



PARKLANDS BULLETIN

15th - 19th Jan 2024

Week 2



Principal's Message

Dear parents and carers,

It has been lovely to welcome back all of our students and staff after our Christmas holiday. We hope that everyone enjoyed the break and is now refreshed and ready for the year ahead. On Tuesday, we really enjoyed welcoming parents and carers into school for the Year 10 'Welcome to Key Stage 4' evening. This was then followed by online Progress Evening for Year 10 on Thursday.

Next week, Year 11s will receive their mock exam results, and Progress Evening for Year 11 will take place in school on Thursday. The Summer exams are beginning to feel much closer now for this year group, with some subjects already working on exam submissions and coursework projects.

Year 7 and 8 received their first BfL report of the year this week; we are delighted with the vast majority of our students who show an excellent attitude to learning in all of their lessons.

Today we welcomed children's author Susan Brownrigg into school to speak to a group of Year 8s. Everyone really enjoyed it, and thank you to our Librarian, Mr Johnston, for organising this.

Regards,

Mrs. Batson
Principal

Whole School Messages

We were saddened to receive the news over Christmas of the death of Ashley Clayton. Mrs Clayton worked at Gillibrand Primary school for a number of years as Deputy Headteacher and more recently Headteacher. As a school we have close links with Gillibrand and know that a lot of people within the Parklands community are also members of the Gillibrand community so will feel this loss. Ashley was a former pupil herself and always spoke fondly of her time at Parklands therefore when the opportunity to join the MAT came up this was something that she was very keen to do.

We would like to pass on our condolences to Ashley's family, friends and all within the Gillibrand community at this sad time. There will be a representation from school at the funeral next week and a donation to St Catherine's Hospice has been made as requested by the family.

School Uniform Standards - Please can I remind parents and pupils that make-up, jewellery, piercings, false eyelashes and nails are not part of our school uniform standards. Pupils will be asked to remove any items that aren't part of our policy. Please can I ask that as parents you help us to uphold our high standards by ensuring that pupils come to school in the correct uniform.

If any pupils have an issue with their uniform, we have additional uniform items that are available for loan. We strongly believe that the wearing of correct uniform and upholding of standards by all of our community leads to an equitable and calm learning environment. Mrs Haslam

YEAR 9 Immunisations - Just a quick reminder to return your completed Immunisation forms to school on Monday for the DTP/ACDY Immunisations that are taking place Tuesday, 23rd January. Any queries, please contact Intrahealth on 03333 583397 option 2, option 1.

YEAR 10 - We held a Welcome to Key Stage 10 evening on Tuesday 9th January. It was wonderful to welcome parents and carers into school and provide information about our GCSE and BTEC course structures, our expectations and support on offer, plus next step career advice and guidance.

Click on the link below for the presentation containing all the information from the evening.

[Welcome to Key Stage 4 Presentation](#). Click on the link for a guide on our approach to [Key Stage 4 StudySkills](#)

YEAR 11 - It's an important week ahead for Year 11.

On Tuesday afternoon they will attend their Mock Exam Results Day. We run this event in the same style as the actual GCSE results day in August, with every Year 11 receiving their results in a sealed envelope containing their mock results. We hope this experience enables our students to value its importance.

Following receipt of their results every Year 11 will have an individual review. We will discuss the results and offer advice and guidance on how to maximise progress in their remaining time at Parklands.

On Thursday 18th January we are holding Year 11 Progress evening in school. You will have received a separate email with details of how to book. We hope to see all parents and carers in this crucial, final year.

We can provide timely feedback on progress in all subjects and information on the wealth of support to enable the best possible outcomes.

Whole School Messages

(Year 7) Weekly discussion questions from the RS Department.

Current Unit - An Introduction to Judaism

Enquiry Question - What does it mean to be a Jew in the 21st Century?

1. Give 3 key facts about Judaism
2. What is the most important prayer in Judaism?
3. Why is Abraham important in Judaism?
4. What is the holy book in Judaism?



(Year 8) Weekly discussion questions from the RS Department.

