements are listed below.

Students, please make sure your parents or carers are aware of which club you plan to attend on a given day and what time to expect you home. This helps ensure everyone is on the same page and avoids any unnecessary worry.

Enrichment Clubs

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
LUNCH	PRIDE & Diversity Hub 1:15 - 1:50 Room F5 Miss Margariti - Bring lunch, turn up chat &/or get support		PRIDE & Diversity Hub 1:15 - 1:50 Room F5 Miss Margariti - Bring lunch, turn up chat &/or get support	PRIDE & Diversity Hub 1:15 - 1:50 Room F5 Miss Margariti - Bring lunch, turn up chat &/or get support	
	"Mi casa es su casa" (open house) All Year Groups 1:25 - 1:50 Room F4			CCHS Choir All year groups 1:25 - 1:55 Music Department	
AFTER SCHOOL	Dungeons & Dragons Club All year groups 3.15 - 4.00 - Inclusion Hub	Social Skills Club All year groups (by invitation only) 3.15 - 3.45 Inclusion Hub	Book Club All year groups 3.15 - 4.00 Inclusion Hub	Social Skills Club All year groups (by invitation only) 3.15 - 3.45 Inclusion Hub	'We Are Music' All year groups (by invitation only) 3.20 - 5.00 Music Department
	Science Club Year 7 & 8 3.20 - 4.15 Room D4	Chess Club All year groups 3.15 - 3.45 Inclusion Hub	Gardening Club All Year Groups 3.20 - 4.15 School Garden	Gardening Club All Year Groups 3.20 - 4.15 School Garden	
		Girls Netball Club Years 7 to 10 3.25 - 4.25 Netball Courts	Games Club All year groups 3.15 - 3.45 Inclusion Hub	Wednesday Continued Below	
		Boys Football Club All Year Groups 3.25 - 4.25 School Field	Girls Football Club All Year Groups 3.25 - 4.25 School Field		
		Lower School Drama Club Years 7 to 9 3.15 - 4.00 Room H2	Fitness Club Year 7 3.25 - 4.25 Fitness Suite (Limited Numbers - Waiting list when full)	Lower School Art Club Years 7 to 9 3.15 - 4.15 Room A06 Mrs Upton	
		Rock Band - All Years 3.15 - 4.30 Music Department	Swimming Club 3.25 - 4.25 Swimming Pool (Invitation Only)	F24 Racing Car Team - STEM Years 7 to 11 3.25 - 4.30 Room A11	
			Squash Racket Club All Year Groups 3.25 - 4.25 Sports Hall	Dance Club All Year Groups 3.25 - 4.25 Dance Studios (Limited Numbers - Waiting list when full)	

