



Greetings from the Headteacher.....

Dear Parent/Carer

A big focus of this week has very much been around the school production of 'With love from Vegas'. There are a huge amount of students taking part in it and once again staff and students have really raised the bar! The first performance to Year 5 students from Barnes Farm and Tyrrells took place on Tuesday afternoon. It was clear from the feedback as the students left that they absolutely loved it, in fact one student told me they rated the show 'ten thousand out of ten'! At the time of writing, evening performances have taken place on Tuesday and Wednesday night. For all of you that have seen it already, I hope you had a fantastic time. I am very much looking forward to seeing it on Thursday evening, where I will have the pleasure of welcoming The Mayor of Chelmsford and Vicky Ford.

Also this week, our students have been taking part in a number of events outside of the classroom. Firstly, we were represented by some of our Year 8 & 9 students at the 'Green Plan It' challenge. The students did fantastically well and came runners up. Some of our Sixth Form Mathematics students represented the school in the Senior Mathematics Team Challenge. Again, the students represented the school in an outstanding manner. Well done to all the students involved!

Something that I have mentioned a few times in this column relates to students riding bikes to school. It is hugely important that students are encouraged to do this from a healthy lifestyle perspective, but as it is getting darker later in the morning and earlier at night, it is hugely important that bikes are ridden safely and the students have effective safety clothing and equipment. For example, we've had to speak to students whose bikes do not have lights or even brakes! Please can I ask you to check your child's bike if they bring it to school and that they wear something that is going to make them visible in the dark. Information about what is legal and what is not can be found by clicking this link: <https://www.cyclinguk.org/article/whats-legal-and-whats-not-your-bike>

A reminder that we have also distributed raffle tickets to all of our students for the FOBS Christmas Draw. If you can buy some tickets it would be extremely appreciated. Not only can you win a number of top prizes by entering the raffle, but the proceeds go to some excellent projects that enhance your child's education at school.

Finally, as I am sure you are aware, tomorrow (29th November) is a non-pupil day. If you need to contact the school on this day, please can you do this by emailing admin@boswells-school.com.

Have a great weekend,

Steve Mansell
Headteacher

Upcoming events

Tuesday 26th November to Saturday 30th November—Whole School Production “With Love From Vegas”

Monday 2nd December — Year 9 Munich Trip Parents Information Evening, Restaurant 18:30

For those pupils travelling to Munich, the parental meeting will take place in the **School Restaurant** in ‘C’ block on **Monday 2nd December**, starting at **6.30pm**. Please bring your child’s passport and their EHIC card on the evening. Your child is expected to attend the meeting. Please contact Mrs Robertson via email if you are unable to attend: JRN@boswells-school.com

Monday 9th December — Carol Service, All Saints Church Springfield 19:00

Thursday 19th December — Last day of Term

Reminder—All Christmas lunches must be pre-ordered before **5th December 2019** (see **Page 7** for further details).

Keeping up to speed

As well as our website, you can keep up to speed with everything that is happening at the school by following us on Twitter (@BoswellsSchool) or on our Facebook page (The Boswells School Official). You can also sign up to receive our press and media releases direct to your email address. This service is free of charge and can be accessed by emailing boswellsnews@gmail.com and asking to be added to the distribution list.

Student Reception News

Week ending 22nd November 2019

Well done to these Forms for having the best attendance in their year groups for week ending 22nd November 2019.

Year	Form
7	7G2 and 7M2
8	8L1
9	9L2
10	10S2
11	11S12

DUTY STUDENTS

Thank you for all your help.

Ellis Threader, Caitlin-Paige Trye

Euan Tuck, George Vary

Amelia Wickham

You have all been great.

ATTENDANCE MATTERS

Parents/carers – Please remember you are required to call the Boswells Schools absence line **every day** your child is absent.

If your child is sick you DO NOT have to keep them off school for 48 hours if you feel that they are well enough to attend.

Thank you

Miss Crisp and Miss Hampshire

Science Department— RHS Green Plan It scheme

Yesterday, some of our Year 8 & 9 students presented designs for a potential new garden at school, through the RHS Green Plan It scheme. They had 10 weeks for the project and the standard of their presentations, models and reports were outstanding. The students did fantastically well and came runners up.



