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Welcome to the latest edition of our weekly newsletter.

Throughout the whole of this academic year, our school library has been functioning 'virtually' and by a 'click and collect' system. It has been a real privilege to see how many students are actually using the 'click and collect' service to order new reading books.

At Cecil Jones Academy, we expect all students including Post 16, to have a reading book with them so please do encourage your child to select a book from our extensive list. Further to this, all students in Years 7 and 8 participate in the nationally recognised 'Accelerated Reader' scheme and will receive badges and certificates when they reach certain milestones. Congratulations to those students who have already received badges and certificates and these will be published in our school newsletters.

Mr Micek

Executive Headteacher



Competitions update

We are taking part in a national criminal-themed young writers competition. Entries must be uploaded or handed in to Miss Harding by Friday 21st May. Further information was given out in tutor and you can re-watch the video instructions here;

<https://youtu.be/ZYi8sWNYUsk>



Our Year 9 students who took part in the Brilliant Club University Programme have finally graduated! They wrote a thesis project and took part in multiple Zoom sessions to aspire and challenge them to apply to university in the future. Well done everyone!



Immunisations

All Year 9 students have been given a Vaccination Consent Form for Diphtheria, Tetanus & Polio and Meningitis. Please complete this as soon as possible. If you have any questions please contact front reception or enquiries@ceciljones.net.

Extra curricular PE activities

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
LUNCH 13.15-13.45	Year 11 Dance (SH)	Year 11 Dance (SH)			Year 10 Dance (SH)
AFTER ACADEMY 3.10-4.15pm		Year 8 Dance (SH) Year 8 Football (DCO) Year 8 Netball (KNI)	Year 7 Football (DCO/TAV) Year 7 Netball (TIN/NL)	Year 9 Football (TAV)	

Special Recognition Award

- Year 7– Bartek Czarniak
- Year 8— Summer Matthew
- Year 9– Faizah Ahmed
- Year 10– Lillie Southam
- Year 11–Oliver Howell

Well done to you all for your hard work and commitment to your studies.

Will your name be here next week?

