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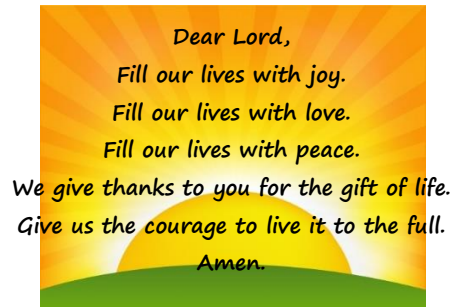
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Our Vision...
Excellent teaching.

Our Vision...
Strong Catholic ethos.

Our Vision...
Ensuring every child is known.

Our Vision...
High expectations of everyone.



Our Vision...
Exemplary behaviour and personal standards.

Our Vision...
At the heart of the community.

Our Vision...
Keeping children safe in education.

Our Vision...
Excellent leadership at all levels.



Headteacher Message

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Thank you for your ongoing support.

Have a lovely long weekend and take care.

Mrs. Vile

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Year 10 Parents Evening

A Year 10 Parents Evening will be on Thursday, 8th December 2022 between 3:30pm and 6:00pm. This will be in school where parents can talk to class teachers. Appointments can be booked on Arbor and bookings will be open from Monday, 28th November 2022.

School Lockers

Student lockers are now reduced by 15%, please see flyer regarding rental of lockers at our school.

Secure
LOCKER.RENTALS

Book today and save 15% on a new locker for this academic year.

SIMPLE. SAFE. SECURE.

Kids these days carry a lot of expensive equipment, from trainers and clothing, to books and sportswear. So, it's scary to think that the average student loses 7 items per month.

Having a school locker can help to reduce these numbers. Creating a constant, secure location for students to store possessions safely. With the added advantage of keeping books dry and promoting better back health.

And, when you consider prices start from just 12p per day, the decision is simple.

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Visit [locker.rentals](https://www.locker.rentals) and book your locker today.

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World Cup Reading Challenge 2022

We have launched the World Cup Reading Challenge with all year groups this week. Pupils have been challenged to read as texts linked to the countries in the World Cup. They can choose non-fiction articles, fiction set in various countries or books written by authors from countries in the World Cup. The form group and the individual pupils who read the most texts, from the most countries will receive a prize.

Pupils can collect entry postcards for each text they read from any member of the English or Humanities departments or the library.

PCF CWaC News and Events November 2022

To read the Parent Carer please click on the below link:

https://test.epchs.co.uk/?page_id=5071&

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PE UPDATE



Last week Our year 8 Netball team took on Neston High School and Whitby High School in a mini-Tournament. The girls played some amazing Netball, winning one game 6-1 and drawing in the other. Super work girls! Keep it up!

Year 9 Super Star Netball team played in a tournament against Whitby High School, Neston High School and Helsby High School and won all their matches. The girls played some fantastic sport and demonstrated brilliant teamwork! You are amazing!



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Christmas Church Service

I am delighted to inform you that this year's Christmas Service will be at 2pm on Wednesday 14th December at Our Lady Star of the Sea Catholic Church in Ellesmere Port. We will leave school at 1.00pm and walk pupils down to the Church. Students will be accompanied by their teaching staff and support staff for the duration of the walk. The service will start at 2.00pm and Parents/Guardians are warmly invited to attend the Christmas Service.

If you would like to attend the service, tickets can be requested free of charge by clicking this link:
<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/ellesmere-port-catholic-high-school-christmas-service-2022-tickets-471025809877>

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Please scan the QR code below to complete the medical form by **Friday 25th November**. Students will be allowed to return home directly from the Church at 3.00pm, unless you indicate below that you wish them to return to school accompanied by the staff in attendance.

How to scan a QR code? Hold the camera from your phone, tablet or device and press the yellow link. It requires data or wifi to complete the form.



If you require further information regarding the Christmas Service, please contact f.anglesea@epchs.co.uk

Advent Appeal - we are aiming to support both local and global projects in the coming weeks.

Year 7/ 8 are invited to support a local Food Bank and provide Christmas Hampers for local families by donating non- perishable food items, including where possible a Christmas treat e'g' box of Chocolates etc, Toiletries could also be included. All these donations will benefit local families in need - women's refuge and refugees.

Year 9 /10 are invited to support CAFOD World Gifts – by collecting 20ps or any loose change that can and bring into form these will all be added together to purchase gift such as Teaching a child to read. Each form will be able to pick gifts from the CAFOD scheme.

Year 11/12/13 have been invited to donate small items that can be used for gifts for older children and teenagers, which will benefit young people within our local community.

The deadline for donations is 9th December.

