Weekly Newsletter

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Dear Trinitarians

We have had another fantastic week at Trinity. Pupils have continued looking further into Black History and the secondary phase raised money for charity and wore red to give racism the red card. Pupils have continued to carry out practical lessons in Science, DT, Art and Food – making the school smell wonderful all week. I am sure you are aware that within London from Saturday we are moving to Tier 2 of the COVID response system. Our school systems are already fully compliant for Tier 2, as we continue to monitor and support our whole community within the school grounds. Please do talk to your sons / daughters about the changes in place and the importance of being in groups of no more than 6 outside of school and the need to wear masks in all shops. Discussing what is happening can help alleviate stress and anxiety – but do make sure you have family time together to help you get through this difficult time.

As I have walked around both sites I have seen our children enjoying their learning and feeling fully comfortable as they enjoy their time with their friends in school. Our additional measures which have been put in place to prevent COVID have simply become part of school routine now and our children are loving every second of being back at school. This shows what a fabulous job the staff are doing in ensuring that our children's mental health and well-being is being prioritised alongside academic achievement. I would like to take this opportunity to thank them for their care and commitment to this and also each of you for working with us to reassure your children regarding the new routines.

Next week we start our parents meetings with teachers at the primary school, and straight after half term we start our first secondary phase parents evening with year 8 – please do check the systems and contact the school if you are unsure what you need to do. It has taken a lot of planning to ensure we can remotely run these events – and we do need to keep to timing. We really do look forward in sharing the amazing work your children have completed with you. Have a wonderful weekend.

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PRIMARY PHASE



Mr Darren Janes Head of School – Primary

Leahurst Road

Dear Trinity families,

Time has flown by and next week will be the final week of half term. That can only mean one thing: Home Learning Exhibitions! You should have received a text message from the office to let you know which day your class will be holding their exhibitions. We cannot wait to see the wonderful learning you have been doing at home, linked to our school tasks.

On Wednesday and Thursday next week, we will be holding our Zoom Parents' evenings. Thank you to everyone who has signed up for a time slot by phoning the school office. You will receive an email early next week with your allotted class meeting link and passcode. We are only setting one meeting for the class and you can join the waiting room five minutes before your individual allotted time. We look forward to discussing your child's learning with you.

Black History Month is still going strong at Trinity – please check out what has happened this week and what is coming up in the final week of half term later on in the newsletter.

As ever, I wish you the very best of weekends, full of rest and fun, ready for learning on Monday.

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Head of School, Primary Phase Trinity all Through School

WHAT HAPPENS WHEN WE EVAPORATE LIQUIDS?

Year 4 have been investigating solids, liquids and gases in their science lessons

https://trinityprimarylewisham.blogspot.com/2020/10/what-happens-whenwe-evaporate-liquids.html

YEAR ONE: SEASONS SCIENTISTS

Year one have been excellent scientists this half term.

https://trinityprimarylewisham.blogspot.com/2020/10/year-one-seasonsscientists.html

BLACK HISTORY SPOTLIGHT - MARY JACKSON

We learn about Mary Jackson in Year Three at Trinity when we look at famous females through history in our topic 'Time's Trendsetters'.

https://trinityprimarylewisham.blogspot.com/2020/10/black-history-spotlightmary-jackson.html







This week we are sharing an opportunity to get out into the world to go and see the Museum of London Docklands Black History Month digital talks. Talks are performed by the museum's knowledgeable hosts and can be accessed via QR codes which are positioned around the galleries in the museum. A free general admission ticket is required to enter the museum.



https://www.museumoflondon.org.uk/museum-london/event-detail?id=184808



In Year 3, our children research the life of Mary Jackson. Find out more about this amazing woman by following this link to our school blog!

https://trinityprimarylewisham.blogspot.com/2020/1 0/black-history-spotlight-mary-jackson.html



In our assembly this week, we discussed the lives of two amazing women and a historical event that not many people know about!

