



Nottingham Academy Secondary Weekly Bulletin—Friday 29/11/24

Highlights of the week

Year 7: It was a pleasure seeing the 20 Year 7 students enjoying themselves in "GOLDEN TIME" during P5 today. The top 2 students from each tutor group for 100% attendance, 0 negatives and most positives got to take part in the festive fun! Well done students!

Year 8: It was great to see our students back in school this week. Big congratulations to those students that managed to access their online learning from home and who put maximum effort to continue their remote learning. Success comes from positive consistent habits.

Year 9: Our Year 9 students have been exploring their career aspirations during tutor time this week. There is an overwhelming sense of self-belief within our year group and students should continue to strive for their goals!

Year 10: The Year 10 football team helped prepare the Year 9 football team for their upcoming quarter final match. This was a brilliant non-competitive match with 25 players and another 25 students watching cheering on the Year 9 football team. It was great to see both teams working together!

Year 11: This week, 18 of our Year 11 students had the opportunity to attend a work insight trip to Ideagen which is a leading global software company. During the visit, students learned about careers in the tech industry, engaged in interactive workshops, and were inspired by industry professionals.

Sixth Form: We welcomed lots of prospective students on Wednesday 27th November who are interested in joining our Sixth Form next September, alongside playing basketball at an elite academy level. It was lovely to meet them all and to have the opportunity to showcase what Sixth Form can offer and how we can support and guide students throughout their Level 3 studies.



Student Stars of the past week
Well done! You will be entered for the
10 X £50 'Good Citizen' Raffle each Term.

Year 7: Adam S for having a positive attitude which has resulted in his highest achieving points earned since the beginning of the academic year. Well done to you all!

Year 8: Charlie D for achieving the most positive points within the year group this week. Well done, Charlie!

Year 9: Harley B-G for hugely improving his attitude to learning. He has also brought smiles to all our faces with his (albeit early) festive spirit! Keep up the hard work and the merriness Harley!

Year 10: Levi S has had a brilliant week. Levi has received the most amount of achievement points this week with zero negatives and scored 2 great goals in the school football match. Well done Levi!

Year 11: Ayden F has been recognised for consistently demonstrating kindness and support to friends in times of need. His actions embody the values of respect that we strive to install in our school community. Well done, Ayden!

Sixth Form: Sana Z for being an outstanding Sixth Form Citizen! Respecting her environment and helping in the Sixth Form study area to ensure that students can use the area productively. Thank you, Sana!



Mrs Elbaz — Executive Principal
"Wishing you all a safe and lovely weekend!"

Upcoming events:

Year 7: Coffee and Mince Pie Morning from 9.15am-10.15am and 11.15am-12.30pm on Thursday 12th December 2024. A chance for parents to come in and meet the team and an opportunity to visit some live lessons.

House Dodgeball Competition takes place on Wednesday 4th December 2024, may the best house win!

Year 8: As we approach the Christmas Holidays, we are making a concerted effort to raise awareness of those less fortunate and will be asking for help to replenish food banks within the community. Students will be doing their best to support our community by providing food donations in the lead up to the Christmas break.

Year 9: Year 9 boys football team have their next County Cup fixture away against Alderman White School on Tuesday 3rd December – 2.00pm kick-off. Good luck Year 9!
We have several Year 9 students performing in "A Monster Calls" on Thursday 12th December and Friday 13th December here in school, tickets are now bookable. Information letter is attached. Mr Woolley is also fundraising for the 'Little Princess Trust' and will be cutting his own hair on Tuesday 17th December in school to donate to this worthwhile charity for children needing wigs due to illnesses that cause hair loss.

Year 10: Year 10 students will start our 15 days of "Christmas Advent" celebration from Monday 2nd December. There will be lots of chances to win different prizes for 15 days, all students look forward and enjoy seeing what is in offer to win a prize daily. Good luck to all!

Year 11: Pre-Public Examination (PPE) Results Day will take place on Friday 6th December. This is a significant milestone for our Year 11 students as they gain valuable insight into their progress and areas for improvement ahead of their final examinations. We encourage parents/carers to discuss these results with their children and support them as they prepare for the months ahead.

Sixth Form: Thursday 5th December: Nottingham Trent University will be in Sixth Form to deliver an assembly on the benefits of university and higher education to our Year 12 students.

Whole school:

Parent View – Survey Parents/Carers are very important stakeholders - we would **love to hear your views!** Please click on the link below to share your views and be in with a **chance to win one of the three £50 prizes!** To be eligible for the prize money, you must complete by Friday 6th December and leave your email address (we will not share with anyone).
<https://forms.office.com/e/71a63XswGK>



Please remember that a free breakfast is available between **8.00am and 8.20am** and your child must arrive to school by 8.30am.