

Whole school

6 March 2026

THE CARLTON ACADEMY

WEEKLY BULLETIN

Upcoming week



CASTING CALL

Auditions for this year's Summer Production of Alice in Wonderland are taking place on Tuesday 10 March at 3:15pm in the drama studio. Please come and join us, everyone is welcome.

The Carlton Academy are celebrating British Science Week, week commencing 9 March. The TCA Science Department are hosting a range of activities and competitions to help promote Science with students. The UK government are thinking about how to build a positive future for children. They are keen to understand children and young people's own ideas on this, so they are asking 'What are children and young people's visions for a good/positive childhood?' Details of the annual poster competition can be found below.

All year groups 7-13 can get involved, and we hope to see as many students as possible taking part to gain achievement points, loyalty points, and to win great prizes! Activities are as follows:

9 March - Science Citizenship

10 March - Year 7 Treasure Hunt

11 March - Demo Day

12 March - Science Quiz



YOUNG MINDS provide young people with the tools to look after their mental health. They empower adults to be the best support they can be to the young people in their lives, and they give young people the space and confidence to get their voices heard and change the world we live in. Thanks to all our students who took part in 'wear something green / yellow', the amount raised for Young Minds was £118.47.

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The latest edition of TCA NEWS has been released! Our young reporters have been hard at work to create the second edition and all members of the team are excited to inform all students about everything that there is to offer in the publication. TCA News is for students, by students, and the magazine boasts a range of content including protests, reviews and creative writing. The team meet each Tuesday after school in U8; all years are welcome.



World Book Day 2026

World Book Day was a fantastic success at TCA, filling the school with colour, creativity, and a shared love of reading. Throughout the week, an impressive number of students eagerly joined in the celebrations, taking part in a range of activities designed to bring stories to life.

The costumes were a real highlight and our corridors were filled with characters from classic tales, modern favourites, and everything in between. From adventurous heroes to magical creatures, students really let their imaginations shine.

Not to be outdone, TCA teachers and staff also joined the fun, dressing up as beloved literary characters and helping create a vibrant, joyful atmosphere across the school.

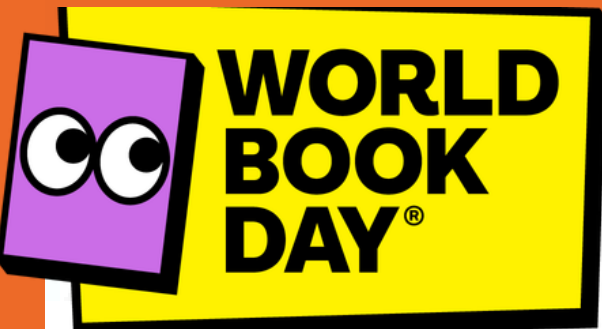
It was a brilliant week that truly showcased the enthusiasm and creativity of our whole TCA community.



WARNING!

Books can
seriously
change lives!

Join our sponsored read and
YOU can change lives too!



Start date: **Monday 2nd March 2026**

Sponsor money in by: **Friday 17th April 2026**

Organiser: **Ms Georgeson**



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Reading
2026

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This year the British Science Week poster competition is linked to a real scientific research question:

What do young people think makes a positive childhood

The UK government are thinking about how to build a positive future for children.

They are keen to understand children and young people's own ideas on this.

The poster can be hand drawn or digital.

The poster needs to be flat(2D) with no flaps.

A3 or A4.

Deadline: 25 March! Hand it in to your science teacher.

Every entry gets an achievement point and a loyalty point.

Winning posters are entered into the National Competition!

Prizes for the winner from each house.



You could make a timeline of how childhood has changed over time.

You could interview older and younger members of your family and compare their answers.

You could do some research and see if you collect data about children over time.

You could compare childhoods from children of different countries, cities or backgrounds.

You could write about a positive aspect of your own life that you would encourage other people to do.

You could design something that would make childrens' lives better now.

You could make a poster about the types of childhood you want your children to have

Now 2026

Future 2036... and beyond!