



HAYDON
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HAYDON NEWSLINK

CHRISTMAS 2019

WINNERS OF HAYDON'S GOT
TALENT 2019 -
ALICE BONNEY AND
SKY LECEK-BEEVER



MESSAGE FROM THE HEADTEACHER

MR ROBERT JONES



Prize Giving Evening

I draft my message for 'Newslink' following a delightful Prize Giving Evening on Wednesday 18 December. The evening celebrated the achievements of our students for the 2018-19 academic year.

It was a fantastic evening enjoying the successes of many of our young people, some of whom have continued their academic career at University or on apprenticeships. I always enjoy hearing from former students who have just completed their first term at university. It was also lovely seeing a number of former colleagues as well.

Our guest speaker was Yolande Toussaint who gave an inspiring presentation on the importance of seizing the moment and creating our own story. She also related the presentation to the five Haydon Values.

There were three outstanding music performances during the evening and I would like to congratulate Kieran Vallabh, Madison Daley and Yashveer Dhanjal for the quality of their performance.

Year 13 University Applications

Having secured 134 university places this summer, our year 13 students have just completed their applications. A large number have already received some excellent offers and others have further interviews after Christmas. It is a very exciting time for them planning their futures. I wish them every success.

Happy Christmas!

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of the staff at the school who have worked so tirelessly this year. As well as delivering lessons that have enabled the students to achieve excellent examination results, they have also provided numerous extra-curricular opportunities that have enabled many students to succeed in competitions and also experience other cultures through the extensive variety of trips that they give up their time to run. I wish them a very relaxing holiday. All that remains is to wish you all Season's Greetings, Merry Christmas and a very Happy New Year!

R W Jones - Headteacher

'TIS THE SEASON OF GIVING

HAYDON SCHOOL DONATION TO A FOOD BANK

On Tuesday 10 December, a few students from each year group delivered food donated by the whole school to the food bank at The United Reformed Church in Northwood Hills.

There was about 60/70 large bags of non-perishables which will be taken to a depot in Uxbridge to be sorted and distributed to the less fortunate.

Nigel, an organiser at the church, gave the students that helped drop off the food an educated talk about how some people have to make the difficult decision of choosing between "heating and eating". They learnt that over the past few years, the demand for food banks has increased as rent has increased but salaries have stayed the same; in the UK, there are now more food banks than there are McDonald's.

As a whole, it was a very rewarding and eye-opening experience to help those in need and we are proud to see that our students have demonstrated one of our core values of kindness by helping those in need within our local community.

Next year, with the help of our community we hope to donate even more food.



2019 HAYDON'S GOT TALENT



Our Haydon's Got Talent- talent show took place at the end of November. This year we had ten outstanding acts from across the year groups performing. Mr Gooch, Ms Powell and Mr Clarke made up the judging panel for the evening. All three staff members were blown away by the talent on display. This year it was difficult to choose just one winner therefore the winning award was shared between two students; **Alice Bonney and Sky Lecek-Beever** (both in Year 10).

We would like to congratulate all the students who took part in the show this term:

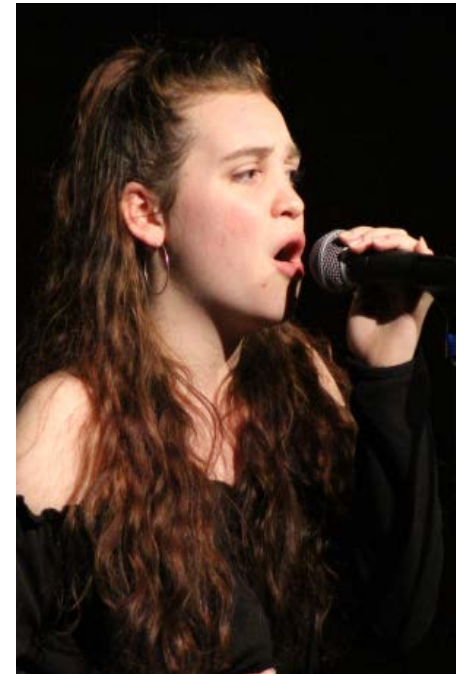
Katie Hodgson 12SFB, Jared, Maritz 7ADL, Giuliana Schettino 7EKM, Laura Demchuk and Gabi Ivanovaite 9DAS, Maisy-May, Oseman, Rachel Mulenda and Aariya Ramday 7AXD, Karina Demchuk 7LRH, Donya Hajiahmad, 10PAA, Lorin Stringfellow 8MEM, Madison Daley 9CLC, and Yashveer Dhanjal 9SCM (previous winners), and also the technical crew made up of largely Year 7 students who were supporting the event following their regular attendance at our school Back Stage Club.

