



Whole School

How to Raise money for Madras College: As we are fast approaching Christmas, this is a reminder of a simple way to raise funds for the school using "easy-fundraising" when shopping online. A step-by-step user guide of the process is on the website:

[Parent Council/How to raise money for Madras College while online shopping.pdf](#)

Debate Club: Wednesdays after school in F046. Everyone welcome. See Mrs Montgomery if you have any questions.

Toy Drive: There is still time to donate a gift to the Toy Drive. The gift must be brand new and still in it's original wrapping and dropped off to either of the Guidance bases. These will then be collated and send off to the Toy Drive.

Congratulations to our two teams who both placed in the top 10 at the National Enterprising Maths Challenge at the Glasgow Science Centre on Tuesday 22nd November. They qualified for the National event after placing first and second in the Fife event in September. A fantastic achievement!

November - this month Mr Trewartha has been growing a moustache as part of the Movember campaign to raise awareness of various men's health charities. With a week to go Mr Trewartha is now collecting charity donations to forward to the foundation. If you wish to contribute, you can drop your cash donation into the collection jar in Room S011. All monies raised will be distributed to various cancer and mental health charities. Thank you.

S1/2/3

Assemblies This Week:

No Assemblies due to A/B assessments

Centre for Evaluation and Monitoring (CEM) - Starting next week all S2 pupils will be asked to sit an online assessment being run by the Centre for Evaluation and Monitoring alongside Cambridge University Press and Assessment. This assessment is being given to all S2 pupils in Fife and will form part of our monitoring and tracking alongside the P7 and S3 SNSAs.

The test will cover areas such as vocabulary; Mathematics; reading skills; and other, non-verbal skills. There is no need to study or revise for this assessment.

Pupils will sit this assessment during either their Computing or Business periods.

S1 - S3 Programming Club - Wednesday Lunchtimes

Come along to S007 on Wednesday lunchtimes 13:15 - 13:45 to learn the basics of programming by making a choose-your-own-adventure game!

S1/2/3

Option Choices webinar for parents and carers of S2 and S3 pupils, Wednesday 7 December 6.30pm

Skills Development Scotland careers advisers are hosting a webinar for parents and carers of S2 and S3 pupils on 7 Dec at 6:30pm to discuss option choices and the support and resources available from Skills Development Scotland to support both young people and parents and carers at this time. Parents and carers can register for our session here:

<https://optionchoiceswebinar.eventbrite.co.uk>

Sewing Club -The school sewing club every Wednesday from 14.50 - 15.50 in FO56. This club is open to any S1 - S3 pupils who are interesting in sewing and want to improve their skills.. Sewing club will begin from Wednesday 16th November. See Miss Hutton for details

Junior Choir S1-3 - Rehearsals take place every Monday at 1.20pm. Please come along to F035 to try it. Any questions please see Mrs Miller.

Drama club - S1-S3 Drama club will be on every Monday at 1.15 in the studio F054. All welcome.

S1-3 Homework Support - Business and Computing - Having trouble with homework tasks or accessing support materials on Teams? Then please come along to S004 every Wednesday from 1.25-1.50 pm to get help with ICT, Business or Computing homework.

S4/5/6

Assemblies This Week:

No Assemblies A/B assessments

A/B Assessments will be taking place w/b 21/11/2022 for 2 weeks. The Timetable can be found on our website <https://www.madras.fife.sch.uk/News/AB-Test-Timetable-2022/>

S4-6 Study Support Business Education - come along to study support for help with homework and assessment preparation in Accounting, Admin and IT and Business Management courses. Mondays and Wednesdays from 2.50-3.50 pm in S004. Sessions will not run when staff meetings are scheduled - check with your class teacher whenever you wish to attend.

Full study support timetable can be found on our website <https://www.madras.fife.sch.uk/Study-Support/>