



Parents@Park 21/01/22.

What a week!



It has been truly wonderful to see our students looking smart, motivated and engaged in their lesson learning. Excellence all round! Cleary students have risen to the new opportunity to be their very best

versions of themselves at all times. Students and staff continue to work together to bring out the best at Park.

This week has seen record breaking numbers of Credits and Park Points awarded to students. Our new weekly record for total number of Park Points now stands at 866 points awarded - a huge increase from our previous weekly top total of 568. A new record also for our Platinum award winners - now standing at 517 students this week.

Here are our top Park Point winners for this week:



Well done to Ethan Cothliff, Cole Harrison and Owen Rowland

Congratulations also to the Pupils of the Week, receiving the most credits for their House.

This week's pupils of the week are Will James, Ava Ashworth, Charlie Wheeler, Madison Boothman, Ruby Starkie, Zain Lee, Sophie Thompson, Olivia Marshall and Ben Newport.



Staying with the theme of rewards, we have another Park Prize week planned for next week (woop woop!) With chocolates and Amazon vouchers up for grabs it's well worth students continuing to be the best versions of themselves.

Finally just a reminder to all that in addition to the **Parents@park showcasing and celebrating our top weekly awards winners, every child's weekly credit and Park point totals certificate are uploaded and saved in MCAS** (Parent portal app). Bronze, Silver, Gold and Platinum certificates are awarded dependent on weekly credit totals. **Please be sure to log on** and visit to see your child's certificate collection building in their folder of fame. Mr Curren will email (usually first thing on a Monday) to notify once uploads have completed in MCAS.



Credit Certificates

- Bronze for 4-6 credits per week
- Silver for 7-9 credits per week
- Gold for 10-14 credits per week
- Platinum for 15+ credits per week

PRIZE WEEK!!! Week beginning 24th January!

PRIZE
All pupils who receive a Platinum Award, for the week beginning 24th January will win a chocolate prize.

Additional Prizes
Park Point Prize – The top 4 pupils in each house for Park Points will win a £5 Amazon Voucher.
Credit Prize – The top 4 pupils in each house for credits will win a £5 Amazon Voucher.

The Best That We Can Do
Seniors

PAIS PAIS

Phoenix, Griffin, Pegasus, Dragon

Covid-19

- As announced by the Prime Minister this week, Plan B measures have now been removed in England, with a full return to Plan A. **This means face coverings are now no longer recommended in classrooms and teaching spaces for staff, and pupils and students in year 7 and above but must still be worn on corridors and in communal areas until Thursday 27 January** after which they are no longer recommended.
- Student self isolation period can end **if they test negative on the morning of day 5 and the morning of day 6**, they can return to school on day 6. Please note the **first test must be taken no earlier than day 5 of the self-isolation period**, and the **second must be taken the following day**. All test results should be reported to the [NHS Test and Trace](#) and to school on [Report student Covid home testing results to school](#)

- People who are fully vaccinated, or children and young people aged between 5 and 18 years and 6 months, identified as a close contact of someone with COVID-19, should take an LFD test every day for seven days and continue to attend their setting as normal, unless they have a positive test result or develop symptoms at any time.”

- **COVID-19 lateral flow testing at home will continue twice weekly until further notice.**

[Report student Covid home testing results to school](#)

As per the guidance please continue to log the results with both the NHS and school log.

Notices

- Sending the very best of luck to our **Year 7,8 and 9 students who begin in class assessments next week.** Work hard and you will reap the rewards.



- Year 10 assessment week starts Monday 31st Jan. All Year 10 assessments are in class with the exception of Religious Studies which will be in the sports hall on Friday 11th Feb in preparation for the External GCSE summer examination.

- Year 11 PRP's have been issued to students and parents today (Friday 21st January)

- An invitation for Year 8 parents to [Year 8 Parents' Evening 10th February 2022](#) and for the [guide to booking appointments here](#). For support [attending parents evening via video appointments please see here](#).

- A reminder to parents that students need to bring their own water bottles/drinks into school as they are not provided on site.

Broadening Horizons - Careers

Week 18 – w/c Monday 24th January **Week 18 w/c 24.1.22**
Words of the week

depict (verb) – describe (in words or by picture)
systematically (adverb) – using a fixed plan or system, methodically
anti-Semitism (noun) – hostility to or prejudice against Jewish people

The wall was painted with a large mural **depicting** famous scenes from American history.
The Jews were **systematically** disposed of their rights during Hitler's rule.
I am sure they would not hesitate a minute in condemning both racism and **anti-Semitism** in the highest terms.

WOW in Action
COLNE PARK HIGH SCHOOL



PARK HIGH SCHOOL
'RAISING ASPIRATIONS'



- **Work Experience**

Would you or the company you work for be willing to take one of our students on Work Experience?

If so, please email us at Careers@park-high.co.uk

The dates are Monday 11th July to Thursday 21st July inclusive

For further information on work experience please click [here](#)

- **Deadline -Calling all Year 8's**



If your child is interested in getting their hands on this machine

Receiving a full day's training and being part of a competition. Click [here](#)

****Deadline Monday 31st January****

- **Year 11 College Applications** All pupils should now be looking at submitting applications to college with deadlines looming.
- Support for this can be accessed in the library during lunch on the following dates: -

Burnley College are in on Wednesday 26/01, 02/02, 9/02

Nelson and Colne Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday the 01/02, 02/02, 03/02

Click [here](#) to register



Academic Reviews

Academic reviews have been conducted over the last 2 weeks. All pupils have sat with their form tutors, reviewing their Autumn Term Trackers. Celebrating each pupils' successes and achievements whilst discussing how they can make improvements. I have loved organising this as well as being a part of it as a form tutor! It has helped me get an insight into the pupils in my form and how I can best support them not just pastorally but also academically. Academic Reviews are one of the golden threads that runs through FutureU/Careers/PD creating rich tapestry. For more information please contact jtillotson@park-high.co.uk

PE Extra Curricular activities

After School activities – week beginning 24 January

| Day | Activity |
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| Monday | Year 7 & 8 Netball practice |
| Tuesday | Badminton practice – all pupils U16 Girls basketball @ Park |
| Wednesday | Year 9 Basketball @ Pendle Vale U14 Basketball v Darwen Vale @ Park |
| Friday | Basketball practice – all pupils |

Break time club every day in the Sports hall
Badminton and Basketball
Trainers needed



Amazing Artwork

Oliver Whitehouse has hand crafted and created this beautiful piece of artwork in relation to his Sealife Sculpture PRP. The sheer effort and talent shown in this piece of artwork shows just how skilful and determined our GCSE students are. Oliver has just started his GCSE in YR9 showing immense quality and high standard in his work. Way to set the bar Oliver!

Congratulations and Well done from Miss McHugh and Mrs Gibbons, You Park Art Superstar!





The week ahead....

- **Monday 24th January** - Years 7-9 Assessment week begins

- Year 11 PRP's begin

Dates for the diary further ahead...

- **Monday 31st January** - Year 10 Mock examinations commence

- **Week beginning 7th February** - Inter house Sports

- **Thursday 10th February** - Year 8 Parents evening

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School Holiday dates 2021-22

[Please click here to find the school holiday dates for 2012-22](#)