Current Unit - The History of Christianity

Enquiry Question - Who was the real Jesus?

1. Give 3 key facts about Christianity
2. What is the Holy Trinity?
3. Do you think you have to go to church every week to be a good Christian?
4. Can you think of any stereotypes which exist regarding Christianity and Christians?



(Year 9) Weekly discussion questions from the RS Department.

Current Unit - An Introduction to Islam

Enquiry Question - Is it possible to be a 'good' Muslim living in Great Britain?

1. Give 3 key facts about Islam
2. What are the 2 main branches in Islam?
3. What does Tawhid mean? Why is this belief important to Muslims?
4. What does Risalah mean? Why is this belief important to Muslims?



Head Students' Page

Hello everyone,

We hope you all had a great Christmas break and New year. Hopefully, you have all made a good start to 2024 and are getting back into the routine of school!

We would also like to thank the amazing former Head Students for their contribution and we know that we have very big shoes to fill but we look forward to helping make this school the best it can possibly be!

Make sure to look out for any upcoming house competitions and get involved with any opportunities that come your way. We strongly believe that taking part in these activities can develop you as a person and with the huge variety of extra-curricular clubs at Parklands, there is something for everyone!

Josh, Tom, Amna and Matilda



Attendance matters!

The BITUP Attendance Trial second messages were sent this week.

Overall school attendance since September 93.6%

Overall school attendance for the week 95.4%

National Average since September - as at 18/12 - 86.6%

Attendance by House since September:

Australasia 94.2%

Asia 94.4%

Europe 94.1%

South America 94%

Africa 93.6%

Attendance by House since last week:

Australasia 96.9%

Asia 95.4%

Europe 95.3%

South America 96.1%

Africa 95.3%

Highest form attendance per House for the week:

Europe - Belgium 99.6%

Australasia - Marshall 100%

South America - Uruguay 99.1%

Asia - Japan 97.8%

Africa - Cabo Verde 100%

Whole School Messages

Perfect 3s

Excellent Behaviour for Learning goes hand in hand with achievement. It is an excellent indicator of how your child is performing in lessons. Who's had the Perfect 3 since we've been back?

Year 7: 78 pupils to date
Year 8: 56 pupils to date
Year 9: 55 pupils to date
Year 10: 49 students to date
Year 11: 74 students to date
All: 312 students

How many had the perfect 3 in the previous week?

Year 7: 196 pupils
Year 8: 153 pupils
Year 9: 153 pupils
Year 10: 136 students
Year 11: 180 students
All: 818 students

Please congratulate your child if they have the Perfect 3. All BfL scores can be seen in the Edulink app.

How many pupils have a BfL score of 2.99 - 3?

Year 7: 165 pupils
Year 8: 118 pupils
Year 9: 115 pupils
Year 10: 101 students
Year 11: 119 students
All: 618 students

Students, please click the link to see what clubs, trips and activities are happening in school [Parklands Bulletin](#)

Weekly Learning Support Board - please click [here](#)



Learning Support Board
Week Commencing
15th January 2024

These are the first pages of a
365-page book. Write a good one.
BRAD PAISLEY



LANCASHIRE LOCAL OFFER
Special Educational
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Lancashire

HAVE YOU HEARD THE NEWS?
We hope 2024 has started well for you all. DICKENS will be open as usual this week at break and lunchtime for those pupils needing a quiet space.. Come to N17 if you need to see a member of staff. Happy New Year!
Learningsupport@parklandsacademy.co.uk



Inspire Club Quiz



What natural surface is shown here at x10 magnification?
Last time's answer: True



Joke of the Week
What's the favourite time of in the farmyard?
Moo Year!

New Year's Resolution
Laugh a little louder
Smile a little wider
Rush a little less
Love a little deeper



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Useful Links

- ADDitude website
- Autism Eye
- Autism Parenting Magazine
- British Dyslexia Association
- The Communication Trust
- FIND Newsletter
- Lancashire SEND Partnership
- Headspace (Meditation & Sleep)
- KOOTH Mental Health Support
- Local Offer
- NHS Urgent Mental Health Helpline
- Witherslack Group

Whole School Messages

We raised a total of £325 for Derian House Children's Hospice over the festive season selling the Christmas Plushies and at our Christmas Market. This will help provide respite and end-of-life care to more than 400 babies, children and young people across the North West. Derian House do this 24 hours a day, seven days a week, They are never closed to those who need them. Thank you to everyone involved.



