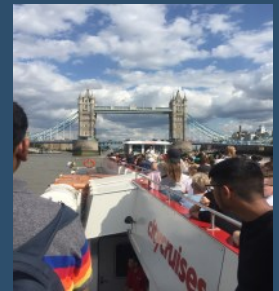


Hello and welcome to Issue 6, of the Y6 Transition Newsletter. We hope you completed the Humanities challenge and sent in examples of your work to glawlor@castlehall.com

Don't forget to email Mr Jackson if you want a one-to-one tour of the Academy cjackson@castlehall.com

WE HAVEN'T BEEN ABLE TO RUN MANY OF THE EXCITING THINGS WE NORMALLY WOULD BECAUSE OF COVID. HOWEVER, HERE IS A TASTE OF WHAT YOU CAN LOOK FORWARD TO.

WE CAN'T WAIT FOR YOU TO JOIN US!



THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

WHAT DO I DO IF I AM WORRIED ABOUT SOMETHING?

You can speak to any member of staff in the academy about things that worry you. You will have a Head of Year, Progress Leader and Mr Jackson, Director of Pastoral Support who you see every day, so these might be the people that you feel most comfortable talking to, or it could be one of your subjects teachers.

Ultimately, you need to know that everyone who works at Castle Hall Academy is here to listen, support and help you in any way.



CLUB OF THE WEEK

DRAMA

At the CHA Drama Club you will have the opportunity to learn new skills, make new friends and have lots of fun. We run the club during lunchtimes and after school. As well as being fun you will learn lots of skills involved in all aspects of theatre including acting, backstage, props, lighting and sound.

You will gain important life skills such as teamwork, confidence, respect, responsibility and resilience amongst others. These skills will help you to thrive during your time at CHA and beyond! We look forward to welcoming you to our club.



Mr Twine
Performing Arts Teacher



Academy Production—The Little Mermaid



SUBJECT CHALLENGE

SCIENCE

Hello year 6!

Science is the study of the world around us. Scientists learn about their subject by observing, describing, and experimenting. There are many subjects and branches of science. The science areas we will study during your time at Castle Hall Academy are: life (biology), chemicals (chemistry) and the universe (physics). In year 7, we will learn all about the fundamentals of science, and learn how to work safely and effectively in the science lab. This will involve designing and taking part in many of your own experiments, and learning how to under your findings.

We can't wait to meet you and ignite your curiosity for science!

Science Challenge – Birthday Science

Every day scientists do investigations and make observations to answer questions about the world around us. They find out how things work and how we can use it to make new things. Your challenge is to find a scientist which shares your birthday (or as near as possible). You should try and find out what your scientist discovered and find some pictures of the scientist; and their discovery.

Then, when you arrive in September, we will put your information onto a postcard like the example below and decorate one of our noticeboards with all your excellent findings.

Good luck!

Name : Miss Baigent

My birthday is on : 23rd October

A scientist I share my birthday with is : Felix Bloch

My scientist is from this country : Switzerland

What did my scientist do? : Felix Bloch won a Nobel Prize for Physics in 1952 for developing the nuclear magnetic resonance (NMR) method of measuring the magnetic field of atomic nuclei. NMR is the technology used for magnetic resonance imaging (MRI) machines which are used in hospitals to take detailed images of the inside of your body.



REMINDER

Please return your Y6 child's:

1. Data Collection Form
2. Home Academy Agreement
3. IHP Form

For the attention of the Year 7 Team
at Castle Hall Academy

Thank you to those who
have already done so!

If you need copies sending just give us a call
01924 520500