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CHAPLAIN'S CORNER By Miss S Alder

In our penultimate week before half term we have been busy at both sites receiving art entries and tins of tomatoes. Today you can see below some of the artwork from both the primary and secondary site. It is important to take the time to reflect on who Jesus is to each and every one of us. As we continue our theme of being principled this half term, it is important to take the time to think about what happens when we do make the wrong decisions, or we make a decision what we realise will not be pleasing to God.

This week I attended a virtual conference this week about Jesus as the Healer, it made me reflect that it is important during these troubled times that we remember Jesus is our Healer. In John chapter 5 - the healing at the pool, there was a man who had been ill for many years and when Jesus saw him lying there he learned that he had been in this condition for a long time, he asked him, "Do you want to get well?" "Sir," the invalid replied, "I have no one to help me into the pool when the water is stirred. While I am trying to get in, someone else goes down ahead of me." Then Jesus said to him, "Get up! Pick up your mat and walk." At once the man was cured; he picked up his mat and walked. It is important we are awake and we know that Jesus can make it better, he can and does heal us. During these weeks and months, take the time to read and reflect on the healing miracles of Jesus. Remember the healing love of God, it never falters though sometimes it can be difficult to hold onto in the midst of the current pandemic.

Loving God, we pray that you will comfort our community in our suffering, lend skill to the hands of our healers, and bless the means used for our cure. Give us such confidence in the power of your grace, that even when we are afraid, we may put our whole trust in you; through our Savior Jesus Christ. Amen



Here is a small selection of our brilliant entries received





CHRISTMAS CARD COMPETITION

Theme stain glass window

Techniques you could use

- Carbos trassfer
- Water colour paint
- Permanent markers
- Grid drawing
- Photography
- Collage (Textured papers)





- Your design must be
 - Colourful
 - Eye-catching
- Bold
- Link to Trinity Values/ Characteristics



The winning design will be professionally printed and will represent Trinity!! DEADLINE Friday 23/10/20. All entries to be submitted by hand to Ms Dillon.

This year Trinity is holding a competition for the most creative Christmas card designed by our Year 10 and Year 11 pupils.

The card must be:

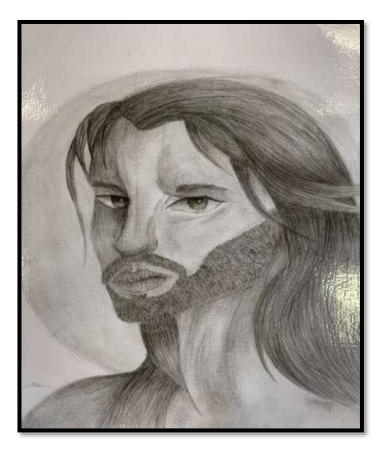
- Colourful
- Eye-catching
- Bold
- Reflects links to Trinity values & characteristics

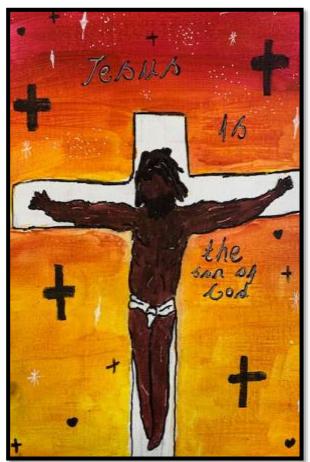
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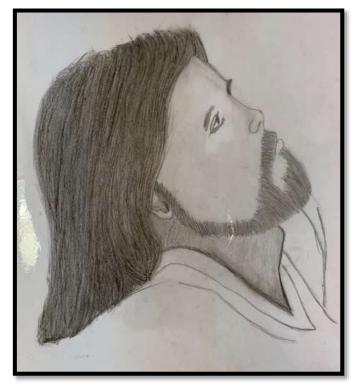
DEADLINE FOR ENTRIES : FRIDAY 23rd OCTOBER 2020 (Last day of term)

Please submit your entry to Ms Dillon by this date

Some more exciting entries in our RE Art Competition











RUGBY AT TRINITY KICKS OFF TO A GREAT START





Rugby has started well at Trinity with Year 7 to Year 9 studying and playing rugby in their PE lessons at our fantastic new school facilities down the road at Lewisham FC.