Like sport and PE but looking for a club to join? Click [Here](#)



We're looking forward to a new year of sporting challenges here at Parklands!

Whole School Messages

PE Update week beginning 8th January 2024

Happy new year! We hope everybody had a restful Christmas break and we are all ready to get back into sport at Parklands! Please make sure to look at the PE extra curricular timetable as some clubs may have changed and some new activities have been added. Also as the weather is cold please ensure you bring suitable warm clothing as lessons will still be on outside (PHS PE hoodies/leggings/tracksuit bottoms). NB if you do not have PHS outer gear, base layers may be worn under PHS shorts and T-shirts.

Y8 Boys Football Lancashire Cup - against Browndedge School Preston. A great team talk to start the match led to a stellar performance showing great team work and determination. A great 3-1 win which takes us through to the next round. Well done!



Talent Recognition Trip - A selection of Year 10 pupils from our talent recognition group were fortunate enough to attend a careers in sport event at Manchester United's Old Trafford. We are very fortunate to have opportunities like this for our pupils to experience.



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Parklands Trips 2024



Please find on link [here](#) the following slides all the trips with spaces available and running this year.

Please note some trips may require payments ASAP to catch up.

Please contact the member of staff on the slide for the specific trip for further details.

All the trips are dependant on good behaviour and attendance and pupils can be removed once on a trip for poor behaviour and attendance.

Please click [here](#) for the weekly menu and additional information.

Choose your favorite dish				
				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Meal Lasagna £1.90 (GF)	Main Meal Sausage, Yorkshire pudding veg & gravy £1.90	Main Meal Beef burger and wedges £1.90	Main Meal Chicken curry £1.90	Main Meal Beef tacos (GF) £1.90
Vegetarian option Lasagna £1.90	Vegetarian option Sausage, Yorkshire pudding veg and gravy £1.90	Vegetarian option Veggie burger & wedges £1.90	Vegetarian option Veg burritos £1.90	Vegetarian option Cheese & broccoli bake £1.90
Jacket Potatoes with various fillings	Jacket Potatoes with various fillings	Jacket Potatoes with various fillings	Jacket Potatoes with various fillings	Jacket Potatoes with various fillings
Grab & Go Sausage roll £1.15 Chicken wrap £1.90 Pizzini £1.90	Grab & Go Pizza £1.20 Chicken wrap £1.90 Herby Potato Cubes £1.20	Grab & Go Sausage roll £1.15 Chicken wrap £1.90 Pizzini £1.90	Grab & Go Cheese pastry £1.15 Panini £1.90 Meat an potato pie £1.15	Grab & Go Sausage rolls £1.15 Chicken wrap £1.90 Chicken strips £1.50



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www.parklandsacademy.co.uk
Email: admin@parklandsacademy.co.uk
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Finance and Payroll Assistant

Full time, Monday to Friday, Term Time only plus 1 week

Grade 5, scale points 6-11 £20,734.48 - £22,544.73 (£23,893 - £25,979 FTE).

Required as soon as possible.

Parklands High School is looking to appoint a reliable, flexible and well-motivated individual to join our existing finance team as a Finance and Payroll Assistant. The main duties are to support the busy finance team in the provision of an accurate and efficient finance service including the submission of payroll information. You will use practical and procedural knowledge and analytical skills to interpret and submit information and solve problems.

Experience is preferred but training will be given, however good ICT and Mail Merge knowledge will be beneficial, and with this in mind if you are interested in joining our team, it is important that your application reflects how you meet the criteria of our job/person specification.