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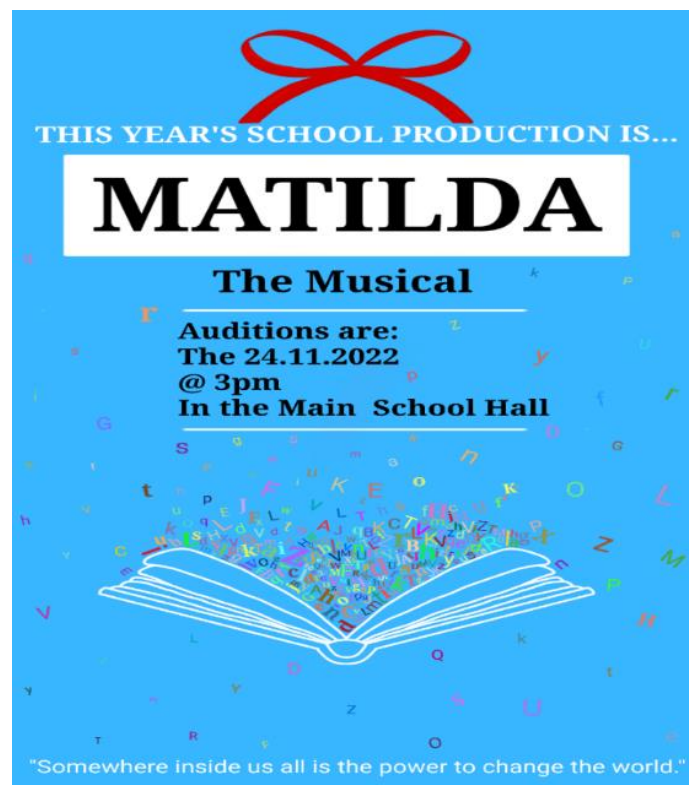
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This year's school production is MATILDA

Auditions are every Thursday 3pm-4.15pm for the next 3 weeks.



Parent Consultation Letter

Please read letter by clicking link below:

<https://test.epchs.co.uk/rse-letter-november-2022/>

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ALN Student, Parent and Professionals Group

Are you a new or prospective learner with additional learning needs (or a parent/carer) who is worried about the transition from school to college? If so, we would like to invite you to our monthly group meeting at our Northop Site.

You will be able to meet with other students, parents and professionals and find out information, have your questions answered and share experiences with others in a similar situation to you.

Our welcoming and experienced team will be happy to provide information, advice and guidance on all aspects of your journey into college including Mental Health and Wellbeing Support, Specialist Tutor Support, Learning Support and Equality and Diversity.

Each month, we will invite representatives from Careers Wales, the Local Authorities and Third Sector Groups to share in the event.

This new group will be meeting monthly at our Northop Campus on the first Wednesday of every month.

Planned Dates for 22/23 include:

7th December 2022 5.30-7.30pm
1st February 2023 5.30-7.30pm
1st March 2023 5.30-7.30pm
5th April 2023 5.30-7.30pm
3rd May 2023 5.30-7.30pm
7th June 2023 5.30-7.30pm
5th July 2023 5.30-7.30pm
2nd August 2023 5.30-7.30pm

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If you would like to join us, simply turn up on the dates above at Coleg Cambria's Northop Campus, Holywell Road, Northop, Flintshire, CH7 6AA

For more information, please contact our Learning Support Manager, maria Giannasi @ maria.giannasi@cambria.ac.uk or Telephone 07542 230646



The LFC Foundation & LFC have joined forces to provide a work experience programme aimed towards year 12 students.

This programme has been created due to a high number of requests that the club receive and the dramatic decrease in workplace opportunities for young people during CV-19



"It felt enjoyable and lifted up my mood, it was a break from stressful schoolwork but educational at the same time with some fun. I Enjoyed the entire experience, thank you so much"

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The week consists of 3 days of skill development delivered by the LFC Employability team, focusing on workplace behaviours, important soft skills and the LFC Club Values. During the other two days participants can experience a range of departments across the LFC Foundation and LFC. Departments that have provided support for work experience so far include:

- International Soccer Schools
 - Partnerships
 - Internal communications
 - Hospitality Sales
 - Hospitality
 - Grounds maintenance
 - Staffing
 - Marketing
 - Crime prevention
 - Disability & Inclusion
 - GO PLAY!
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Higher & Degree Apprenticeships Vacancy Listing

The November 2022 edition of the **Higher & Degree vacancy listing** has now launched!

Explore **300+** Higher and Degree **apprenticeship vacancies** from **60+ employers**, including:

- ☐ eight separate opportunities within the **NHS**
- ☐ nine vacancies with **Virgin Media** and **O2** (Telefónica UK)
- ☐ a variety of positions with **police** units across the country
- ☐ **Jaguar Land Rover** lists nine positions across the West Midlands
- ☐ **NatWest** opportunities cover Bristol, Birmingham, London, Leeds and Manchester
- ☐ **Amazon** with 14 separate vacancies
- ☐ **Kier Group** recruiting for 25 separate positions

<https://amazingapprenticeships.com/resource/higher-and-degree-listing/>

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STEM Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics	
Every Tuesday 3pm till 4pm in Lab C2 with Mr Hickman and 6th form helpers James Hamer and Chloe HyamsonY13	

PRAY FOR PEACE IN UKRAINE



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