



The Queen Elizabeth Academy

Weekly— Newsletter

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Firstly, you may be aware of the information we shared regarding a group of youths, from outside of the area, who have been displaying anti-social and threatening behaviour in the town. The safety of our children is a priority and we are working closely with the police on this matter. Not only have we increased our staff presence around the academy gates, but we have had strong support from the police who are patrolling the local area at the end of the academy day.

The police have advised that our children walk home from the academy in friendship groups and that they go straight home. If our children see any anti-social behaviour from these youths then they must report it to you to report to the police. We will continue to work closely with the police and I will share any important information with parents and carers when I have it.

Parents and cares will also know that we have taken the decision, in response to the union action by the National Education Union, to close the academy to Year 7, 8 and 9 on Wednesday February 1st. We are sorry for the disruption that this may cause, but wanted to make the announcement as early as possible to help families put contingency plans in place. We will set work for Year 7, 8 and 9, which they can access through Teams and via their email.

We remain open for vulnerable children, key worker children Year 10 and Year 11. Please see the letter I sent yesterday to establish how you inform the academy if you wish to apply for a key worker place that day or require a Free School Meal.

It is important that we have strong attendance from Year 10 and Year 11 as we continue to prepare them for their GCSEs. For year 11 there are 99 days to go until their first examination and it was great to see a high turnout at the various intervention sessions that we are running on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. We have also been continuing to support Year 11 with their calendar planning and revision skills. Year 11 should now be increasing their revision programme at home as we head into February!

Have a great weekend and thank you for your support.

Mr N Harding Principal **Twitter: - @TQEA_Principal** Mr N A Harding

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Principal Awards



Achieving Band 4 in his most recent Science assessmentabove his target. Ms Rowan.



PRIDE: Consistent fantastic work in Art. Michaela Bennett.



PRIDE: Excellent performance in assessment. Mr Rowlett



Kindness - always willing to contribute and often stays behind to tidy up or see if any help is needed. Joanne Woodberry



PRIDE: Consistent high standards in all aspects of The TQEA Way. Donna Bott

Head of Year

Special Recognition

Congratulations Year 7 or working hard to improve our positive achievement points! Here are the top students from their tutor groups.

Alessia Ford 7CXR 25 points Daniel Lynam 7DK 42 Points Lacey Bennett 7KXS 28 points James Edwards 7LD 46 points Jessica Williscroft 7SDS 25 points Henacey Ralph 7UXA/LXE 22 points

Celebration of Achievement

Top 3 Tutor Group

<u>09/01-15/01</u>

9DJD 960 points 7LD 686 points 8NMT 653 points

Top Year 7 Students

<u>09/01-15/01</u>

Felicity Ariyanto 7DK 47 points James Edwards 7DK 40 points Georgina Martin 7LD 36 points Elise Bailey 7DK 35 points

Top Year 9 Students

09/01-15/01 Jack Cressey 9DJD 57 points Lily Thompson 9DJD 51 points Lexi-Mae Brotherhood 9DJD 49 points Teige Ashe 9DJD 46 points Geirge Cardall 9DJD 46 points Finley Hitchman 9DJD 46 points

Top 3 Tutor Group

Year to Date

7LD 6754 points 10RZC 5849 points 7DK 5604 points

Top Year 8 Students

<u>09/01-15/01</u>

Emily Lindner 8NMT 41 points Daniel Smith 8RRC 39 points James Ford 89NMT 35 points Jack Croshaw 8NMT 34 points Hari Evans 8RRC 34 points

Top Year 10 Students

09/01-15/01 Kieran Crutchley 10RZC 23 points Owen Russell 10RM 22 points Lois Dawe 10RM 21 points Joseph Gibson 10RZC 20 points

Top Year 11 Students

09/01-15/01 Bobby Kirkham 11RJG 21 points Isaac hiatt 11ECT 10 points Violet O'Meara 11KJW 10 points Macie Stephen 11RJG 10 points



KEEP UP THE GREAT WORK!!



Well done to our PE stars of the week for showing #Pride #Resilience #Endeavour #Kindness

In National policing week it was great to see PCSO Scott patrolling near TQEA and engaging with students and staff on Tuesday.



Chinese New Year

Year 8's have been making salt and chilli chicken.

Year 10 and 11's and after school groups have been making spring rolls to celebrate Chinese New Year.















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