Hours of work are 08.15 to 16.30 Monday to Thursday, with a 45 minute lunch break, and 08.15 to 15.45 on Friday with a 30 minute lunch break

Parklands High School is a popular and high-achieving school located in extensive grounds close to Chorley town centre and the founding school in the recently formed Aspirational Futures Multi Academy Trust. It is easily accessed from across the region and is located just a few minutes' drive from the M6/M61/M65 motorways. Staff benefit from on-site parking, use of the well equipped school gym as well as employer paid healthcare and access to the Cycle to Work scheme.

For more information about the role please email Mrs L Eaton, Finance and Core Services Manager, via leaton@parklandsacademy.co.uk. Candidates should complete an electronic application form, available from the school website, along with a letter of no more than 2 sides of A4, in which you outline your experience and suitability for the position. Electronic applications should be returned to the email address admin@parklandsacademy.co.uk

Closing date for applications: 12 noon Friday 26th January 2024 with interviews to be held Friday 2nd February 2024

Please note, we reserve the right to withdraw this vacancy at any time and regret we are unable to contact individual applicants who may be unsuccessful. Parklands High School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of its staff and pupils and expects those working at the School to share this commitment. Applications from ethnic minority candidates and other diverse groups are welcomed. The successful candidate will be required to undertake a criminal record check via the Disclosure and Barring Service as well as qualification and reference checks. Online checks will also be conducted on shortlisted candidates. Copies of our Recruitment and Selection policy are available from hr@aspirationalfutures.co.uk



FLAMENCO THEATRE TRIP

OPEN TO ALL Y9 AND GCSE SPANISH STUDENTS

WHEN

Thursday 14th
March. 6pm-
10:15pm.

WHERE

Preston Playhouse

ASK YOUR
PARENTS/ CARERS
TO CHECK THEIR
EMAIL ON
EDULINK

Cost: approx £50



Highfield
Neighbourhood
Centre
PR6 0SL

Clayton
Brook
community
Centre
PR5 8HL

Duke Street
Family Hub
PR7 3DU

Clayton
Green
Library
PR6 7EN

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See reverse
for more
information

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olds & parents /carers

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your family!**

Whole School Messages



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Search for "Chorley Family Zone"



DELIVERING EARLY HELP

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Useful Numbers

NHS Dentist Helpline -0300 311 2233	Mind matters - 01772 773437
Community Midwives -01257 245193	Children's Social Care 0300 123 6720
Health Visitors- 0300 247 0040	Food Bank Chorley- 01257 260050
Royal Preston Hospital - 01772 716565	Woman's Centre Chorley- 01257 265342
Chorley Hospital -01257 261222	Childline 0800 1111
Police Non-Emergency - 101	National Domestic Abuse Helpline
Medical Advice - 111	0808 2000 247
Need an NHS Dentist- 01772 325100	

**Get advice
and support**



Age 0-19 (up to 25 for young people with learning difficulties or disabilities)

Someone to talk to
Problems at home/school
Jobs and training
Apprenticeships
Staying safe online
Sex and health
Relationships

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Self Harm
Bullying
Drugs and alcohol
Things to do
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What age can I?

Text 07786 511111

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You can contact us 365 days a year
2pm to 10pm



What's on guide



Chorley CFW

Jan - Apr 2024

Lancashire
County
Council



www.lancashire.gov.uk

Please click [here](#) to view all the information.



Sessions

- **SEND Holiday Club (2nd / 3rd / 4th / 5th January)**

[Book here](#)

- **Sunday SEND In-Club Sessions are now live online to book in for January and February**

[Book here](#)



**SEND Epic Night
THURSDAYS
4-9PM**



6 week Projects

Wheelchair Basketball
Football Team Training
Dance Troupe
Clay Club
Choir / Music Lessons
Baking Club

If you would like to book your child/ren onto any of the above EPIC sessions please email: caitlin.blythe@inspireyouthzone.org to confirm a place.

Sessions will cost 50p per entry.

Places are limited due to the level of support needed for the children, so please can you ensure your child is available for the majority of the sessions.



