

COLASP WEEKLY BULLETIN



TOP MERIT WINNERS



A HUGE CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL THE STUDENTS LISTED BELOW:

1ST	2ND	3RD
Koldas, Ada -7	Kaur, Mya - 7	Sanders, Anna- 7
Head-Ilias, Paula -8	Yun, Louis- 8	Dholey, Abdul- 8
Cinik, Efe- 9	McDonagh, John- 9	Beaton, Harry-John- 9
Hamilton, Tillique- 10	Johnson, Victoria- 10	Sankoh, Ishmail- 10
Swaby, J'Jay - 11	Ahmet, Idriz -11	Davis, Jaiden- 11

ATTENDANCE WINNERS

W/C 23RD SEPT 2024



GOLD

7AL & 7CW-
100%



SILVER

7AG- 99.1 %



BRONZE

7WA- 98.6

EVERYDAY COUNTS



We cannot emphasise enough the importance of your child's attendance at school for their achievement. Our attendance target for every child is a minimum of 97% attendance because evidence shows that students who miss school, miss out on achieving the GCSE results they are capable of. Consistent attendance ensures that they don't miss out on valuable instruction, critical interactions, and essential building blocks for academic success. We appreciate your support in making sure your child is present and ready to learn every day.

APPOINTMENTS

- Appointments should be made outside of school hours where possible.
- Only half a day will be authorised for most appointments.
- If an appointment has to be taken during school hours, parents/carers must inform us before the appointment date or in the morning before 8.40 am.
- Please also let us know what time the student will be in school after the appointment or what time they have to leave.
- Students in Years 7-10 must be picked up from school if they have to leave early for an appointment.
- Students can only leave for an appointment if the parent/carer has informed us beforehand.
- Parents/carers must provide proof of appointments - Proof examples: a screenshot of the appointment email or message, a letter from the GP/Dentist, or an appointment card. The student can bring this to hand into reception on arrival from an appointment, or it can be emailed to attendance.

ABSENCES

Parents/Carers must inform us before 8.40am every day their child is absent: please include full name, tutor group and details of the reason for absence. The child cannot call to report themselves absent.

If the student will be absent for an extended period of time; e.g. due to illness or surgery recovery; parents/carers must provide evidence of advice from the doctor that states the amount of time the student will be off school.

PUNCTUALITY

- Students are expected to be in school before 8.37am, at which time they should be lining up for Period 1.
- If a student arrives when the gate has closed, they are late for school and will receive a punctuality detention.
- Registers close at 9.15am - if a student arrives late, after 9.15am, they will be marked with an unauthorised absence mark. This will affect the child's attendance.

Detentions will be set for the following day after the student is late If they are Late for...

...the 1st time that term : **Yellow (20 minutes)** detention the next day

...the 2nd time that term : **Amber (40 minutes)** the next day

...the 3rd time that term : **Red (80 minutes) the next day**

...more than 3 times that term: Every time the student is late after the 3rd time they will receive a Red detention the next day.

Additional Studies:

Round 1 has begun. Activities linked to each area of the city experience:

Creative Arts
 Careers
 Linguistic Sessions
 Sports

Origami	Baking	Greek	Fitness (Weights and Circuits)
Dominoes	Graphic design	Beginners Mandarin	E-Sports
Acting - Stage Combat & Greek Theatre	Gardening	Beginners Russian	Badminton
Dance	Journalism	Latin/Mythology	Running
COLASP Jazz Singers	Need for Speed - Fast Cars	French	
Art & Design - Group 1		Catalan	
Art & Design - Group 2			
3D Computer Modelling			

AWARDS CEREMONY

AT THE AWARDS CEREMONY LAST THURSDAY THE STUDENTS CELEBRATED EACH OTHER WITH A POSITIVE ATTITUDE AND A LOVELY ATMOSPHERE.