We would like to thank Ms Pennell and the Performing Arts/Media Team for all their hard work.

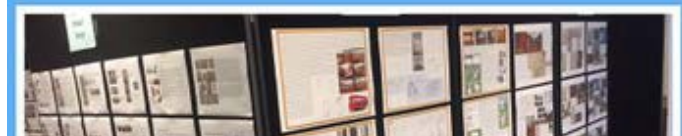


2019 CHRISTMAS CONCERT





2019 PRIZE GIVING EVENING



This years' guest speaker for our annual prize giving evening was Yolanda Toussaint - Author and Public Speaker Dedicated to Empowering Young People to reach their full potential

We were delighted to invite our current and former students of Haydon back to celebrate their achievements and successes.





NEWS FROM GEOGRAPHY

YEAR 10 RESIDENTIAL FIELD TRIP

On Wednesday 6 of November, 60 year 10 Geographers visited the South Downs, East Sussex on a residential field trip.

Budding young geographer Anusan (10ZEM) recounts his visit.

"It was an unbelievably fun three days that I would not have expected before the trip. On a personal note, this was my first trip away from my family for more than 1 night and I was quite nervous about settling in and I did miss them a lot but it was an unforgettable and incredible experience that had not just an educational aspect but a sociable one too, being able to spend time with my friends.

On the trip, my favourite day was both Thursday and Friday because going out and carrying out the field work ourselves meant gaining personal hands-on experience.

Thursday morning we were provided with a delicious breakfast and left promptly to visit the river where it was an experience like no other getting my wellington boots filled up with water and having the moment of pouring the water out which looked incredible.

When we got back, we had classroom sessions followed by dinner and then social time with our friends which was fun because it just meant everyone was able to enjoy playing cards which slowly became hilarious and then watching The Apprentice together with Mr Knowles.

On Friday we visited Eastbourne which was a beautiful seaside town. We were investigating how urban areas changed moving out of the Central Business District, the centre of the urban area.

We had the experience of asking the local community their opinion of Eastbourne which was really fun but nerve-racking.

This will be one of the best trips I have had at Haydon! I think fieldwork is an essential aspect for Geography GCSE because it gives us geographers an understanding of the outside world as well as a visual understanding of what we are learning in class.

I think any Year 8 students considering GCSE Geography should take it with the excitement of learning the geographical aspect to everyday life that is happening without them realising and I am sure they will enjoy the experience of doing field work itself!"

Anusan - (10ZEM)



TRIPS

UPCOMING TRIPS

SNOWDONIA

Year 7 Camp: Aberdovey, Snowdonia
3 to 7 February 2020

The aim of the camp is to introduce students to a variety of outdoor adventure activities as well as the opportunity to live and work together over the 4 days and develop their confidence and resilience in dealing with challenging and unfamiliar tasks. The students will take part in a variety of activities that are led by the Outward Bound Trust, activities may include rafting, gorge walking, rowing, sailing, rock climbing, kayaking amongst others.



SKI TRIP

Ski Trip to Gstaad, Switzerland
14 to 21 February 2020

Students will enjoy a well-balanced, happy and safe holiday experience which introduces them to different ski areas and exciting activities. The Après ski evening activities include: swimming, indoor-rock climbing, ice skating, a visit to the town of Gstaad, a movie night and a disco. The ski instructors that provide the lessons on the ski slope run activities off of the mountain, therefore, much personal care and attention is given to each student.



PARENT APP



We have recently launched the SIMS Parent App - An essential free tool for all parents and guardians. The SIMS Parent APP will give you access, at the click of a button, to important information about your child at Haydon, such as:

1. Attendance, achievement and behaviour information as it happens
2. Access to your child's school report (we do not issue paper reports)
3. Access to your child's timetable
4. Access to update your contact details and all your child's key information, so we always have the most up-to-date information in case of emergency
5. If you have more than one child at Haydon, you will have access to information for all your children, from the same app

HOT CHOCOLATE WITH THE HEAD

BIG SUMMER READ COMPETITION

A mixed group of students were awarded a Hot Chocolate with the Headteacher. The students completed some excellent work on The Big Summer Read, 'The Boy at the Back of the Class' by Onjali Q Rauf. We would like to congratulate Diya, Mia (Year 7); Bilaal, Louisa, Nyla, Lorin, Sienna, Amelie (Year 8); Isabel and Ev (Year 9).



CODING CLUB COMPUTING

In Computing, students are enjoying coding and their -problem solving skills in our Code Club, which is every Monday 3-4 pm.

Every week, students choose the project from the following and they create the amazing work:

- Photoshop
- Python
- Microbit

We also have DFE volunteers (year 9 and year 10 students) called "Digital Leaders" who volunteer in Code Club helping out younger students at Coding.

