

# Nottingham Secondary Academy

## Newsletter

*Publisher Mrs L Chapman*

I have been immensely proud of our Nottingham Academy family of students and staff! We have had such a great term together; it has been very productive with a tremendous amount of enrichment opportunities outside of lessons for students and you will get the opportunity to see some of these in our Newsletter.



Mrs J Elbaz—Executive Principal

I am excited with the key developments we have been working on as a staff body in teaching and learning, pastoral and personal development. We aim to ensure that every pupil at Nottingham Academy achieves their true potential, making a valuable contribution to our community and our world.

We are very keen to work with you and maintain regular communication. If you have any queries, please get in touch with the relevant year team. We are pleased to announce that we have coordinated year group emails to ensure the relationship and communication between the home/school and your child, is monitored and actioned daily.

Our pupils continue to work hard, and we are especially pleased with the efforts the staff, Year 11 and Year 13 students have made towards their upcoming summer exams. I want to thank you for all your support, working together to achieve the best possible outcomes and experiences for your child/ren.

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Wishing you all a lovely Easter break!

Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs J Elbaz – Executive Principal

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*Lead learning to transform lives and enable communities; at Nottingham Academy we will achieve this by providing an exceptional provision for exceptional learners.*

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# Nottingham Academy

## Key changes to the Behaviour Policy from Summer Term April 13<sup>th</sup> onwards

Key changes have been made to the Behaviour policy that have been shared with students over the last two weeks. This is in response to firstly government direction (mobile phones/device and secondly to a MINORITY of pupils who repeatedly make the wrong behaviour choices. We want to thank you in advance for helping us share the message and for supporting your child in ensuring they have the most productive and positive time at Nottingham Academy by making the RIGHT choices.

**1. No mobile phones or headphones** at all – switched off, bottom of bag and not touched.

The details of this were shared in the newsletter last Friday 20<sup>th</sup> April 2026 including medical exemption and our need to adhere to national government direction to schools.

For SEND pupils who require ear defenders – ONLY ear defenders are permitted NOT large headphones. For pupils on EHCP where applicable, ONLY MP3 player (provided by the academy) with their own ear buds are permitted.

For mobiles, headphones, devices – if it is seen or heard, it will be confiscated and parents/carers will have to collect **#see it, take it, have to collect it** – by parents / carers.

If a student refuses to hand over – this will result in a **Suspension which will require a Reintegration Meeting with the parent/carer present.**

**If a student is repeatedly seen with a phone or device and/or repeatedly refuses**, the item will be kept or suspension will be for **longer and longer** each time

**2.** Too many students are arriving **late to school**, often with friendship groups or having visited the café or park. Gates open at 8am for Breakfast club but should 100% be arriving between 8:20 and 8:35. Students who do not attend all or part of Tutor Time MISS OUT on endless knowledge, information, opportunities and rewards and it can affect their morning attendance mark.

**We are therefore introducing that students who are late TWICE Monday-Wednesday will sit a 90 mins SLT detention** on a Wednesday evening and late after this, they will sit **90 mins SLT detention on Friday**. A handful of students are late so often that they will end up sitting TWO 90 mins SLT detentions a week until they can get this right.

**3.** In line with new national guidelines, we are changing the wording of ‘external isolation’ to ‘Offsite direction’ in our Behaviour Policy.

**4.** In the colder months, we temporarily permitted students to wear a black v neck jumper under their blazer. For the summer term, this has been lifted – no jumpers are allowed. Please keep jumpers at home from April 13<sup>th</sup>. Should anyone be really cold, students could wear light-coloured ‘skins’ under their shirt. Students will wear their white shirt with year group tie and blazer. Students with exemptions MUST display their lanyard at all times.

Any attempt to wear cropped jackets e.g. denim, leather, IN PLACE of their blazer, will have the jacket confiscated. Again, please keep the cropped jackets, small handbags and any other fashion items, at home.

**We wish to highlight that the majority of our students ALWAYS get it right. However we want ALL of our students to focus on their learning, get amazing results, receive the recognition and rewards and take the wonderful opportunities offered, so they can be the best version of themselves.**

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## Nottingham Academy – Behaviour For Learning Policy: A Parent’s Guide

### Welcome

At Nottingham Academy, we work in partnership with families to help every student feel safe, respected, and motivated to succeed. This guide outlines our key behaviour expectations and how you can support your child’s success.

### Our Core Values

We promote three simple values across the school:

- **Aspiration** – Aim high and believe in success
- **Pride** – Take care in appearance, work and attitude
- **Respect** – Treat others and the environment with kindness

### The 6 Everyday Expectations

We expect all students to:

1. **Be In School On Time** Arrive by your designated start time, and never be late to lessons.
2. **Be Smart and Sharp** Wear correct school uniform properly all day.
3. **Bring Full Table Service** Be equipped: 2 black pens, 1 green pen, pencil, ruler, rubber, and a school bag.
4. **Respect the School Environment** No littering, graffiti, chewing gum, or damage to property.
5. **Follow Instructions First Time, Every Time** No answering back or ignoring staff.
6. **Be in the Right Place, at the Right Time, Doing the Right Thing** Move sensibly between lessons, stay focused in class, and follow school routines.

### Uniform – Be “Smart and Sharp”

#### Required Uniform

- **Black blazer** with school logo (worn at all times unless told otherwise)
- **White shirt** – fully buttoned and tucked in
- **Academy tie** – tied properly, showing full stripes
- **Black trousers**
- **Black footwear** (all black) Coats can be worn but must be removed at the start of lessons

#### Outerwear

- **No hoodies, denim or sports jackets**
- Coats can be worn but must be removed at the start of lessons

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Students are also regularly recognised in:

- **Star of the Week, Form Champion**
- **Half-termly awards** for attendance, conduct, and academic growth
- **End-of-year award ceremonies**

## **Sanctions – When Expectations Aren't Met**

We aim for consistency and fairness. If a student misbehaves:

- They may receive a **prompt** and **warning** in lesson
- They may be removed to the **remove room**

They may be **suspended** or placed in the **Behaviour Reflection Centre** in serious cases

We always believe in **fresh starts** – students are welcomed back to class with a clean slate.