We are in the rugby season at the moment and our students are working extremely hard (following RFU cov19 Rugby rules) to develop knowledge and fitness level after lockdown.

We will be running rugby coaching sessions at the Old Colfeians sports ground (Horn Park) for Year 7, 8 and 9 pupils after school on Thursday's between 3.30 and 5.30. This is a fantastic opportunity for the pupils to be coached by highly qualified rugby coaches which could lead to further involvement in the sport for both the school and Old Colfeians.

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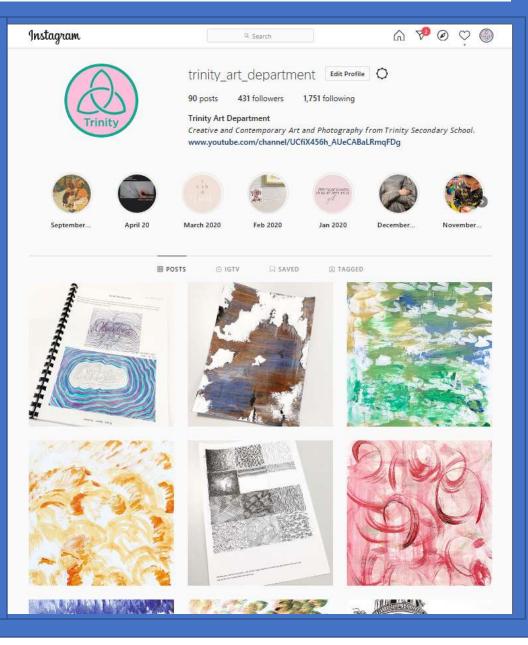
Y7- Optical illusion Art work. Students are developing there skills using colour and tone to create outstanding art work.



Excellent work by our new Year 7's. They are busy developing their skills using colour and tone to create these outstanding pieces of art.

To see more follow Trinity Art department on Instagram.

Instagram @trinity_art_department



PARENT EVENINGS

Under Covid restrictions Parent Evenings will now take Place via 'Teams'.

Closer to the date you will be contacted and a 10 minute 'Teams' time slot will be allocated to you. Each pupil's Family Group staff teacher will then discuss your child's progress having collated all information from your child's subject teachers. A login link to 'Teams' will then be provided to you together with confirmation of the time slot allocated to you.

Alternatively a phone call meeting can be organised for any parent who is unable to access 'Teams'.

Dates for Parent Evenings

YEAR 7	11 th March 2020
YEAR 8	4 th November 2020
YEAR 9	14 th January 2020
YEAR 10	10 th February 2020
YEAR 11	2 nd December 2020

Kindly diarise the applicable date.



The Arts Fund, Museum of the Year 2020 award has been shared between five museums for offering inspiration, reflection and joy in the heart of communities, including the South London Gallery, the **Science** Museum and the Aberdeen **Art Gallery.** You can explore these museums and galleries this weekend either in person or with a virtual visit.

The **South London Gallery** (SLG) was established in 1891 by philanthropist William Rossiter to 'bring art to the people of south London. The SLG has become one of the capital's leading contemporary visual art institutions, establishing a reputation for its ground-breaking programme of contemporary art exhibitions, events and education projects for children, young people and adults.

Visit the SLG and explore **Hot Pink Turquoise**, an exhibition by Belgian artist **Ann Veronica Janssens**, the first major presentation of her work in London. **Displayed a**cross three floors, the exhibition contains sculptures, projections, light works and installations, showcasing Janssens interest in light and its impact on our perception and experience.



You can also discover the SLG'S amazing collections online. Learn about the SLG'S history, view past exhibitions and events and explore the historic collection and archives.







For more information, to book a visit or explore online visit: https://www.southlondongallery.org/

SCIENCE MUSEUM

Discover award-winning exhibitions, iconic objects and stories of incredible scientific achievement a the Science Museum. Explore the museums fascinating displays, objects and interactive galleries including space, flight, engineering, mathematics, medicine, simulators and the Wonderlab.

