

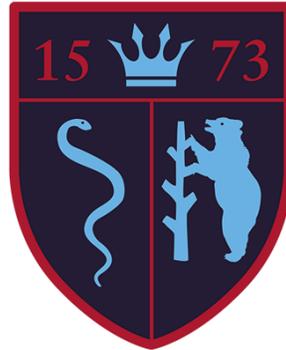


The Queen Elizabeth
Academy



TQEA Newsletter: Thursday 12th June

Issue 6



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“We Can and We Will”



Principal's Welcome



Dear Parents and Carers.

I often speak of the cycle of education and the fact that we take our roles as custodians of your child's education very seriously. In short, they get one chance at getting this right and we are humbled by our parents' and carers faith in us.

On the one hand we had our transition coffee afternoon this week for new parents and carers of the incoming Year 7. As always there was a mixture of excitement and trepidation from parents and carers, which I fully understand as a parent of two children. However, I also wear the hat of a Principal who has seen thousands of children transition superbly into secondary school. It was great to meet those parents and carers and hear their thoughts and, hopefully, settle any questions that they may have. There are a range of transition activities happening this year and, to ensure that our new pupils get a fuller experience of their new academy, we are running two transition days this year.

With regard to the cycle of education we also bid farewell to Year 11. Their final assembly was an emotional event with video messages from former colleagues such as Mrs. Bott and Mrs. Woodberry and some laughter looking at old pictures of their time at TQEA. It is always poignant to welcome our new Year 7 as excited children and then witness them "growing wings" and being ready to fly into adulthood. The prevailing feeling as we say goodbye to Year 11 is that we are very proud of the people they have turned out to be and they are now ready for the next adventure in their journey. We look forward to sharing and celebrating their success on results' day on Thursday August 21st 2025.

Finally, we end this week with our enrichment days. We introduced this last year as a reward to our pupils for their support of their academy, their teachers and for their hard work. We felt that it was important for our pupils to have the opportunity to have some good recreational and cultural experiences as we approach the important final few weeks of the academic year. Each year group will be graduating in that time to their new year group. For our new Year 11 (Current Year 10) they have their graduation on Wednesday June 18th 2025 and this is followed swiftly by their mock examinations. For the new Year 10 (Current Year 9) this means that they are starting their GCSE studies in our "lift off" programme.

Finally, I will sign off for this week with the my final comments to Year 11: -

"Have a dream, live it and always be proud to say that you are from this community. As long as you can look yourself in the mirror and say you have done your best, no one can ask more than that'. We whole heartedly agree, now go and live your dreams and live a life well lived, Class of 2025.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'N. Bott', with a stylized flourish extending from the bottom right.

WE ARE IMPROVING COMMUNICATION AT TQEA

HOW TO CONTACT US:-

FOR WELL-BEING AND PASTORAL ISSUES CONTACT THE RELEVANT EMAIL FOR YOUR CHILDS' YEAR GROUP.
TQE-YEAR7@ATTRUST.ORG.UK
TQE-YEAR8@ATTRUST.ORG.UK
TQE-YEAR9@ATTRUST.ORG.UK
TQE-YEAR10@ATTRUST.ORG.UK
TQE-YEAR11@ATTRUST.ORG.UK

CONTACT THE SUBJECT LEADER OR TEACHER FOR SUBJECT RELATED ISSUES
CALL 01827 737714 OR MAIL TQE-ATTENDANCE@ATTRUST.ORG.UK FOR ATTENDANCE MATTERS.
CALL 01827 712477 FOR URGENT ISSUES (WE HAVE INCREASED THE NUMBER OF OPERATORS)
PLEASE DO NOT CONTACT US THROUGH THE MCAS APP.
SEE OUR NEW WEEKLY NEWSLETTER FOR MORE DETAILS...

Year 10 Graduation Ceremony

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are delighted to invite you to our **Year 10 Graduation Ceremony on Wednesday 18th June.**

This is an opportunity for us as an academy and you as parents and carers to celebrate the outstanding work of our Year 10 students and for them to graduate into Year 11 and take up the important role of the eldest students in the academy. They will all also receive their new Year 11 TQEA tie.

During this ceremony, we will be awarding:

- Subject Awards for Academic Progress and Effort
- Pastoral Awards for demonstrating our TQEA characters
- Head of Year Awards
- Tutor Group of the year
- Our TQEA Charitable Trust Shied for services to the Community

The ceremony will start at 2.15pm and we would ask you to arrive to the academy between 2.00pm and 2.10pm reporting to reception. After the ceremony, there will be opportunities for you to share in refreshments and to have photographs taken with your child (including a scroll and graduation gown).

If you would like to join us in our celebrations, please can we ask you click on the link below to register your attendance and to receive your ticket to the event.

<https://forms.office.com/e/BDawSVe38v>

Please can we ask you to complete this by **Friday 6th June**. Please indicate on the form if you require additional assistance. We are currently offering **two tickets per family**; however, additional tickets may become available after 6th June. Again, please indicate on the form if you would like to be considered for additional tickets.

We really look forward to seeing you on Wednesday 18th June.

Kind regards,

Alison Morris Matthew Calvin

Deputy Principal Head of Year 10

Attendance

Top 10 Tutor Groups: This week are,

8MRB

8JXP

9ECT

10NMT

7SK

7RM

7FRE

9LD

10SSH

9ETH

Dates to Remember

Monday 16th June - Friday 27th June: Y10 Mock Exams.

Wednesday 18th June 2025 - Year 10 Graduation Ceremony (parents welcome) at

Friday 20th June: School closed to students for Trust Wide Training day.

Thursday 26th June: Y11 Prom.

Tuesday 1st & Wednesday 2nd July: Y10 Birmingham Visit.

Wednesday 2nd July: Y6 Transition Day.

Tuesday 8th July: Y10 Progress Evening & Mock Results.

Wednesday 9th, Thursday 10th & Friday 11th July: Mary Poppins Performances.

Thursday 10th & Friday 11th July: Y10 Carding Mill visit.

Tuesday 15th July: Y7 Graduation.

Wednesday 16th July: Y8 Graduation.

Thursday 17th July: Y9 Graduation.

Friday 18th July: Finish for the Summer.

PE Information

Year 7 athletics competition this week, saw an outstanding group perform in a huge range of events placing QE 4th overall in north Warwickshire with a number of students medaling in events.

Special mentions for medaling:

Millie Newbury 200m champion

Sienna Owen 3rd place discus

Daisy Caton 2nd place long jumper

Tyler Hay 1st 80m and 4th Triple jump

Omari Mullings 3rd 300m and 1200m

Mate Nadela 1st javelin and 2nd shot

