



The Queen Elizabeth Academy

Weekly— Newsletter

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Year 11 have been receiving their final mock examination results in the last few days. This has given our students an opportunity to assess their revision so far and where gaps in knowledge and skills exist, which need to be closed.

As part of our annual drive to support Year 11 students I am delighted to share our menu of revision sessions which take place over the Easter holiday. As you would expect the Easter period presents a final opportunity for students to have clear days of focused revision. Since it is a menu there are opportunities for students who work best at home and are in good routines to choose to go to sessions that they feel will be of most benefit. In other cases the structure of the programme provides a certainty of high level sessions, strongly focused on examination knowledge and technique.

On Thursday 30th March 2023 we are holding our Year 11 progress evening. It takes place from 3:30pm until 8:00pm and we hope that the later finish will enable more parents and carers to attend with their child. At this stage we will be advising on what your child needs to do to maximise the final weeks before the examinations start in May. We hope that the evening will provide some pause for reflection as well as providing an opportunity for students to hear positive comments and thoughts. It is really important that we all accentuate the positive efforts of Year 11 in the academy and at home.

Please note that the academy closes for the Easter break on Friday March 31st at 2:35pm as normal.

Have a great weekend.



Easter Intervention Menu



Week 1	Monday 3rd	Tuesday 4 th	Wednesday 5th	Thursday 6th	Friday 7 th
Morning session 10am -12pm	Science Separates	Engineering	Science Combined (invite) + Engineering	History (10am – 2pm with working lunch provided)	Good Friday
Afternoon session 1pm - 3pm	Computer Sci + Music	Engineering	Engineering	Ancient History (1pm – 4pm)	
Week 2	Monday 10 th	Tuesday 11 th	Wednesday 12 th	Thursday 13 th	Friday 14 th
Morning session 10am -12pm	Bank Holiday	Languages Individual slots, set by your teacher, running throughout the day	English	Maths (Sets 1, 2 and 3)	Geography (10am – 12pm) + Art (support on final piece)
Afternoon session 1pm - 3pm			Business + Media	Maths (Sets 4, 5 and 6)	

We are pleased to offer a range of support sessions during the Easter break to aid Y11 students in their final preparations for exams. There is a fantastic menu available and these sessions are usually very well attended. We believe that there is something for everyone and we hope you find this useful.

- No school uniform required for these sessions
- · Students should use the main school entrance at the front of the building
- Lunch not provided unless stated otherwise

Principal Awards



Consistently excellent work and effort during Maths lessons



Showing great pride in her maths work and consistently working hard



ENDEAVOUR: Top 3 performances on Sparx in the last week



Doing over 7 hours on duolingo this week!



Making a huge effort to show he can turn around his behaviour and towards a Prom ticket.

Head of Year

Special Recognition

Congratulations Year 9 or working hard to improve our positive achievement points! Here are the top students from their tutor groups.

Grace Francis 9DJD 5 points Logan Veasey 9JRW 8 points Tilly Brampton 9MXH 12 points Daniel Cheshire 9SJ 14 points Frankie Less 9SJ 14 points Liam Rowley 9SK 12 points

Celebration of Achievement

Top 3 Tutor Group

<u>13/03-19/03</u>

10RZC-400 points

10JXP-297 points

9SJ 200 points

Top Year 7 Students

<u>13/03-19/03</u> Darcy Roberts 7CXR 11 points

Isaac Collins 7EXO 8 points

Corey Hall 7KXS 8 points

Top Year 9 Students

<u>13/03-19/03</u> Daniel Cheshire 9Sj 14 points Frankie Lees 9SJ 14 points Faye Read 9SJ 13 points Tilly Brampton 9MXH 12 points Liam Rowley 12 points

Top 3 Tutor Group

Year to Date 10RZC 9683 points 7LD 9562 points 7DK 8573 points

Top Year 8 Students

<u>13/03-19/03</u> Andreea Postelnicu 8GXB 18 points Liam Donovan 8GXB 14 points Brandon Brotherhood 8NEH 10 points

Top Year 10 Students

<u>13/03-19/03</u> Coral Chetwynd 10RZC 27 points Maisie Watson 10RZC 26 points Layton Mobley 10RZC 25 points Ruby Wardle 10RZC 25 points

Top Year 11 Students

<u>13/03-19/03</u> Sophia Jabra 11KJW 11 points Riley Dyde 11KJW 4 points Taylor Gore 11RJG 4 points Danica Smith 11MRB 4 points Erin Southworth 11RJG 4 points



KEEP UP THE GREAT WORK!!

