

Cambridge School Weekly Newsletter

Friday 20th October 2023

Dear Parent/Carer,

We have been celebrating Black History Month in school this October and the curriculum has been enriched and enhanced accordingly. Peche Petrie has been responsible for creating some inspirational displays to educate, motivate and stimulate our students and the kitchen staff conjured up a Caribbean feast on Wednesday which tantalized our taste buds and made us all satisfied!

Students have been studying important texts such as Martin Luther King's rousing "I Have a Dream" speech and producing their own contemporary versions. I was particularly impressed by Year 11 Armstrong student Liam Passmore's text which is powerful and persuasive:

I Have a Dream

That one day young boys and girls can walk down the road not scared for their life

I Have a Dream

That young teenagers don't have to risk going to prison or being killed just so they feel safe walking to school in the morning.

I Have a Dream

That people show common decency to one another. To live in dignity and peace. I have a dream...

I Have a Dream

That if we all collectively stand up without a doubt, I believe we can end knife crime together.

I hope that you were as impressed and moved as I was by this high impact piece of writing. I have a dream... that all of our students can achieve similar feats if they are focused and determined. I have a dream... that Cambridge students believe in themselves and show pride in their work. The dream can be realized. This has been a very positive first half term as students have settled into good learning attitudes and habits.

I wish you all a wonderful half term.

Yours sincerely,

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Alan Campbell,

Head Teacher

Stars Of The Week



Our Star Of The Week this week is Ebony for her consistent calm and professional approach when dealing with very challenging students.

100% Student Attendance Award





Robert

Jessica

Outstanding Behaviour Award





Anthony

Kian

Achieving Individual Targets Award

Kacper



Important Dates

October Is Black History Month

23rd – 27th Oct: Half Term

Students return to school: 30th Oct W/C 6th Nov: Year 7s EHCPs begin W/C 13th Nov: Anti-Bullying Week & Book Fair Week 17th Nov: Children In Need

13th Nov: World Kindness Day
W/C 20th Nov: Road Safety Week
29th Nov: Parents Evening
30th Nov: World Science Day
1st Dec: International Day Of Disabled Persons
14th, 15th & 18th Dec: Drop Down Days
19th Dec: Talent Show
20th Dec: Christmas Jumper Day & Christmas Lunch
21st Dec: End of term, School finishes at 1pm



97%

Akala Class



89%



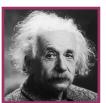
Attendance: Week Ending 13th October 2023:

Armstrong Class 63%



Bevan Class

87%



Einstein Class

94%



Farah Class

72%

93%



Obama Class 96%



Rashford Class 86%



Rowling Class 76%



Turing Class 95%



Wilberforce Class 85%



Wiltshire Class 91%



Akala Class!

House Competition.

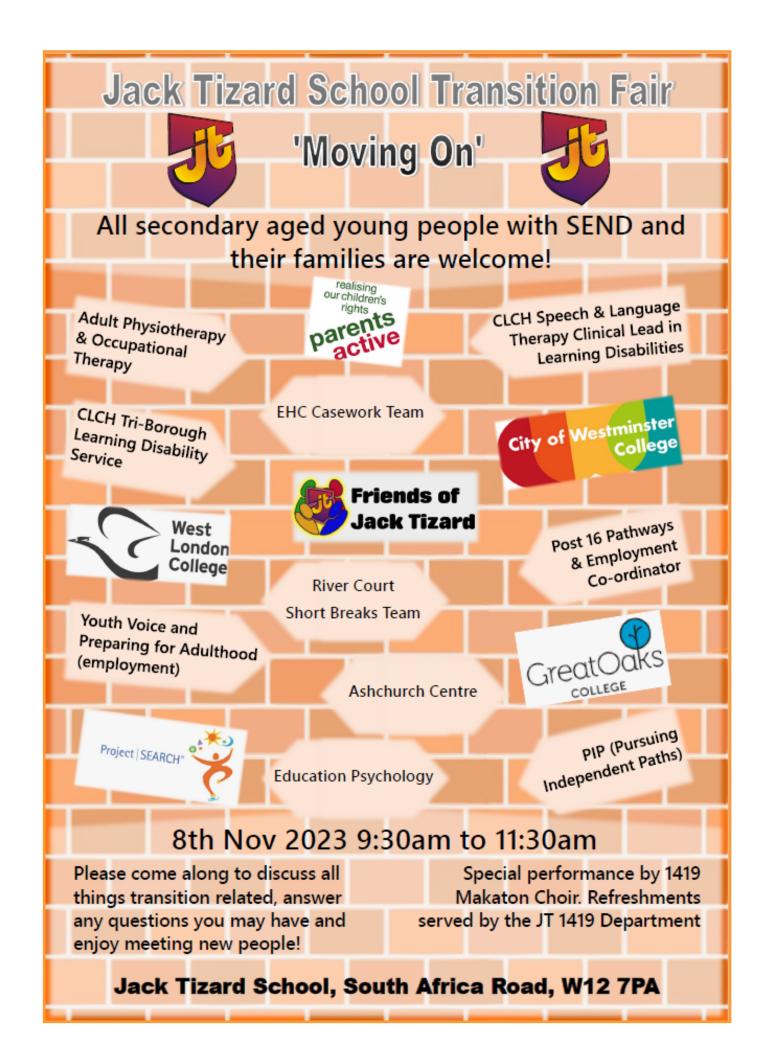
Points are awarded for good work and good behaviour, and can be earned for winning competitions



Franklin Class

73%

Nightingale Class





Join us at our monthly evening webinars!

We support parents, carers and school staff to feel confident when supporting children and young people with their mental health and emotional wellbeing.

