



Headteacher's message

It has been another busy and productive year at City Academy Norwich, and we have seen our students continue to flourish and grow. It was with great pride that I watched our Year 11 cohort approach their GCSE examinations with resilience and determination and I look forward to celebrating their well-deserved achievements with them on the 22nd August. This year all of our students have risen to the challenge of meeting our higher expectations for their conduct and behaviour and have engaged effectively in their learning, and it was heartening to see this recognised in a visit from Ofsted in June. The inspection team recognised the tireless efforts for improvement that have been undertaken by all members of the school community and highlighted that classroom disruption was now rare and that there are many strengths in the school, including our Special Educational Needs and Disabilities provision and our broad and balanced curriculum offer. We feel this is a fantastic end to a very successful year and a springboard for further improvement as we drive towards excellence.

Other highlights of the year include the many charity events that have taken place, fantastic enrichment opportunities such as the Greenpower car, trips to the theatre, a whole host of sporting events and trips to galleries and exhibitions. Our Y10 Hair and Beauty students supported the School Sports Partnership dance show by doing the hair and make-up for the primary students taking part in the show. Some of our Year 9 students catered for a very prestigious event at Raveningham Gardens to celebrate the Papillon Project who support our allotment and over 100 students took part in this year's City Sports event at UEA athletic track.

One of the many things I enjoy about our school is seeing students excel in all areas of their development, finding success not just in the classroom, but in the many other skills and qualities that will allow them to grow into kind, curious and courageous adults. We will be looking at these three virtues in more depth in September and really focusing on students' holistic development across their five years at CAN.

As the year comes to a close, I want to wish you all an enjoyable summer break with, I hope, the opportunity to spend some time together as a family, and I look forward to seeing your children on their return refreshed and ready to achieve great things on either the 4th or 5th September.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Jo Franklin', located below the main text.

Jo Franklin

A massive well done to our Improtech Soccer students this year, who have all made great progress on the pitch. It is pleasing to see lots of our students achieving recognition for their efforts across the wider school in their end of year assemblies also.

Our games programme this year ended for both Year 7 and 8 teams with cup final victories. Our Year 7's winning the Community Trophy and our Year 8 team winning the Pathway Cup, after narrowly missing out in last seasons final against the same opposition.



We are excited to welcome everyone back in September, with our new Year 7 cohort taking the number of students on the programme at CAN to over 50!

Dan Tolliday
Improtech Football Coach



KS3

BlockBots have had their finishing touches at the beginning of the summer term with some amazing outcomes from all year groups.



Students then moved on to a plastic moulding task where they were challenged to design their own chocolate bar or chocolate selection. Some great ideas generated by all groups with some very creative outcomes.

KS4

Engineering had their very first mock exam covering some key knowledge around communicating designs, 6R's and ACCESS FM. A huge well done to all students.



Y10 took the Top G car to race in June at the Lotus Hethel track with an amazing first race result.



They have now passed the car down to the **KS3** team for a potential September race at Lotus Hethel.

The **KS3** team have been busy getting used to the Car every Wednesday at the CAN makeshift track.

With the final team being decided on consistent lap times.



Mr Heron
DT Leader & Teacher of Art

Catering at Raveningham Hall Gardens



Some of our Year 9 students catered for a prestigious charity event at Raveningham Hall Gardens in support of The Papillon Project, who helped CAN setting up our allotment, and continue to support us. They created and served canapés to guests, and were a credit to CAN.



Royal Norfolk Show

Students enjoyed a trip to the Royal Norfolk Show in June. Our music students overcame their nerves for their first public performance for in the Sapientia tent.

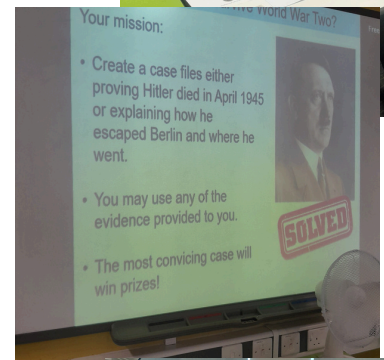
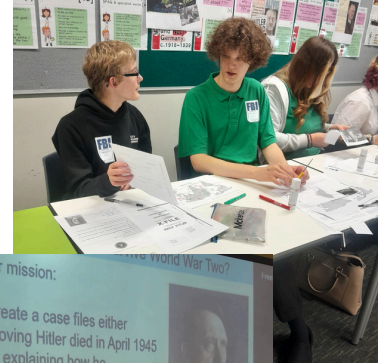
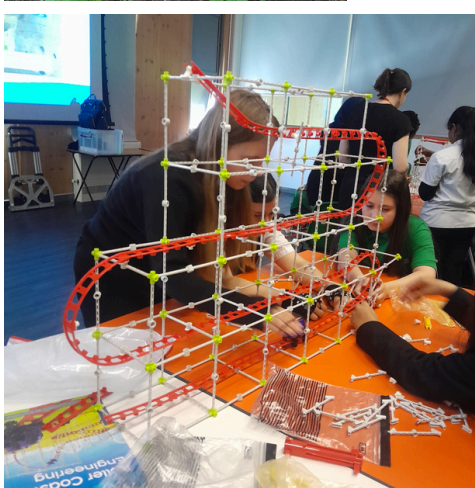
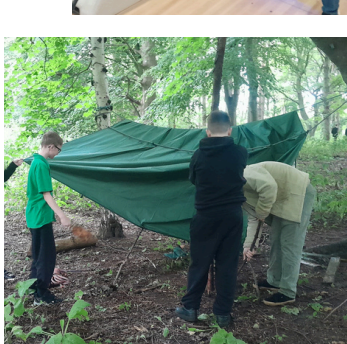
The helicopters were very popular, along with meeting some beautiful cows and learning about the milking process.

