

Message from the Principal

A fantastic start to the academic year!

We've had a brilliant start to the new academic year! Our students are working harder than ever, and the Kirton Classroom Champions initiative has become an integral part of the school, encouraging even greater engagement and achievement.

We're also excited to have the new library and music rooms fully operational. They have already become favourite spots for both learning and creativity.

Thank you to everyone who joined us for our recent Open Evening. It was a great success, with many upcoming Year 6 students and their families taking tours and getting a feel for what our school has to offer.

As we look forward to the next half term, there are many exciting events and activities planned. For now, enjoy the well-deserved break, and we look forward to seeing everyone back on Monday, 28th October.

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Year 11 Information Evening

Thank you to all the parents and students that attended the Year 11 parent information evening on Thursday night.

A copy of the power point used in the evening has been sent to all Year 11 parents.



Magic Breakfast

All students are eligible for a free breakfast at our academy. This initiative is paid for by a charity called “Magic Breakfast”.

Students will be provided with toast/bagel to start the day.

We feel its important for our students to have enough fuel in their bodies to be a success in the classroom.



Achievement Points

At our academy we use Class Charts to monitor student achievement. Congratulations to the following students for having been awarded the highest number of achievement points this half term.

| Year 7 | Year 8 | Year 9 | Year 10 | Year 11 |
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| Isla Puttock (7DH) | Ruby Wilkinson (8LM) | Abbie Thacker (9SL) | Elisha Turner (10NQ) | Ethan Thickett (11MMC) |
| Macie Drewery (7DH) | Danielle Stainton (8LM) | Harry Phillips (9VL) | Isla Myers (10JL) | Oliver Barrett (11APW) |
| Toby Lockyer (7KA) | Maddison Clayton (8TR) | Laila Glassman (9SL) | Diya George (10JL) | Freya McTighe (11SK) |
| Ruby Birkwood (7DH) | Harley Holmes (8LM) | Noah Clark (9VL) | Alex Bower (10HM) | Brooke Lewin (11APW) |
| Isla Keating (7CS) | Jack Wood (8LM) | Abbie Armstrong (9SL) | Daniel Roper (10HM) | Ellie Carter (11APW) |
| Ryley King (7DH) | Rojus Grimalis (8LM) | Gabriella Simpson (9AS) | Alfie Jackson (10NQ) | Joe Moore (11MMC) |

Parent Consultation Evening

The academy will be hosting its first Parent Consultation Evening on Wednesday 30th October 2024. The evening will provide parents with an opportunity to discuss your child's progress and settling in with their classroom teachers.

The evening will commence at 16:30 and end at 19:00.

All parents are able to attend the evening, however the first event in the academic year will be primarily focused on the Year 7 students.

Students are expected to make appointments with their teacher directly. Year 7 students have been issued with the booking form on Tuesday (15/10) and all other students received their form on Thursday (17/10). If you feel that your child requires support in making appointments, please contact the academy directly.

We look forward to seeing you in the evening, if you have any concerns please do not hesitate to contact the academy directly.

Highest Form Attendance

Congratulations to the following tutor groups for having the highest attendance in their year group.

7CS

8TR

9KM

10HM



Students from each winning form were awarded with a celebratory donut!

Core Routine 5 - Entering the classroom.

At the academy we believe it is important to greet the student at the door to welcome them into the classroom.

At our academy we believe its important to signify the new lesson has begun.



Mr Warburton greeting his Year 8 class.

Core Routine 6 - Leaving the classroom.

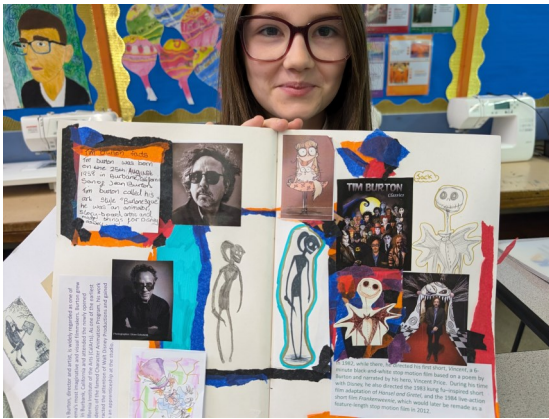
To ensure a calm end of the lesson, students are expected to line up behind their tables in silence and be dismissed one row at a time.

The teacher will leave the room with the students to ensure that the corridors are calm.



Mr Warburton collecting the mini white boards pens at the end of the lesson. All students standing in silence behind their desks.

Celebrating the work our student produce #Proud



Bowling Event

Congratulations to all the Year 7 students that participated in the recent ‘Year 7 Transition Bowling’ event. During the event they demonstrated the positive values that we think are important here at our academy.



Key Dates

| Date | Event |
|--------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 28th October 2024 | Year 8 Assessments begin |
| 30th October 2024 | Parent Consultation Evening 1 |
| 11th November 2024 | Whole academy remembrance assembly. |
| 13th November 2024 | NHS Talent Academy (Yr 9-10) |
| 15th November | Lincoln College Taster day (Yr 8& 9) |
| 25th November 2024 | Year 11 Mock Examinations |
| 25th November 2024 | Year 7 Assessments begin |