



YEAR 9 Summary

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Thank you to the parents, carers, students and staff who attended Y9 Parents Information Evening 2025, we have summarised the key points below for you...

Slides from the evening [HERE](#)



Communicating with the Year Team

Tutors are your child's first point of contact

To email tutors, you can contact them on

For example, if your child is in tutor group 9A, the email address will be: tutor09A@carshaltonboys.org

If you have any concerns or need some support, please contact LeadershipYear09@carshaltonboys.org. This will go to the HOY, PSO and Leadership team member attached to the year group.

Attendance

Our CBSC Attendance Policy on the school website [HERE](#). Attendance is directly related to attainment. **A student who attends 100% of their lessons is nearly 2x more likely to pass their Maths and English GCSEs than a student who attends 90%.** School representatives in sport are role models and must have consistent attendance. **Students with inadequate attendance or behaviour, will not be able to participate in sports fixtures.**

Work Shadowing Day Friday 27th March

Work shadowing involves observing a professional in their place of work to gain a better understanding of the role and their workplace. This usually only lasts a few days and allows students to get a flavour of a career or industry rather than hands on experience. **You should have all received a letter/communications about this by now. If you have any questions please get in touch.**

Parentkind Survey

We will be launching a parent survey on 13th October and would greatly appreciate as many parents/carers completing it as possible. Your feedback will help us improve communication and strengthen engagement.

Parentkind

Key Dates Year 2025-26

Activity/Event	Date
Y9 Work Shadow Day	Friday 27th March
Y9 Parents Evening	Thursday 23rd April
Y9 Mock (Core) Exams	W/C Monday 22nd June

Routines - Step Lab

StepLab is a powerful teaching and learning tool that provides:

- Clear instructions to students
- A regulated start to the lesson
- Consistent classroom instruction and approaches
- Improved teaching and learning



The aim of this is to provide clear and consistent approach to learning and behaviour across the school.

MCAS - My Child At School



School Code: 14651. Guidance on how to sign up can be found in our most recent newsletters [HERE](#). Use the Hyperlinks on the contents page to skip to the MCAS section (pg 22). It is a self sign up system. You do not require login details from us. If you have any questions, please contact hbaker@carshaltonboys.org

MCAS is a system designed for parents to do the following

- Check your child's attendance
- Monitor their behaviour
- Look at homework (Work Outside the Classroom - WOTC)
- Order uniform, pay for trips and top up food accounts
- View data that the school holds for you/your child

Communications & News

At CBSC we have Bluesky, Instagram and Threads. You can find our Newsletters on the school website [HERE](#). If you have anything exciting to share about your child, please email news@carshaltonboys.org and we will aim to share this with the CBSC community.



Helping your child learn with Ai

At CBSC, we believe AI can be a powerful tool for both productivity and learning. Here are some ways you can use AI to support your child's learning at home.

Assessment Guides

Link to our KS4 Assessment Guide can be found [HERE](#)