But the highlight was meeting, and talking with a surprise Royal guest - The Duke of Edinburgh, Prince Edward. A memory they will treasure forever.



Events & Activities

The final week of term was an activity packed week! Students enjoyed trips to Pleasurewood Hills, the cinema, trampolining, roller skating and bowling; in school there was Learning About Agriculture, STEM activities, Forest School, Clay Modelling, Film, board games, art and an historical mission, plus lots of sport!



This summer term has been very active for our sports team, who organised some fantastic activities for students.

American Football with UEA Pirates



The Girl CAN

Team building & learning new skills



Get Active @ UEA



Colour Run @ Eaton Park





Rowing at Norwich Canoe Club



City Sports @ UEA

At the beginning of June, 100 students from CAN, and schools around Norwich, competed in the City Sports Event at the UEA.

I must express my utmost pride in the CAN students who represented our school with great pride and sportsmanship throughout the event. It was heartwarming to witness the different year groups supporting each other with a strong sense of unity.

The atmosphere truly had a wonderful feel to it. Students thoroughly enjoyed the event, were a credit to the school, are very keen to take part in more athletics and looking forward to future sports events. I have included a summary of the top 3 finishes below.

Mr Lincoln
Leader of PE

Year 7

Sameer D 1st in 800m
Phoebe C 2nd in 800m
Mollie D 3rd in 100m
Alex O 2nd in 200m
Rio W 2nd in 200m

Year 8

Jemimah B 2nd in 300m
Jemimah B 3rd in 100m
Tawananyasha N 3rd in 100m
Henry S 3rd in Long Jump

Year 9

Billy G 2nd in Triple Jumo
Marley U 2nd in 100m
Lacey W 3rd in 100m
Billy G 3rd in 200m

Year 10

Lexi D 1st in 100m
Lexi D 1st in Javelin
Bethany S 2nd in Javelin
Amber F 3rd in 200m
Mark N 3rd in Shot Put

Boys Team 3rd in Relay
(Marley U, Billy G , Noah M ,
Tyrell L)

Girls Team 3rd in Relay (Ellie
Betts, Tia G, Honey S , Lexi D)



Sports Day

One of the highlights of our year is CAN Sports Day! It was a fantastic day and was great to see so many students taking part in the numerous sporting events.....



.....plus there were loud cheers as students enjoyed watching their teachers compete in a staff Tug-of-War!!

Supporting our CAN Community



Too many children in this country have day to day anxieties that come through poverty and living without essentials such as food and toiletries.

MCKS Charitable Foundation

The MCKS Charitable Foundation has been supporting our community for just over a year. You'll find more information about the Foundation at www.mckscharity.co.uk

The charity has been supporting our community for just over a year. We have provided about 35 parcels per month, and have been able to support families on a 'when needed' basis. We receive a food delivery every 3 weeks from Asda from the charity, and we also get toiletries 2 to 3 times a year. We also work together if parents suggest the need for particular items.

Our Community Pantry is a relaxed set up: families can request a bag of groceries every month, or just when they need a little extra support. We also provide vegetarian bags.

Our Student Services Manager, Nathalie Hammond, does a wonderful job organising the pantry and putting together the food parcels; if you have any questions about our pantry, please do not hesitate to contact me either by calling the school or sending me an email: n.hammond@canorwich.org.

If you feel that you could contribute to the pantry, we are always happy to receive nonperishable goods.



CAN Breakfast Club

Evidence shows that providing a healthy school breakfast at the start of the school day can contribute to improved readiness to learn, increased concentration, and improved wellbeing and behaviour.

Source: GovUK

Our breakfast club is open from 8am - 8.25am and is FREE for all students.

There are bagels and cereal, plus a chance to chat with friends or teachers, or just relax and read a book.....and on Fridays there's a chance of a sing-along with Mr Gibbs, who brings in his guitar to serenade students!



PLACES WHERE KIDS EAT FREE (OR FOR £1) DURING THE SUMMER HOLIDAYS 2024



moneysavingcentral.co.uk/kids-eat-free

LAS IGUANAS

Join 'My Las Iguanas' via the App & Niños eat free with every adult main

ASDA

Kids eat for £1 All Day, Every Day at Asda cafes, with no adult spend required.