The students are really enjoying their time at the club and it is great to see how enthusiastic they are about Computer Science.



Code Club/Digital
Leaders
Room 88
Mondays After School



HAYDON PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Below is just a small sample of our sporting success this term. Follow the PE department twitter feed at **@HaydonPE** and keep up to date with all the sporting news.

Haydon PE Department @HaydonPE · Dec 1
2019 Regional Schools Trampoline Championships
So proud of Haydon's Trampoline Team today - 1st ever competition for most! Big thank you to ex Haydon student Danielle Shaw for making our new leotards and officiating and her mum for judging! 🙌



Haydon PE Department @HaydonPE · Nov 25
Fantastic day out for the year 8 rugby team at the Middlesex Rugby Festival. Playing against some fantastic teams, learning lots and having a difficult morning. However, some fantastic performances in the afternoon meaning we finished second place in the shield competition. 🏆🏆



Haydon PE Department @HaydonPE · Nov 5
U16s futsal north league took place tonight and Haydon won 4/4 games to qualify as group winners. Some excellent football played and great goals scored. Well done girls 🙌⚽



Haydon PE Department @HaydonPE · Oct 4
Our Yr9/10 and 7/8 Boys are playing in the South East London regional finals. The only state school and the only school to have Boys in both age groups! 🙌🏆



Haydon PE Department @HaydonPE · Oct 4
3rd in the South of England!! Congratulations to our Year 10 Boys tennis team



Haydon PE Department @HaydonPE · Dec 3
So excited to hear that ex student Danielle Shaw has been selected for the 17+ age group for the Double mini trampoline England squad 🙌🙌🙌 so deserved! hard work = success!



SAFEGUARING



28 OCTOBER - 1 NOVEMBER 2019



SAFE

HAYDON'S SAFEGUARDING WEEK

Each year group from 7-13 will be having bespoke safeguarding presentations and/or workshops targeted to the needs of that year group.

REMEMBER: SAFEGUARDING IS EVERYBODY'S RESPONSIBILITY

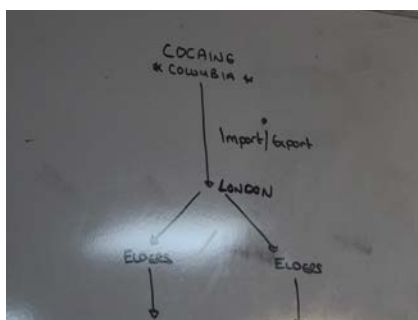
This term saw Haydon host its inaugural Safeguarding Week. We were fortunate to have secured a number of outside speakers to work directly with each of our Year groups in order to educate and raise awareness on various Safeguarding issues. Knife crime awareness was the key theme of this year's event. Each year group were able to listen to the experiences shared by Alison Cope. Thank you to all those parents and carers who also came along to the parental presentation during that week given by Alison Cope.

Due to the overwhelming positive impact Alison had upon our students, Haydon students have asked to hold a non-uniform day to raise money for her charity (The Joshua Ribera Awards) in order to allow her to continue to expand her work in rewarding youngsters who have improved academically or in character despite educational or life challenges.

Alongside our Keynote speaker, each Year group also had a second bespoke session:

- Year 11 and Year 13 had a presentation from the Breck Bednar Foundation on the potential dangers of online gaming and catphising
- Year 12 had a presentation from SORTED on drugs - the myths and realities
- Year 10 forms undertook workshops on Domestic Abuse
- Year 9 forms had workshops about how to stay safe online
- Year 8 worked with the Women and Girls Network, focusing on what is a healthy relationship
- Year 7 took part in 'Your Life You Choose'. This involved the year having an all-day session about learning how to make the right choices and what the potential impacts could be if they do not - outside speakers for this event included Police, Magistrates, Youth Offending Team, Victim Support and an ex-offender.

We are pleased to say that plans are already in place for Safeguarding week 2020 and would like to thank Mrs Wall and Ms McCarthy for all the work they did in planning these events.



NEWS FROM ENGLISH

YEAR 9 ENGLISH WORKSHOP

At the beginning of the term our Year 9 students had an opportunity to hear from four different authors about their books and an opportunity to ask them questions about storytelling, narratives and characters.

The four authors that ran the workshop were :

L.J. MacWhirter - Author of: Black Snow Falling

Rowena House - Author of: The Goose Road

Matt Killeen - Author of: Orphan Monster Spy

Tracey Mathias - Author of: Night Of The Party

The workshop allowed the students to come up with their own story plots and narratives exploring their creativity and imagination.