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WORKSHOPS AT ST JOHNS'S CHURCH COPPULL

? **Is your child experiencing emotional, behavioural, or mental health challenges, and you are not too sure how to help?**

? **Do you want to learn how to support your child to be resilient, and to deal with the challenges they may face?**

Home Start Central Lancashire are leading providers in therapeutic parenting training, which allows parents to gain a better understanding of the emotional and physical impact of trauma.

We all experience trauma within our lives, however how we are supported through challenging times can have a huge impact on our parenting styles, future life choices and wellbeing.

This course will allow parents to learn about brain development, the impact of stress on both adults and children, and how a trauma informed, therapeutic approach to parenting can have a positive impact on the whole family.

The course is delivered over
4 workshops that will take
place at Coppull on...

Monday 12th February

10:00-14:30

Monday 19th February

10:00-12:30

Monday 26th February

10:00-12:30

Monday 4th March

10:00-12:30

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To book your space please call:



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Please click [here](#) for this week's career news.

Career News



LEYLAND TRUCKS
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Leyland Trucks is committed to delivering apprenticeships which add value to both the individual and the company. Apprenticeships provide an entry route into the business which allows you to combine both educational studies with practical hands on experience, whilst earning a salary. Apprentices follow a standard development framework which incorporates practical, evidence based knowledge with academic skills paired within an educational setting, within a global, market-leading organisation.

We are now taking applications for our 2024 Apprenticeship Scheme.

We are recruiting 28 apprentices this year across a range of business areas from assembly operations to design engineering. We will be offering 23 Level 3 and 4 apprenticeships which are applicable to those who have achieved at least 5 GCSEs at Grade 4 or above (A*-C) in Maths, English and Science. **There are two Level 3 apprenticeships - Assembly Operative (12 posts) and Business Administration (1 post). The Level 4 Apprentices are Automotive Engineer (8 posts), Facilities & Maintenance (1 post) and Fabrication & Welding (1 post).**

Please submit an online application form or complete the Word application form and submit it to leyland.jobs@paccar.com

Leyland Trucks is an Equal Opportunities Employer. If you would like to discuss any adjustments that we can implement to assist you to complete your application, please contact us on 01772 625883 or leyland.trucks@paccar.com

Applications close on Friday 1st March.
Interviews will take place from Tuesday 2nd April - Friday 12th April.

University of Central Lancashire Training 2000

Apprenticeship open evenings

Wednesday 31st January & Thursday 1st February 2024
between 4.30 - 7.30pm

Where: Fethergate Business Park, Harwood Street, Blackburn, BB1 3BD

www.training2000.co.uk/01254 54659

Let us know you are coming!

We are hosting our Open Days on Wednesday 31st January and Thursday 1st February. As well as having a tour round our training site, we have a number of companies attending who will be able to give advice on what apprenticeships there are and our tutors will be on hand to talk about the courses and how the apprenticeship works.

CARDINAL NEWMAN COLLEGE

OPEN DAY

SATURDAY 3RD FEBRUARY
10AM - 1PM

APPLY FOR SEPTEMBER 2024!

Coming up in a few weeks - there is the opportunity for a guidance interview to discuss their application or if they are still undecided. Please note, students must have an application to be able to book on to this.

[/go.cardinalnewman.ac.uk/events/booking/136](https://go.cardinalnewman.ac.uk/events/booking/136)

CAREER News
2024

Your weekly guide to careers information, advice and news from Parklands High School

Welcome back to the first edition of Career News for 2024. I hope everyone had a great Christmas and New Year. Lots of events coming up in the world of careers: open events, virtual work experience, conferences, webinars, competitions and challenges, plus much more!