SAINSBURYS CAFES

Kids eat for £1 with the purchase of an adult hot main. From 11:30am every day.

PAUSA CAFE @ DUNELM

Kids get 1 mini main, 2 snacks & a drink FREE with every £4 spend after 3pm

THE REAL GREEK

Kids under 12 eat FREE every Sunday for every £10 spent by an adult

TGI FRIDAYS

Kids Eat Free When 'Stripes Rewards Members' purchase an adult's main meal (App needed)

PUREZZA

Children under the age of 10 get free pizza at Purezza with every adult meal purchased

TRAVELODGE & PREMIER INN

Buy 1 Adult Breakfast from just £8.99 & up to two kids eat breakfast for free

SIZZLING PUBS

Every Monday to Friday, 3 - 7pm, kids' mains are £1 with every adult meal.

BEEFEATER & BREWERS FAYRE

Two children under 16 can get a free breakfast every day with one paying adult!

PRETO

Kids up to age 10 eat free all day, every day with paying adults at Preto in Half Terms

DEE DEES CAFE @ THE RANGE

Kids under 16 Eat For Free with one paying adult throughout the summer holidays

HARVESTER

Kids eat for £1 is back! From Monday - Friday until 30th August (excluding bank holidays) Via the App

MORRISONS

Spend £4.49 and get one free kids meal Daily

TESCO CAFES

1 Free Kids meal with every 60p Spend, from July 1st Scotland & NI - from July 22nd England & Wales

GORDON RAMSEY RESTAURANTS

Kids under 8 eat FREE all day, every day at selected Gordon Ramsay restaurants

YO! SUSHI

From Monday 1st July - Friday 30th August 2024, kids eat free all day Mondays to Fridays at YO! Sushi

MARCO PIERRE WHITE

Under 12s eat free from 22nd July to 31st August 2024 when an adult dines from the à la carte menu.

WHITBREAD INNS

Two kids under 16 eat for FREE with every adult breakfast purchased

BELLA ITALIA

Children eat for £1 with any adult main. The offer is valid 4-6pm Mon to Thurs.

COCONUT TREE

One child eats free per paying adult. Valid Daily, 12pm - 6pm from Mon 22nd July to Fri 6th Sept 2024.

DOBBIES GARDEN CENTRES

At Dobbies, for every adult breakfast or lunch purchase, kids eat for FREE. Every Day!

TABLE TABLE

Two children under 16 can get a free breakfast every day with one paying adult!

TOBY CARVERY

Kids Eat for £1 all summer at Toby Carvery! Valid Monday - Friday until August 30th 2024 via the App

IKEA

Kids get a meal from 95p daily from 11am

HUNGRY HORSE

Kids eat for £1 on Mondays

FUTURE INNS

Under 5s eat for free with any adult meal.

Courtesy of MONEY SAVING CENTRAL

Every Child, Same Chance

Term Dates 2024/25

Autumn Term

Mon 02 Sept	INSET DAY
Tue 03 Sept	INSET DAY
Wed 04 Sept	Years 7 & 11 return
Thu 05 Sept	Years 8, 9, & 10 return
Fri 25 Oct	INSET DAY
Mon 28 Oct – Fri 01 Nov	Half term break
Mon 04 Nov	All students return
Fri 06 Dec	INSET
Mon 23 Dec – Fri 03 Jan	Christmas Holidays

Spring Term

Mon 06 Jan	INSET DAY
Tue 07 Jan	All students return
Mon 17 Feb – Fri 21 Feb	Half term break
Mon 24 Feb	All students return
Mon 07 Apr – Mon 21 Apr	Easter Holidays

Summer Term

Tue 22 Apr	INSET DAY
Wed 23 Apr	All students return
Mon 05 May	Bank holiday
Mon 26 May – Fri 30 May	Half term break
Mon 02 June	All students return
Mon 23 June	INSET DAY
Tue 22 July	LAST DAY OF TERM

Parents Evenings 2024/25

Thu 12 Sept	Year 7 Parents Meet the Tutors	4pm-6pm
Thu 10 Oct	Year 10 Work Experience Information Evening	5pm-6pm
Thu 24 Oct	Year 11 How to Support Careers Evening	5pm-6pm
Thu 07 Nov	Year 10 Parents Evening	4pm-7pm
Thu 12 Dec	Year 11 Parents Evening	4pm-7pm
Thu 16 Jan	Year 9 Parents Evening	4pm-7pm
Thu 27 Feb	Year 8 Parents Evening	4pm-7pm
Thu 13 Mar	Year 9 Options Evening	4pm-6pm
Thu 27 Mar	Year 11 Parents Evening	4pm-7pm
Thu 22 May	Year 7 Parents Evening	4pm-7pm
Thu 12 June	Year 10 Raising Achievements Evening	4pm-6pm

CITY ACADEMY NORWICH

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Open Evening

Thursday 3rd October 2024

4pm - 7pm

Headteacher's Presentation
4.30pm & 5.30pm



"Leaders at all levels are striving to ensure that pupils receive a high-quality education" Ofsted June 2024

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