You Retweeted



Matt Killeen @by_Matt_Killeen · Oct 1

We barely ran a workshop today, as a room full of students seized on our prompts & ran with them, plotting out several future bestsellers.
@HaydonSchool should be pretty proud of them.

MACBETH

It was a pleasure to have the Globe Players visit the school again this year. 289 Year 11 students had the opportunity to see Macbeth as it was intended, as a live production, rather than as a text in a classroom. This was an invaluable experience in developing their cultural capital.



HELP YOUR HERO PARENT WORKSHOP

Our English Departments ran a 'Help Your Hero' Parent's workshop. Our English Department invited in a an author in to do a workshop in creative writing which was linked to examinations.

The workshop also went through a number of other key topics such as :

Lesson plans / curriculum

Exams

How to answer questions in exams

Help and Advice

**The parents found the workshop very useful and informative
See some of the feedback below:**

"Very useful session. Mostly scared me and made me realise how much more effort and reading encouragement we need to do as parents."

"Very informative, hopefully, my son will let me offer him some help. Good to see the skills that are required. "

"A fantastic eye-opener for parents. This type of evening should be available in all core subjects."

"A very useful evening highlighting the extent of work which needs to be done by students. Very helpful to go through the actual questions as this gives an indication of how parents can give help – practice and reading. Would certainly like to see more evenings like this and also in other core subjects, maths/science. "

"Thank you to the teachers for organising the evening, it was useful and help with our understanding. I would welcome them in other core subjects. More practical solutions about how we can help the children would be useful."

NEWS FROM ART & DT

Students and staff in the Art & DT have started the year with a flying start, celebrating the success of our GCSE and A-level results at the end of August. The Art department celebrated huge success throughout the year with 97% of GCSE students achieving a 4 and above. 91% of A-Level Art students, 100% of A-Level photography students and 86% of A-level textile students were awarded an A*-C grade. We are so proud of our A-level students, with many of them continuing their studies in the creative arts, having gained places at some of the top Arts specialist universities including Central Saint Martians, UCA, Bath and Loughborough.

In the Design and Technology department, our GCSE students and staff have been working extremely hard, with their efforts evident in another successful amount of results being awarded: 56% students studying DT: textiles, 71% students studying DT: Graphics and 47% students studying DT: Resistant Materials were awarded an A*-C grade. In A-level Product Design 73% of students were awarded an A*-C grade. We wish all our students a huge congratulations on their results and wish them every success in their future studies.

Across the faculty students are busy working on their coursework and creative projects. Through the development of their knowledge and understanding of different materials, techniques and processes in each of the subject and material areas students are creatively designing and making products and artefacts:

Year 7 Textiles students are designing and making applique pencil cases inspired by a theme of their choice:



In year 8 Textiles students are designing and making novelty hats out of felt and fleece ready for their Year 8 residential camping trip later this year:



Year 7 Resistant Materials students are exploring plastic possibilities and have made their own novelty keyrings:



Year 7 - the pineapple keyring above is by Riddhima, the watermelon is by Ewan, the cat is by Trissha and the avocado is by Alana.

ART & DT ...

We welcome back Chef, Teacher and Head of department, Mr Davis to the Food Technology department.

Year 7 students took part in a Cup Cake making and design challenge during their Food Technology lessons. The 'Star Baker' was Lili who made the lemon drizzle cupcakes.



As part of their GCSE Practice NEA, Year 10 Design Technology students are currently designing and making products around the theme of 'Children's Learning and Play'. As part of the research and investigational content, students in Textiles visited St Vincent's Nursery to conduct a focus group with some of the Nursery Students and Staff.

The students thoroughly enjoyed interacting with the young children. They found it extremely beneficial, collecting live research for their coursework, thus enabling them to develop a detailed customer profile. We look forward to visiting the Nursery again later in the year, where the young children can have the opportunity of engaging with the products the year 10 students produce.



In Art Year 8 students are currently exploring the vibrant world of POP Art, producing their own colourful collages, drawings and paintings of everyday artefacts:

By Priyanka and Grace



EXTRA CURRICULAR

Is Your Child Making The Most Of Their Time At Haydon?

One of the most positive areas of feedback we receive from parents is the fantastic array of extra-curricular clubs available to our students. Please see last terms collated club list for every year group below - (an updated list will be sent out at the beginning of the spring term).

We want to challenge every student at the school to attend at least one extra-curricular club. It really helps students feel embedded in our school community, develop relationships with their peers and teachers and also improve their physical and cognitive skills.