## **SEND Support and Reasonable Adjustments**

We are fully inclusive and make adjustments where needed:

- Support passes for sensory or emotional needs
- Adjusted uniform rules for sensory sensitivities
- Personalised strategies on each student's SEND profile

Staff trained in SEMH, Autism, and inclusive behaviour strategies

If your child needs extra support, we encourage early communication with their Tutor or SENDCo.

## **Behaviour Outside School**

Students must always represent the Academy positively. Poor behaviour on the way to/from school may result in school sanctions.

## **Working Together**

We believe that **strong routines and clear communication** between home and school help every child thrive. Your support helps us provide the best education and pastoral care possible.

If you ever have questions, worries, or just want to check in – we're always here to listen.

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## **Not Allowed**

- Facial piercings or excessive makeup
- False nails/nail varnish
- Non-uniform items
- Phones, smartwatches, or headphones seen or heard during the day

If uniform rules are not followed, students may be sent home to change, issued a loan item, or placed in the **Behaviour Reflection Centre**.

If there's a problem, please contact us – we can help.

## **Rewards and Recognition**

We love to recognise and reward positive behaviour, effort, and consistency. Students are celebrated for:

- **Golden Tickets** – awarded in every lesson for great effort and attitude
- **Caught Being Great** – public praise for doing the right thing
- **Tutor Basics Check** – recognition for correct uniform and equipment every day
- **Citizenship stamps** – recorded in planners every Monday
- **House Points** – earned through all of the above to contribute to termly competitions and The House Cup

## **Attendance and Punctuality Streak Awards**

- Students with **2 full weeks of 100% punctuality and attendance** are entered into a raffle draw for **£10 vouchers**
- Those with long-term streaks and perfect records are invited to exclusive **celebration events**, including:
  - **Executive Principal's 100% Attendance Party**
  - **Year group recognition assemblies**
  - **House celebrations**




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## Key Changes at a Glance – Nottingham Academy Behaviour For Learning Policy





### **Uniform Expectations (Updated)**

- Head scarves worn for religious reasons should be black or white
- No purple jumpers for year 7 anymore. All pupils to have black blazer with Academy logo





### **Punctuality and Attendance Rewards (NEW)**

-  2-week attendance streak = entered into prize draw for £10 vouchers
-  100% attendance = invited to exclusive celebration events
-  Form and House competitions now include punctuality streaks

### **More Recognition, More Rewards**

-  New Token Store for daily positive choices (NEW)
-  “Caught Being Great” and “Golden Tickets” logged via Arbor every lesson
-  Tutor Basics Checks reward students for being ready to learn
-  Citizenship stamps & Academic Achievement Points added to planners (NEW)

### **New Detention System (Clearer & Faster)**

-  Late to school after 8.45: 30-minute same-day lunchtime detention
-  Severe Late to school after 8.45 → 9.00: Break time and 30-minute same-day lunchtime detention
-  Behaviour issue? → 30-minute lunchtime detention the following school day
-  Serious or repeated issues? → 90-minute SLT detention every Friday after school or placed in our Behaviour Reflection Centre or Fixed-Term suspension

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## Late to School

- After 9am our children are given an unauthorised attendance code, a 'U' code

## Why Being on Time Matters

At Nottingham Academy, we believe that **every minute counts** when it comes to your child's education. Here's why punctuality is so important:

## Start the Day Right

Arriving on time helps students settle in, feel calm, and be ready to learn from the very first bell.

## No Missed Learning

The beginning of the day often includes key instructions, discussions, and activities. Being late means missing out!

## Builds Life Skills

Punctuality teaches responsibility, time management, and respect—skills that benefit students far beyond the classroom.

## Boosts Confidence

Walking in late can be stressful. Being on time helps your child feel confident and prepared.

## Supports the Whole Class



When everyone arrives on time, lessons can start smoothly and without disruption.



Let's work together to help every student succeed—starting with a punctual start to the day!

## **Pastoral and safeguarding support**

If you are concerned about the safety of child over the holidays you can access support via the NSPCC Free Helpline 0808 800 5000. If you believe that a child is at immediate risk and in need of protection then you should call the Police - 999 immediately.

A member of the safeguarding team will also be on duty on weekdays throughout the holidays and can be contacted on [safeguarding@nottinghamacademy.org](mailto:safeguarding@nottinghamacademy.org)

There are also other sources of support on the safeguarding section of our web-site <https://www.nottinghamacademy.org/safeguarding/safeguarding-resources>

# Attendance Matters

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## Good Attendance means...

Being in school at least 97% of the time or 184 to 190 days



## DID YOU KNOW?

When pupils attend school, they:

- ✔ Can achieve their full potential
- ✔ Have better career prospects
- ✔ Learn how to look after themselves and be healthy
- ✔ Grow in confidence
- ✔ Keep up with work and homework
- ✔ Make new friends

There are **365** days in a calendar year

**175** days are **not** spent at school\*

**\*So, there's plenty of time for shopping, holidays and appointments!**

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# *Attendance Matters*

We are fortunate to work with the overwhelming support of parents who ensure that their children come to school every day and we thank-you for your support.

## **Absences Procedure**

If your child is ill and unable to attend school, a parent/carer must notify the attendance team before **8:15am, on every day of absence**. The absence line is: 0115 74834380 opt 1 or email [attendance@nottinghamacademy.org](mailto:attendance@nottinghamacademy.org)

## **Daily Absence Check**

Each day registers will be thoroughly checked and if a student is absent and no communication has been received from yourself, then a phone call will follow from our attendance team. Please note all contact numbers that have been provided to the school will be used and a message will be left where necessary. We request that you return any calls/texts as soon as possible to ensure we are able to safeguard all students at all times.

## **Welfare checks**

A member of the attendance team may call at your home to discuss your child's absence if we have received no contact, if there is concern regarding attendance or the reason given for absence is not acceptable. This visit may be carried out unannounced.

## **Punctuality**

All students must arrive in school for 8:30am. Our morning registers open at 8:40am and will close at 9:10am. **If students arrive after 9:10am they will receive a U Code.** This is an unauthorised absence for the morning session and will impact on overall attendance.

## **Persistent Absence**

A student will be classed as a persistent absentee if they are absent for 10% of the time. This equates to 19 days over an academic year.

