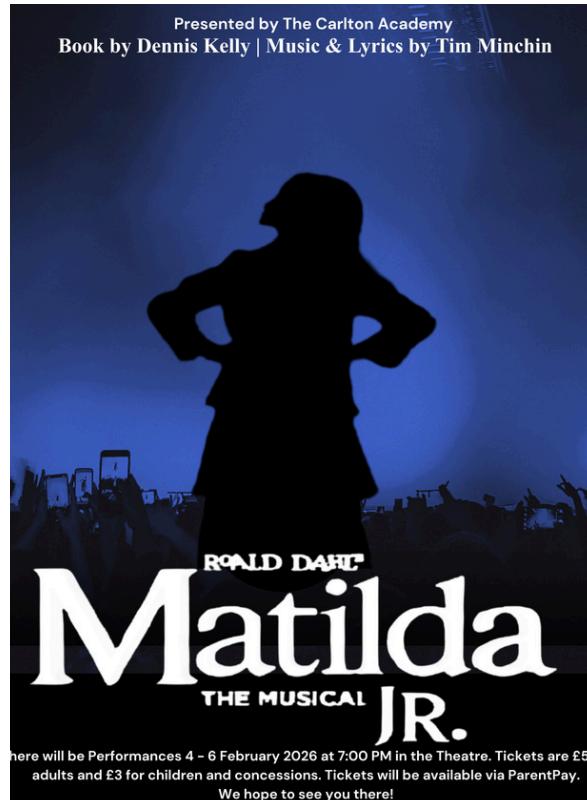


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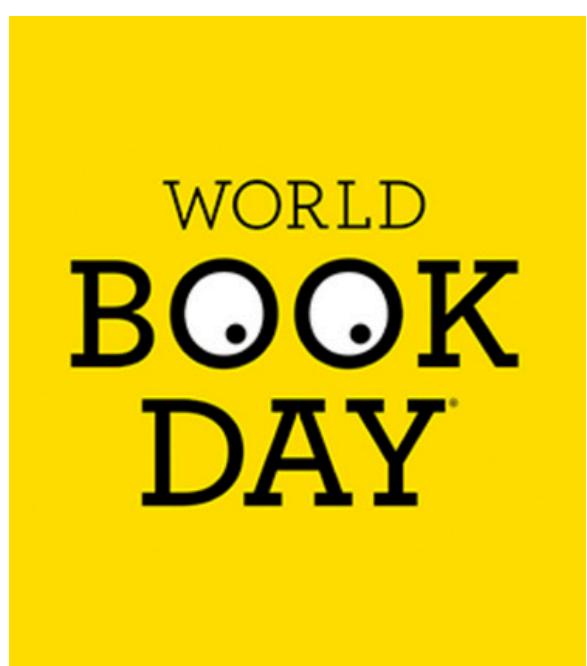
Please find the updated Curriculum plus timetable for this term [Here](#).

This week's activities

Make every school day count with our new year attendance competition! Keep up with 100% attendance to 13 February for a chance to win one of seven £20 Amazon gift vouchers, one per house plus one Sixth Form.

Reminder that our Carlton Academy production of Matilda the Musical Jr will be taking place next week 4–6 February 2026 at 7:00pm. Tickets are available to purchase via Parent Pay. The Cast have been busy rehearsing this past week. We hope to see you there!

At The Carlton Academy, we will be celebrating World Book Day for a whole week! The week commencing 2 March 2026, there will be several competitions and events for students to get take part and get involved in. Our theme this year is 'Fantasy'! World Book Day is an international event that encourages young people to read for pleasure, making learning fun. More information will be given closer to the time.



The updated menus for the Spring term are now available on the website. Please find the link [Here](#).

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Fantastic play from the Year 8 Girls Football team who played on 21 January 2026. Even with some of the regular players missing, the team did amazingly well and should feel very proud of themselves. We wish them the best of luck through the next 3 weeks in this tournament!



Great play from the Year 9 and 10 girls football team against George Spencer on 26 January 2026! While they might have lost this match, they did score an impressive 3 goals. Well done!

