

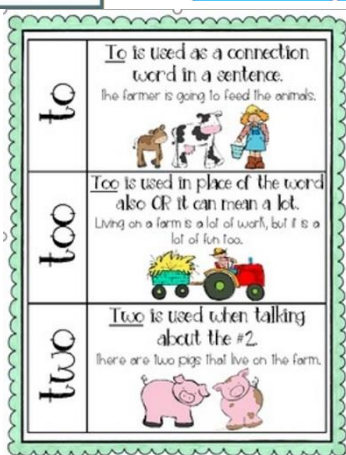
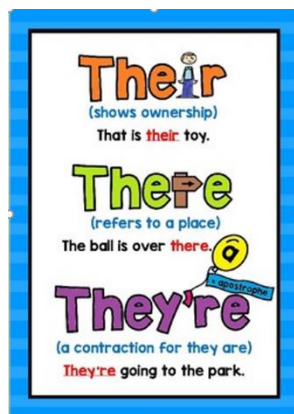
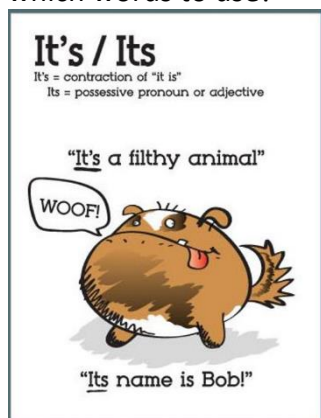


Welcome Back!

We hope that you all had a very enjoyable and restful holiday and are refreshed for the busy term ahead!

Literacy Focus

The literacy focus for this week is common homophones – see the images for ways to remember which words to use!



AQA GCSE Religious Studies – 24 days to improve your grade

- ❑ **Day 55** – Explain two Muslim teachings about predestination. Refer to scripture in your answer.
- ❑ **Day 56** – Explain two ways in which the actions of the prophet Ibrahim are remembered.
- ❑ **Day 57** – Explain two religious beliefs about the purpose of families. Refer to scripture in your answer.
- ❑ **Day 58** – 'A Muslim's approach to life should be based on their beliefs about the afterlife'. Evaluate this statement.
- ❑ **Day 59** – Give two of the six articles of faith in Sunni Islam.
- ❑ **Day 60** – Explain two ways in which a belief in greater jihad influences Muslims today.
- ❑ **Day 61** – What are the main causes of terrorism?
- ❑ **Day 62** – What four books in the new testament give an account of Jesus' life.
- ❑ **Day 63** – Explain two religious beliefs about free will and how it should be used.
- ❑ **Day 64** – 'The love and care parents show in bringing up their children is all that matters; the sex of the parents is unimportant'. Evaluate this statement.
- ❑ **Day 65** – Explain two religious responses to the theory of evolution.
- ❑ **Day 66** – Explain religious views on terrorism.
- ❑ **Day 67** – What is the difference between greater and lesser Jihad.
- ❑ **Day 68** – Explain two reasons why Muhammad is considered to be the most important prophet in Islam. Refer to scripture in your answer.
- ❑ **Day 69** – Explain two similar religious beliefs about sexual relationships outside of marriage (adultery). Refer to scripture in your answer.
- ❑ **Day 70** – 'The fear of eternal punishment is the only thing that makes religious people value human life'. Evaluate this statement.
- ❑ **Day 71** – Explain two contrasting religious beliefs about pacifism.

Forthcoming Events

- 28th April – School Show Rehearsal
- 1st May – Careers Talk - Lawyer
- 24th May – INSET Day
- 27th May – 31st May – Half Term
- 10/11th June – Seussical The Musical!

Fixtures

30 Apr, 2019	Y8	Football	Hampton High
07 May, 2019	Y7/8	Rounders	Hampton High
09 May, 2019	9/10	Rounders	St Richard Reynolds CC
14 May, 2019	Y7/8	Rounders	Twickenham School
21 May, 2019	Y7/8	Rounders	Waldegrave

Careers Talk - Wednesday 1st May – Angela Sharma – Lawyer

'You're good at arguing; you should be a lawyer'.

Have you ever had that said to you or heard someone say that ?

But what is the law and what do lawyers do in practice? Angela Sharma, who has been a lawyer for over 20 years and is currently working in this role in the pensions team at the international law firm Taylor Wessing, will be talking to us about these questions and about how she came to be in the profession. If you like the sound of it all, she will be talking about different sorts of legal careers and how you can get into them.

If you would like to attend this talk, please sign up on the sheet outside Miss Riglin's classroom.

Events at The Exchange Twickenham

There are many upcoming events at The Exchange, Twickenham, which may be of interest to students and their families. You can view the events here:

<https://exchangetwickenham.co.uk/events/>

They include:

INSTANT OPERA: present their Spring Opera Gala

It's So Easy Productions Presents: Come Together: The Beatles "Abbey Road" 50 Years On

A Hard Day's Night

The Bees In My Garden

Year 10 Parents' Social Evening

The Year 10 parents' social evening will take place on Wednesday 1st May from 7.30pm at The Beach House, 92 Hampton Hill High Street.

All parents welcome to attend. We look forward to seeing you there.

Year 10 Science Mock Exams

At the start of next half term, Year 10 will be sitting their first complete GCSE paper. To help students prepare for this, the homework tasks set this term are revision tasks.