Student of the Week

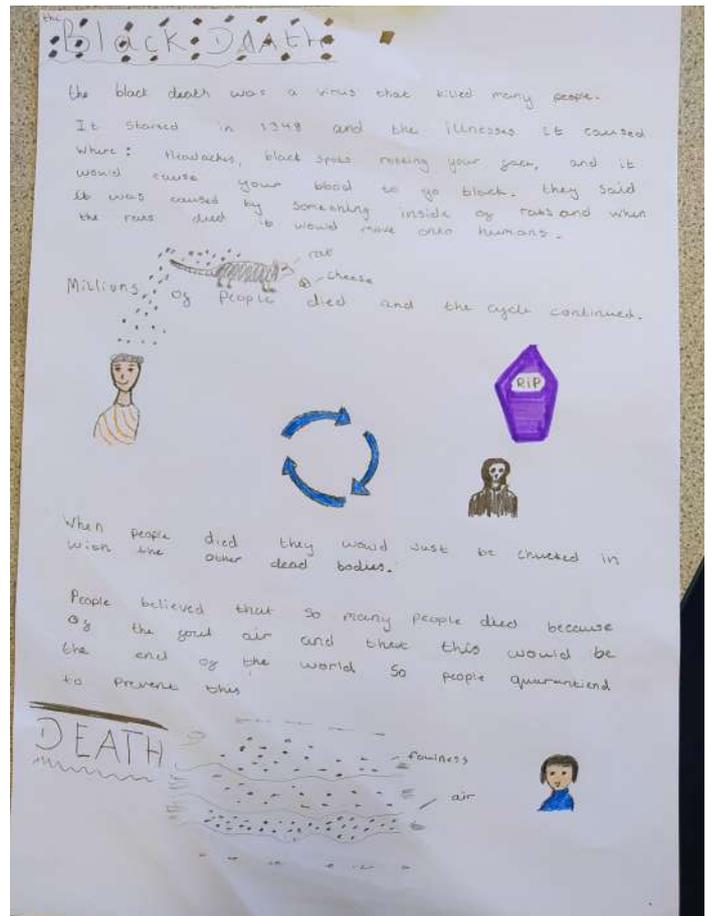
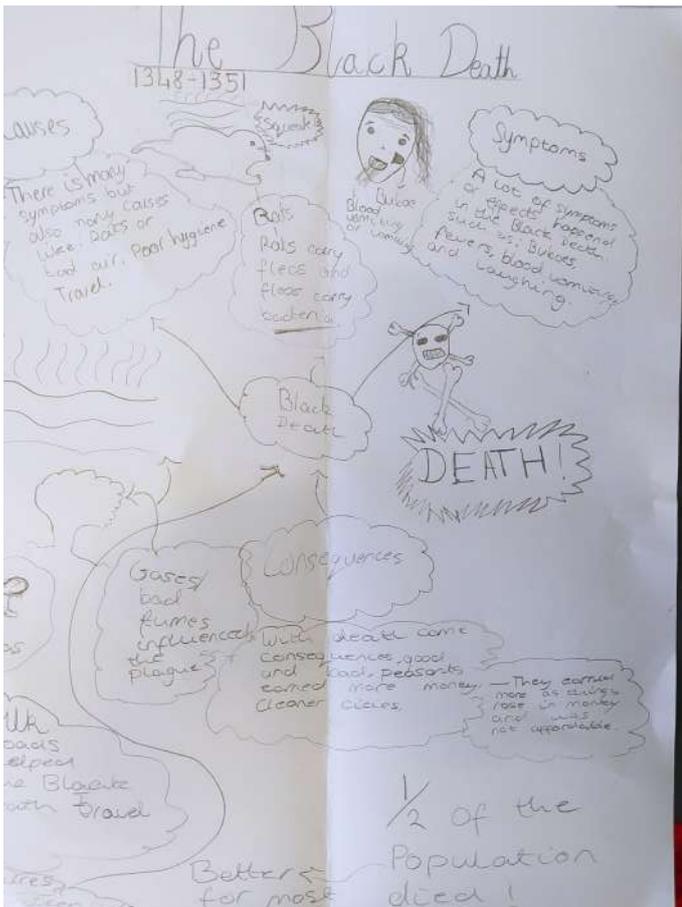
- Year 7– Zachary Stacey
- Year 8— Sam Cundy
- Year 9– Annabella Anderson
- Year 10– Ilyayda Enverova
- Year 11– Kerri Ann Williams
- Post 16– Sarah Taylor

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Below are some examples of work Mr Bolton's Year 7 History students have produced on the causes, effects and consequences of the Black Death.



Year 8 Geography students have been learning about geological landscapes. Here are two lovely examples of work from Sam Cundy and Erola Berisha.

CW / HW / Assessment Task **Date:** 26th April 2021

Topic / Title: Geological landscapes

The map showing the UK, it is showing the types of rocks.

1. Isle of Skye - igneous

Volcanoes will erupt lava into the surface. As the lava is very hot it spreads over a large area.

As the lava cools to form basalt, hexagonal cracks start to form.

The lava also cools vertically forming vertical cracks creating hexagonal columns.

Over time the basalt will start to...

2. Isle of Arran, Goolfell, igneous

As it rises, it cools and so hot solution over time it will get stuck.

Hot, less dense magma rose from the outer core.