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Explore the museum from home and discover the fascinating histories behind even the smallest objects. Search for over 325,000 objects and archives in the museum's Collection Online and discover unique and compelling stories, from objects that have changed our world to the intriguing personal histories that lie behind them.



To book a ticket or to explore online visit: <u>https://www.sciencemuseum.org.uk/</u>



Discover the Aberdeen Art Gallery Online. Home to one of the finest collections in the UK, the gallery contains works by historic and contemporary Scottish artists and makers as well as internationally acclaimed artists. You can take a virtual guided tour of the galleries including the Sculpture Court and view works by Claude Monet, James Mcbey and Tracey Emin.



To find out more and take a virtual tour visit: https://www.aberdeencity.gov.uk/AAGM



Virtual Museum: 13 ways to explore from home

Delve into the Museum from home with a virtual self-guided tour of the galleries, an interactive experience about Hope the blue whale and audio guides narrated by Sir David Attenborough.

https://www.nhm.ac.uk/visit/virtual-museum.html

Quiz!

Test your knowledge

- 1. Who was the first Black football player to captain England?
- 2. Who was the first African American woman to win five Grammy Awards in one year?
- 3. How many Olympic gold medals has Mo Farah won for Team GB?
- 4. Who said "Injustice anywhere is a threat to justice everywhere"?
- 5. In 2008, the US elected its first Black president Barack Obama Who did he run against?
- 6. How many Championship rings has basketball legend Michael Jordan won in his career?
- 7. Sir Trevor McDonald is best known for his career as a news presenter on our TV screens, when was he awarded a Knighthood?
- 8. Idris Elba was awarded an OBE in 2016, which BBC drama is he most know for?
- 9. British actor John Boyega is best known for which internationally celebrated movie franchise?
- 10. Black History Month was first celebrated in the UK back in October 1987, who was the original organiser?



Answers in next week's newsletter Compiled by Mr L. Gene - Languages



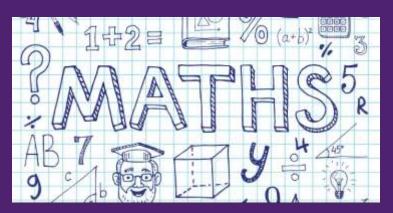












YOUR MARVELLOUS MATHS WEEKLY ROUND-UP



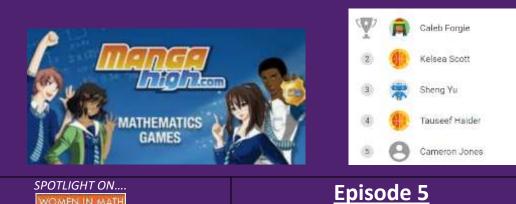
Hint: You should include compound triangles such as the one shown below.

THIS WEEK'S MANGA HIGH LEADERBOARD

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This podcast is an effort to promote visibility of

women in mathematics



Sofia Kovalevskava

Biography on 19th century Russian mathematician Sofia Kovalevskaya. <u>https://soundcloud.com/damien-adams-</u> <u>662584563/sofia-kovalevskaya</u>

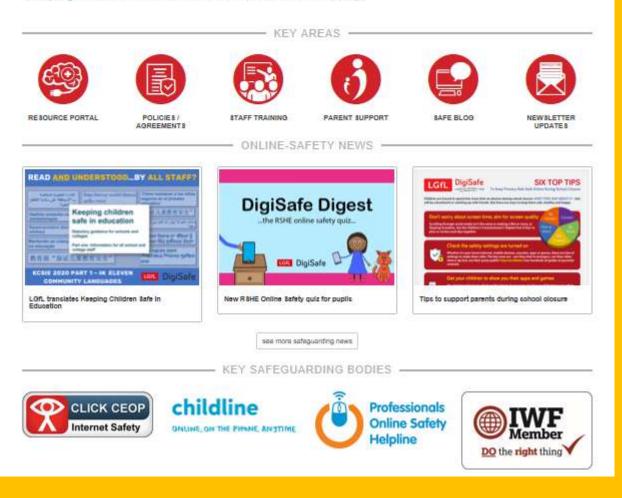


LGfL DigiSafe is offering specialist support for the current situation regarding safe remote learning for pupils, parents and staff at coronavirus.lgfl.net/safeguarding including new risks, safe settings and policy updates.