We review student attendance on a weekly basis, whether it be authorised or unauthorised absence. Early interventions will be put into place to support parents/carers and students so that school attendance improves. Our intention will always be to work in partnership with parents to support them to get their child to attend.

There is evidence which suggests that children who miss days 2, 3 or 4 days of the new term for unauthorised reasons have a predicted overall attendance for the year of only 55%. We want to reduce the chance of this happening by working with you and your child to remove any barriers that they might face. Please alert you're the year team as early as possible if you are struggling to get your child into school.

# Attendance Matters

## Penalty Notices

Changes to the national threshold for Penalty Notices will come into force in September 2024. A summary of all the changes are included on the next page.

In summary, if a student is absent from school for 10 unauthorised sessions, over a rolling 10 school week period, a Penalty Notice can be issued. A school day is made of 2 sessions - am and pm. Or in other words: 1 day of absence = 2 sessions of absence. That means 5 days of unauthorised absence in a 10-week period could result in a penalty notice. It is also important to note that being late to school in the morning (after falls under the unauthorised absence category and will be recorded as 1 session of absence.

Please note.

- Penalty Notices are a fine of £160 if paid within 28 days, £80 if paid within 21 days.
- Any second Penalty Notice issued to the same parent for the same child within a rolling 3-year period will be charged at the higher rate of £160 with no option for this second offence to be discharged at the lower rate of £80.
- There is a national limit of 2 penalty notices to be issued to a parent for the same child within a rolling 3-year period, so at the 3<sup>rd</sup>, or subsequent offences, another tool will need to be considered such as prosecution or another attendance legal intervention.
- Fines are paid to the local authority – the academy does not receive that money.

## Family Holiday

Along with the government, we are trying to reduce the amount of school missed due to holidays and we hope that you will continue to support us by not planning a leave of absence during term time. **Leave will not be granted for family holidays unless under exceptional circumstances.** When a leave of absence has not been authorised, and if the absence exceeds a certain number of days, a referral will be made to Nottingham City Council for a Fixed Penalty Notice to be issued.

Any referrals to the Education division, Education Welfare & EOTAS service for consideration of further action could result in a Penalty Notice, payable direct to the Local Authority. If the Penalty Notice is not paid within 28 days, the Local Authority may instigate legal proceedings under section 444 (1) of the Education Act 1996. If found guilty of an offence under this Act, parents will receive a criminal record and could be fined up to £1000.

# *Attendance Matters*

## **Improving Attendance**

There are things you can do to improve your child's attendance:

- Talk to your child about the importance of them being in school and let them know how important you feel it is.

If your child is unwell, try giving them medication before they leave for school. The following NHS guidance gives some advice on whether your child is too ill to attend <https://www.nhs.uk/live-well/is-my-child-too-ill-for-school/>

- Avoid taking any holidays during term time. Family holidays in term time are not allowed in law and are unlikely to be authorised.
- Family emergencies also need careful consideration. It is not always appropriate or in the best interests of the child to miss school for emergencies which are being dealt with by adult family members.
- Avoid medical appointments during school hours. If this is unavoidable ensure your child attends school either before or after the appointment.

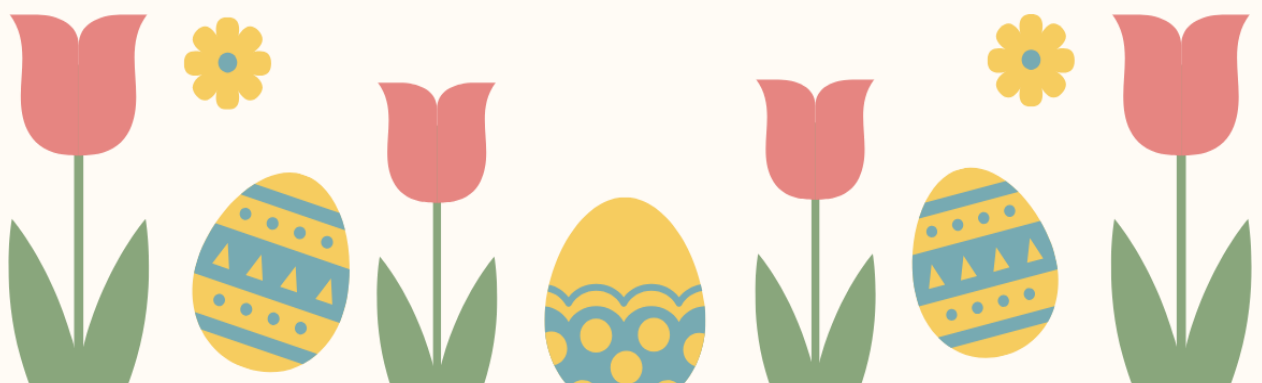
If you are worried about your child/children's attendance and require further support, please contact the school's attendance team

## **The Attendance Team**

Mrs J Bigwood – Senior Deputy Principal


Mrs M Bradshaw – Attendance Officer (years 7 and 8)

Mrs K Winfield – Attendance Officer (years 9, 10 and 11)



# *Citizen of the Term Awards*

The following students have been nominated by their tutors and Head of Year for the £50 Citizen prize. Mrs Elbaz selects the winners based on the amazing comments our staff have to say about them. Some of our winners carry out stand-out acts of citizenship whilst others display pride, aspiration and respect daily in all that they do.



