

School Headlines

Start of Term

We are delighted with the positive start that pupils have made to academic year 2024-25. Year 7 pupils have settled in well to our school community and Year 11 pupils are showing the commitment required to have a very positive and successful final year at Central Lancaster High School.

Our new school day is showing improved punctuality to the school day and the bus is delivering pupils on time! Thank you to all parents for your support of your child in preparing for the academic year ahead, do not hesitate to contact your child's House Tutor if you have any questions or concerns.

Reading Assessments

All pupils in years 7-10 will be taking a National Group Reading Test (NGRT) in the week beginning 16th September. These tests are online and are carried out each year with pupils. We use the information provided to help identify any pupil who may need additional support with their reading and plan an appropriate intervention for them. If we feel that your child would benefit from a reading intervention, we will contact you prior to the intervention starting. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us at the school.

Upcoming Events

W/C 16th September NGRT reading assessments Year 7-10

Wednesday 18th September Year 11 Information Evening 6-7pm

Wednesday 25th September

Year 9 Duke of Edinburgh Launch 6-7pm

Friday 27th September Macmillan cake sale

Thursday 3rd October

Year 7 Meet the House Tutor 5-7pm Year 10 Information Evening 6-7pm

Wednesday 16th October Opening of the new building community event

Friday 18th October School closes at 3:30pm for half term

Extra-Curricular Fair

Thank you to Miss Lilley and Mrs Spence who organised a superb extracurricular fair in the hall on Friday lunchtime. It allowed pupils to see what's on offer to all pupils at lunch time and after school this term and reminders are shared weekly in the Monday form time presentation.

Taking up a club gives pupils the confidence and ability to have a go at a new skill and make cross-year-group friendships. We are lucky to be able to offer our pupils a variety of clubs including DT club, community club, football, rugby and DJ club.

Our club loyalty card will be shared with pupils next week so that pupils receive additional rewards for their regular attendance.

We look forward to seeing lots of pupils in attendance at our clubs this week.







KS4 Notices

Year 11 Website Page

Please take time to regularly visit our dedicated Year 11 website page with can be found by here. This is regularly updated and will be where the most up to date information can be found regarding a range of aspects such as:

- An overview of key dates in the year
- The parent information evening
- Examination timetables
- Guidance on what to revise, how and when in each subject area
- Links to online revision packages

Please regularly check this website page.

Year 11 Mock Examinations

Our first set of Mock examinations will begin on Monday 28th October and last for two weeks. We will shortly be publishing guidance for pupils on how they can effectively prepare for their examinations on our dedicated Year 11 school website page. This guidance will be given to pupils in lessons along with specific support materials which will include revision guides purchased by the school for each child. Please support your child to revise at home for these examinations at home using the guidance and support materials they are given. Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us at the school.

Year 11 Parent Information Evening

We will be holding our first information evening for Year 11 parents/carers on Wednesday 18th September at 18:00. The purpose of the evening will be to support Year 11 parents/carers to understand when key events such as the mock examination period and revision classes will be taking place. In addition, we will demonstrate how our online packages can be accessed by pupils and how they as parents and carers can best support their child to effectively prepare for their end of KS4 examinations. We strongly encourage all parents/carers to attend, light refreshments will be available as you enter the hall. Key staff working with Year 11 will be available and we are happy to have discussions with parents at the end of the presentation.



Thank you to all pupils who supported our fantastic open evening on Thursday, the evening was a huge success with families queuing down the road to get in to see our fabulous school.

Our pupils were our best ambassadors, kindly showing families round the school and answering questions or supporting in departments. Thank you to all!

Pupil Success

Year 7 Success	A huge thanks and congratulations to Hollie W, Dylann F and Gracie D for your confident and articulate speech to parents at Open Evening on Thursday. A strong start to life at Central Lancaster High School - well done. Congratulations to Awab H, Lana F, Ollie B, William M and Bryan O for being top of the ClassCharts positive score board in week 1 and to Bithiah M, Gracie D, Mason E, Lexi J and Bryan O (again) for their success in week 2.
Year 8 Success	Rwa A for demonstrating community spirit by helping a student who was upset in school. Congratulations to Sam B, Alice B, Isaac A, Juliet B and Raw A for being top of the ClassCharts positive score board in week 1 and to Ewan P, Lexi L, Oakley F, Lyra B and Michael S for their success in week 2.
Year 9 Success	 Brooke G for supporting a new Year 7 pupil during week 1 – great display of our community value! Poppy T and Amelia D for supporting a supply teacher in their PE lessons. Thank you for representing our school so well. Lilly D, Daisy D, Eliza T and Ava G for showing excellent leadership skills in PE, by coaching teams. George B for a fantastic start to Year 9 - seeing you helping at open evening was wonderful! Kameron E for showing resilience and coming to school despite an injury last week. Daisy D for a much improved start to Year 9 - I am really pleased Daisy, keep it up! Nevaeh E for a great start to Year 9 with improved attendance - 100% so far, well done!
Year 10 Success	Oliver G for a superb start to GCSE maths – well done Oliver, keep it up! Sophie A for persevering with HCF & LCM last week – you got there, we knew you could do it! Callum P for showing creativity by coming up with a solution to resolve an issue in school. Sophie A and Lexie H for welcoming and supporting new pupils to our school community. Freya P for a creative and confident performance to parents at Open Evening, well done.
Year 11 success	Gabriel L & Matthew D for a fantastic start to your history in year 11! Showing the commitment needed to succeed, especially in Year 11. Layton M for a superb start to your final year in maths. Your contributions to discussion have been excellent and you have completed written tasks well – keep this up Layton! Jayden W who has finished top of Classcharts rewards points this week, showing fantastic commitment to your start in Year 11. Well done Jayden. Well done to Leah B for an excellent start to the year and for some considered responses in Life lessons so far this term.

House Success





Central's Care Code





Scan this code to share any bullying or safety concerns that you have.

Most Achievement Points Best Attendance