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See more from @LGfLDigiSafe on Twitter / Facebook and in our newsletter.

And why not join us for one of our online training courses at safetraining.lgfl.net or use our self-service CPD page safecpd.lgfl.net to download a resource or watch a video on catchup.



https://www.lgfl.net/online-safety/default.aspx



ALL YEAR 7 PARENTS

Dear Year 7 parents and carers,

It is our intention to hold a half termly zoom meeting for parents and carers to 'check in' with us during the pandemic.

The next one will be on Tuesday, 10th November at 2pm.

It will be an opportunity for you to ask any questions about your child's learning and for us to update you on what is going on in school. Details of how to join the zoom are outlined below. We hope to see you there!

Steve Gallears is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: Year 7 parents information event

Time: Nov 10, 2020 02:00 PM London

Join Zoom Meeting

https://zoom.us/j/4653179233?pwd=NHIPSkdHSDUreVdNOEVsbmhHQ2tBUT09

Meeting ID: 465 317 9233

Passcode: OEiCjb





If you are interested in becoming a Wellbeing Ambassador and would like to make a worthwhile contribution to Trinity's community, please speak to <u>Mrs</u> Buckley, <u>Ms</u> Lewis or <u>Ms</u> Simpson for further information. For further details on the application process please watch the Wellbeing Ambassador video on WeDuc



Mental Health & Wellbeing

For many years, mental health had been somewhat of an afterthought when it came to general wellbeing, with physical health taking top priority. However, over the past decade or so, attitudes have been changing, as the negative impact of mental illhealth on both a personal and professional level has become more widely recognised and publicised.

Wellbeing at Trinity

Trinity aims to provide a variety of ways in which pupils can access support for their general health and wellbeing. Currently there is a range therapies, groups and trained individuals that Trinitarians have access to. Trinity now has plans to add to its existing provisions by introducing its first team of pupil Wellbeing Ambassadors.



Wellbeing Ambassadors

The role of our Wellbeing Ambassadors is to provide valuable early intervention help to their peers who may be emotionally distressed, need someone to talk too and responds well to those in need of a 'listening ear'. Much like the Mental Health First Aiders the Wellbeing Ambassadors are to be an additional point of contact for pupils. Wellbeing Ambassadors will help to facilitate the implementation of Trinity's Health and Wellbeing strategy by:

- Removing the stigma by getting people talking about mental health and sharing their experiences
- Raising awareness of mental health problems
- Organising specific events & celebrate mental health awareness days
- Promoting positive mental health in our school
- Signpost young people to access support in your school
- Share good news stories

If you have confidence to step in, reassure and support a person in distress or have enhanced interpersonal skills such as the ability to listen non-judgementally and would like to help someone recover their health by guiding them to further support - whether that's self-help then this could be the role for you. Becoming a Wellbeing Ambassador may be similar to the career you wish to pursue in the future.

Even without these skills still apply as all ambassadors will receive training. Application forms can be found on Weduc or collected from Ms Simpson's office (ground floor atrium)

HOW TO MEASURE REMAINING DAYLIGHT WITH YOUR HAND

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1: FACE the sun and extend your arm in front of you so that your palm faces toward you and fingers are parallel to horizon.



2: POSITION your index finger so that it rests just below the sun and your pinky parallel to the edge of the horizon. 3: COUNT the number of fingers it takes to reach from the sun to the horizon. Each ascending finger represents 15 minutes until the sun sets.

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4: IF space allows, line up your other hand directly below and continue Each hand represents approximately one hour.

TRINITY'S BOOK DRIVE TO HELP A PARTNER SCHOOL IN AFRICA We need your HELP!

he need is simple : all children need books

Please, help us by donating new or gently used books from primary to year 13.

Drop off your books in the designated drop boxes in the building.

