



SHAWLANDS ACADEMY

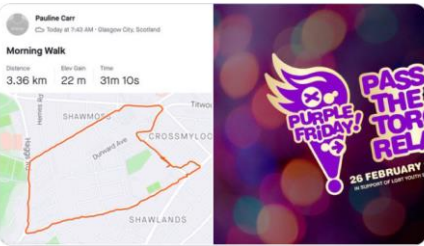
1ST MARCH ASSEMBLY

WELCOME ALL!

PURPLE FRIDAY

Well done to all pupils and staff who took part in last week's Pass the Torch Challenge. An impressive distance covered together #purplefriday #LGBTQI+

Shawlands Academy Retweeted
Pauline Carr @PaulineCarr2610 · Feb 26
Okay @ShawlandsAcad challenge complete ❤️ I pass the torch to Ms Sinclair #purplefriday #PassTheTorch @ShawlandAcadPTC @ShawlandsPe @ShawlandsLGBT @LGBTYS



Pauline Carr
Morning Walk
Distance: 3.36 km 22 m 31m 10s

Shawlands Academy PE @ShawlandsPe · Feb 26
Miss Leitchs excellent efforts finding all things purple on her walk today 🌸 🌸 🌸 #purplefriday



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Shawlands Academy PE @ShawlandsPe · Feb 26
Molly (S1) took some great pictures of all things purple today 🇬🇧 Well done 🌸 🌸



Shawlands Academy @ShawlandsAcad · Feb 26
Mr MacBride @drmacbride challenge on! Mrs Cutler's Friday morning run! I wonder what Mrs Barton has - the torch has been passed. @ShawlandAcadPE @ShawlandAcadPTC @PaulineCarr2610 @ShawlandsLGBT @LGBTYS #shawlandspirit #lookingaftereachother



BEFORE YOU RUN
Take a second to record how you're feeling. We'll ask you again afterwards.

Shawlands Academy Retweeted
DMacBride @drmacbride · Feb 26
Replying to @ShawlandsAcad @ShawlandsLGBT and 4 others
Indeed! I challenge Mrs Cutler, DHT for S3! What will you do to pass the torch? 🇬🇧 🌸 🌸 @ShawlandsAcad @ShawlandsLGBT #purplefriday #shawlands



Donnie MacBride
Yesterday at 6:40 AM · East Renfrewshire, Scotland
Purple Friday challenge. ❤️ #purplefriday #shawlands
I challenge for tomorrow, Mrs Carol Cutler, S3 DHT. The gauntlet has been laid.
Distance: 10.61 km Pace: 4:42 /km Achievements: 3

Shawlands Academy @ShawlandsAcad · Feb 26
Mrs Barton challenge complete! Ms McCauley you are up next! @ShawlandsPe @ShawlandAcadPTC @ShawlandsLGBT @LGBTYS #shawlandsstars #lookingaftereachother



Shawlands Academy @ShawlandsAcad · Feb 26
Ms McCauley has done it! Thanks Mrs Barton...Mrs Carr the torch has been passed to you! @ShawlandAcadPTC @ShawlandsPe @ShawlandsLGBT @LGBTYS #shawlandspirit #inclusion 🇬🇧 🌸 🌸



TRACKING AND MONITORING REPORTS

- S1 – S3 Broad General Education
 - Due out on the 11th March
 - Will show your level of work and how you've made progress with your work
 - It will show how well you've engaged with your on line learning and how well you've been submitting work
- S4 – S6 Senior Phase
 - Due out on 19th March
 - Will also show your level of work, progress and will give you a working grade
 - The report will also give you an indication of how well you've engaged with on line learning and how well you've been doing submitting your work
 - Comments will also be included to help suggest best ways of making progress

What ever your report says, stick with it. These are difficult times for all, but we are here to support you



MOTIVATION

- Being motivated can be hard to do
- We can all feel unmotivated from time to time
- We understand that sometimes without motivation it can be difficult to complete work
- Please let Pastoral Care or Year Heads know how you are doing, if you are feeling unmotivated. It's important we communicate

SOME SIMPLE WAYS TO STAY MOTIVATED MIGHT INCLUDE:

Get out of bed and eat some breakfast

Make your bed. It's the one task we can all do each day that is achievable

Establish a routine

Move about between or during lessons – simple stretches can help

Stay hydrated – water, water, water

If you're stuck with the work, contact a friend or e-mail your teacher

If you fall behind, do not panic. Let someone know a parent, carer, DHT, Pastoral Care, sibling. Everything can be sorted out

Switch off the news or social media if they are stressing you out

Reward yourself when you've achieved something

CLICK [HERE](#) FOR MORE IDEAS ON STAYING MOTIVATED

MOTIVATION

ONLINE LEARNING SURVEYS

ON LINE SURVEYS

- Over the last few weeks we've been gathering your views on on-line learning
- It's your last chance to complete this [here](#)
- This week we want to hear from your parents/ carers
- Please encourage them if you can to take part
- Hearing what they think of your learning can help us improve and make sure you are getting the support you need

PARENTAL/ CARER SURVEY BELOW

- If your parent/ carer can take part in the on line survey, please ask them to click [here](#)

WORLD BOOK DAY

- Our librarian Markie Deleavey, will be posting in the library channel in your year group teams throughout the week
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- Live quizzes will take place during English time for all year groups – more information on when and how to join will come through English.



WORLD BOOK DAY

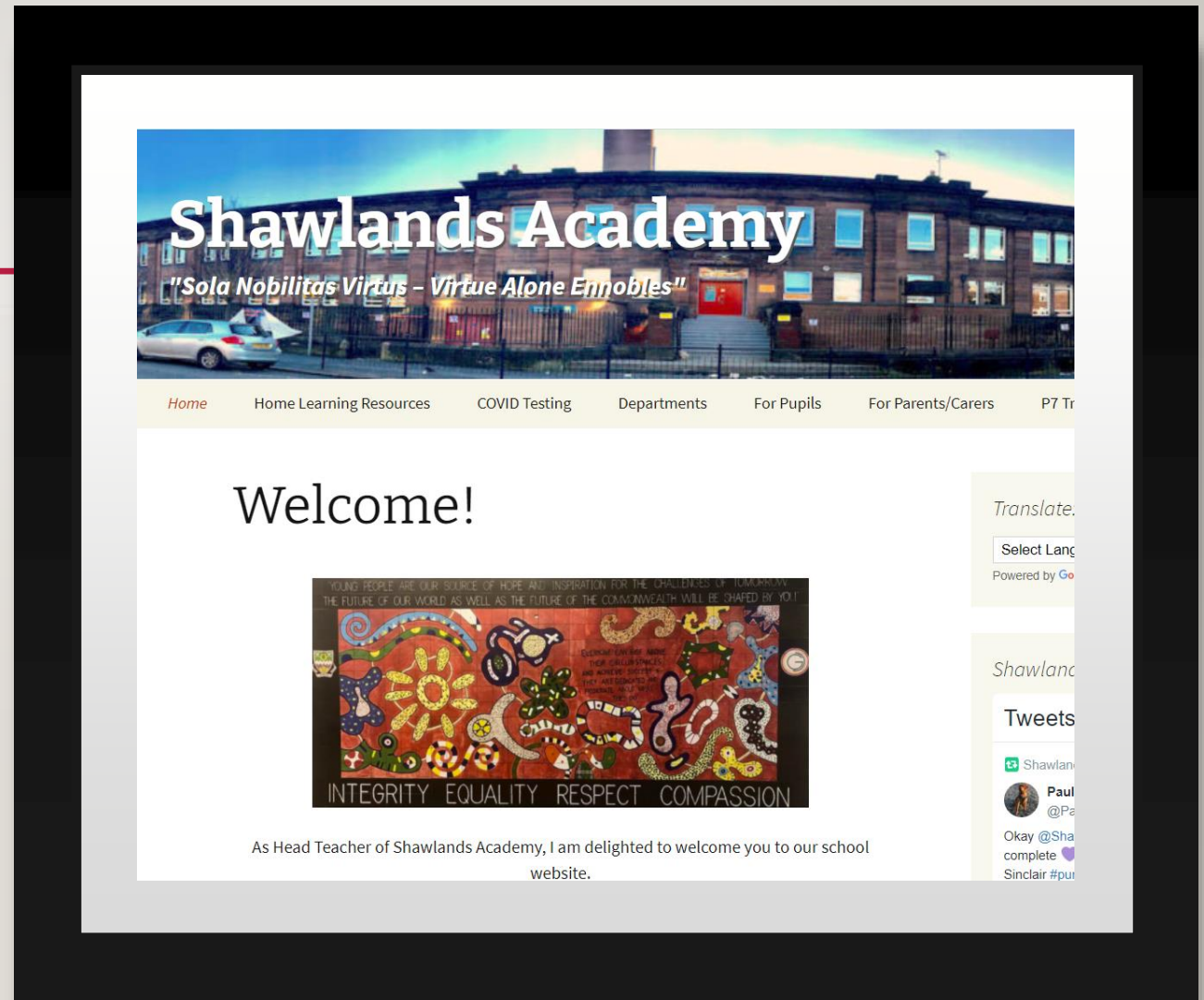


- A link to Word Book Day can be found [here](#)
- Free audiobooks can be downloaded [here](#)
- The Share a Story Live events with authors and illustrators is [here](#)

UPDATED WEBSITE

- Please have a look at our new updated website [here](#)

- There's a range of information on subjects as well as ICT support, home learning resources, supporting well being, information for parents and carers as well as helpful tutorials on how to use Teams, Showbie, Notebook, screen mirroring and much more



S4/5 OPTIONS

- Options close 12th March
- Do your research. What subjects and grades does your future career, degree or college course require?