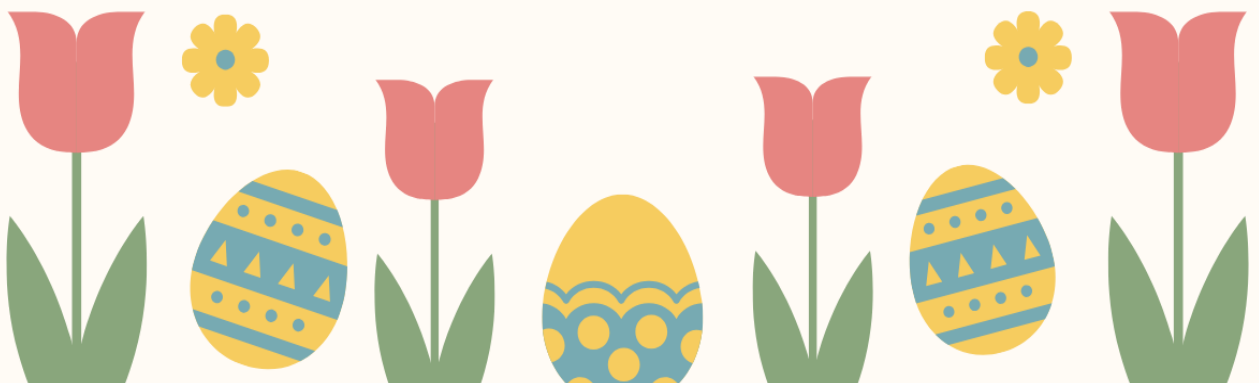
**GOOD CITIZEN AWARD**

£50

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Spring Term 2026		
<b>Year 7</b> Aqsa S 7T3 Hanar A 7T3 Jordan L 7T9	<b>Year 8</b> Lola Mae R 8T8 Muhammed A 8T3 Ethan C 8T2	<b>Year 9</b> Mani S 9T6 Chioma N 9T6 Chloe S 9T8
<b>Year 10</b> Caeli O 10T3 Tehzeeb H 10T3 Gebrehannes M 10T10	<b>Year 11</b> Sara K 11T1 Kadriye K 11T3 Emily N 11T3	<b>Sixth Form</b> Malaika S Kiyanna S



## *Citizen of the Term Awards*

Gebrehanes M	10T10	Wonderful manners, excellent attendance, always smiling and happy to be here, a wonderful kind and funny young man. Often near the top of weekly behaviour reward charts and has contributed so many points to his House.
Sara K	11T1	Sara had a 4 for Attitude to Learning in every single subject in the last set of reports. An amazing achievement that shows great dedication to her studies.
Kadriye K	11T3	Kadriye achieved the highest A8 points in the whole of Year 11. <u>Well</u> done for all you are doing Kadriye. Keep it up!
Emily N	11T3	Emily had the biggest improvement to her PPE grades in the whole of Year 11, jumping 23 grades up! Amazing dedication and perseverance from Emily.
Malaika S	Sixth Form	Malaika is an excellent student. She has 100% attendance and she is consistently supportive of her peers, contributing to an uplifting learning environment. Her engagement in lessons is always enthusiastic, and she extends this commitment beyond the classroom through her active involvement in extra-curricular opportunities. She has been part of First Story, where she explores and develops her skills in poetry and fiction writing. She has been one of a tiny few, who have shown a willingness to enter a writing competition, which further reflects her drive to enhance her learning and challenge herself. She wants to take part in extra-curricular opportunities, such as the recent trip to the theatre in her free periods and she has shown initiative by contributing to the creation of a school newspaper. All of this shows her as a valued role model in Sixth Form.
Kiyanna S	Sixth Form	Kiyanna's commitment and determination have truly stood out this year. After achieving excellent attendance last year, she has continued this so far since September with a current attendance statistic of 99.5%. She has set herself up for success in the classroom and this is also seen by her teachers who have said that she has an Aspirational Attitude to Learning in all 3 of her subjects. She is kind, thoughtful and we see someone who is fully recognising the hard work required to reach her goals. This is evident in the way she has pushed herself, stayed focused, and continuously aimed higher. Her predicted end grades were <u>C's</u> and her teachers are predicting B's and A's. We have no doubt that she is going to continue these successes and we would like to recognise this amazing work ethic and attitude.

# *Citizen of the Term Awards*

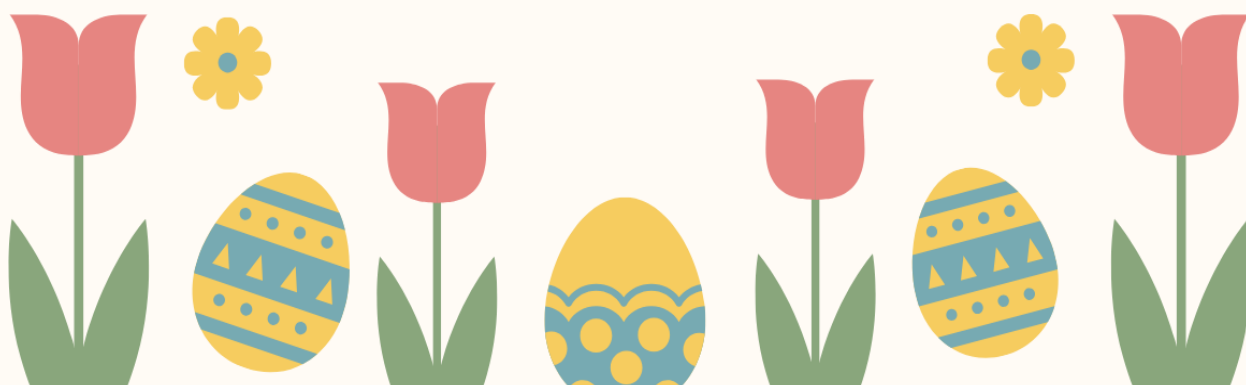
## **Some of the comments written about our winners:**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Tutor Group</b>	<b>Reason</b>
Aqsa S	7T3	Brings her full table service every day, follows the NAC standards and well behaved. Embodies the NAC expectations and standards every day. A role model student.
Hanar A	7T3	Brings her full table service every day, follows the NAC standards and well behaved. Strives to be a success each day
Jordan L	7T9	If you can be anything, be kind. Jordan always wants to help others and this caring attitude towards others has seen him shine as a role model for year 7 this year.
Lola Mae R	8T8	Lola Mae goes under the radar due to being good day in day out. She has never had a single detention and has an almost perfect attendance record. She is a role model student and consistently comes in to school with a great attitude. A real credit to the Year 8 students.
Ethan C	8T2	Ethan has never had a detention, is polite and respectful. Most notably, last half term, he suffered a fractured ankle during PE. Ethan returned after 2 days off on crutches with a smile on his face. He has not let this setback affect him, showing great levels of determination to succeed.
Muhammed A	8T3	Muhammed never lets anything negative get the better of him. He is always on time to school. His smile each morning is great to see and displays pride and aspiration throughout the day.
Mani S	9T6	Mani is a polite, helpful and well-rounded young man always willing to help and go the extra mile. Contributes to whole school decisions and supports staff with student voice and interviews.
Chioma N	9T6	A breath of fresh air, and an inquisitive mind whether she's reading, crocheting or offering help in class! Aspires to do well in all she does and always displays pride in Nottingham Academy.
Chloe S	9T8	A consistently hard-working student and always willing to help and support her friends. A kind student that often has a smile on her face and a pleasant greeting whenever you pass.
Caeli O	10T3	Beautiful behaviour in and outside of tutor. Polite, kind, hardworking, mature; a lovely human being that deserves to do well at the end of Key Stage 4.
Tehzeeb H	10T3	Great attendance, great positives, beautifully polite! Staff are always complimentary about Tehzeeb and the way she is in lessons and around the school. A delightful student.

