

# Academy News

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INVESTOR IN PEOPLE

### Key Dates:

- Monday 6<sup>th</sup> October - Friday 10<sup>th</sup> October
  - Year 11 trial exams all week
  - Open mornings for parents of year 6 children, each day 09:15-10:30
  - Greeting card competition
  - Black history month begins
- Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> October - Open evening for parents of year 6 children 17:00-19:00
- Monday 20<sup>th</sup> October - Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October – Maths tests week
- Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October - Competence/Show and Tell event 16:00-18:00
- Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> October - Black history month celebration
- Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October - INSET DAY (Teachers training day) No pupils in school
- Monday 27<sup>th</sup> – Friday 31<sup>st</sup> October – Half Term

## Welcome to the Academy News

### LOCAL STUDENT AMONGST THE TOP TEN IN COUNTRY

We have received a letter from the Chief Examiner at Edexcel informing us that **Richard Rumble** was amongst the highest scoring candidate's in this summer's GCSE drama examination.

Out of 60,878 entries, Richard was amongst the top ten students who achieved the highest overall marks

We send Richard, and his teachers Ms Catchpole and Ms Pajovic, our congratulations and best wishes for the future.

**Mrs V Ray - Principal**



## UPDATING STUDENT CONTACT DETAILS

Dear Parents,  
Please ensure that you keep the school updated with any changes made to your contact details.  
It is vitally important that we have the correct details on file, in case we have to contact you in an emergency or any other matter regarding your child/children. This includes changes made to your home/work address, telephone numbers, details of emergency contacts, etc.  
Please contact the school directly or complete a 'Student Contact Update' form which can be found in Reception.  
Thank you.

## ATTENDANCE



If your child is absent from school or is going to be late for whatever reason, please telephone the school as soon as possible.

Punctuality is very important and students must arrive to school on time. The school day begins at 08:30. Thank you.

**Ms Barker - Attendance Office**

## SCOLAREST – THE ACADEMY'S CATERERS

As caterers we recognise that many students have different requirements. There are a wide range of products available. If anyone would like to make individual requests, please see Pauline or Annie. Unfortunately, we do not use Halal meat as we have found this to be very expensive therefore we have other options available, such as vegetarian selections e.g. burgers, pizza,

pasta dishes, pastries, jacket potatoes and the meal of the day.

All food is freshly made everyday.

Other information:-

- There is no salt or fat added to our cooked meals.
- We do not provide sugary fizzy drinks but do promote fruit juices, flavoured water and milk.
- A range of sandwiches and rolls are available.
- Fresh fruit, vegetables and salads are on offer every day.
- Tortilla wraps and warm bagels with various fillings are provided.
- We offer pasta and noodles with a selection of sauces.
- Pizza with several toppings is available.
- Each day, a main meal and pudding are on the menu
- Jacket potatoes
- Various cakes and cookies are on offer

If you require change for the revaluators please come to us at breakfast or break, not at lunchtime as this slows down the service.

**We do not accept money at the tills please use the revaluators.**

If anyone requires further information or help please do not hesitate to contact Pauline the Unit Manager on 02077030125

**Pauline Higgins - Unit Manager**

