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Welcome  
Back



## Parents@Park

**Parents@Park is back - the place to be for all things Park!**

We hope you had a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

As students returned on Wednesday after the Christmas break, we have been impressed with how they have settled back so quickly into routines and expectations. Learning is back and for Year 11 the countdown begins! This week has also been an opportunity to reflect on Term 1 and to set targets for this term moving forward.

Uniform has been exemplary and thank you to all parents/carers for supporting us. We really appreciate your help in reminding students of these expectations.

Please read below for this week's updates and also a look ahead to upcoming events in this half-term...

## 12 Days of Christmas - Attendance



We were thrilled that so many students participated in the '12 Days of Christmas' prior to the Christmas break. Students who attended each day before Christmas celebrated this week with a Bingo!

A reminder of the importance of attending school each day and we look forward to seeing each and every student this term.

## Park High Ski Trip

What an amazing trip it has been to Monte Bondone!

We've received fantastic compliments about our students from the instructors, resort staff, ski shop, local shops and hotel - all praising their excellent conduct, attitude and behaviour throughout the week. Everyone is having a fantastic time and the fancy dress was brilliant!

The improvement and confidence in skiing has been amazing to see, we couldn't be prouder!



## Y7-11 Trackers

A reminder that the Autumn Tracker Report was uploaded into MCAS during the last week of term. Parents were emailed instructions of how to access the report on MCAS. If anyone is still having problems accessing please email Mrs Oldfield at [i.oldfield@parkhigh.apex-trust.org](mailto:i.oldfield@parkhigh.apex-trust.org)

## PD Day 3 - Thursday 15th January

We are pleased to announce that the third of our Personal Development days is on the horizon. Personal Development is an essential part of every students experience at school and plays a pivotal role in preparing students for the opportunities, decisions, responsibilities and experiences of later life.

On Thursday 15th January, each year group will take part in a wide range of opportunities to contribute towards their Personal Development.

**Year 7:** Year 7 will be visiting Blackpool Zoo as part of their conservation project, which will count towards their Apex champion Award. Miss Rothwell has been communicating with you regarding the logistics for the day, please refer to your emails regarding clothing and requirements for the day. More information is below:

### ***Blackpool Zoo Information***

*Uniform: Pupils will need to wear their full school PE kit. They will be allowed to wear black leggings/joggers and the school PE jumper/ plain black jumper as per the school winter PE kit. Pupils will, of course, be allowed to bring their coats etc to keep warm.*

*Lunch: Pupils will need to bring a packed lunch. If your child is on free school meals, a packed lunch will be provided.*

*If you have anymore queries or questions, please don't hesitate to email [b.rothwell@parkhigh.apex-trust.org](mailto:b.rothwell@parkhigh.apex-trust.org)*

**Year 8:** Year 8 will be taking part in workshops, covering the theme of Careers education. They will explore a wide range of activities exploring future pathways, a range of employment sectors and a chance for them to participate in sharing their voice regarding their careers education at Park.

**Year 9:** Year 9 will completing two sessions that will contribute towards their DoE Bronze award. They will also take part in two workshops linked to RSHE. All year 9 students will also have a guest speaker talking to them about Prevent duty, tolerance and hate crimes - a session that is spoken highly about from students that have previously worked with Tim, our guest speaker.

**Year 10:** Year 10 will be taking part in workshops based upon SMSC. They will be exploring the themes of British Values, community cohesion and tolerance through exploration of themes such as Hate Crime, exploitation and Racism.

**Year 11:** Year 11 will have a range of workshops addressing a range of themes of RSHE with a particular focus around relationships, families, the responsibilities of being a parent and how committed and stable relationships can be important for bringing up children.