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Intrusion - beneath (in) the earth

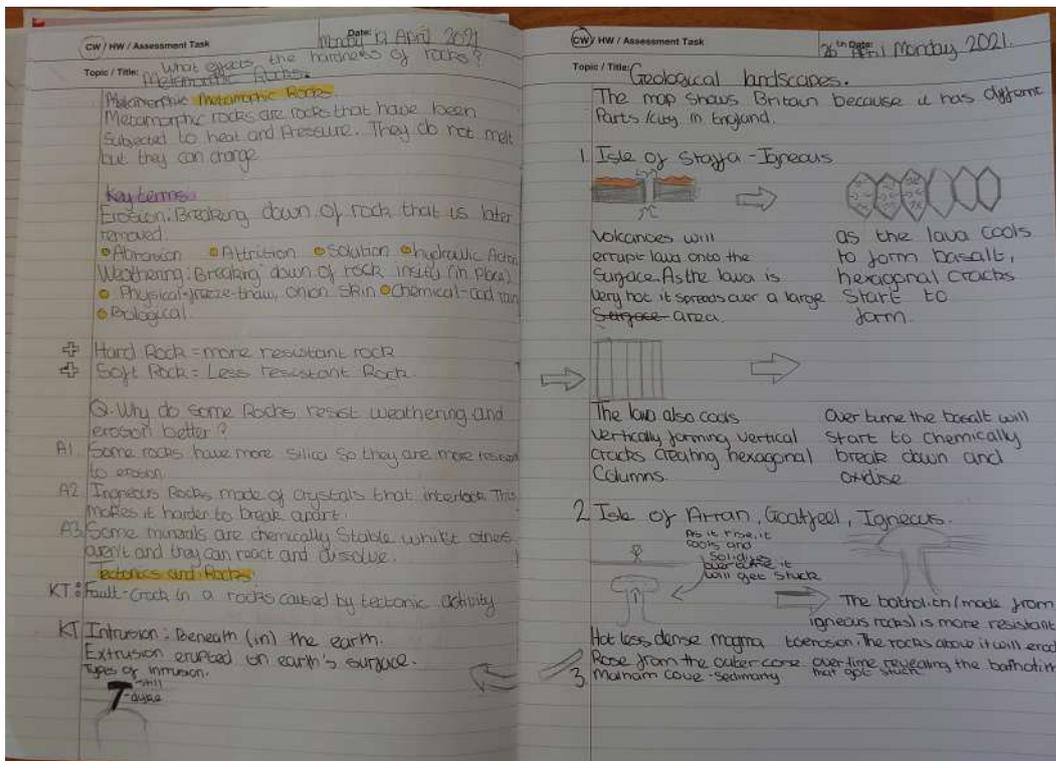
Extrusion - erupted on Earth's surface

Types of intrusion:

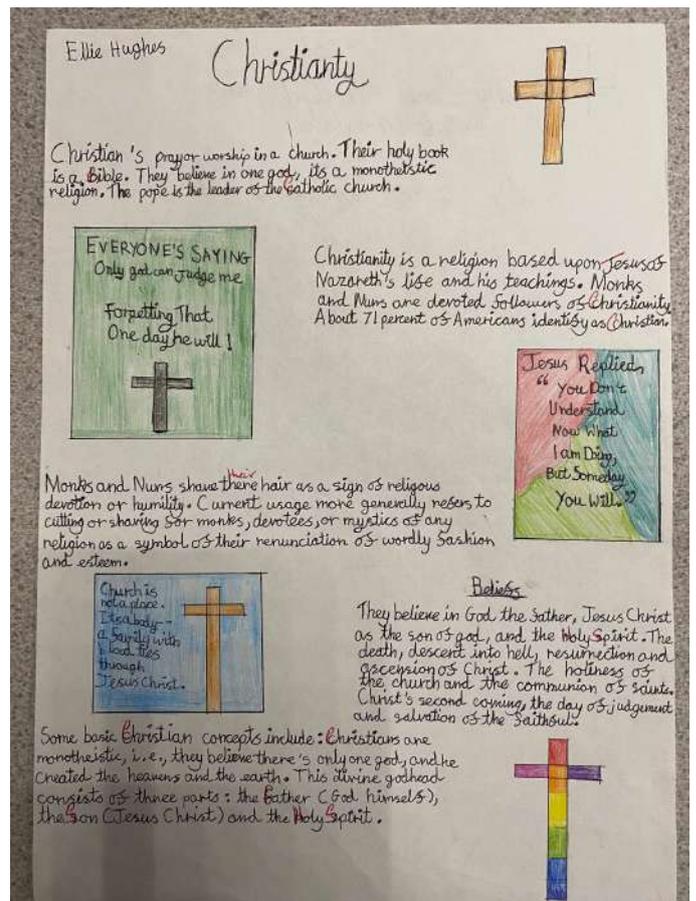
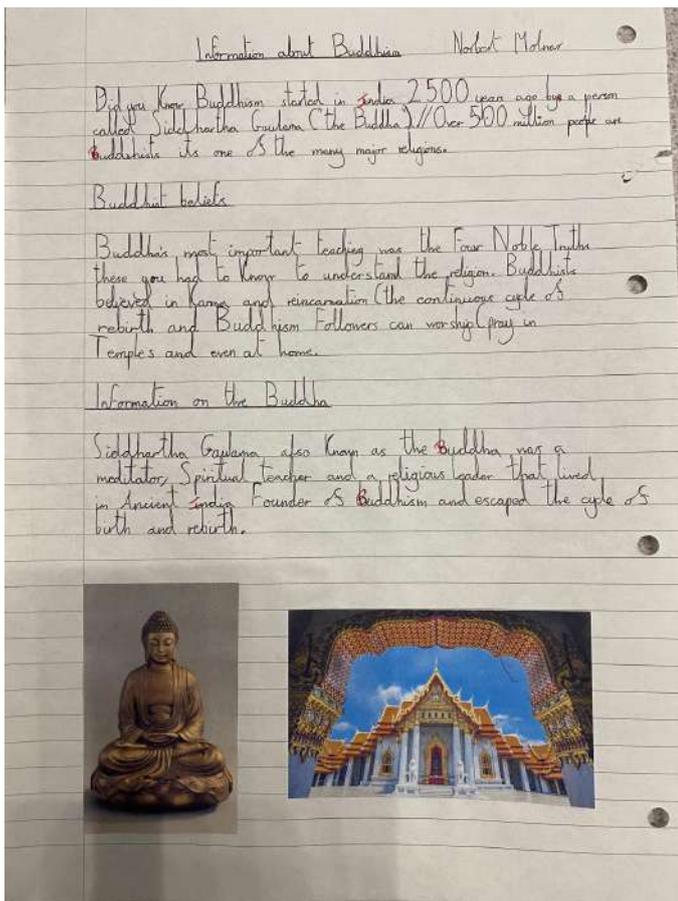
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Batholith (beneath rock)

The batholith (made from igneous rock) which is more resistant to erosion. The rocks above it will erode overtime revealing the batholith that got stuck.



Year 7 were asked to research one of the 6 major religions for homework. Below is a fantastic example of work from Norbert Molnar on Buddhism and Ellie Hughes on Christianity.



Post 16 update

Applying for University: UCAS & Apprenticeship process launching soon!

Further to our recent letter informing you of the launch of our exciting "Enrichment" programme for year 12 students on the 4th May 2021. There is more happening in Sixth Form that we want you to be kept in the loop about. Make Happen will be delivering sessions over the next three weeks virtually over Zoom. These sessions include Choosing University, Personal Statements and Student Finance.

What is happening?

The "Applying for University: UCAS & Apprenticeship process" will begin shortly - during the month of May.

Mrs Dudbridge will be issuing the parental guidance for UCAS in due course, which will provide much more information about how to support your child when applying for university. Also it will hopefully help answer any questions about this exciting but nervous process, as students begin to consider the next stage in their lives. We have also started to compile lots of interesting university prospectuses – these can be found in the Sixth Form study area.



Please also follow the link here to the UCAS page which offers answers about the next steps : <https://www.ucas.com/what-are-my-options>

In the meantime, if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact a member of the Sixth Form team.