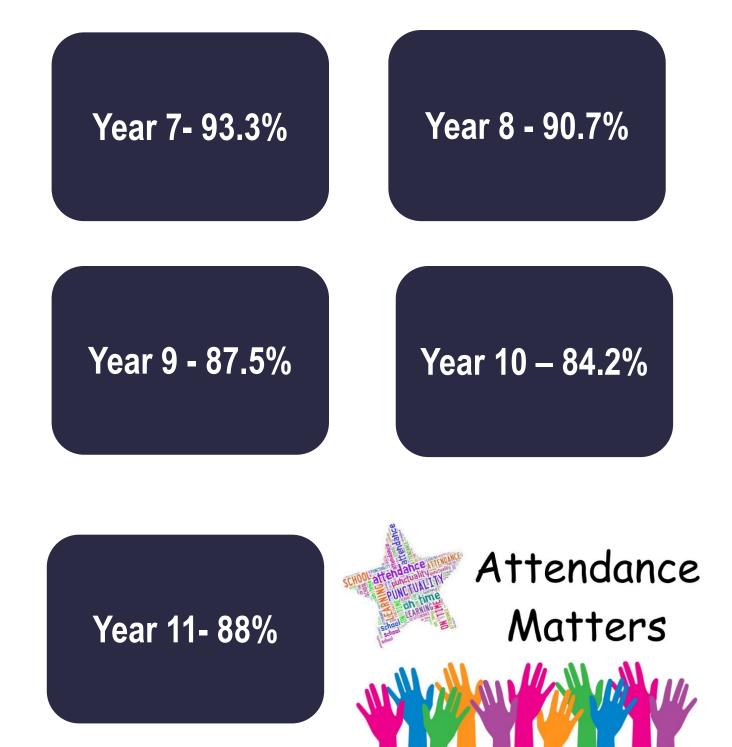
Tutor Group of the Week

We are currently running an incentive for the Tutor Group of the Week. The tutor group with the highest attendance each week get £5 put in a pot and can spend how they choose. This competition is running until Easter half term, after Easter we have an exciting new incentive beginning.

Below is the current tutor group in each year winning.



Weekly Attendance



TQEA Food Department

Year 9 Food Club

The year 9 group made Katsu curry this week, using chicken or halloumi and learning the skills of breadcrumb coating and sauce making.



Year 7 Food Club is on Tuesday 28 March Year 8 Food Club is on Wednesday 29 March

Both of these groups are currently at full capacity.

Year 10 Extra Skills Group

On Wednesday the year 10 group expanded their food knowledge and experience making a South African recipe 'Koeksusters'

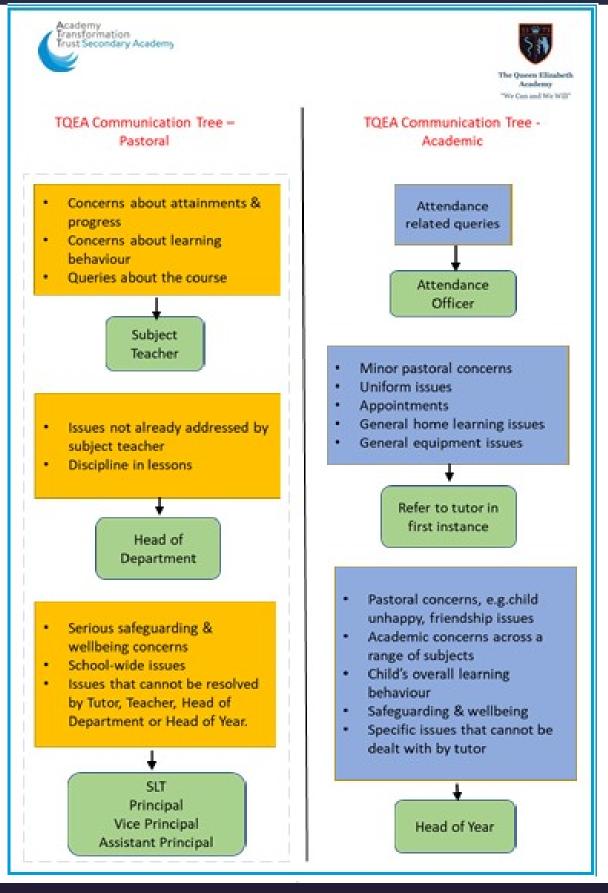


The year 11 Hospitality and Catering group completed a very successful exam week. The brief was to create two full dishes for a restaurant at a holiday resort. Unfortunately, we can't publish photos of ongoing exam work but here is some of last years. The standard was equally high this year.



Timetable Change: 7A3 – the practical session is moving from Monday week 2 to Thursday week 2. Please remind them to bring in their containers.

Communication Tree



Understanding Your Teenager

A FREE 2-hour workshop for parents and carers At Atherstone Children and Family Centre On Friday, the 31st March 2023, 9:30-11:30

The teenage years can be challenging both for parents and teenagers themselves! But teenager's behaviour does not have to be a mystery.

The aim of Understanding Your Teenager 2-hour workshop is to enhance parent/carers relationships with their teenagers building on parent/carers understanding of teenage development and behaviours. Topics covered during the session include: what to expect during this phase, understanding your teen, communicating with and empowering teenagers.



Limited places. Please book on Eventbrite using QR code below or email ehparenttrainers@warwickshire.gov.uk for more information



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Talking Teens Programme

FREE 4 Week Talking Teens Programme for parents and carers at:

The Queen Elizabeth Academy

(Witherley Road, Atherstone, CV9 1LZ)

19th June 2023 - 17th July 2023

Each Monday from 12:30 - 15:00

Talking Teens is a 4-week programme for parents of teenagers with a focus on:

- · Relationships within the family
 - Communication
 - Negotiating
 - · Decision-making
- · Strategies to reduce conflict

Come along to meet other parents and learn about ways to support your teenager





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