- If you need help or are undecided remember you can request an interview with your Pastoral Care teacher
- You can also speak with our Skills Development Scotland (SDS) colleagues Karen, Nausheen or Angela. Please see your Team for their contact details or ask your Year Head
- You can resubmit your options if you have changed your mind. If you can e-mail Mrs McCauley regarding a change, this would help
- If there is a subject that doesn't 'fit' in the columns with what you would like, please note this in the box. We will try to accommodate where we can

COMING INTO SCHOOL - SENIOR PHASE PRACTICAL SUBJECTS

- Last Monday saw the start of some senior phase pupils returning to school
- Pupils were in for practical subjects such as Administration, Art & Design, Metal work and a few more
- Pupils coming in to school should remember the following; Arrive at the time dedicated to your morning or afternoon slot - 9am or 12.30pm, sanitise on entry and leaving school, always keep your face covering on, keep 2m distance from all other pupils and staff and avoid congregating outside of school
- Sticking to these measure will help keep us all safe
- Pupils who are in school can opt to take part in the Lateral Flow Testing Programme. Pupils can drop off their consent forms at the school office and collect their testing kit from there. All results must be uploaded to the government website.

SENIOR OPPORTUNITIES

ALL INFORMATION
IS ON YEAR GROUP
TEAMS

- There are currently opportunities in the following sectors;
- Childcare information session
- Higher Psychology at Anniesland Campus
- IT and Hardware Apprenticeships
- Customer Service apprenticeships
- Social Service and Young People Apprenticeship
- Healthcare Apprenticeships
- Workshop with Social Security Scotland – Client Advisor Roles
- Workshop on Business and Finance
- Workshop with CMS Masterclass, for young woman interested in Business
- Law Degree workshops
- Scottish Space School programme
- JP Morgan Technology Summer School – 5 days in London
- Burness & Paull Law Firm Work Experience