HAYDON SCHOOL - EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES 2019-2020

● KS3 ● KS4 ● All Years

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Before School		KS3 Choir Room M1 - 8:30-9am	Training Orchestra Room 3 - 8:30-9am	Senior Orchestra Room M2- 8:30-9am	
After School	Boys Rugby KS3 Field - 2:50-4:00pm	Year 7 Homework Club -2:50-4:00pm	Boys Football (KS3) Field - 2:50-4:00pm	Year 7 Homework Club 2:50-4:00pm	Year 7 Homework Club 2:50-4:00pm
	KS3 Art Club Room A22	Samba Band Recital Room 3:00-3:30pm	KS3 Young Designers Woods Building 3-4pm	Boys Basketball (KS3) Dobson - 2:50-4:00pm	Boys Basketball (KS4) Dobson - 2:50-4:00pm
	KS3 Drama Club 3:00 to 3:45pm Room 11	Table Tennis (All) St Nicks - 2:50-4:00pm	Year 7 Homework Club -2:50-4:00pm	Year 9 to 12 STEM Club Room 40	Badminton (All) St Marys - 2:50-4:00pm
	Year 7 Homework Club 2:50-4:00pm	Girls Basketball (All) Dobson - 2:50-4:00pm	Year 7 & 8 Science Club Room 44	Music - Grd 5 Theory Room M1 - 3:00 - 3:30pm	
	Science Support Drop in Sessions for Biology, Chemistry, Physics for KS4 & KS5 Room advertised on Science corridor posters	Dance Club (All) * Paid Room 3 - 2:50-4:00pm	GCSE and A level catch up sessions Room A24	Textile Studio (GCSE/A Level) Room 11 - 3:00-5:00pm	
	GCSE and A level catch up sessions Room A24	Trampoline (All) * Paid St Marys Gym- 2:50-4:00pm	Science Support Drop in Sessions for Biology, Chemistry, Physics for KS4 & KS5 Room advertised on Science corridor posters	Boys Rugby KS4 Field - 2:50-4:00pm	
	Boys Football KS4 Field - 2:50-4:00pm		Textile Studio (GCSE/A Level) Room 11 - 3:00-5:00pm	Show Rehearsals St. Mary's Hall - 3-5pm	
	Textile Studio (GCSE/A Level) Room 11 - 3:00-5:00pm		A Cappella Room M1 - 3:00 - 3:30pm	Music - Beatcraft Room M1 - 3:00 - 3:30pm	
	Code Club/Digital Leaders Room 88		Guitar Club Room M2 - 3:00 - 3:30pm	Film Club St Marys Corridor - 3:00 - 4:00pm	
	German Club-L11		Netball (All) Dobson - 2:50-4:00pm	TED Talk Club 3:00 - 4:00pm - Room 10	
	Pop Bands M1/M2/ Studio 3:00 - 3:30pm		Trampoline (All) * Paid St Marys Gym- 2:50-4:00pm	Fitness (All) St Nicks - 2:50-4:00pm	
	Backstage Pass St Marys Hall- 2:50pm			Gymnastics (All) St Marys Gym- 2:50-4:00pm	
	Girls Football / Rugby (All) Dobson / Field - 2:50-4:00pm				
	Handball (All) Dobson Gym- 2:50-4:00pm				
	Trampoline (All) * Paid St Marys Gym- 2:50-4:00pm				

Extra revision sessions or clubs may also be added throughout the year. Pupils will be e-mailed via in-touch and the rota will be updated termly

LETTINGS AT HAYDON

Looking to hire a space for a club / activity or event?

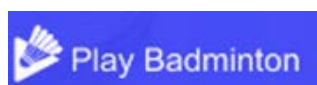
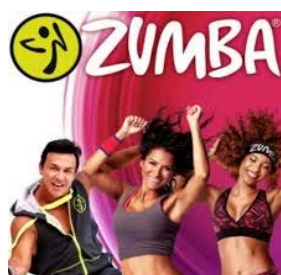
Haydon School have superb facilities available for hire to the local community, including 3 sports halls, 4 new indoor cricket net facilities, a main hall for events hire, dance studio and drama rooms, an outdoor playing field, classrooms and many more.

Have a look at the "Whats On" page on our website to join a class or attend clubs:

<https://haydonschool.schoolbookings.co.uk/>

From Yoga Classes to Taekwondo, Boxing and a Dance School - you are sure to find something of interest that you could attend on the weekends / after school. Have a look at some of the clubs / businesses below that use our space.

To check availability or to arrange a viewing please email : lettings@haydonschool.org.uk or fill in an enquiry form on our website.



Warriors Badminton Club



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GCSE Maths and English
Classes every Sunday 10am

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Book your class or enquire via:
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We are dedicated to providing students with proactive learning solutions and techniques that will stay with them, not just through exams but through their entire academic careers.