**THERE WAS AWARDS FOR ACHIEVEMENT IN THE CATEGORIES OF ATTAINMENT AND PROGRESS FOR EVERY SUBJECT .
AWARDS FOR CHARACTER FOR OUR VALUES OF HONESTY, RESILIENCE AND TOLERANCE
PRINCIPAL'S AWARD GIVEN TO ELSA CLISSIT WHO WORKED INCREDIBLY HARD TO ACHIEVE ELEVEN GRADE 9S AT GCSE.**

BOYS NATIONAL CUP FIXTURE



Congratulations to our year 9 boys football team on a great win against Mulberry secondary school 6-0. Well done boys!

SIXTH FORM

YEAR 12

Our new Y12 students have made an excellent start with many staying behind after school every day working hard and taking advantage of the support available. A reminder for all that they are welcome to stay until 17:30 every day. For any queries, please get in touch with Y12 ATL Mr Barrie: j.barrie@shoreditch.cola.org.uk

Y13 have hit the ground running and have shown a huge shift in attitude - where year 12 was about gaining UCAS-valuable experiences, year 13 is pure academic focus. Personal statements are coming along well for most with deadlines fast approaching. Please ask to read their work and give support where able.

ASSESSMENT POINT 1: Year 13 have their first assessments of the year in the week beginning 7th October. Please support them with their studies by checking in, asking them to show you their revision timetables and homework, and making sure they aren't getting distracted at home by their phones, TVs, or games consoles!

SENDCO

If you think your child might have SEND, you should first contact their teachers to find out more about your child's attainment and progress. If your child's teacher has further concerns, they will make a referral to the Special educational needs and disabilities coordinator.

Support your child can receive:

Your child may be eligible for the following:

SEN support - support given in school, like speech therapy

An education, health and care (EHC) plan - a plan of care for children and young people aged up to 25 who have more complex needs

Parents can send any documents/referrals directly to the SEN department.
send@shoreditch.colasp.org.uk

BEHAVIOUR

The Behaviour Team provides daily support with parental enquiries about behaviour and detentions. To discuss your queries, please call the Academy on [020 3011 2162](tel:02030112162) and select Option 3; alternatively, you can email the behaviour team to support on behaviour@shoreditch.colasp.org.uk

SAFEGUARDING

With the new school year upon us, Kooth is here to support your child's mental health throughout the year. We know that the start of the academic year can cause anxiety for some, so this month, we're featuring this guide for managing back-to-school or college anxiety here.
The City of London Academy Shoreditch Park Safeguarding Team
If you have any concerns about a child's welfare or safety, please speak to a member of the school's safeguarding team.

Mr Ian Wright— Designated safeguarding Lead (DSL) - i.white@shoreditch.colasp.org.uk

**Ms Harriet Duthie / Ms Tamsin Addy - Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead (DDSL)
h.duthie@shoreditch.colasp.org.uk , t.addy@shoreditch.colasp.org.uk**

OPEN MORNING/ EVENING

THURSDAY 10TH OCTOBER

4:30PM- 7PM

OPEN EVENING



**CITY OF LONDON ACADEMY
SHOREDITCH PARK**



OPEN EVENING
THURSDAY 10TH OCTOBER
NO BOOKING REQUIRED

OPEN MORNING
FRIDAY 11TH OCTOBER
PLEASE CONTACT THE ACADEMY

020-3011-2162 ENQUIRIES@SHOREDITCH.COLA.ORG.UK



FRIDAY 11TH OCTOBER

9:45-11:45

OPEN MORNING

**Please email enquiries with your contact details
to book a place.**

KEY DATES & CONTACTS

AUTUMN TERM DATES 2024

Weds 2nd October (5.30 - 6.30) - Y11 GCSE Parent Information Evening

Tuesday 8th October (5 - 5.30) - Y10 DofE Virtual Parent Information Evening

10th October – Open evening

11th October – Open morning

26th October - Pastoral day

28th October- 1st November - Half term

29th November- School closed

19th December- Last day of term

HEADS OF YEAR CONTACT DETAILS

Year 7 - a.iloanya@shoreditch.cola.org.uk

Year 8 - m.mcvey@shoreditch.cola.org.uk

Year 9 - l.rowlands@shoreditch.cola.org.uk

Year 10- j.mayes@shoreditch.cola.org.uk

Year 11 - w.bratcliffe@shoreditch.cola.org.uk

If you have any questions or concerns, you must always contact your child's head of year in the first instance.



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