FOUNDATION APPRENTICESHIP INFORMATION EVENING

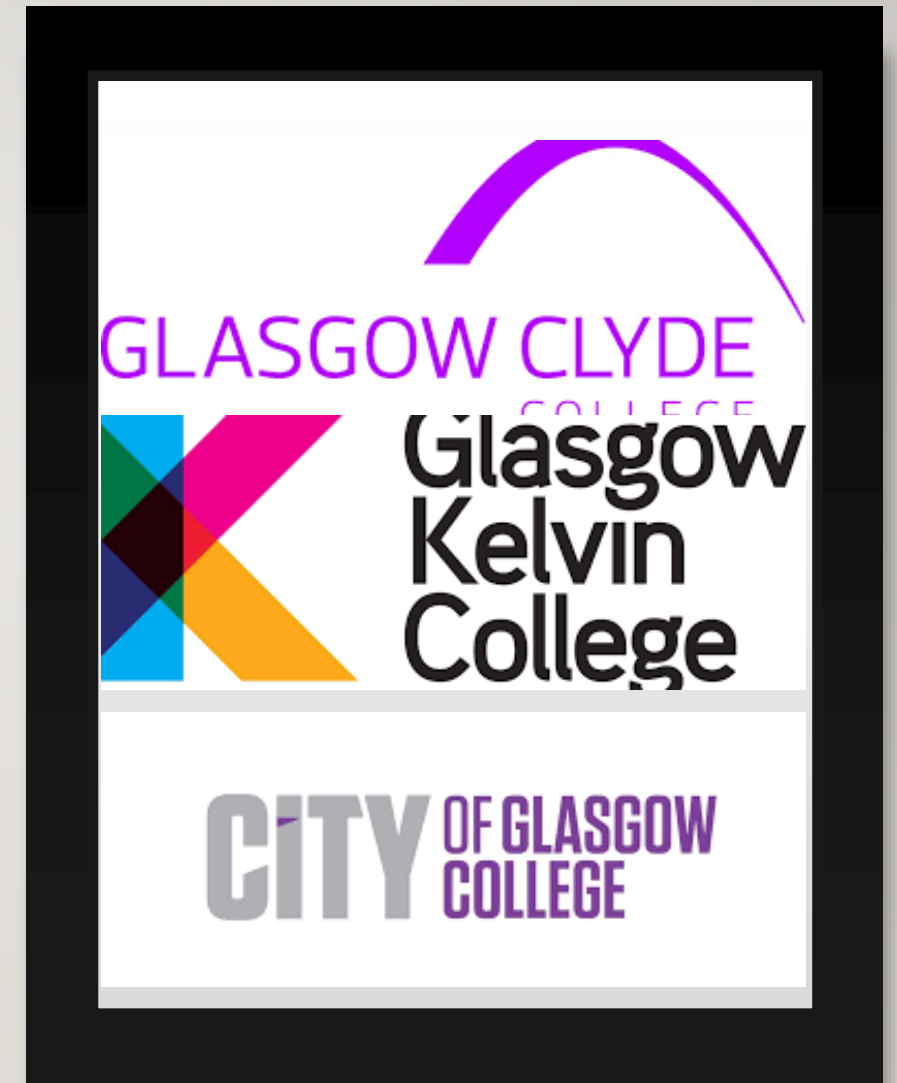
Tuesday 2nd March 6.30pm

For pupils considering applying for a Foundation Apprenticeship, this information evening for parents, carers and young people will prove useful

Tracey Parker will host the evening representing Kelvin College, City of Glasgow College and Clyde College. There will be presentations from a range of providers as well as a live Q&A session

For more information on Foundation Apprenticeships click [here](#)

Please log on and register [here](#) for Tuesday's event



A MESSAGE FROM YOUR CAPTAINCY TEAM





Good News!

- ▶ NHS heroes in Glasgow given free use of hire bikes to help them travel to and from work during coronavirus! –GlasgowLive
- ▶ SSPCA rescue 2 week old badger cub called Lavender.
- ▶ Bird friendly turbines! One of the main negative effects of onshore wind farms are that they strike birds however following a 9 year study it has been found that this can be reduced by 70% by painting one blade black.

UNUSUAL JOBS

DYLAN AND ANNA BOTH CHOSE...GOLF BALL DIVER!

Around 20 million golf balls are lost in lakes and other water hazards on British golf courses every year.

Divers can find work by searching for golf balls underwater. They may work in teams or on their own. They might also choose to work with a company.

Divers need to be able to work in difficult conditions. Visibility is usually poor in these water hazards, with thick water and dirt after being polluted with fertilizer.

Divers have to sign a contract with golf courses before they can search for the golf balls.

Salary= 50-100 thousand dollars per year



Whatever week you are
having, we are here to help