## *Our Whole Academy Champions*

Every week we have a Campus Pupil of the Week. A pupil that has 100% attendance, 0 negative logs and most points. For the term coming to an end, our winners are:

### Campus Pupil of The Term





## *Our House Champions—The Battle of the Wicks continues*

Our current House Champions per year group are:

Year	House	Name	Tutor
7	Colwick	Esther I.	7T4
7	Hardwick	Aiza M.	7T8
7	Newstead	Alice V.	7T1
7	Rufford	Sajeel N.	7T6
7	<b>Wollaton</b>	<b>Yannick L.</b>	<b>7T9</b>
8	Colwick	Jack N.	8T7
8	Hardwick	Meharpreet K.	8T8
8	Newstead	Honour O.	8T1
8	Rufford	Shoaib Z.	8T5
8	<b>Wollaton</b>	<b>Yusra S.</b>	<b>8T9</b>
9	Colwick	Mohammad Q.	9T7
9	Hardwick	Yelyzaveta P.	9T8
9	Newstead	Zureesha P.	9T1
9	Rufford	Chioma N.	9T6
9	<b>Wollaton</b>	<b>Prasunna G.</b>	<b>9T2</b>
10	Colwick	Sidney B.	10T7
10	Hardwick	Caeli O.	10T3
10	Newstead	Smith W.	10T10
10	Rufford	Nafisa M.	10T5
10	<b>Wollaton</b>	<b>Harmain Q.</b>	<b>10T2</b>
11	Colwick	Sofia H.	11T7
11	Hardwick	Emily N.	11T3
11	Newstead	Olamide O.	11T1
11	Rufford	Annaliese R.	11T5
11	<b>Wollaton</b>	<b>Zahra S.</b>	<b>11T2</b>



## *Our House Champions—The Battle of the Wicks continues*



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Term 1 of 2025-26 has saw Hardwick run out as champions. Colwick have made up a lot of ground this term, as too have Wollaton. As always, at the time of going to press we are still not sure on who the House Champions for Term 2 will be but we can let you know that the following tutor groups have amassed the most behaviour and attendance points this term so far:

**7T9 Ms Kalirai**

**8T8 Ms Gheorge and Ms Sanjurjo**

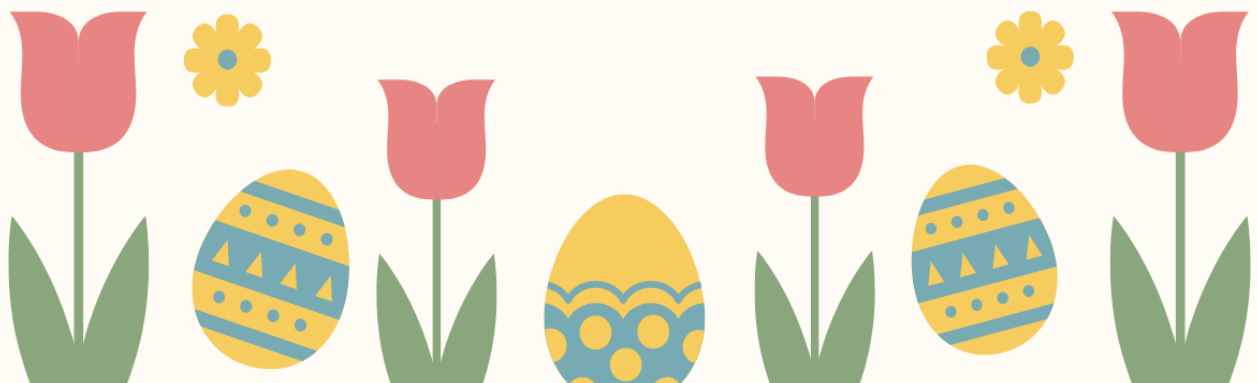
**9T7 Ms Buxton**

**10T7 Ms Markham**

**11T2 Ms Lee**



**Champion Tutor Group**



# Our Golden League Table

The following pupils have achieved the most golden tickets this term. Golden tickets are reserved for outstanding effort and contribution to lessons. A teacher can only give 3 out in each lesson so when a student makes the league table, we know they have been impressive in all they do!

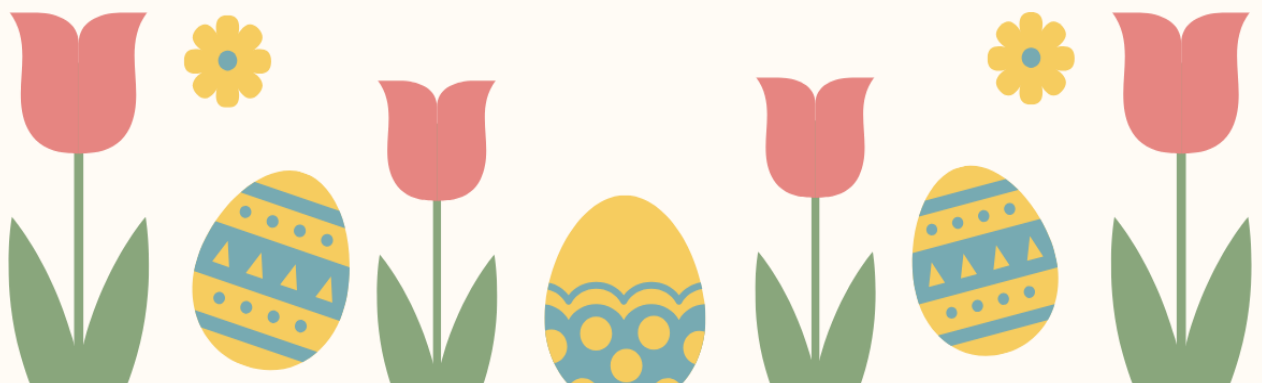
## Year 7 Golden League

Esther	7T4	91
Archie	7T9	89
Luke	7T9	88
Dania	7T1	86
Sajeel	7T6	83
Anees	7T9	79
Muzamil	7T6	78
Kian	7T9	77
Esraa	7T5	75
Arianna	7T7	74
Muhamm	7T7	73
Hamna	7T5	72
Fatima	7T8	72
Yannick	7T9	71
Aqsa	7T3	69



