

Coppice Academy Newsletter

13th January 2023



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Dates:

17/02/23

School closes for Half Term

27/02/23

School reopens after Half Term

31/03/23

School closes for Easter Holidays

17/04/23

School closed for Inset Day

18/04/23

School reopens after Easter Holidays

01/05/23

School Closed for May Bank Holiday

08/05/23

School Closed for Bank Holiday

26/05/23

School closes for Half Term

05/06/23

School reopens after Half Term

21/07/23

School closes for Summer holiday at 1.30pm

Student Passports

Student Passports for Spring 2023 were sent home with your child on Thursday. Please sign the passport and return to school as soon as possible.



Reminder Covid Vaccinations

Just a reminder that the Immunisation Team will be visiting the Academy on Tuesday 17th January 2023.



Student Successes

All of our students completed a reading age test in September, and were re-tested at the start of this term. A whopping 62.5% have improved their reading age on this test (60 students). Of these, 32% have improved by up to 1 year, 33% by 1-2 years and 17% by 2-3 years. 4 students saw an improvement of 3-4 years, 2 of whom improved by 4 years 4 months and 4 years 6 months respectively. In addition, 5 students who were previously unable to access the test in September now have a reading age.

Thank you for your continued support with your child's reading, particularly in the way you encourage students to read at home using our Sora app.

Key Stage 4 English Presentations

Since the start of this term, students in Mrs Jones' Key Stage 4 English class have been preparing presentations on a topic of their choice for their spoken language component of GCSE English Language. This week each student stood up in front of the class and gave their presentation, which took a lot of guts! Topics included cricket, the FIFA World Cup, Cheshire Blades football team, the artist Sarah Graham, tornadoes, Formula 1, villains and Jenny Brennan School of Dance.

Well done everyone!



Rosewood and Birch Humanities lessons

On Tuesday in Humanities students in Rosewood and Birch experienced the story of Exodus and Passover. Students learnt about the 7 plagues and the significance of the Passover meal and how it reminds Jewish people about the time they were enslaved in Egypt. Students tried different foods like bitter herbs, horseradish, parsley and salt water and took part in using the lamb bone to paint the entrance with 'blood' (ketchup).



Issue of the week

The week beginning 16th January we will be discussing the following Issue of the Week during tutor time.

Continue the conversation at home...

Is it okay for the Government to change its mind?

What **qualities** do you look for in a **successful leader**? Explain your answer.

Have you heard of any **other plans** the Government have made recently?

What **plans** would you make if you were in the **Government**? Explain your answer.

FRONTLINEdance - Breakthrou'dance sessions

FRONTLINEdance are running weekly Breakthrou'dance Groups that are inclusive, relevant and engaging dance sessions for all experiences and ages, including those new to dance (*please see flyer opposite*).

'Pay What You Can' - we ensure finance is not a barrier.

(Please note: Monday's sessions are at Tunstall Methodist Church)

Breakthrou'dance: JUNIORS (7-12yrs), YOUTH (13-18yrs) ADULT (18yrs+)

Breakthrou'dance, like all of our other participatory programmes, are facilitated in an inclusive way. This means that we consider each individual's ability level, how they process information, physicality, preferred communication methods, creativity, and previous experience.

We are flexible in our approach and often change pace and content when it's needed. We are led by the dancers in the groups, and work together to ensure that each person's voice is at the centre of what we do.

- 👉 Co-create dances with our Professional Dance Artists
- 👉 Meet New Friends 👉 Perform!
- 👉 Improve your Health and 👉 Well-Being 👉 ENJOY!

Breakthrou' FRONTLINE dance

Inclusive, relevant, and engaging dance sessions for all experiences, including those new to dance!

FRONTLINEdance is not only a place to dance, it's somewhere for you to thrive, enjoy yourselves, build enthusiasm, confidence, and make new friends.

Come and give it a go!



MONDAYS:

SWAN BANK CHURCH, BURSLEM

- Breakthrou'JUNIORS (7-12 year olds) 5.30pm - 6.15pm
- Breakthrou'YOUTH (13-18 year olds) 6.30pm - 7.30pm

THURSDAYS:

ST JOHNS CENTRE, TRENT VALE

- Breakthrou'ADULTS (18+) 2.45pm - 4.15pm
- Breakthrou'JUNIORS (7-12 year olds) 5pm - 5.45pm
- Breakthrou'ADULTS (18+) 6pm - 7.30pm



FRONTLINEdance offer a 'PAY WHAT YOU CAN' donation policy.

Please contact us for any further information, if you need support registering, or you have any questions you'd like us to answer:

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FRONTLINE dance TOGETHER ACTIVE
PERFORMANCE, HEALTH, COMMUNITY Staffordshire & Stoke-on-Trent

Register here:
<https://forms.office.com/r/asYauFdExB>

LUNCH MENU WEEK COMENCING 16TH JANUARY 2023

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
Available Daily: - Freshly cooked jacket potatoes with a choice of fillings - Bread freshly baked on site daily - Daily salad selection	Option 1	Cheese and Tomato Pizza with Wedges	Cheesy Beef Bolognaise Bake	BBQ or BBQ Quorn Fillet with Jollof Rice	Sticky Chicken Noodles	Fishfingers with Chips
	Option 2	Veggie Chilli with Rice	Veggie Sausage with Potato Wedges	Chicken or Quorn Fillet with Jollof Rice	Five Bean Vegetable Curry with Rice	Cheese Quiche with Chips
	Vegetables	Baked Beans	Green Beans Cauliflower	Mixed Peppers Peas	Broccoli Carrots	Mushy Peas Baked Beans
	Dessert	Marble Cake with Custard	Chocolate Cookie with Custard	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurt Station	Chocolate Shortbread with Custard	Apple, Cheese and Crackers
	Or a choice of Yoghurt & Fresh Fruit available daily					

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