## **Year 8 Parents Evening - Wednesday 21st January (4.30-7.30pm)**

Appointment bookings will open on Monday 12th January, you will receive an email on Monday to book your appointment with class teachers. Alternatively, you can click the link to book from Monday:

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

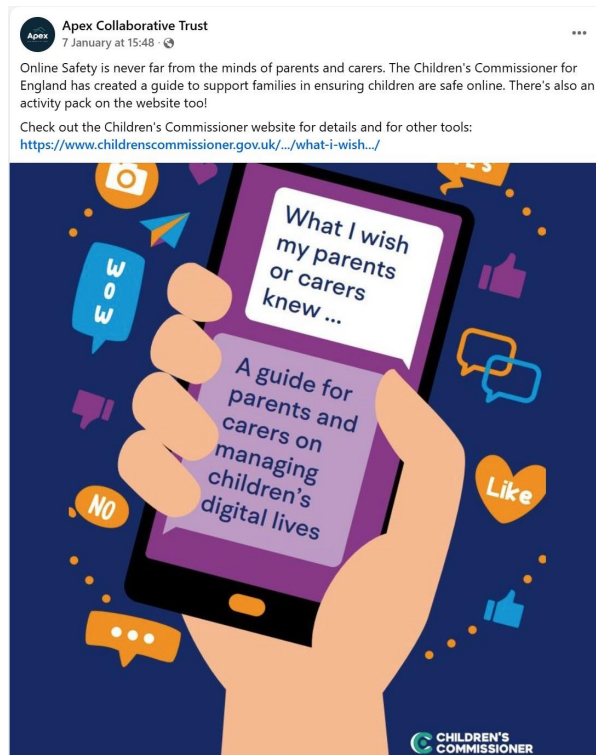
Future Parents Evening dates (all 4.30 -7.30pm):

Year 7 - Wednesday 4th February

Year 10 - Wednesday 11th March

Year 11 - Wednesday 25th March

## Online Safety



1 - Please click the link to find information from the Children's Commissioner on Online Safety.

['What I wish my parents or carers knew...': A guide for parents and carers on managing children's digital lives | Children's Commissioner for England](https://www.childrenscommissioner.gov.uk/.../what-i-wish.../)

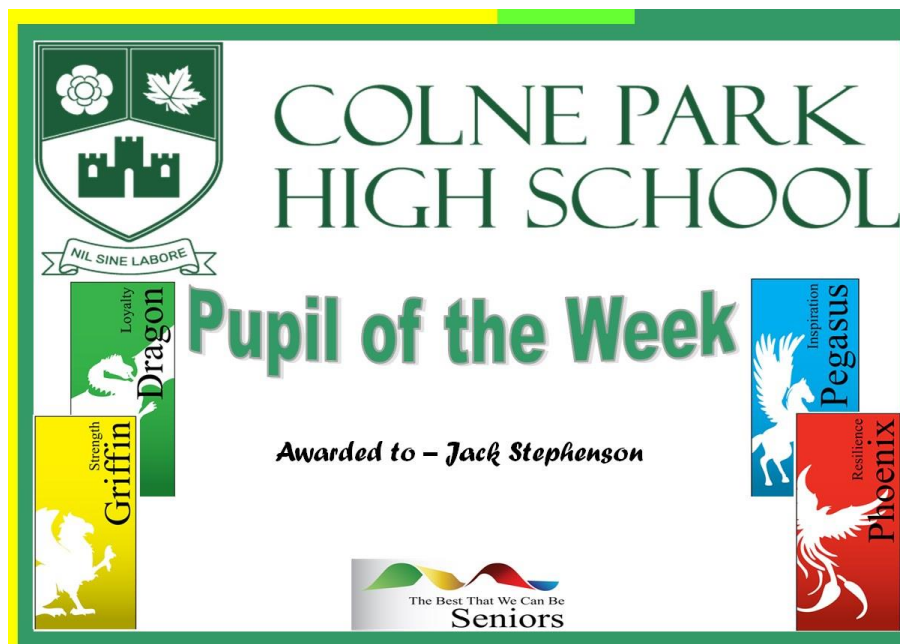
## Year 11 Interventions


After School Intervention	
<b>Monday</b>	<b>English Priority Night</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Maths Priority Night</b>

On Monday and Tuesday English and Maths have priority for intervention with students.