MEDIA TRIPS

DRAMA TRIP

On 6 November 2019, the drama department at Haydon school visited the Troubadour theatre in Wembley. We watched the well-known play 'Warhorse' based on the book written by Michael Morpurgo.

Warhorse is an imaginative drama that takes you through the journey of Albert and his horse Joey during the First World War. You will witness the love built between the characters, the challenges they have to overcome, and their determination to find each other again after separation.

South Africa's "Handspring Puppet Company" have created breathing, galloping, lifelike horses, operated by skilful puppeteers and actors. The horses become expressive and emotive in their skilled hands, and at times it is easy to forget that they are not real.

This was a 2 hour and 40 minutes adventure, that left me experiencing every emotion and watching in awe as the story unfolded. This show is truly a mesmerizing experience that you will not forget. I was very lucky to be able to have the opportunity to analyse the play and use this extraordinary story for my GCSE's.

Lara Hama

FILM AND TV TRIP

Year 12 and 13 BTEC Film and Television students had the exciting opportunity to visit the huge broadcasting company Sky where they also got the chance to record their own news report using the latest technology and equipment. The students were coached by industry professionals who assisted them in directing, camerawork, producing and editing. The students gained valuable insight in the media industries and how it all worked which gave them an idea on potential careers in the media for the future. All student thoroughly enjoyed the experience.



YEAR 12 AND 13 TRIP TO THE NATIONAL THEATRE

The Year 12 and 13 Drama and Theatre students went to the National Theatre on the 19th November to see a new play by Annie Baker - The Antipodes.

Antipodes overview:

Eight people suddenly appear around a large oval table. One man at the head rambles on about 'how great it is to work here' and how great of a boss he is. As he instructs people to tell stories, we get into the main flow of the play. We're never told why these stories are being told, which provides a challenge for the actors: to keep the audience entertained without them knowing what the goal is or if they will get there. Nevertheless, I found myself fully immersed in these stories.

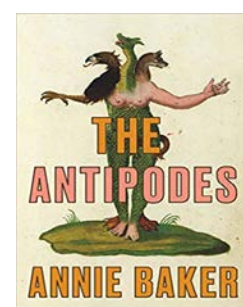
Something that was very interesting was the interactions between all the characters. The awkwardness of all the new members as they realise what they're doing is clear and Danny M1 (Matt Bardock) and Dave (Arthur Darvill) showed ease with Sandy (Conleth Hill) whilst the others all showed tension towards their new boss.

Other performances that stood out were Bill Milner as Brian, the quiet assistant who performs some kind of ritual while the others are sleeping, and Imogen Doel as Sarah, the secretary, who came on comically every time in a new outfit within two minutes of each other.

Others complained about how they didn't like it as there were moments that they didn't understand the meaning. However, I felt that the mystery of certain points added to the helplessness of the characters situation and further involved the audience into the action. It was as if I was another member of the meeting trying to find an interesting story.

Overall, I felt The Antipodes was superbly performed and directed. It's message of the importance of stories is especially significant in today's society of politics and fake news.

By Luke Ralfs 13HCH



SCIENCE CLUB

KS3 SCIENCE CLUB

The Science Department organises a Science Club for Key Stage 3 students which takes place every Wednesday after school.

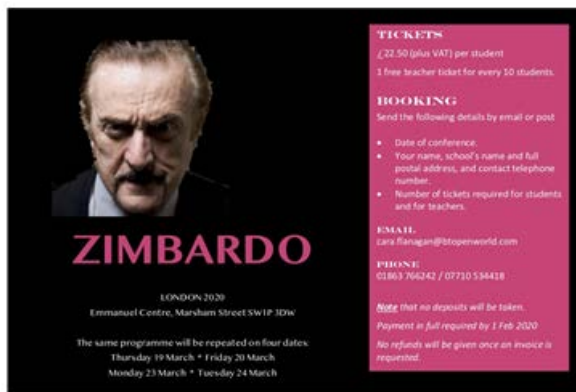
All students are welcome to join without having to reserve a place. Each week we explore a different science topic with engaging demonstrations and hands on activities that everyone can do.

Activities this term included students making an enormous wave-making machine, some scary pumpkins for Halloween and to finish off the term they made delicious ice-creams.

The Science Club usually meet in the science laboratories, but occasionally the club takes place in other departments, such as in Food Technology classrooms, for example the last session of the club took place in the Food Tech rooms in order for them to make ice creams.



