

Students of the Week

These students have been chosen because they have made an outstanding contribution to academy life. This week's star students are:

Year 7 - Daniel Wright (7A1)

Year 8 - Chad Taylor (8A2) & Keira Colclough (8A1)

Year 9 - Maddison Mountford (9A2)

Year 10 - Kayla McCabe (10P1)

Year 11 - Kieran Burke (11A2)

Well done! We are very proud of you.



Christmas Fayre

It is that time of year again where we are asking for any donations such as chocolate, bottles and bric-a-brac. If you would like to donate anything please bring it to the main reception where it will be gladly received. If you wish to have your own stall at our Fayre please contact the Academy to find out more information on 01782 883333 and ask for Ms Marshall or Miss Bailey. This year we will be running a Gin Bar therefore we are looking for donations of any unopened bottles of gin and mixers such as tonic water and lemonade. The Christmas Fayre will take place on Wednesday 11th December 5pm - 7pm.



Message To Parents

We are having an increasing number of bags, books and lunches dropped off during the day. Please remind your child to bring the correct equipment each day as we are struggling to cope with the increase of items being dropped off therefore we can not guarantee your child will receive them in time.

Library Competition

October Library Competition

This month's competition was to write a poem about speaking a truth.

Kaitlan Steppe in Year 10 is the winner with her poem Truth.

She will receive a collection of poems, a box of chocolates and achievement points.

Well done Kaitlan, we're very proud of you!

Harvest Collection

House Competition:

Bring in donations for Stoke on Trent Food Bank Harvest Collection – Items could include:

Tinned Fish i.e. Tuna

UHT Milk

Desserts e.g Custard

Tinned Vegetables

Pasta Sauce

Tinned Tomatoes

Instant Mash

Teabags size 40 bags

Fruit Juice

Coffee

Sweet Extra i.e. chocolate

Cereal

• Student items to be brought into school by Tuesday 22nd October

• Then PT's to bring items ideally boxed to set location by Thursday 24th October

• House points will then be awarded for each box produced by a tutor group



'If you fell down yesterday, stand up today'

(H.G Wells - Author)

The Head's Lines

As we come to the end of week seven, I would like to take this opportunity to thank our parents and carers for their wonderful support. As always, we are trying to improve standards across the academy which will lead to a better education for our children. I have been blown away by the fantastic support from home that has been in place. We believe that with the right support from home and our continuing rise in standards, our academy will continue to grow and develop across the board.

Year 11 are now fully on track for their upcoming mock exams. The turn out for P6 sessions and morning sessions has been outstanding. It is really important that they complete their 10 hour challenge over half time.

A reminder that the academy will finish on Thursday 24th October and school will be closed for students on Friday 25th October.

Mr Fitzgibbon

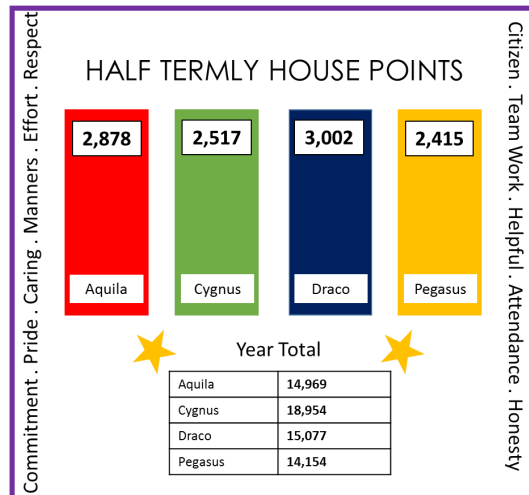
Principal

College, 6th Form & Apprenticeships

October 2019

- Stoke-on-Trent College (Burslem Campus & Cauldon Campus): Wednesday 2nd October – 5pm-7.30pm
- PM Training: Wednesday 9th October – 4pm-7pm
- Stoke-on-Trent Sixth Form College: Wednesday 9th October – 5pm-7pm
- Newcastle College: Wednesday 16th October – 5.30pm – 8pm
- Rease Heath College: Saturday 19th October – 10am-1.30pm

The deadline for signing up for a college placement is February 14th 2020



Dates for your diary

- 24th October**
CE Day
- 25th October**
Academy Closed
- 7th November**
Year 7 Induction Evening With Personal Tutors
- 11th November - 15th November**
Anti-Bullying week
- 21st November**
Year 8 Parents Evening
- 4th December**
Year 11 Parents Evening
- 11th December**
Christmas Fayre
- 12th December**
Christmas Concert
- 18th December**
Christmas Dinner

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NSPCC Contact Numbers

Help for adults concerned about a child
Call us on 0808 800 5000
Help for children and young people
Call ChildLine on 0800 1111
Email: help@nspcc.org.uk

Safeguarding (Child Protection Information)

Designated member of staff responsible for Safeguarding: **Mrs D Bolton**
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Governor: **Mrs J Barley**