Castlefield Campus News

Welcome back to school!

Thank you to all our parents and carers for your continued support this year. Working together makes a real difference to our pupils, and we are pleased to share some of the positive developments and achievements from across the school.

Attendance Update

Our main school attendance is up to 84% so a big thank you to all parents and carers for their support in getting their young people to school.

6.6%	5.7%
increase in attendance in the main school	increase in attendance this year

Celebrating 2026 qualifications

Our pupils achieved some great GCSE and BTEC results in 2026. Highlights included GCSE grade 5s and Level 2 Distinctions in BTECs, Bronze and Silver Duke of Edinburgh Awards. Congratulations to all pupils for their hard work and achievements. Most of our pupils achieved their target grades and we are all very proud of their hard work.

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Upcoming Events Summary

17.11.26 4 to 5:30 pm
Year 11 and Year 8 Parents Evening
17.11.26 Last years Year 11 collecting Certificates and Art work celebration.
16.12.26
Christmas Jumper Day
Parent/carer coffee morning
Christmas Lunch

Key Dates for next term
20th April Year 9 and Year 10 Parents evening

Upcoming events this half term

Year 8 and Year 11 Parents Event | Tuesday 17 November

We would like to share your young person's progress with you and give you the opportunity to meet their teachers, see their work and discuss their targets.

Year 11 Mock Exams | First two weeks of December

Year 11 pupils will be completing mock examinations during the first two weeks of December. These will provide an important opportunity to practice exam routines and show their current progress.

Parent/Carer coffee morning 16th December

Meet our lovely speech and language therapist Rachel and get advice and about supporting young people with speech and language needs.

Christmas Jumper Day and Christmas meal 16th December



Fall highlights

Careers Month November
Christmas Activities December

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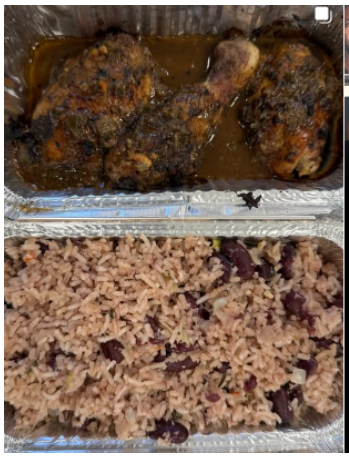
Black History Month

Pupils have been to Manchester Gallery looking at work by Black Artists. We have been cooking African and Caribbean food in Food Technology. In form time we have been looking at Music from famous Black Artists.







Sexual Health Week

Our Sexual Health Nurse Kay has been in teaching pupils about Healthy relationships, consent and Sexual Health. She commented positively about maturity of the groups she worked with.

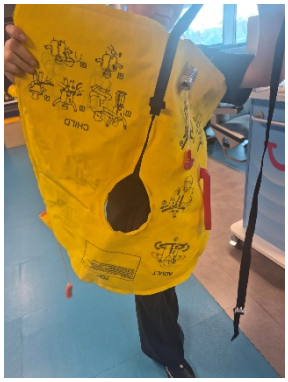
Remembrance Day

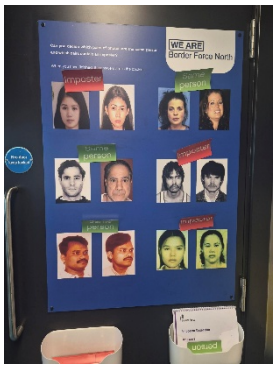
In ICT pupils have been researching the origins of Remembrance Day and making PowerPoints on their research



Careers Month: November is our careers month. KS3 have been looking at different jobs at Manchester Airport. I think Katie enjoyed it the most!







Year 10 have visited HOME Theatre, looking at jobs in the creative industries.

Year 11 have been visiting colleges in Manchester looking at future courses.





Our next area of focus

This year our whole school focus is on:

- Developing Oracy
- Developing early writing skills.
- Developing assessment for our EBSA and EBSD pupils.
- Developing the use of AI to support Teaching and Learning
- Developing Teaching Assistant understanding of Pedagogy