## Year 8 Golden League

Fida	8T4	98
Duazaara	8T4	91
Jack	8T7	80
Shoalb	8T5	76
Meharpreet	8T8	72
Areesha	8T7	65
Joy	8T6	63
Laisa	8T2	58
Selihom Tesfagabr	8T8	58
Dfaalla	8T7	57
Charlie	8T5	55
Jannat	8T5	53
Abdullah	8T9	52
Elijah	8T6	51
Tyler	8T2	50



# Our Golden League Table

## Year 9 Golden League

Zureesha	9T1	88
Alexander	9T9	79
Thywill	9T5	65
Victoria	9T9	64
Ala	9T5	61
Prasunna	9T2	61
Hayya	9T3	59
Zainab	9T10	59
Kalaib	9T10	59
Zainab	9T10	57
Kassidy	9T10	53
Stanley	9T2	53
Dionne	9T5	51
Zahriya	9T4	49



## Year 10 Golden League

Merhawi	10T10	85
Caeli	10T3	73
Roumaysaa	10T6	63
Nicolas	10T4	55
Tehzeeb	10T3	51
Gabriel	10T7	49
Ryan	10T7	49
Talia	10T9	48
Smith	10T10	47
Sidney	10T7	46
Leah	10T10	44
Aqeel	10T4	44
Sohana	10T5	44
Alicia	10T7	42
Daniel	10T7	42



## Year 11 Golden League

Zahra	11T2	77
Izabella	11T2	70
Freya	11T2	65
Annaliese	11T5	60
Safal	11T2	53
Mariam	11T1	49
Ekin	11T7	46
Olamide	11T1	45
Deliverance	11T7	44
Niamh	11T8	43
Sofia	11T7	41
Erik	11T2	40
Cordai Jaydn	11T8	39
Musa	11T7	39



# *Attendance and Punctuality Streak Champions*

It is amazing that **over 195 students** have achieved **100% attendance this term and never been late to school**. These students have added a staggering 53 days to their attendance streak and have all been placed into a random name generator to win a prize in the celebration assemblies. The lucky names that were pulled out are:

<b>Year 7</b>	<b>Year 8</b>	<b>Year 9</b>	<b>Year 10</b>	<b>Year 11</b>
Darcie W	Joy K	Theo B	Talia I	Jack W

## **Mega Streak Champions**

We only introduced streak days for attendance and punctuality this September. But, had we been running it for the last 5 years, there are some pupils that deserve their name in lights! Current Mega Streak Champions are:

### **Attendance Streak over 308 days (1 year and 2 terms):**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Tutor</b>	<b>Year</b>
Beteal M	7T8	7
Gerald S	7T5	7
Mensima H	7T2	7
Justin O-I	7T4	7
Amritha A-R	8T8	8
Chioma N	9T6	9
Nikolas P	9T9	9
Antonio P	9T5	9
Caeli O	10T3	10
Smith A-O	10T8	10
Battista B-B	10T9	10

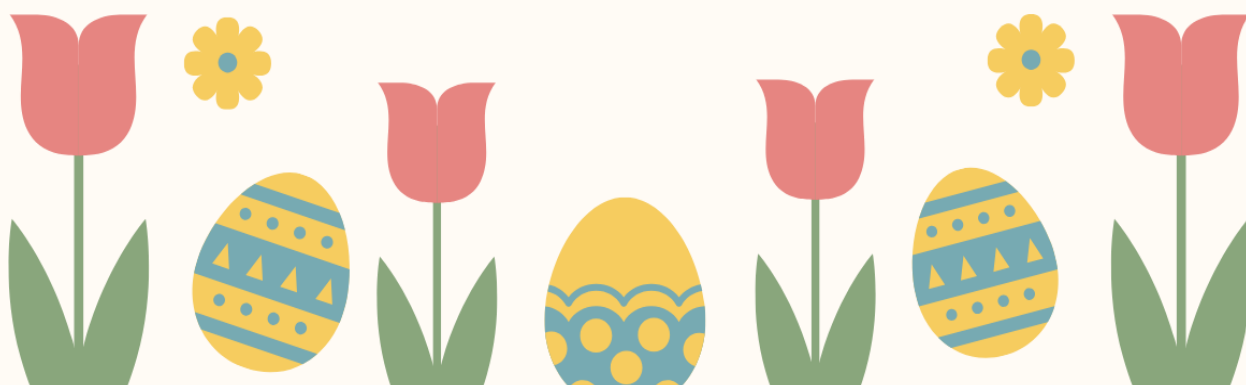
# *Attendance and Punctuality Streak Champions*

**Attendance Streak over 498 (2 years and 2 terms):**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Tutor</b>	<b>Year</b>
Joy K	8T6	8
Thywill S	9T5	9
Mihaela P	9T4	9
Noah G-D	9T1	9
Charley B	9T1	9
Smith W	10T10	10
Jerome J	10T3	10
Tuyen N	11T7	11
Mercy O	11T2	11

**Attendance Streak over 688 (3 years and 2 terms) :**

★ **Bertrand P Year 10** ★



# *Post-Ramadan Reflections and Eid Celebration's at Nottingham Academy*

Over the past month, students and staff across Nottingham Academy have been observing the blessed month of Ramadan, an important period of fasting, reflection, and spiritual focus for Muslims around the world. Throughout the school, we have seen remarkable dedication from our pupils and colleagues who fasted daily from dawn until sunset, all while continuing to work hard, learn, and participate fully in school life. We commend their commitment and deeply respect the strength, discipline, and compassion that Ramadan encourages.