Every subject has sessions after school – please check with your individual teacher what night they have a session for you to attend





## Celebrating Success




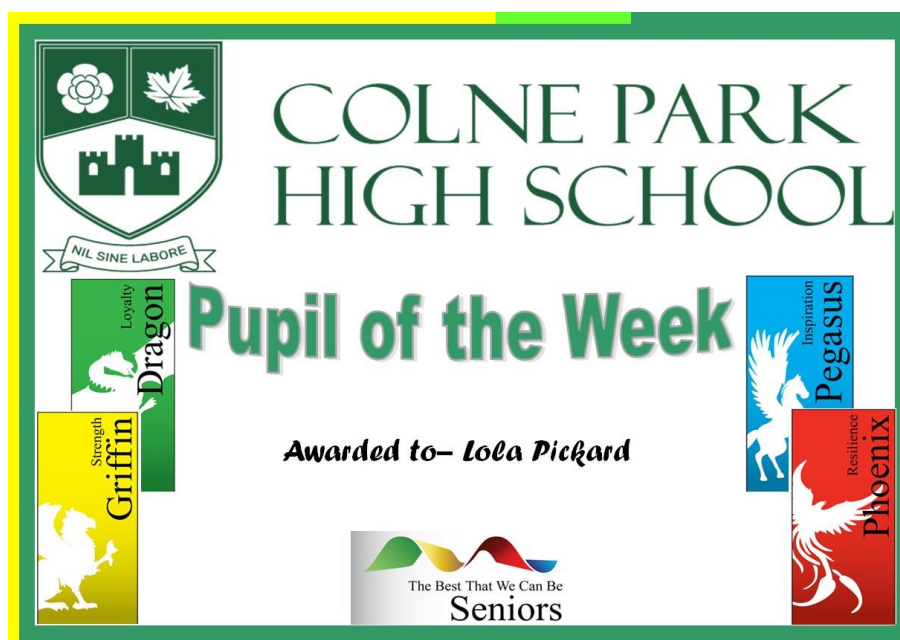
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**Pupil of the Week**

*Awarded to – Jack Stephenson*













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**Pupil of the Week**

*Awarded to– Lola Pickard*













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## Pupil of the Week






*Awarded to- Laura Middleton*



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## Pupil of the Week

*Awarded to- Avie Howarth*





NIL SINE LABORE

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## Pupil of the Week

***Awarded to- Emmie Dodd-Plant***



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## Pupil of the Week

***Awarded to- Sarah Holda***





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Park Point  
Olivia Helps



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CONGRATULATIONS YOU RECEIVED THE  
MOST PARK POINTS LAST WEEK.



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Anne-Marie Stan



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## Park Point Bailey Parker



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## Park Point Millie Anderson



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**THEMIS APPRENTICESHIP CAREERS EVENT**  
WEDNESDAY 21.01.26  
Including presentations and opportunities  
Apprenticeships & opportunities

**CRAMER COLLEGE & THE AVIATION ACADEMY**  
EVENTS

<b>OCTOBER 2025</b>	<b>NOVEMBER 2025</b>
<b>JANUARY 2026</b>	<b>FEBRUARY 2026</b>
<b>MARCH 2026</b>	<b>JUNE 2026</b>

Work experience deadlines:  
Year 9 Friday 17th April 2026.  
Year 10 Friday 22nd May 2026.

**OPEN EVENING**  
Tue 10 Feb  
5.30pm - 7.30pm

**APPRENTICESHIP & CAREERS FAIR**  
Wednesday 24 February 2026  
12.00pm - 4.00pm  
Colne College Careers Centre

**APPLICATION NIGHT - Year 11**  
Monday 12th January - 5.10pm - 6pm  
College application night in the library after school  
\* Notice and Colne colleges will also be there to support along with Miss Barker



## Advanced apprenticeships available now

Discover your future on an Advanced Apprenticeship

At Rolls-Royce, we're proud to be a business that has helped shape the modern world, and we're committed to being a force for progress; powering, protecting and connecting people everywhere.

Our Engineering Advanced Apprenticeship gives you the real-world experience and expert training you need to help build some of the most advanced engines in the world. From day one, you'll get outstanding career support, debt-free qualifications and the chance to work in a friendly, supportive environment where you can be yourself. You'll start by gaining a strong foundation in practical skills with one of our approved training providers, then spend three years broadening your knowledge through attachments across our Civil Aerospace business. This is hands-on work with state-of-the-art products, equipment and machinery, where you'll train with engineering experts, work on live projects and earn as you learn.