- There are open events at Wigan & Leigh, Winstanley and Bolton Sixth Form Colleges in January, and Blackburn, Bolton, Newman and Myerscough Colleges having open events in February.
- There are also open evenings at Training 2000, with employers in attendance to talk about apprenticeship opportunities.
- If you are in Year 8 and interested in STEM subjects, you may want to take part in the EDT Bronze Cadets challenge. In the past, we have won prizes each year we have entered, but never won the overall prize - yet! Perhaps 2024 is the year we take the main trophy - why not take part?
- Rushlaw College are hosting the Sophie School Awards to commemorate Holocaust Memorial Day. Students are asked to submit either a written piece, a poem or a piece of art or music, either individually or as part of a group. Deadline is 21st February, so don't delay.
- Leyland Trucks are now taking applications for the apprenticeship scheme - there are twelve Level 3 posts as part of a group. Deadline is 1st March, so don't delay.
- Lots of opportunities for Medix Mentor - absolutely vital for any aspiring medics. Find out more about the free virtual work experience programme in conjunction with University Hospital Birmingham, as well as the free work experience programme in conjunction with University Hospital Birmingham, as well as the free work experience programme in conjunction with University Hospital Birmingham.
- An event for aspiring lawyers is the Young Professionals live webinar with TLP LLP, one of the top 50 law firms in the UK. Register early to avoid missing out.
- College interviews start next week, with Preston College interviewing in school on Friday 19th January. If you haven't yet applied but would like an interview, please let me know as soon as possible: sperry@parklandshighschool.co.uk
- Wigan & Leigh College will conduct interviews in February and Rushlaw College in March. All other colleges will interview on an individual basis at the colleges. Newman College are offering the option to chat about course choices during their next open event, as long as you have already applied.

Have a great weekend!

18th - 19th January 2024

STEAM

Do you want to be part of a STEAM DREAM TEAM?

Are you interested in STEAM topics?
(Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, Maths)

Every year, a team from Parklands takes part in the EDT Bronze Industrial Cadets Challenge. This is a project that you undertake in your own time, with support from NRG Environmental Ltd, who we will visit to find out more about their work.

Although we don't have the title of the challenge just yet, it will probably be related to environmental issues - so if you are a keen recycler or passionate about the planet, this is the project for you!

We need a team of up to 6 pupils - and they should have a wide range of skills, as the challenge requires us to create a model, film a video, write a report and deliver a presentation to the judges at the final (at Liverpool University last year).

So if you are keen on maths and science, or art, or design technology, or drama ... then you need to be in the team! See your HAL or Miss Berry (Top Office) if you want to be involved.

Interested?

You must be committed to attending a meeting each week of the 6 week project, and prepared to carry out work in your own time. You will gain a Bronze Industrial Cadet Award Badge and Certificate at the year, we may win the overall prize for best project!

Careers

- Leyland Trucks are now accepting applications for their apprenticeship scheme. There are twelve L3 positions on offer for Assembly Operatives - don't miss out!
- BAE Systems are still accepting applications, but not for much longer, so if you are intending to apply, do it now.

Most other apprenticeship positions aimed at school leavers will be advertised around March/April, but you can register on Gov.UK anytime and receive notifications whenever a new vacancy is advertised: <https://www.findapprenticeship.service.gov.uk/register> - create an account so that you can apply to any position. Use your personal email, not a school email address.

For any Year 8s who are interested in STEM subjects, we are taking part in the EDT Challenge again this year, linking up with NSG Environmental, the experts in nuclear waste disposal. We have always won a prize each year we have entered, but we have never won the overall trophy yet. Can 2024 be the year we win the whole competition? See Miss Berry (top office) for details on how to take part.

Preston College interviews are in school, next Friday (19th January). If you have not yet applied, but would like to be interviewed, see Miss Berry asap and I will add you to the schedule.

Work Experience for Year 10. Consent forms need to be back with me as soon as possible please. The WEX week is 15th - 19th July 2024 and all the documents and information relating to work experience is on the website: <https://www.parklandsacademy.co.uk/parents/work-experience>
Placement booklets are also available from the Top Office.

Please note that St Michael's have chosen the same week for WEX, so don't delay if you intend to approach a business/school/cafe/shop/office/garage/nursery/garden centre/salon ...

If there is anyone in Year 10 or 11 who is interested in a career in the armed or uniformed services, Carolyn Tasker from MPCT, the military preparation academy in Chorley, will be in school on Monday 22nd January. Please let Miss Berry know if you would like to speak to her.