This week's activities

This week the Duke of Edinburgh Bronze ties were delivered for the Year 9 students who have signed up. These ties will be handed out to students throughout the next week. The last day to sign up to Duke of Edinburgh by paying the deposit was Friday 30 January 2026.

This week was Year 9 exam week; students had tests in their lessons as a way to track their educational progression. As Year 9 students will be choosing their GCSE subject options this school year, we hope these tests and their results can give students an insight to which GCSE subjects they can thrive in.

With the performances of our Carlton Academy production of *Matilda the Musical Jr* getting closer and closer, there will be extra practices during the school day to make sure students are fully prepared for opening night. This means students will miss some of their lessons and have to catch up on their work. Students have been encouraged to not miss lessons they may be behind in.

Congratulations to the Year 9 students who took part in the Brilliant Club! The Brilliant Club was an opportunity for these students to have sessions taught like university lectures, getting to practice writing essays the way they will be expected to in higher education. After completing sessions, they submitted an essay with correct formatting and referencing which they were given feedback on. They will be having their graduation on Friday 13 February. Well done!

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**This week's activities**

This week the Duke of Edinburgh Silver ties were delivered for the Year 9 students who have signed up. These ties will be handed out to students throughout the next week. The last day to sign up to Duke of Edinburgh by paying the deposit was Friday 30 January 2026.

The first Year 11 English Period 6 session took place on 22 January 2026 and will be continuing every Thursday. These sessions are compulsory with registers to monitor who is attending. The sessions will also appear on ClassCharts timetables.

The Year 11 revision Geography Period 6 sessions are taking place every Tuesday. Please find the dates and topics timetable [Here](#). The next sessions will be on 3 February 2026 focusing on deserts.

On Monday 2 February Year 11 will be attending Poetry Live! This will be a good opportunity for Year 11 students to hear more about the poems they've studied as part of their English Literature poetry anthology. As part of their exam required them to remember and reference these poems, it's important that they have a good and thorough understanding of them.

With the GCSE exams rapidly approaching, we expect students to focus on their studies and revise in preparation for their exams. Every Wednesday there is a Math's Clinic, Period 6 in the open area. This is a space for students to work on their math's while receiving help and support. This is a great way for students to identify weaker areas in to work on before the summer.

On 3 February 2026, A group of Year 11, 12 and 13 will be taking part in a trip to Birmingham Sea Life Centre as part of their art course. Getting to work and create on site is an amazing skill for artists to have and build on through this experience and gain confidence in themselves and their skills.

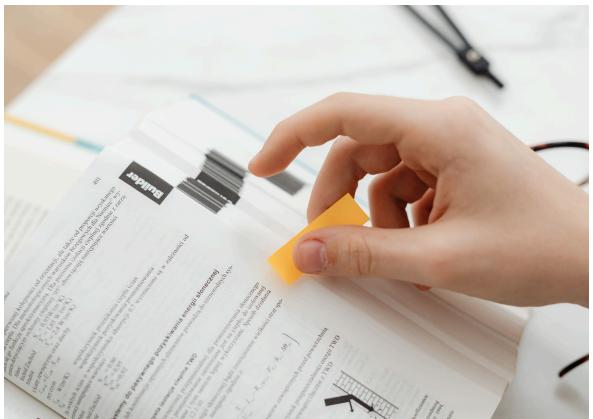


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Mr Sturrock will be holding drop-in sessions to offer Support with work experience on Wednesdays in SC10. Work experience is really helpful when building on widening employability skills as well as overall professional confidence.



The Year 13 Parents evening will be held on Tuesday 24 February 2026. This is an opportunity to talk to your child's teachers to see how they are developing and progressing towards their summer exams. Please find more information [Here](#).

Upcoming events

Well done to Year 13's for working hard and focusing on their mocks these past three weeks! Mocks are a great opportunity to get more comfortable and prepared for exams in the summer.

Congratulations to the 77% of Year 13 students who have submitted their UCAS applications for university courses! We hope you all continue working hard and achieve the best results possible in the summer.

Year 12 and Year 13 Sixth form hoodies are now available for purchase through Just Schoolwear. These are available in a variety of colours and sizes! Please find the letter with more information [Here](#)(Year 12) and [Here](#)(Year 13).