

This week at



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Happy New Year and welcome to the first newsletter of 2023. It has been a focused and busy start to the term, especially so for our Sixth Form students, who have been straight into mock exams. The students have conducted themselves brilliantly and have gained experience of what to expect from final exams in the summer.

Starting this week and into the next fortnight, Year 11 students are sitting vocational exams in: Music, Engineering, Food, Enterprise, Health and Social Care, Sport and Travel, and Tourism. We wish them lots of luck in these exams, which contribute towards their final grades.

Also, this week Year 11 have started their exam preparation programme with Get Exam Ready sessions in English, Maths and Science.



**Get Exam  
Ready**

**Maths**  
Every Tuesday

EVERYONE WELCOME - EVERY SESSION!!  
3.15 - 4.00PM



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**Get Exam  
Ready**

**Science**  
Every Wednesday

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**Get Exam  
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**English**  
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As we continue our focus on reading, students in Years 7-10 have started Drop Everything And Read. Every day at 2pm, students start their lesson by reading a book of their choice for 10 minutes. It has been fantastic to see everyone reading and have discussions about the books that our students are choosing to read.

On the 31st January we are hosting a superb reading event for parents, carers and students. There will be food available, and you'll be able to learn about how we promote reading at school; you can select a free book and enter the prize draw for a Kindle.

Keep an eye on our social media platforms for further information.



We have launched our new Beyond 25 Clubs for this half-term. With homework club on every night and over 30 clubs to choose from, there is something for everyone! Here are just some examples of what we are offering: Netball, Trampolining, Indoor Cricket and Swimming Club; MFL Culture and Craft, Mechanical Club and Young Designers; Gogglebox, School Food Champions, Parallel Club and Pride Youth Network.

As a new branch of our Beyond 25 offer, we have also launched our Pledges challenge, aiming to further develop students' opportunities to develop character and to try a variety of new and exciting experiences. Students can aim for 5 pledges (Bronze Award), 10 pledges (Silver Award) or complete all 15 pledges for the Gold Award. Different pledges include representing the Academy in a sporting, cultural or academic event, taking part in a formal presentation to an audience or completing a random act of kindness.

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Finally, a reminder that Breakfast Club starts at 8am and students attending can enter the Academy through the main reception.

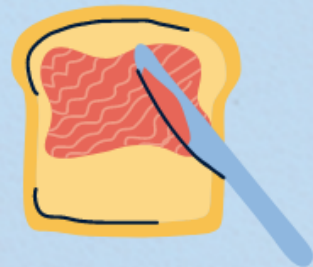
We wish you all a great weekend.



# Breakfast Club

**Everyday  
8.00**

Consett Academy have partnered with Chartwells and the National School Breakfast Programme to provide a free breakfast for students



Students wishing to attend breakfast club can arrive from 8am at the main entrance.

Breakfast will be available from the main servery with a range of cereal, porridge and bagels provided free of charge!

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