



Friday 27<sup>th</sup> February 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

Well done to Year 11 students on their first week of Mocks, and best wishes as they revise for the remainder of those important exams. Keep it up!

Huge thanks to staff and well done to pupils on the **ski trip** to Austria (with lots of snow!) and the Sixth Form **Business and Economics** trip to Berlin. Congratulations to all **CCF cadets** whose achievements and promotions were celebrated on parade before half term. Best wishes to **A-level Geographers** heading to the Lake District for their residential field course.

Well done to Sixth Formers who have won **OL Awards** to help fund travel to locations as diverse as Paris, Italy, Malawi and Istanbul. It is also excellent to see so many strong Year 12 **prefect applications**. Thank you & good luck!



CCF Sword Ceremony



### Music success

Many congratulations to **Clara Spence (U6)** on her scholarship to the Royal Northern College of Music to study saxophone next year. This is an outstanding achievement at this world-leading conservatoire. It was excellent to send one hundred Year 7 pupils to see the **National Youth Orchestra** in Blackpool (*photo left*). Best wishes to all pupils who are taking part in this year's **Young Musician of the Year** lunchtime heats – whether rock, piano, strings, woodwind, brass, vocal or open duets!

### Vacancies – Exam invigilators

We are seeking new exam invigilators to join our excellent team for the GCSE and A-Level summer exams. The exam period runs from Monday 4<sup>th</sup> May to Friday 26<sup>th</sup> June 2026. For more details and an application form please see details on our website here: <https://www.lrgs.org.uk/vacancies/casual-exam-invigilators-1>

### Free Event: Spark Lancaster STEM Festival – Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> March

Looking for a fun, free family day out? Join Tech Lancaster at **The Storey** on Saturday, 7th March (10am – 5pm) for **Spark Lancaster**, a brand-new, hands-on tech and STEAM festival. Suitable for ages 6+ to adults, attendees can program robots, try 3D printing, explore electronics, and tackle interactive engineering challenges with tech entertainers and "Trap the Thief". This is also an opportunity to meet local tech companies and explore STEM careers with our experts. Grab your free tickets and learn more at [www.spark-lancaster.org.uk](http://www.spark-lancaster.org.uk).

### "Spill the Tea on T Levels at Teatime" – Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> March, 7pm

This is the next in a series of live Teams webinars for Year 10 and 11 students, parents, and carers in the northwest to explore **T Level technical pathways**. They offer insights from current T level students and professionals to help navigate post-16 options. Register [here](#) or use this QR code:



With best wishes ~ Dr C.J. Pyle

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Berlin trip



Ski trip - Austria



Crouch – Bind – Set!



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