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Grammar School*
Fortnightly
Update

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Staffing Update

We are looking forward to welcoming a number of new staff over the coming weeks,



Mrs Taylor as Faculty Head of Arts and Social Subjects on the 29th of September

Mr Richardson as ASN Teacher on the 20th of October

Mr Pilkington as Teacher of Art on the 20th of October

We will be welcoming Mrs Anderson, Teacher of Music, back from maternity leave on the 29th of September.



We would like to congratulate Mrs Boyle on her recent appointment as Teacher of English at Lochgilphead Joint Campus. Mrs Boyle will leave the English department after the October holidays. We are looking to our supply list to ensure the continued coverage of classes. The recruitment process for her replacement is currently underway.

We currently have the following posts advertised on My Job Scotland:



Depute Head Teacher:

<https://myjobscotland.gov.uk/councils/argyll-bute-council/jobs/depute-head-teacher-440122>

Faculty Head of Wellbeing and Technologies:

<https://myjobscotland.gov.uk/councils/argyll-bute-council/jobs/faculty-head-wellbeing-and-technologies-440145>



Parents and Carers should have recied the email below from the Education Team on Tuesday 16th Sept.

Speakeasy helps parents and carers feel more confident talking to young people about body changes, safety and relationships, in a fun and relaxed way.

As well as finding out about Speakeasy, the session will also include a short taster on the digital world of children and young people.

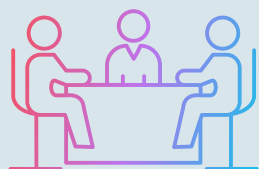
There are two sessions to choose from:

Day session: Wednesday 24th September, 10.00–11.30am

Evening session: Wednesday 24th September, 6.30–8.00pm



A flyer for a 'Free Speakeasy Information Session'. At the top left is the 'A&B HSCPI Together' logo with the tagline 'Argyll & Bute Health & Social Care Partnership'. At the top right is the 'NHS Highland' logo. The title 'Free Speakeasy Information Session' is in a pink box. The text says: 'Come and join us to find out about Speakeasy and how it can help Parents, Carers, Professionals and those working with young people. Taking part in Speakeasy training can help:'. It lists two bullet points: 'Support young people dealing with body changes, safety and relationships' and 'Give you the confidence to discuss these subjects with young people in a fun and relaxed way'. It then says: 'Join us to hear more about Speakeasy and participate in a taster session on the digital world of children and young people.' Below this, it lists two sessions: 'Day session: Wednesday 24th September 10-11.30am: REGISTER HERE' and 'Evening session: Wednesday 24th September 6.30-8pm: REGISTER HERE'. At the bottom is an illustration of a laptop screen showing icons for a smartphone, a family, a heart with a pulse line, a game controller, social media icons (YouTube, Twitter, Instagram, LinkedIn, Snapchat, Facebook), and a person sitting on the floor.



S1 Parent's Evening

S1 Parents' Evening will take place on Tuesday 30th September from 5pm – 7pm. Information will follow next week on how to book appointments.



School Planner



The School Planner will be sent separately and dates are on the website. Please contact the school office if you wish a paper copy of the planner.

We will notify you of any changes to the proposed dates.



Celebrating Our Young Wordsmiths!

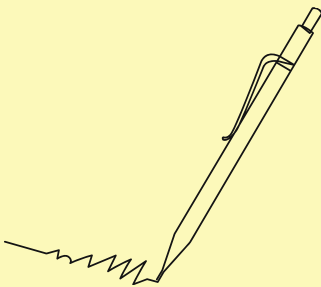


We are thrilled to announce that several of our talented young writers have achieved a remarkable milestone by having their work published in the collection
Young Writers: Grim Tales.

This anthology showcases the creativity, imagination, and hard work of our students, and we couldn't be prouder! Their dedication to storytelling and the art of writing has truly shone through, and it's a testament to their talent and passion. 🌈🌟

A huge round of applause for all the budding authors involved! Your stories inspire not just your peers but also our entire school community. Keep nurturing your creativity and sharing your unique voices with the world!

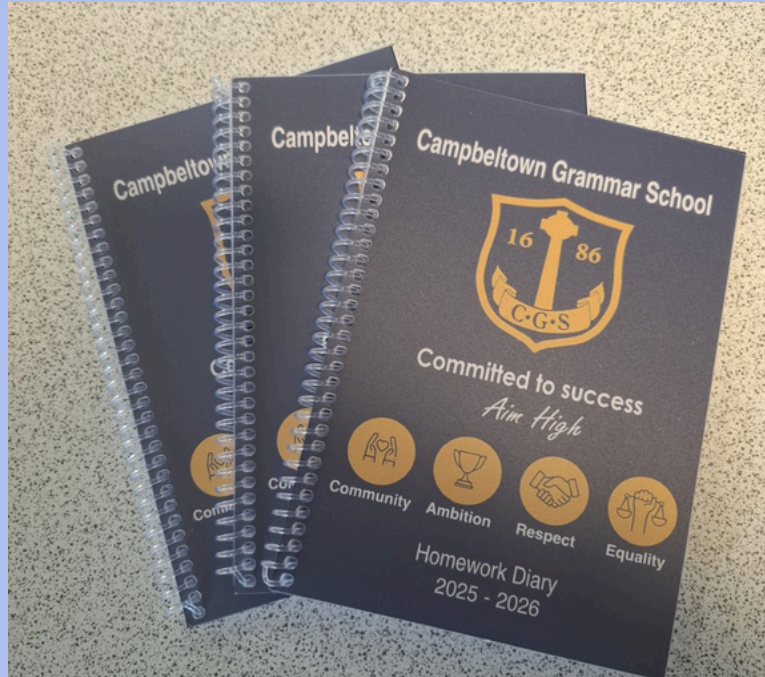
Here's to more stories, more creativity, and more young writers stepping into the spotlight! 🎉



WELL DONE!



Homework Diaries at CGS



- Homework diaries are the responsibility of the pupil and must enter homework tasks into the diary during the lesson when it was issued.
- Homework diaries should be taken to and from school every day.
- Homework diaries should be placed on the desk at the beginning of each lesson.
- Pupils to inform teachers of any barriers to completing a homework task before the due date to enable support to be given.
- Complete homework tasks to the best of their ability by the due date.
- Parent/ Carer to check over and sign each week





Scottish
Universities
Tour 2025

Scan me to
join us!



Scottish Universities Tour Virtual Evening Event

Wednesday 29th October, 2025

6:30pm - 7:30pm

For Prospective applicants, Families & Advisors

- Learn about what each of the universities have to offer
- Meet current students
- Ask questions!



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of Dundee

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Queen Margaret
University
EDINBURGH

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UNIVERSITY



THE UNIVERSITY
of EDINBURGH



University of
Strathclyde



SPORTS CLUBS @ CGS

Day	Activity	Venue	Time
Monday	Volleyball (S4 - S6)	Sports Hall	3.45 - 4.45pm
Tuesday	Badminton (S1-S6)	Sports Hall	3.45 - 4.45pm
Wed	Inter-house football (S1- S6)	AWP	3.45- 4.45pm
Wed	Inter-house hockey (S1- S6)	AWP	3.45 - 4.45pm
Wed	Paddle-boarding (S1- S6)	Sailing Club	4.30pm - 5.30pm
Thursday	Archery (S1- S6)	Games Hall	3.45 - 4.45pm
Thursday	Rugby (S1 - S6) After Oct Break	AWP	3.45 - 4.45pm
Thursday	Kayaking (S1-S6) After Oct break	Aqualibrium	7.00 - 8.00pm