PSYCHOLOGY, SOCIOLOGY & LAW



PSYCHOLOGY

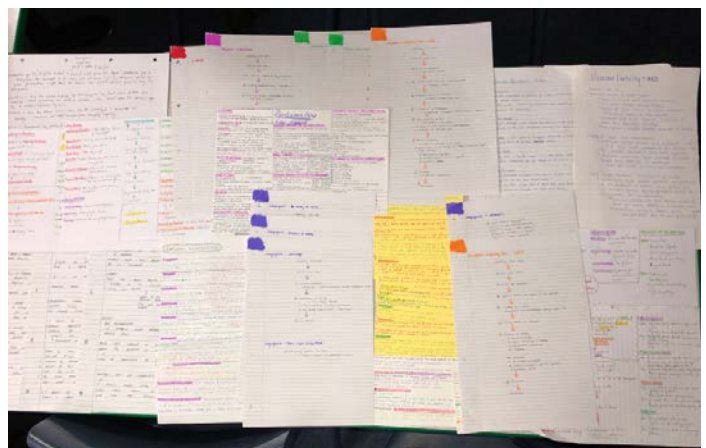
In March, selected Year 12 & 13 students will have the opportunity to attend the "Zimbardo Conference" headlined by one of the world's most famous psychologists, Dr Philip Zimbardo. Talks on the day include, "My journey from creating evil to inspiring heroism", "Who am I?" and "Experiencing the impossible: Why magic works". (poster attached)

The Psychology department will also be holding a Brain Day Tutorial later on in the year that is "intended to be inspirational, enriching, exciting and challenging; it is fast-paced and introduces students to the very latest studies in neuroscience, providing an insight into what is current and exciting in brain research."

LAW

Year 13 students have been parading their revision material for Paper 2 which focuses on Law Making and Tort.

Here are some examples of their hard work:



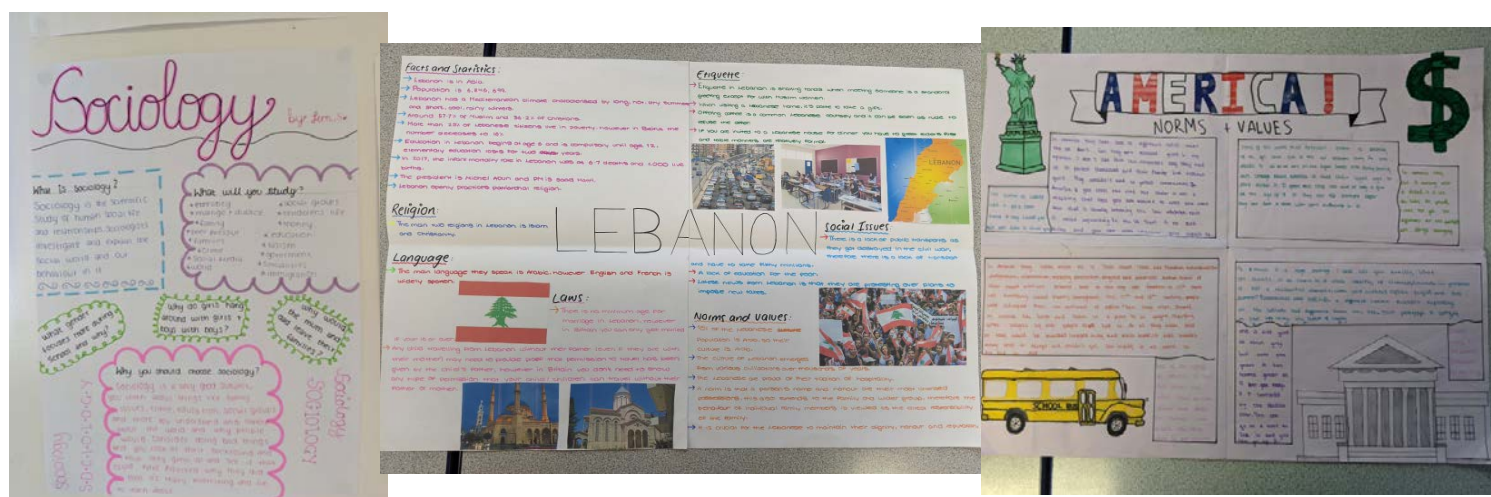
SOCIOLOGY

Year 12 and Year 13 Sociology students went to a Criminology conference on 4 December 2019.

Talks at the conference included "The Psychology of lie detection", "Hate crime in the cyber world" & "A Rusty Gun: Facing Up to a Life of Crime".

