

## FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

### We can support with the costs of trips:

When a trip is advertised, please just email [s.curzon@cca.staffs.sch.uk](mailto:s.curzon@cca.staffs.sch.uk) who will ensure that the amount to be paid is reduced on Parent Pay.

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### Uniform:

We have tried hard to make sure that uniform is largely available from supermarkets and keeping the ties in school saves 50% from the uniform shops.

If you are struggling with the costs of branded compulsory uniform (blazers and PE tops) please email [s.curzon@cca.staffs.sch.uk](mailto:s.curzon@cca.staffs.sch.uk) to request support in the end of June ready for the next academic year.

Please note – this must be purchased for you and not reimbursed if you purchase.

## FREE SCHOOL MEALS

Around 20% of the pupils in the school are entitled to Free School Meals. As you should be aware; we use a thumbprint system in the canteen therefore those who are in receipt of free school meals do not have to do anything different to those who pay for meals.

The allocation gets you the main meal, a dessert and then drinks are available in cups as well.

If you think that your child may be entitled to Free School Meals, please have a look at the following link for information:

<https://www.staffordshire.gov.uk/Education/Educational-awards-benefits/FreeSchoolMeals/Apply-online.aspx>

## WHO'S WHO - PASTORAL

*(if you have questions about welfare)*

Head of KS2: Mr M Hodson

Head of Yr 7: Mrs E Miller

Head of Yr 8: Mr G Coulson

Pupil support: Mrs D Stangroom

SENCO: Mrs T Thorn

Assistant Principal: Behaviour and Welfare:  
Mrs H Dawson

Principal: Mrs T Thorn  
Pupil Premium Lead: Mr S Curzon

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## WHO'S WHO - ACADEMIC

*(if you have questions about curriculum)*

### Heads of department:

Art: Miss D Fares

Computing: Mr G Coulson

English: Mrs K Howard

French: Mrs S Taylor

Geography: Mrs J Croasdale

History: Mr S Pellington

Music: Mr K Harrison

PE: Mr C Bailey

PSHE: Mrs C Thomas

RE: Mrs L Nicholson-Ward

Science: Mrs E Miller

Technology: Miss L McKenzie



SENCO: Mrs Thorn

Assistant Principal: Teaching and Learning:  
Mrs L Nicholson-Ward

Principal / Curriculum: Mrs T Thorn  
Assistant Principal / Data: Mr S Curzon

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## WHAT ARE WE TRYING TO PROVIDE

### Teaching:

- Running like a secondary school with specialist teachers.
- Making sure that there are 6 sets in English and Maths in all years to help your child receive more appropriate teaching.
- A model of setting of 1,1,2,2,3,3 so that more pupils can reach for their true potential
- Interventions in English and Maths with CCA specialist staff throughout the year. Use of external tutoring three evenings a week
- Mixed Ability teaching groups.
- Embedding of new assessment and reporting systems – GREAT which are designed to be more accessible and understandable.
- Quality Teaching: Ensuring that all lessons are good or better.
- Funding of specialist resources such as Accelerated Reader and spag.com.
- Relentless focus upon recognition of 3R's.
- Assessment strategies in science structured to allow for the utilisation of alternative skills and inclusive assessment that focuses on multiple skill sets.

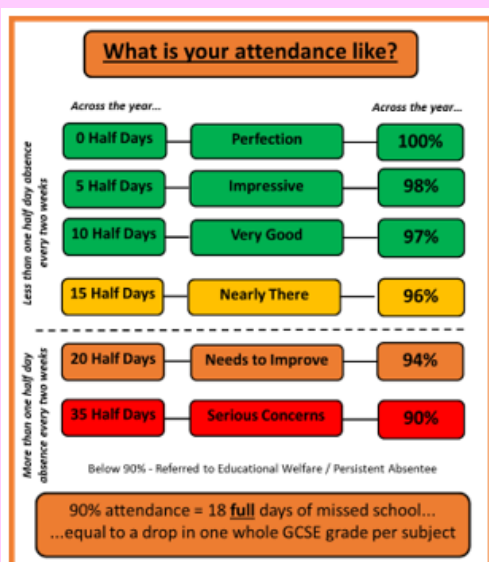
### Targeted Academic Support:

- Intervention for those in need.
- Creation of the CCA Excellence Programme.
- Pupil Welfare Officer (Mrs Stangroom) and Behaviour Support Officer (Mr Woodfield).
- Enhanced transition arrangements for those in need.
- Peer mentoring programme for KS2 pupils.
- Heads of Year in all Year Groups.

### Wider Strategies:

- Provision of branded uniform for those in need, re-gifting of pre-loved uniform for all.
- Reduction in cost of trips (for those in financial need) to enhance experiences of pupils in all years.
- A broad and comprehensive extra-curricular offer.
- Relentless focus upon attendance.
- Continued use of app and creation of Facebook pages to help parental engagement.
- Early Risers / After school home learning support.
- Young Minds Counselling service.
- Use of RADY principals to improve attainment.
- Bespoke lunchtime activities such as Gardening Club, Lego club.

## ATTENDANCE



## USEFUL LINKS

School website: [www.christchurchacademy.co.uk](http://www.christchurchacademy.co.uk)

Please contact the school for a log-in for your 'My Child at School' App.

X (Twitter): @CCASStone

Instagram: [cca.stone](#) [the.arts.cca](#) [cca\\_pe](#)

Facebook: [Christ Church Academy, Stone](#)

School email: [office@cca.staffs.sch.uk](mailto:office@cca.staffs.sch.uk)

School phone number: 01785 334900