

NEWSLETTER

Friday 27th May 2022

Headteacher Message

Dear Parent/Carer

It is hard to believe we are at the end of the first half of the summer term already. It has been a really busy few weeks but I am delighted with the progress we have made as a school community.

There is no doubt that Half Term 6 will be just as busy. We have a range of events taking place such as Festival of Sport and the first of our open events for the 2023 Year 7 cohort. The GCSE examinations will be continuing and the KS3 and Yr10 examinations will be starting.

I am also pleased to be able to inform you today that the building works which were derailed by the pandemic are now due to take place over the coming weeks. Leaders at school are working hard to ensure that there will be minimal disruption during this time. Providing there are no issues with the works, this will mean our pupils and staff will return to 8 new traditional classrooms at the start of the next academic year.

I hope you enjoy a restful half term break and enjoy the Jubilee Bank Holiday.

V. Gowan

Miss V. Gowan
Headteacher



Victoria Gowan
Headteacher

This week's puzzle...

Numeracy Puzzle

Last week's answer...

Can you find the value of each symbol in the multiplication grid below:

			3
2			
		25	
	48		



$$888 + 88 + 8 + 8 + 8 = 1000$$

$$(888-8) + 8*(8+8) - 8 = 1000$$

$$(8(8(8+8)-(8+8)/8))-8 = 1000$$

$$(8888-888)/8 = 1000$$



Mrs Holme
Head of
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Mr Wynne
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Mrs Greaves
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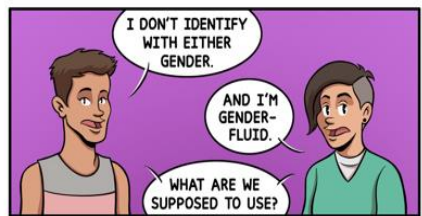
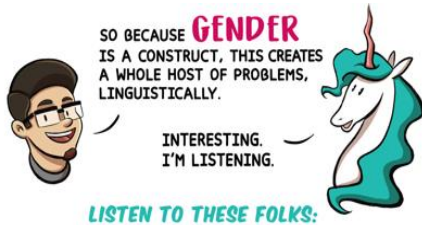


Mrs Ellis
Deputy
Headteacher

Our Year 10 pupils have enjoyed learning about Latin American culture including El Chapo and Fidel Castro. Their Spanish knowledge of the imperfect tense has flourished and their self-belief is continuing to grow. Well done Year 10!

KS4

Our Year 11 pupils have engaged really well in the final phase of their learning journey and have shown immense resilience. The Department would like to congratulate pupils on their progress in both Spanish and German. ¡Enhorabuena!



WELL, HERE WE GO...

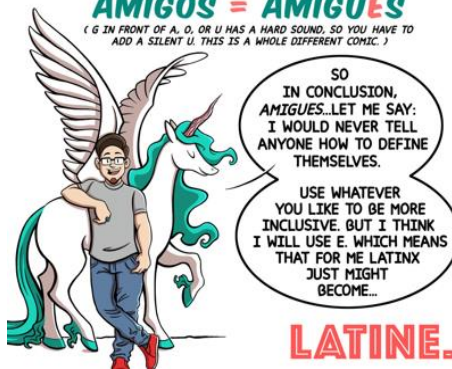
IT ROLLED OFF THE TONGUE! AND WHILE JOHNNY SAID HE'S BEEN CRITICIZED FOR USING "E," I FELT LIKE HE'D GIVEN ME SUCH A GREAT GIFT!
BESIDES, THERE'S ALWAYS GONNA BE HATERS. REMEMBER WHAT RUPAUL SAID:



PERSONALLY, I LIKE USING THE **E**. IT MAKES:

AMIGOS = AMIGUES

(G IN FRONT OF A, O, OR U HAS A HARD SOUND, SO YOU HAVE TO ADD A SILENT U. THIS IS A WHOLE DIFFERENT COMIC.)



The ever-growing popularity of Gender Inclusive endings in Spanish

The Robots have landed at LDA!

There are tiny robots, giant robots, spotty robots, even a robot with a plastic duck inside it! Our Year 7 pupils have been amazingly creative making some of the best robots we have ever seen at LDA!

Even more impressive was listening to our pupils presenting their robots to the class using their superb Spanish skills!

Who can translate some of their fantastic sentences? If you can translate these into English, see Mrs Jamieson in S32 for a prize!

- Tiene cinco años y vive en Huyton.
- Le chifla su insti ya que es emocionante.
- Su asignatura favorita es el español ya que es flipante.

¿Cómo era Cuba en los años sesenta?

L.O.: To apply the imperfect tense



- DNA: En la foto:
- Trabaja en la granja
 - Lleva gafas y un sombrero
 - Vive en el campo

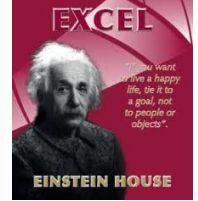
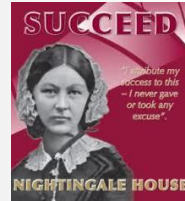
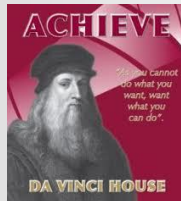
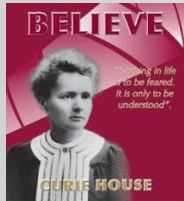
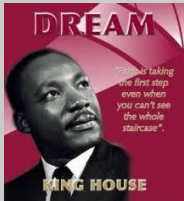
English	Spanish
Hilda me llamó. Siempre. Era tan dulce.	
Me acordaba de cuando me enseñaba, del	
hermoso apartamento en el centro que yo	
quería porque estaba en la zona del teatro y	
tenía una gran terraza. Siempre me gustaba	
porque me gustaba estar allí. Siempre me	
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Pupil Parliament

This week Pupil Parliament members met on Tuesday to decide on what they will be focusing on next term.

Discussions were also held in regards to a leadership qualification pupils will be able to take part in.



Maths exam dates

Paper 1 – Friday 20th May
 Paper 2 – Tuesday 7th June
 Paper 3 – Monday 13th June

All papers are one hour and a half. Year 11 pupils have been given a bespoke report showing what topics they need to revise.

Additional after school revision sessions have been recommended to all pupils, as well as the following Saturday mornings **9.30 am to 12.30: Saturday 4th June and Saturday 11th June**

Year 11 Exam timetable

w/c		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
6 th June	AM	6 Child development German	7 Mathematics 2	8 English Literature 2	9 History	10 English Language 2
	PM		Geography		Combined science Physics	GCSE PE
13 th June	AM	13 Mathematics 3	14 Geography	15 Combined science Biology	16 History	17 Spanish
	PM	Business	Statistics	Design Tech		Astronomy
20 th June	AM	20 Combined science Chemistry	21 History	22 Music	23 Combined science Physics	24 Statistics
	PM	Food and nutrition	Dance			
27 th June	AM	27	28 Astronomy	29	30	1 st July
	PM					