Last week, many members of our school community came together with their families to celebrate **Eid Ul Fitr**, marking the end of Ramadan. Eid Ul Fitr, often referred to as the “Festival of Breaking the Fast”, is a joyful and meaningful celebration for Muslims. It is a time of gratitude, family gatherings, new beginnings, and giving to those in need. After a month of self-discipline and reflection, Eid serves as a reminder of the values of unity, generosity, and thankfulness.

Nottingham Academy is proud to be home to a large and vibrant Muslim community, both within the school and throughout the wider local area. We value the rich cultural and religious diversity that shapes our academy, and we continue to celebrate the traditions and identities that make our school such a special and inclusive place to learn.

As we return to our normal routines after a month of devotion and a week of celebration, we want to extend our warmest well wishes to all families who observed Ramadan and celebrated Eid.

**To all parents, students, and staff at Nottingham Academy, Eid Mubarak,  
and thank you for your continued unity, kindness, and support**



# Personal Development Updates

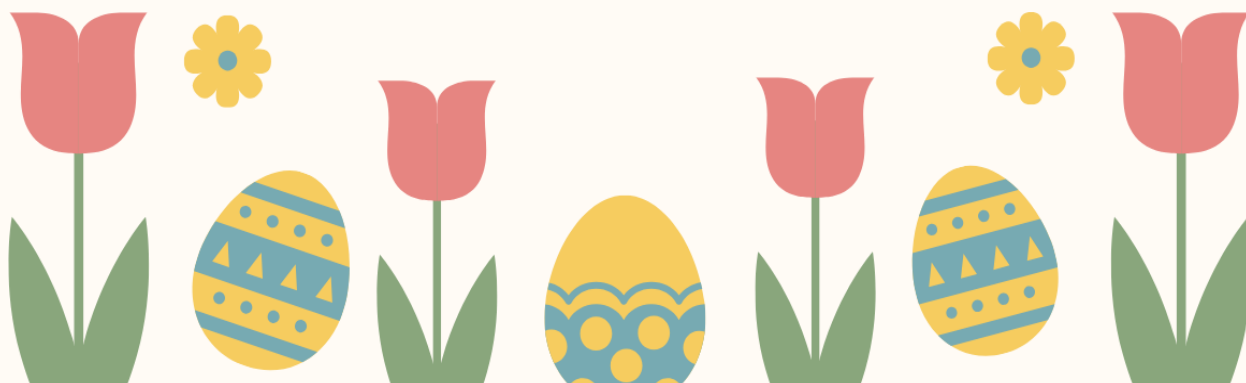
## Spring Term 2026

### Year 10 Holocaust museum trip

Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> January 2026 – Mr. Feeney took a small group of year 10 students to the national holocaust museum in Newark, where they had the opportunity to work in small groups with students from other schools, visit the museum and listen to the firsthand experiences of a survivor from the holocaust . Mr Feeney was keen to share that all of the students behaved impeccably, were respectful to staff members and how proud he was of them!

Mr Feeney wanted to shout out Leo S and Chloe M especially, who shone on the trip and showed real leadership skills throughout.

Student feedback from the trip was incredibly positive including, “it was amazing, and I would love the opportunity to go again” and “it was really useful for my understanding of life in Germany at the time, so impactful”.



# *Personal Development Updates*

## *Spring Term 2026*

### **Year 13 Othello trip**

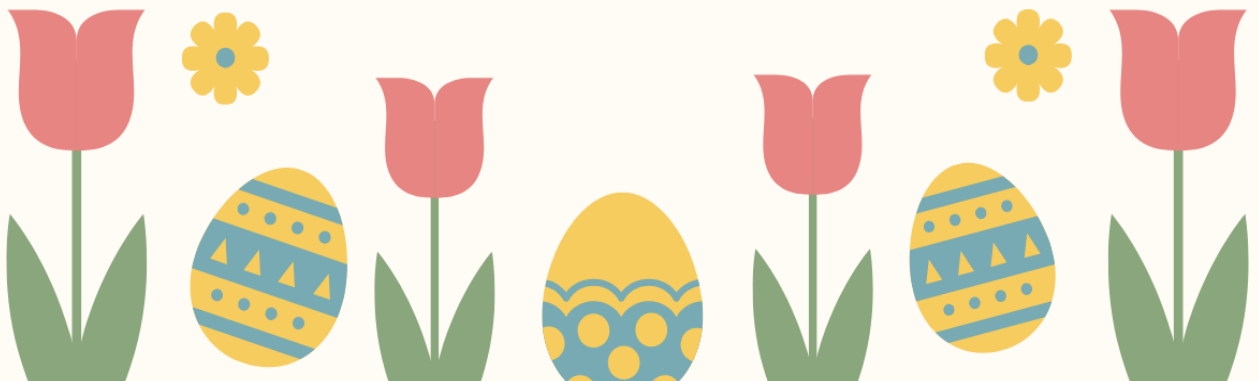
Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> January 2026 – A small group of year 13 students went on a trip to watch Othello this week, alongside Mr Wharton. The trip offered a brilliant experience for the students to see the text they have studied for their A Levels come to life on stage. The students behaved brilliantly, absorbing so much information from the play itself, whilst also taking the sights of London in and making the most of their time there!



### **Year 9 Equation Boys' Choices project**

Starting Monday 19<sup>th</sup> January 2026, ongoing for 8 weeks. Equation is back in school this week to start their work with small groups of male year 9 students with the aim of promoting positive choices and self esteem amongst the students. The project looks at tackling some of the issues that young men are facing in and outside of school and has been brilliant in previous years.

Student feedback after the first session was positive including “I thought it was good, looking forward to next week” and “really enjoyed it”. We are looking forward to seeing how the project progresses over the coming weeks.



# *Personal Development Updates*

## *Spring Term 2026*

### **Year 9 Equation Girls' Know More project**

Starting Monday 19<sup>th</sup> January 2026, ongoing for 8 weeks. The project returns after many successful years at Nottingham Academy with the intention of discussing the key issues that young women may face and how they can be dealt with. The project aims to empower our young women to make positive and informed choices.