For more informaton about the conference go to: <https://www.hoddereducation.co.uk/event/crimcon>

In Sociology, students were also set the task of creating posters on 'What is Sociology?' and researching a country that has different norms and values to England . See some examples of their work below:



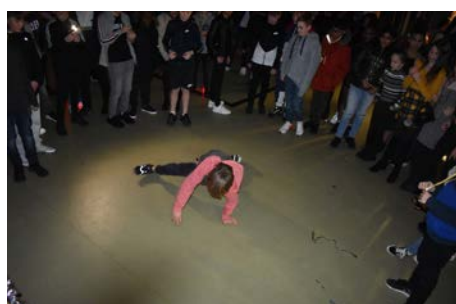
DISCO

INTERACT CLUB

YEAR 7 DISCO

On the Friday 29 November, The Haydon School Interact Club successfully organised the 2nd Annual Year 7 Disco.

The disco raised over £600 for the charity Breast Cancer Care. The Interact club started planning the event in September and met weekly with their sponsor the Rotary Club of Northwick Park. A special thank you to Nigel Shock and the Rotary Club for their support and donation of £70 in Amazon vouchers for the disco raffles. Special thanks to Mr Clarke who runs the Interact Club.



WORLD CHALLENGE UGANDA

During the summer holidays in 2020- thirteen students from Haydon will embark on a trip of a lifetime to Uganda. The trip will involve supporting a remote Ugandan community, with local building and education projects, a challenging hike in the Rwenzori Mountains and the chance to get close to the wildlife both on safari and through trekking and tracking chimpanzees in remote forests.

As part of the build-up, the preparation and ethos for this trip is not just restricted to three weeks abroad, the students have undertaken a two-year programme of fundraising and fitness training to help support their adventure. Their aim is to raise £3600 for the trip as well as any additional funds to support the community we will be visiting. They have all been very busy over the last 12 months, working hard to raise the funds both inside and outside school; one student even ran an astonishing event that raised over £1500.

At the start of the summer holidays, Daisy- one of our Year 12 students, entertained a large audience of staff, friends and family by running a full-scale dance show. She produced a full two hour show, consisting of ballet, jazz, and Latin numbers, organised participants, costumes and music, provided refreshments at the interval and also ran a raffle, where the top prizes were memorabilia donated from two major west end shows. This was a huge achievement for Daisy, especially as she was completing her GCSEs in the run-up to the show, but we also have to thank all the performers involved, from Suzanne's School of Dance, who gave up their time to support Daisy.

As well as individual fundraising efforts from the team, we applied for a grant with Hillingdon council, and were awarded £2500. Additionally, staff and students at Haydon all took part in a non-uniform day to support the charity we will be assisting in Uganda, Pukka Projects, and the community we will be working with. We'd like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who has been supporting us in this trip, the money we have raised will really make a difference to the community we will be working with and all the help that has been offered to our students is very much appreciated.

With just 8 months to go till our departure date, the team are as busy as ever. Look out for our quiz night in the new year, 5 of our team are working in partnership with Haydon's PTA (Parent Teacher Association) to organise the evening, we are told it will be a night to remember, and if you do come across a cake sale at parent evenings or school events, please stop for a cookie - they are delicious and for a fantastic cause.



HAYDON SIXTH FORM

MEET OUR HEAD BOY & HEAD GIRL 2019-2020 :

This year the head boy and girl elected are
Prajesh Chauhan and Lauren Smith-Warwick.

We look forward to seeing their ideas and plans
on developing the sixth form further in the coming
months.



NON-UNIFORM DAY IN SUPPORT OF CANCER

A non-uniform day was organised in support of
the charity - Cancer Support, it was very close to
the heart of one of our students and the Haydon
Sixth Form was willing to support her and raise
lots of money.

Alongside the non-uniform donations there was
also a cake sale organised for staff and sixth form
students.



POST SIXTH FORM INFORMATION EVENING

We will be holding a Post Sixth Form Information
Evening on Wednesday 5 February 2020 for Year
12 students and their parents in preparation for
University Applications and Alternative Pathways.
Last year we were delighted to have a wide range
of Universities and companies attending our Post
Sixth Form Evening to help our Year 12 Students
with their decisions.

Have a look at some of the companies /
universities that attended last year :

OXBRIDGE

Currently 111 students have applied to university,
everyone has been offered at least one place.
Four students have been shortlisted for interview
at Cambridge and one at Oxford.



KEY DATES & CONTACTS

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PLEASE NOTE: DATES CAN BE SUBJECT TO CHANGE. WE ADVISE YOU TO CHECK THE SCHOOL WEBSITE ON A REGULAR BASIS.

SPRING TERM 2020

Monday 6 January Term starts

Monday 17 February – Friday 21 February – Half Term

Monday 6 April – Monday 17 April 2020 – Easter Holiday

SUMMER TERM 2020

Monday 20 April Term starts

Monday 4 May - Bank Holiday (School closed)

Monday 25 May - Friday 29 May – Half Term

Friday 17 July -Last day of term- Early finish



2020-2021

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EXTENSION 103**