

Parental Communication & Engagement



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Message from Headteacher

It's felt like a short week in school with the Bank Holiday on Monday and the better weather has certainly been a welcome change!

Auditions for our House Arts Showcase took place on Wednesday and students who have got through to perform at our House Arts Evening on Thursday 23 May 2024 will be informed very shortly.

Our Year 8 Athletics Team competed at the Dell Stadium this week and did fantastically well and came a really close second behind Old Swinford Hospital. Out of around 18 schools this is the best we have ever done! A special mention goes to Layla Williams - 8DY and Arnie Southall - 8AY for their outstanding performances.

Our Year 11 Football team narrowly lost on penalties in the semi-finals last night unfortunately. The team showed great maturity about the result!

Our Year 11s have commenced their Study Leave today. Please see the Year 11 Study Leave letter that has been sent to Year 11 parents/carers for more information. We wish Year 11 all the very best with their Study Leave and their forthcoming GCSEs and look forward to reuniting them as a year group again for their Leavers' Assembly which will take place on Friday 21 June 2024!

If Year 11 students have not already submitted their Prom seating arrangements form they need to hand this in to Mrs Otton ASAP.

Best wishes.

Mrs Sutton
Headteacher

Key Letters/Information Sent Out Recently

The vast majority of all letters are now emailed home and we use electronic reply slips as much as possible. The criterion for 'selected student only' opportunities are based on various factors depending on the trip and its focus. Unfortunately, we are unable to allow every student the opportunity to be involved with every activity which we understand sometimes causes disappointment. If you require more details about the selection process for any opportunity please contact the event organiser.

- Wellbeing for All Sheet - May 2024;
- Year 11 Study Leave Letter.

Events/Reminders

- Year 8 HPV Vaccinations - Wednesday 15 May 2024.

Congratulations/Well Done

Headteacher Commendations

Congratulations go to the following students who received Headteacher Commendations this week.

Abigale Amogu	Isabelle Willis	Sophie Barnett	Lois Boyle
Poppy Brown	Tyanna Dowdie	Curtis Stokes	Eli Greaves
Rohan Sandhu	Tanvir Kaur	Amelia Langford	Indi McEvoy-Cox
Emily McNally	Keira Morley	Poppy Reynolds	