

Coppice Academy Newsletter

27th 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

Class of 2022 Certificate of Achievement Evening



Last Wednesday we welcomed back the Class of 2022 to receive their hard-earned examination certificates. It was so lovely to see them, many for the first time since results day last August. We took individual "Graduation Photos" then Mrs Ahearn gave the welcome speech and Miss Watkin and Mrs Jones invited them each onto the stage to receive their accreditation certificates. All this was shared with staff and family members in the audience—a very emotional evening celebrating the successes of our amazing Coppice family.

Our leavers have gone on to several different Post-16 settings and a wider variety of courses this year including Life Studies, Vocational pathways, Motor Vehicle Technology, Public and Uniformed Services, Drama and ICT. After the certificates were handed out we took time to have a chat to them about their colleges, hobbies and new experiences since leaving as well as reminiscing about Coppice life. Some students were unable to attend and will need to contact the office to collect their certificates which cannot be posted out.



Basketball Match

On Friday 21st January the Coppice Academy went up against The Haven school for the second time this year, but this time in a basketball match.

After a brilliant game of basketball, The Haven school came out victorious with a prestigious win.

Throughout the game, the Coppice displayed long periods of possession and just struggled to make the most of their chances. Despite the unfortunate result, the Coppice team displayed exactly what the Academy is all about: working together extremely well, keeping up morale throughout the game, supporting each other and being respectful and supportive of the opposition.

Joel from the Coppice team, was chosen by The Haven schools PE coach as the teams man of the match due to his fantastic attacking prowess and his sportsmanship towards the opposition. It was an exciting game for all our students taking part.

The Coppice Academy hopes to have several exciting fixtures in the coming weeks including table cricket, football and basketball fixtures

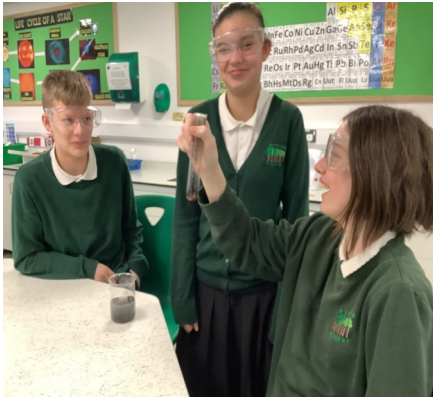


Forest School

This half term in Forest School we are practicing the skill of whittling. We are now hoping for dry weather so we can roast marshmallows on the campfire using our whittled roasting sticks.

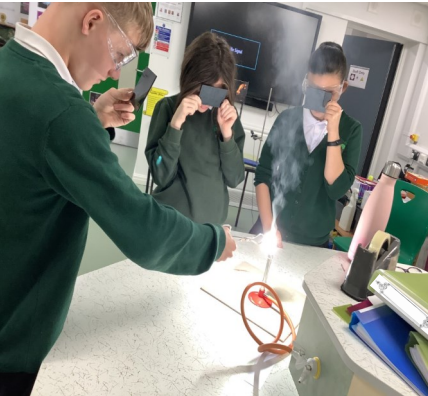
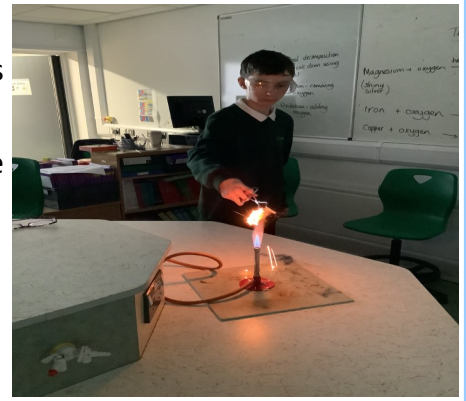


Cherry Science



In Science, Cherry class discovered different types of chemical reactions this week. They thermally decomposed copper carbonate, reduced copper oxide to copper metal, and oxidised magnesium to form magnesium oxide.

A fantastic lesson of investigation.



Rosewood Science

This week in Science Rosewood have discovered how some metals react with water. They have used the periodic table to find out the universal symbols used, make predictions whether metals will float or sink based on their atomic masses and used previous observations to make predictions if the metal will react by fizzing, setting on fire and releasing hydrogen gas.

Well done Rosewood!



Help Sheet

Need help & support?

To access the resources below, click the links (Ctrl + click) or enter the search terms into your browser.

For more information on this year's **Children's Mental Health Week** theme of "Let's Connect", visit [Place2Be's](#) website.

Search Term:
[Place2Be](#)

Search Term:
[Childline Mental Health](#)

Young people can talk through **any concerns** by contacting **Childline** anytime on **0800 1111**, or by visiting their website.

Shout is a free, private **text support service** available anytime for anyone in the UK. To start talking, **text "CONNECT" to 85258**.