Subject Support, Revision and Coursework Catch-up

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
AFTER SCHOOL	Homework Support All year groups welcome Independent study with support 3.20 - 4.30 Room B2	Homework Support All year groups welcome Independent study with support 3.20 - 4.30 Room B2	Homework Support All year groups welcome Independent study with support 3.20 - 4.30 Room B2	Homework Support All year groups welcome Independent study with support 3.20 - 4.30 Room B2	History Revision Year 11 3.20 - 4.15 Room G06 Mrs Allen
	Homework Club - for those requiring additional support All year groups 3.15 - 3.45 Inclusion Hub	Homework Club - for those requiring additional support All year groups 3.15 - 3.45 Inclusion Hub	Homework Club - for those requiring additional support All year groups 3.15 - 3.45 Inclusion Hub	Homework Club - for those requiring additional support All year groups 3.15 - 3.45 Inclusion Hub	Computer Science Revision Year 11 3.15 - 4.15 Room B13
	Science Revision - Year 11 3.20 - 4.15 Room D14 Focusing on a different topic each week See Science Teacher for timetable	English Revision (PRIORITY Session) Year 11 3.20 - 4.30 Rooms F14 & F15 (3-week rotating timetable with Maths)	Sports Studies Intervention Year 10 & 11 3.25 - 4.25 Room G6	Geography Revision Years 10 & 11 3.20 - 4.00 Room G05 Mrs Adamson	Art Coursework Support Years 10 & 11 3.15 - 4.15 Room A06 Mrs Wells
		Maths Revision (PRIORITY Session) Year 11 3.20 - 4.30 Maths Department (3-week rotating timetable with English)	Geography Coursework Support - Years 10 & 11 3.20 - 4.00 Room G03 Mrs Burley	Product Design / Engineering Coursework Support Years 10 & 11 3.20 - 4.15 Room A10 Mr Stacey	
		Engineering Coursework Support - Years 10 & 11 3.15 - 4.15 Room A11 Mrs Viera	GCSE Spanish Revision Year 11 - FOUNDATION TIER 3.25 - 4.15 Lower F-Block	Engineering Coursework Support - Years 10 & 11 3.15 - 4.15 Room A11 Mrs Viera	
		Music Intervention Years 10 & 11 3.15 - 4.30 Room H5 Mr Wilson / Mr Zucalla	GCSE Spanish Revision Year 11 - HIGHER TIER 3.25 - 4.15 Lower F-Block	Music Intervention Years 10 & 11 3.15 - 4.30 Room H5	
		Drama Intervention Years 10 & 11 3.15 - 4.30 Room J3 Mrs Pickard / Mrs Lawrie	Art & Textiles Coursework Support - Year 11 3.20 - 4.30 Room A13 Mrs Gately		
		Art Coursework Support Years 10 & 11 3.15 - 4.15 Room A06 & A13 Mrs Wells & Mrs Gately	Product Design Coursework Support - Years 10 & 11 3.15 - 4.30 Room A07 Miss Costello		

Celebrating Student Success

Attendance Weekly Golden Ticket Awards – Data from the final week of the Autumn Term

100% Attendance prize draw - one student from each form group wins a 'Golden Attendance Ticket', allowing them to skip to the front of the Clouds food servery queue on a day of their choice.

Congratulations to.....



Year 7

Emmanuel Antony, Ruby Bayford, Jayda Bunton-Smith, Albie Bunyan, Freddie Cagehin, Caitlin Cook, Ashley Craig, Wren Gavrilovic, Archie Green, Isla Mae Facey, Ronnie Stock and Tommy Ward



Year 8

Hamza Ahmed, Tommy Baker, Darcey Chandler, Jenson Dale, Zackery George, Frankie, Bobby Lufkin, Pez Mtonga, Violet Palmer, Oscar Southern, Penny Wells and Riley Wilson



Year 9

Lillie-May, Noah Dempster, Karina Gancarz, Ava Gibson, Aaron Hipkin-Davis, Daniel Littlewood, Claudias, Maheen Muneer, Stanley Newman, Lily Powers, Finnley Reynolds, Alfred Russell and Alexia Saunders



Year 10

Marissa Arber, Lila Baines, Adam Baldwin, Ellis, Ava Donaghy, Luke Galione, Aaron Grant, Rhys Hales, Evie Hales, Lenny Harrington, Max Heffer and Albert Hiller



Year 11

Beau Baker, Eva Ganderton, Ronnie Haynes, Laura Kukulka, Ellie-May Lucas, Hollie Nelson, Shahamat Rahman, Ronnie Scott-Millett, Daisy Southern, Oliver Tulip and Bella Wright

Weekly Proud Awards

The top students in each year group who attained the most PROUD points last week and also had 100% attendance (listed alphabetically) – Each year group winner collects the top prize of a £5 Amazon voucher.



Year 7

Frankie Barry, Isla Mae Facey, Abby Filtness, Logan Kirk, Oliver Millar, Bella Moore-Williams, Emily Partridge and Carrera Strobl
Winner – Abby

Year 8

James Attridge, Henry Barnes, Ruby Barratt, Charlotte Broad, Tyler Brooker, Tyler C, Hannah McClinton, Max Shelton, Ben, George Toms, Oliver Wall and Dulcie Westbrook
Winner – George

Year 9

Henry Adebara, Dylan Barnett, Madison Brown, Jaime Collins, Freddie Finch, Lewis Hogg, Rhys Howe, Stanley Newman, Jomiloju and Kyla Sweeney
Winner – Rhys

Year 10

Wren Chan, Devon Greenwood, Maisie Pryke, Lorelai Riley and Luke Roberts
Winner – Luke