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Dear Susan

I am delighted to share with you an update and the report for your pupil, Kobi.

The Company's commitment to City of London School has meant each year bursaries can be offered to boys who might not otherwise be able to attend City. Community members like you enable City of London School to be the inclusive, welcoming and supportive institution it has been and continues to be, even in these surreal times.

In light of recent events and the ever-changing landscape, we do hope to see you as soon as permissible. We are looking to when we can host all the liveries for an event, hopefully early in the new academic year. The School has officially postponed Prize Day to take place towards the beginning of 2021, on 11 February. We will be sure to provide up to the minute information as arrangements are further settled.

We are so grateful and thank you for your support as we carry on the long-standing traditions of training and academic excellence here in the heart of London.

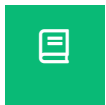
With very best wishes



James Pierce
Development Officer

Reports, Mocks and Internal Exam Results

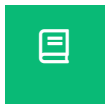
Kobi O'Sullivan - 2019/20 June Reports (OG - 3rd)



Art & Design

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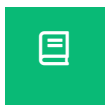
Kobi has made some progress this term despite the challenging circumstances. He demonstrates a growing understanding of using the design tool Gravit. Kobi has very successfully designed a bold and clear typography. There are a number of gaps in his online portfolio, he needs to ensure that these are filled and I recommend that he re-watches the guidance on how to share work in the videos located in Teams in the Remote Learning Lesson 1 folder. Overall, a good term.



Drama

Subject Comment

Kobi has had a good level of engagement throughout the remote lessons. He has provided contributions to our class discussions and has created a set of detailed notes for each task. I am impressed with the level of progress that he has made and I am looking forward to seeing continued progress next term.



English

Subject Comment

Kobi has a quick mind and a ready wit, and his creative work shows a strong sense of drama. He needs to keep a watchful eye on his technical accuracy, as errors with fundamentals such as sentence separation lower the quality of his writing, but he has many excellent ideas and I am sure that a little bit of rigour will help him weed out his mistakes.



French

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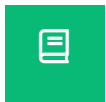
Kobi has made good progress again this term. He has adapted well to the challenges of a different way of learning and remains a frequent participant in online lessons, either via the microphone or with contributions in the chat. He has been organised in keeping on top of his work and organising it neatly in his Class Notebook. He has grown increasingly ambitious in his written French and, while this sometimes leads to errors, it is to be encouraged, as it is only by learning from one's mistakes that real progress is made. Overall, he has made a very encouraging start to language-learning here.



Geography

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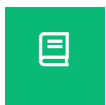
I have really enjoyed teaching Kobi this year and it has been great to watch him develop into a talented Geographer. In class, Kobi works hard and when he contributes to class discussions, his suggestions are nearly always excellent. He has remained focused working online and I am very happy with the progress he has made this year!



History

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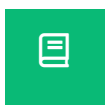
Kobi's approach in recent months has been impressive, and he has made good progress in History as he prepares to enter the Second Form. He has become more keen to express his views in online lessons, and his written work is notably detailed and focused. He should feel confident about his abilities in History, and I hope this praise will give him the confidence required to impress next year. I wish him all the best.



IT & C

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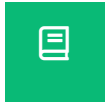
Kobi has shown himself to be an able, focused student during this unusual period of lockdown. He participates willingly in lessons and work is always of the highest standard, handed in on time, in an orderly fashion. I have enjoyed teaching him and am delighted with his super progress. Well done!



Latin

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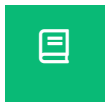
Kobi has had a very good year in Latin and with a few tweaks next year can be a superb Latinist. His enthusiasm this year has been palpable and he is keen to please and contribute in class discussions as much as he can. His written work has also displayed the hallmarks of an intellectual pupil who understands many of the concepts and topics we have studied. But he needs to learn to channel these skills and knowledge to ensure he achieves these high standards on a consistent basis: taking a moment to think and check his work more thoroughly should be his targets.



Mandarin

Subject Comment

Kobi is a keen Mandarin learner and has developed effective learning techniques since September. He actively engaged with class discussions and completed homework to a decent standard. If he continues with such a positive attitude and dedication, he will do well in his 2nd form learning.



Maths

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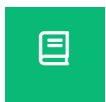
Despite the extraordinary circumstances in which we find ourselves, Kobi has made steady overall progress this term. I would strongly advise him to revise the year's work over the next few weeks, and I can only wish him a good summer holiday and hope that everything is back to some sort of normality next term. In the meantime, stay safe.



Music

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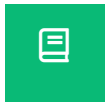
Kobi has been studying the Carnival of the Animals this term. This has involved listening tasks as well as composing in the style of Saint-Saens. I have been delighted with his conduct in our remote lessons. He has been keen to answer questions in class discussion as well as seeking help when it is required. He has been able to make a promising composition using the online score writing software tool, Noteflight. It is clear that his knowledge of writing programme music is coming along nicely. I hope he continues to enjoy his Music lessons as he enters the Second Form.



PE

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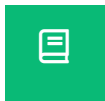
Kobi has had a good year in PE. He shows excellent energy in most lessons and this drives the standard up amongst his peers. He demonstrated, at times, good techniques in tennis and has a great competitive edge to him. His PE project has seen similar success, he exhibits confidence within lessons and has produced excellent pieces of written work. Short term effects of exercise were the most pleasing to read. Well done!



Religion & Philosophy

Subject Comment

Kobi has had an excellent year in Religion and Philosophy. He is an enthusiastic and conscientious student, and he can be relied upon to contribute to class discussion in a thoughtful and well-informed manner. The probing questions he asks demonstrate an active interest in the subject that does him credit. I am delighted that he has continued in this way in the remote learning environment. He has produced some good written work this term, and he should now focus on developing his explanations with more detail. Kobi has been a pleasure to teach this year, and I wish him the very best for the Second Form. Well done, Kobi!



Science

Subject Comment

Kobi is a bright student. He works hard and seems to enjoy both practical and written tasks. He is very organised and is always on time with handing in homework assignments. I am glad to say that he has maintained this during remote learning. Well done Kobi on a very successful academic year. Enjoy the summer break.



Form Tutor

Tutor Comment

Kobi has been a happy and friendly member of our form who has constantly been involved in the different activities and inter-form competitions. He has made a very good group of friends and clearly enjoys life at school. His teachers comment on some excellent academic progress and he should be very proud of what he has achieved on his first year at CLS. It has been a pleasure for me to have Kobi in our form this year. I wish you the best for Second Form!



Year Tutor

HoY Comment

This is a fantastic report and Kobi should be delighted with all that he has achieved in the First Form. He made a seamless transition into the School and has formed a number of strong friendships. He has shown himself to be a capable young man and I look forward to tracking his continued progress throughout his time in the Lower School.