Search Term:
[Shout Get Help](#)

Search Term:
[YoungMinds](#)

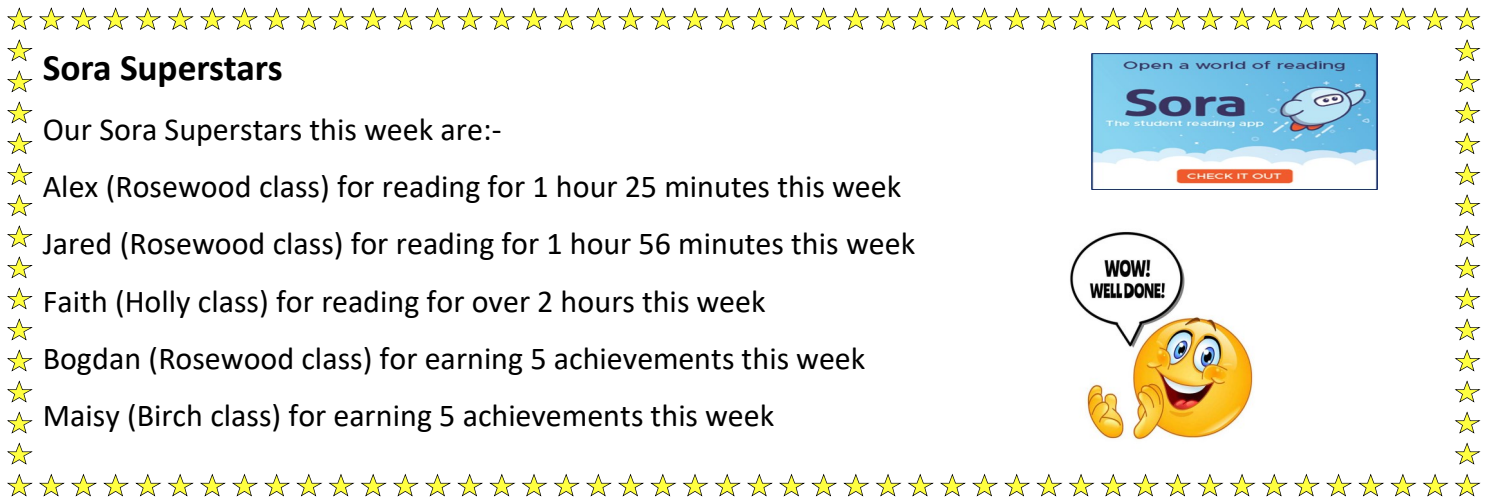
YoungMinds has a **free helpline for parents** available on **0808 802 5544** from Monday to Friday (9.30am-4pm).

The Mix have lots of tools available to support **under-25s** with their mental health. This includes **advice and discussion boards**.

Search Term:
[The Mix Get Support](#)

Search Term:
[BBC CMHW](#)

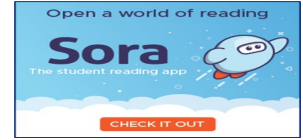
The **BBC** have created a collection of **videos** available for young people that **discuss mental health**.



Sora Superstars

Our Sora Superstars this week are:-

- ★ Alex (Rosewood class) for reading for 1 hour 25 minutes this week
- ★ Jared (Rosewood class) for reading for 1 hour 56 minutes this week
- ★ Faith (Holly class) for reading for over 2 hours this week
- ★ Bogdan (Rosewood class) for earning 5 achievements this week
- ★ Maisy (Birch class) for earning 5 achievements this week



Issue of the week

The week beginning 30th January we will be discussing the following Issue of the Week during tutor time.

Continue the conversation at home...

Are we getting better at recognising burnout?

What do you think are the most common signs of burnout?

Do you think that we talk about burnout enough? Explain your answer.

What changes could you make to prioritise rest in your life?

Safeguarding Contact Information
Staffordshire
First Response :0800 1313 126
Outside office hours: 0845 6042886
Stoke-on-Trent
Advice and Referral Team: 01782 235100
Outside office hours: 01782 234234
Cheshire East
Referral Team : 0300 123 5012 Option 2
Outside office hours: 0300 123 5022
Shropshire
Referral Team: 01743 254 259
Initial Contact Team: 0345 678 9021
Outside office hours: 0345 678 9040

LUNCH MENU WEEK COMENCING 30TH 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	Macaroni Cheese with Garlic Bread	Cajun Chicken with Rice	Sausage, Onions and Gravy with Roast Potatoes	Sausage Roll with Wedges	Fishfingers with Chips
	Option 2	Broccoli and Cheese Bake	Chickpea Tagine with Couscous	Cauliflower and Broccoli Cheese with Roast Potatoes	Vegetable Fajitas with Rice	Mexican Roll with Chips
	Vegetables	Peas Carrots	Broccoli Sweetcorn	Carrots Cauliflower	Baked Beans	Peas Baked Beans
	Dessert	Chocolate Cake with Custard	Jelly with Mandarins	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurt Station	Sponge Cake with Custard	Oaty Cookie with Custard
	Or a choice of Yoghurt & Fresh Fruit available daily					