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ACADEMY

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Weekly Catch Up

Information

We are proud of how our students are wearing our uniform and the belonging it creates. A reminder that we do not allow bracelets or rings as part of our uniform policy.

As part of Black History Month, students have the opportunity to take part in an afterschool creative workshop held in the art department. On Tuesday 6th October and on Wednesday 14th October, students can join our Black History Month Quiz during break time. The deadline for entries to the poster competition is Friday 16th October.

We are excited to welcome Year 7 parents to our Meet the Learning Manager evening next Thursday. During the evening, we will be hosting our pre-loved uniform swap shop. Items can be exchanged or taken for a donation to your child's year group charity. We are still collecting uniform donations to support this event. Students can drop off items to the Lower Site Resource Centre on Monday 5th October during break 1 or break 2.

On Wednesday 4th November, we will be hosting our next Community Collaboration event. Sessions will take place from 10:00-10:45 and 17:00-17:45. Please sign up for the event by completing the [google form](#) by Friday 9th October.

Reflections

This week, our Eco Ambassadors have been meeting to complete an environmental review of our school. It has been great to hear about their ideas, and they have already organised litter picks, an allotment visit and a bake sale for this half term!

Light Bulb Moment Awards

Y7 – Wafaa - for showing tremendous leadership in group work and demonstrating great empathy for her peers.

Y8 – Sofia - For excellent effort in your English lessons

Y9 – Avery - For striving to be the best you can be consistently.

Y10 – Robert - Positive engagement in both History and PE.

Y11 – Emmanuel - He has been very focused in lessons and on time regularly.

Y12 – Emily - For going above and beyond with her independent study.

Y13 – Isabella - for her resilience and positive attitude.

Principals award – Jamie & Bethany - For demonstrating our core values by being extremely kind to others and aiming for everyone to feel a sense of belonging to the school.

Talent Spotting

Each week a student will receive a GSA ambassador badge for their achievements outside of school. Please complete the attached form to enter your child for this weekly reward -

[Talent Spotting Form](#)

Community

This winter, we are supporting Operation Orphan's Forget-Me-Notts Christmas Appeal. We will be collecting medium Cadbury selection boxes (125g containing 6 items). Donations can be dropped off to the LSRC by Friday 6th November

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