### Ready to apply?

#### Machinist/Inspector

As a Machinist/Inspector, you'll carry out precision work, making components from specialist materials using hand and CNC machine tools, as well as measuring and checking they're exactly right for our requirements. You'll also carry out inspection and quality control activities by checking components for both dimensional and geometrical accuracy. At the end of your apprenticeship, you'll have the skills and knowledge to undertake a Machining or an Inspection role.

In your first year, you'll gain a strong foundation in the practical skills you need with one of our approved training providers across the UK. Over the following three years, you'll broaden and deepen your knowledge through a range of attachments within our Civil Aerospace business, all the while working towards completing your apprenticeship standard and gaining relevant engineering qualifications.

[Find out more and apply](#)



#### Application support

**Top tips!**

##### What do I need to do?

Our online application helps us get to know you. **The real you.** You'll write answers to a short series of questions. This will help us understand your interests and what motivates you to join Rolls-Royce.

##### What can I use to help me?

We encourage you to research Rolls-Royce using Google and our website. Tools like ChatGPT can also help you structure answers, spark ideas, and shape a first draft. But remember that AI should only be your starting point. **Your application needs your personality, interests, and experiences, because only you can tell your story.**

##### What does the application involve?

The first part of our online application asks straight-forward questions about your name, education, and where you live. After this, we'll ask two or more in-depth screening questions.

##### Further support

You'll find the exact questions we ask, and some tips to help you answer them in our [handy application guide](#).

##### What role? - watch now!

Watch our Advanced Apprenticeship video to understand what roles we offer!



#### GOOD LUCK!

We look forward to receiving your application.



#### Detail for all roles:

**Starting Salary:** £17,595 per year. (Your salary progression from here will depend on the role that you go into.)

**Location:** Barnoldswick

**Duration:** 4 years

**Requirements:** Have or working towards min. of 4 GCSEs (or equivalent) at grade 4/C. Additional criteria may apply

**CLOSING DATE:** 8<sup>th</sup> March 2026 11:59pm



THE GATSBY BENCHMARKS  
6000+ Careers Outcomes

**Craven**  
college

**Monday 6 October**  
**Monday 17 November**  
**Saturday 17 January**  
**Wednesday 11 March**  
**Monday 15 June**

Previous attachment



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## **PARK HIGH SCHOOL DOES PENDLE PARKRUN**

**SATURDAY 24TH JANUARY | 9:00AM**

Run, jog or walk this scenic 5km route  
around Alkincoats Park with staff and  
students from the Park family

Don't forget to register  
here for your free



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Have you seen our Facebook & Instagram pages? Follow us for regular information and updates.

Please note credits, misdemeanours and attendance are all available on MCAS. Don't forget to log on to stay informed on a daily basis.

- **Teacher Training Day Dates 2025/6:** Parents and Carers please note the amendment to Teacher Training Days for 2025-26. The next teacher training day is Friday 19 June 2026. All term dates and training days are available on our website.
- [Parents@LordSt](#)

## Extra-Curricular Clubs

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Extra-Curricular Activities	Breaktime: Mindful colouring - Library Craft/book club: Library 3:30pm	Breaktime: Chess club - library Reading Ambassador Meeting 3:10pm Library	Breaktime: Lego club - Library Board Game club: Room 519 3:30pm	Journalism club: Room 205 3:30pm Journalism Club 2025-26	
Club reminders					
Ambition	We are determined to achieve and believe everyone can succeed		Try our best and take pride in what we do Be curious and eager to learn Persevere and try to bounce back from setbacks		
LORD ST HIGH SCHOOL		Apex			

## Journalism Club 2025-26



After last year's huge success, we are pleased to announce the return of Journalism Club! If you are interested in Journalism, News Reporting, Photography, Videography or Content Creation then get involved! We look forward to meeting another team of brilliant Journalists!



**Thursdays 3:10 – 4:00**  
**Open to all students**  
**Room 205**  
**Miss O’Gorman**

## @Contact Us

- [The link here](#) links to the school website where key staff and department contacts are listed as well as a flow diagram to support families in navigating to the correct team/staff member depending on the enquiry they have.

In the first instance the form tutor is the first point of contact to guide and advise.

## School Holiday Dates 2025-26

[Colne Park High School - Term Dates \(park-high.co.uk\)](http://park-high.co.uk)