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Weekly Challenge

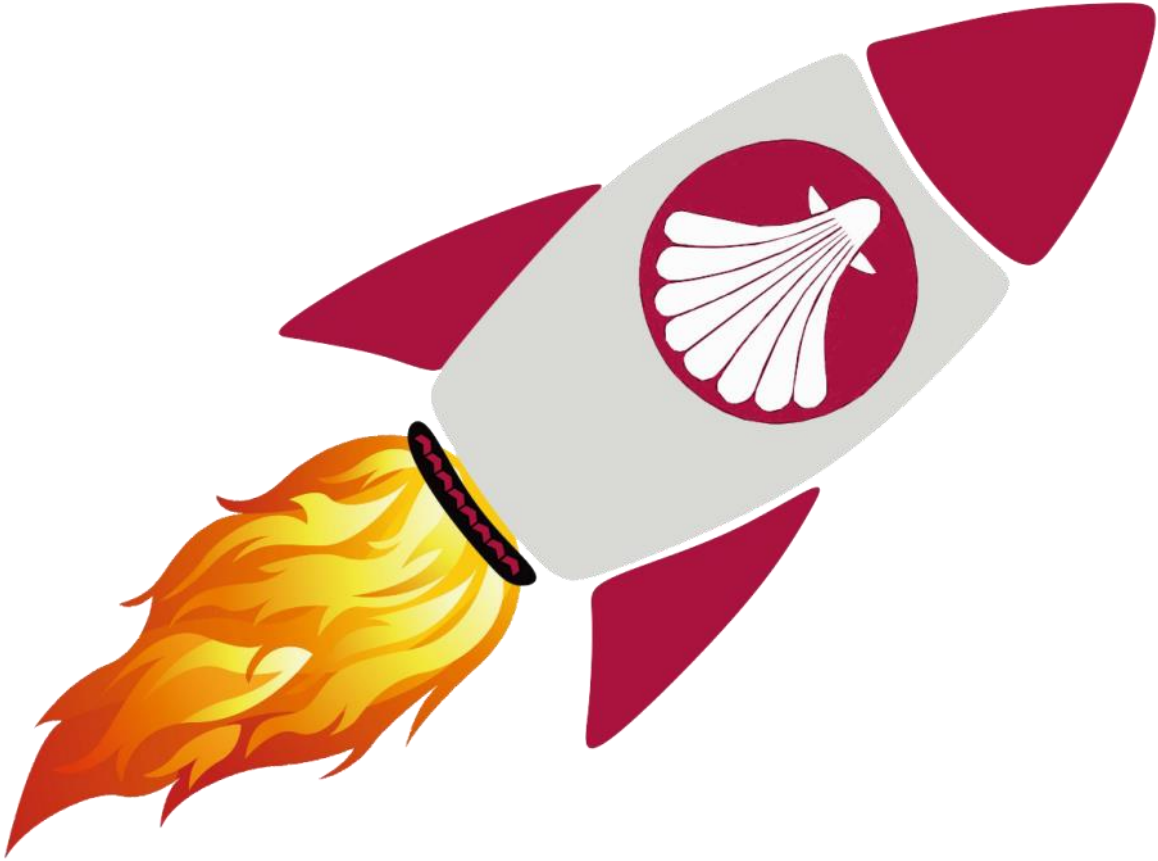
Add together three numbers each time to score 45.

Each number can be used as many times as you wish.

How many different combinations are there?

5 10 15 20 25





Weekly Challenge 5 Answer :
10 minutes and 30 seconds



The Boswells Christmas Lunch Menu

Tuesday 10th December 2019
(Year 7, staff and Munich Trip students)

Wednesday 11th December
(all other students)



Main Course

Roast Turkey or Vegetable Parcel

Served with

Roast Potatoes, Cocktail Sausage,
Stuffing, Seasonal Vegetables Cranberry Sauce & Gravy

Dessert

Christmas Cookie or

Mini Chocolate Pudding



Tickets now available from the kitchen and can only be purchased through the normal cashless system for £3.50

All lunches must be pre-ordered before 5th December 2019

All free school meal students will be entitled to a Christmas meal, but it must be pre-ordered through the kitchen.



Preloved Uniform



We have a large amount of nearly new school uniform in a wide range of sizes which has been kindly donated by parents which we will be selling to raise money for 'Friends Of Boswells School' (FOBS). Initially you will be able to purchase the items at Parents Evening and Information Evenings. Please note we will only be able to accept cash.

Items and prices are listed below:

Boswells Blazar	£10
Boswells Skirt	£10
Boswells Jumper	£5
Black trouser	£2
White shirt	£2
Boswells rugby shirt	£10
Boswells polo shirt	£5
Boswells Tracksuit top	£10
Boswells Hooded PE top	£10