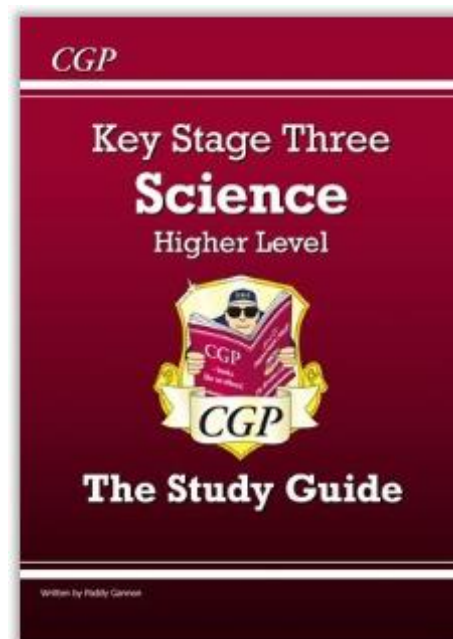
Students have been set the following on ShowMyHomework:

Week	Biology	Chemistry	Physics
1	Topic 1 (B1) p.16 – 42 PLUS p.44 Questions 3, 7, 15, 17, 23	Topic 1 (C1) p.16-43 PLUS p.46 Questions 1, 11, 14, 19	Topic 1 (P1) p.17-37 PLUS p.39 Questions 1, 8, 12, 18, 21
2	Topic 2 (B2) p.45-77 PLUS p.80 Questions 1, 5, 13, 17, 27	Topic 2 (C2) p.47-67 PLUS p.69 1, 6, 12, 17	Topic 2 (P2) p.40-60 PLUS p.62 Questions 3, 10, 23, 25
3	Topic 3 (B3) p.81-98 PLUS p.100 Questions 4, 10, 15, 19	Topic 3 (C3) p. 70-84 PLUS p.86 Questions 2, 7, 10, 16	Topic 3 (P3) p.63-68 PLUS p.71 Questions 1, 3, 9, 14, 16, 20
4	Topic 4 (B4) p.101-113 PLUS p.115 Questions 9, 10, 13, 20	Topic 4 (C4) p.87-103 PLUS p.105 Questions 4, 9, 18, 21	Topic 4 (P4) p.72-84 PLUS p.86 Questions 5, 9, 21, 25
5	Review mindmaps and complete 10 revision summary questions of your choice (from any of the Biology topics)	Topic 5 (C5) p.106-114 PLUS p.116 Questions 3, 4, 9, 13	Review mindmaps and complete 10 revision summary questions of your choice (from any of the Physics topics)
Half term	p.238 Practice Paper 1 (allow 1h45min)	p.200 Practice Paper 1 (allow 1h45min)	p.185 Practice Paper 1 (allow 1h45min)

For each task, students will need to make use of their revision guides (provided at the end of Year 9) and are required to complete a mindmap as well as some review questions.

We would like to thank parents in advance for their support in helping students to complete their revision.

Year 10 - Do you still have a copy of this?



Please could all Year 10 students return their KS3 Science revision guides as these are needed for lower school students?

Books should be returned to your science teacher or can be left with Mrs Dippie in the prep room.

Please ensure that these books are returned by 10th May 2019. Failure to do so may incur a charge for replacing the book. Thank you.

Barcelona Trip – Year 8

'On the first day, after our plane landed, we spent 2 hours at the beach. We played lots of fun ball games and skimmed stones. On the second day, we went to the Sagrada Familia; even though it is unfinished, it is magnificent and statuesque. After that, we went to the magic fountain show, which was full of exciting music with an amazing fountain changing colour and appearance.

We went to Gaudi Park Guell and the view was amazing. We all sat eating lunch and admiring the Gaudi monuments. When we saw the Olympic Stadium it was scarily empty, so we stared, imagining it full of people cheering for the athletes.



We were lucky enough to go to a flamenco show one evening, which was full of interesting music; some of the teachers even came up to the stage and danced! We also visited the Picasso museum and it was good to see the well-

known paintings by Picasso as well as more obscure works of art.

The Nou Camp: Barcelona's football stadium was gigantic. It also showed a more historical side of the team as well as the present day. The Poble Espan ol was one of my favourite parts; it is a secluded pretty village, full of old architecture. Las Ramblas was very busy but some of the stalls had many interesting fruits and vegetables. We had some time to buy souvenirs.

We would like to thank all of the teachers who gave up their holiday to make the trip so memorable.'

By Luke Rowe



School Show rehearsal – important info

A reminder that there is a school show rehearsal this Sunday (28th April) from 9:30am - 1:30pm at school (Teddington site).

All cast members are required to attend.

'Seussical the Musical' will take place on Monday 10th and Tuesday 11th June at the Mall School Theatre in Twickenham. We look forward to seeing you there.

MENSA Puzzle

A family have been stuck in bank holiday traffic for the last four hours.

In the first hour, they covered two fifths of their total journey.

The next hour they covered one third of what was left.

The following hour they covered one quarter of the remainder, and in the fourth hour half of the remaining distance.

The family still have 20 miles left to travel.

How many miles have they travelled so far?

Music Success!

Congratulations to the following students on their fantastic achievements:

Jack Haslam – Grade 4 Merit Classical Guitar

Toby Reid – Grade 2 Merit Jazz Piano

Ben Hall – Grade 5 Merit Classical Guitar

Tom Delaney – Grade 8 Piano



Calling all budding artists!

