



Heathfield Highlights

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CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL on their approach to Home Learning

Whether Year 7 or Year 13, Heathfield students have been phenomenal in their approach to Home Learning. Whether on Teams or through Zoom, students have been resilient and committed to their learning. They have also been honest and open about when they have found it difficult or lacked motivation. This is such a useful skill and will pave the way to a hugely successful return. The commitment and effort they are willing to show (even when it is hard) to the return to lessons will be enhanced by the honesty in saying when and how they need help. This makes us very proud of them; it is a sign of real personal growth and maturity.

SPECSAVERS WINTER GAMES

Team Heathfield were actively involved in this county-wide competition, which saw Sussex School Games: The Winter Games taking part from over 220 schools. From week one to week two, we saw more Heathfield students involved in the challenges, which kept us in 7th position out of 68 secondary schools for our participation numbers. During the half term week, Team Heathfield surpassed the 7th position and increased their involvement to be in 3rd place on the Spirit of the Games Leaderboard for the Ice Rink Sports. A massive achievement to all that took the time to take part. Well done and thank you.



Speccavers 'Virtual' Sussex School Games: The Winter Games
Ice Rink Sports
Secondary School: Spirit of the Games Leaderboard

Ranking	School	SGO Area Team
1	Cowton Church of England High School for Girls (Worthing)	Southern Sharks
2	St Oscar Romero Catholic School (Worthing)	Southern Sharks
3	Heathfield Community College (Heathfield)	North Walsden Warriors
4	The Regis School (West Sussex)	West Sussex West Wolverines
5	Shoreham Academy (Shoreham-by-Sea)	Southern Sharks
6	Oriel High School (Crawley)	Crawley Cougars
7	St Richard's Catholic College (Bexhill-on-Sea)	Hastings & Rother Leopards
8	Inberthome School (East Grinstead)	Mid Sussex Panthers
9	Beacon Academy (Crawborough)	North Walsden Warriors
10	Palcham High School (Brighton)	Brighton & Hove Hawks
11	Battle Abbey School (Battle)	Hastings & Rother Leopards
12	Tanbridge House School (Horsham)	Central Sussex Dolphins
13	Fairlinton School (Horsham)	Central Sussex Dolphins
13	The Burgess Hill Academy (Burgess Hill)	Mid Sussex Panthers
13	Uckfield College (Uckfield)	North Walsden Warriors
16	Longhill High School (Brighton)	Brighton & Hove Hawks
16	St Wilfrid's Catholic Comprehensive School (Crawley)	Crawley Cougars

VIRTUAL VISIT FROM AUTHOR

ALL of Year 7 and 8 were given the opportunity to hear from a hugely popular teen author, Chris Bradford. Year 7 and 8 students were amazed that an MS Teams meeting could hold so many people at once and they contributed brilliantly to Chris' interactive session, both asking insightful questions and answering the questions that he put to them.

Our library has plenty of Chris Bradford's books. He is best known for his *Young Samurai* series but spoke to students about his new series of *Bodyguard* books yesterday. We have both series in the library for students to borrow.



SOHCC PRE-LOVED UNIFORM

Please check the website for details of Pre-loved Uniform if you need it when College re-opens:

www.heathfieldcc.co.uk/parents/uniform



Y9 MATHS CHALLENGE

52 Year 9 Maths students participated in the Remote Intermediate Maths Challenge. Results are yet to be released, but participation was the highest we have ever had from a single year group.



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THE VINE

Student journalists and staff members from all across the school have collaborated on a special Lockdown Comfort issue of *The Vine*, sharing pictures of our furry friends with captions and stories to make you smile. There are also excellent articles on other sources of comfort, from snowfall and sea-swimming to scrapbooking or the joys of a good novel or computer game.

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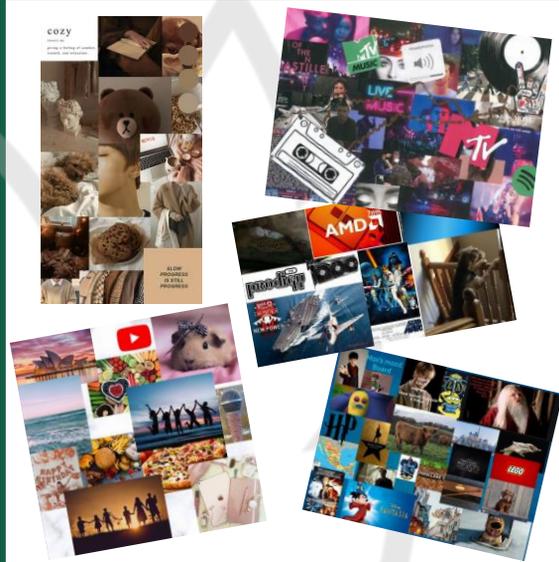
CADE WIN MOOD BOARD CHALLENGE

Students reflected on the things that bring them happiness and put these ideas together to create a mood board.

The designs were quite diverse but some recurring themes included: food, pets, music, films and sporting activities.

The level of creativity was excellent and students showed a real eye for design in their work. All entrants gained House Points for engaging in the challenge.

Well done to everyone who got involved!



¿Cómo se debería proteger el medio ambiente? How can we protect the environment?

Y11 Spanish students who have been studying the topic of the environment (el medio ambiente) have designed posters to encourage everyone to protect our planet. Can you find the following suggestions in the two posters 'save energy,' 'recycle plastic,' 'plant trees' and 'travel by bicycle'? #EcoLockdown



Jessica Blackhurst



Nicholas Yoannou

Can you distinguish Ruby from a native Spanish speaker?

Click on Ruby's picture to listen to her wonderful Spanish as she engaged in a Speaking task at the end of Term 3.



BOOK RECOMMENDATION

The first book of this Trilogy, 'The Knife Of Never Letting Go',



introduces Todd, a 13-year-old boy with a troubled back story. He lives in Prentisstown and there is a very peculiar feature about the men in his town: everyone can hear each other's thoughts.

Following Todd's journey in this dangerous, dramatic world will have you begging your parents to buy the two sequels from the moment you devour its final page! Go on, what are you waiting for?!