Student feedback again was good with students expressing "it was good, everyone felt really comfortable quickly, which was good."

### **Year 10 Misogyny assembly**

Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> January 2026. Our year 10 students engaged well with an assembly this week presented by Equation around stereotypes around femininity and masculinity, and challenging misogyny moving forward. It was a constructive session where students were offered tactics on challenging misogynistic behaviour if they come across it.

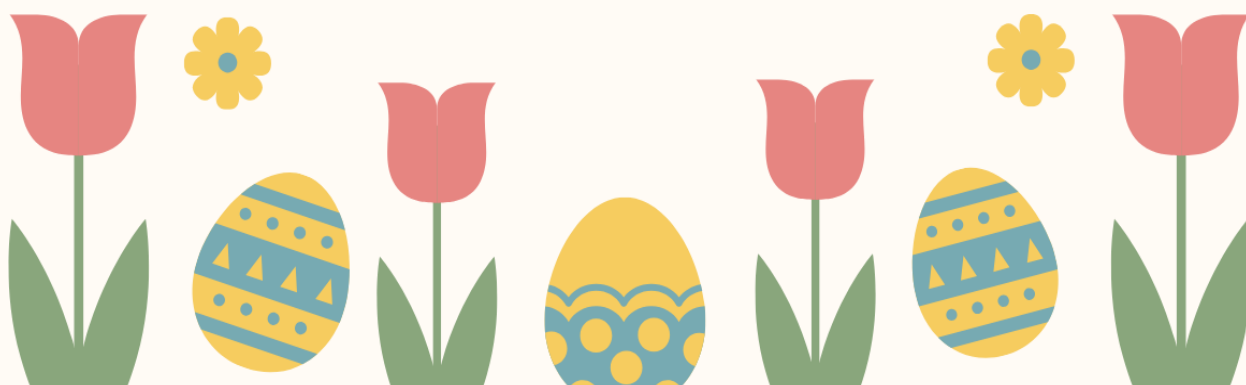
Ms Geary would like to shout out Mattia M specifically for using the opportunity to ask lots of interesting questions and Eva F for her insightful points during the assembly. Students carried themselves in a mature manner when some challenging ideas were discussed with them.

### **Year 9 Science Festival**

Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> February 2026. This week, we had a PhD student from The University of Nottingham who is researching negative effects of gaming and how it should be regulated.

The students learnt about causes of harm in gaming and what the government has done to reduce this. They had the opportunity to give their opinion and debate what the government should do and to ask questions about academic research.

Students designed their own characters based on what they had learnt. Students who attended the session said that they enjoyed it and thought the ideas were interesting.



# *Personal Development Updates*

## *Spring Term 2026*

### **Year 10 Loughborough University trip**

Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> February 2026. Mr Samples took a small group of year 10 students to Loughborough University this week with huge success! During the visit, students took part in a range of practical physical activities, used heart rate monitors to track and analyse performance, toured the university campus and explored the outstanding facilities and attended a talk outlining what it takes to study at Loughborough University.

The students were highly engaged throughout the day and represented the school extremely well. Feedback from the group was very positive, with many students commenting on how much they enjoyed the experience and how inspiring they found the visit. One student mentioned that they had, “always thought they didn’t want to go to university, but now I’ve been it seems really cool and I’d be interested in studying a sport.” The staff at Loughborough University said that it was the best group they have had since they had been doing the outreach project, so hugely well done to our students!



# Personal Development Updates

## Spring Term 2026

### Robin Hood Youth Orchestra

Ms O'Flynn would like to highlight some of the incredible achievements of our musical students outside of school. The following students are a clear example of excellence within the community, as well as the school environment.

- **Marlow K-W**
- **Maya K-W**
- **Caitlyn E**
- **Zuzanna G**
- **Konrad G**
- **Skye E**
- **Aaryan S-N**

### String lessons

A huge well done to our incredible students who have been attending their string lessons in school and working hard to meet a high standard. We currently have 12 students who are working towards their next grade with the string instrument, and we are incredibly proud of them.

#### **Working towards a Grade 2:**

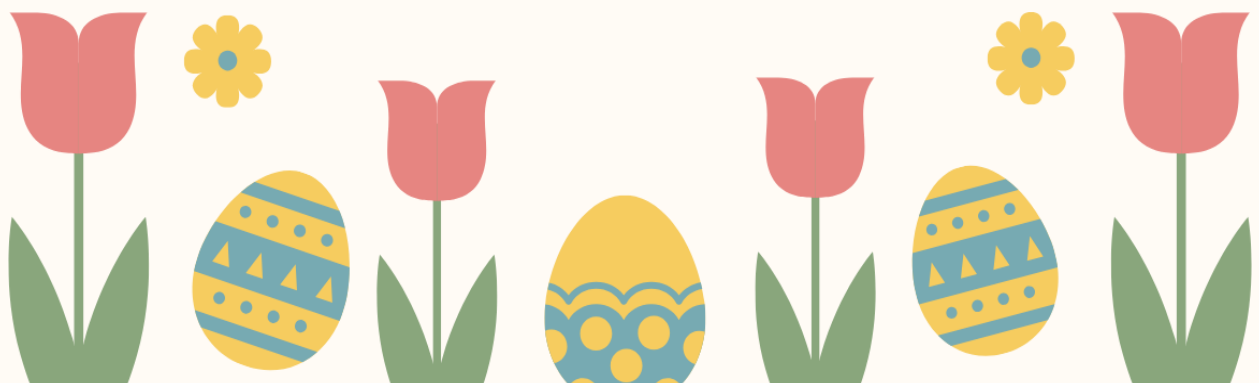
- **Leon J**
- **Dinidu S**
- **Sienna N**
- **Jasmine M**
- **Oscar E**
- **Olivia K-W**
- **Patrick O'F**
- **Oscar E**
- **Teneng C**

#### **Working towards a Grade 3:**

- **Vicki J**

#### **Working towards a Grade 4:**

- **Marlow K-W**
- **Maya K-W**
- **Caitlyn E**

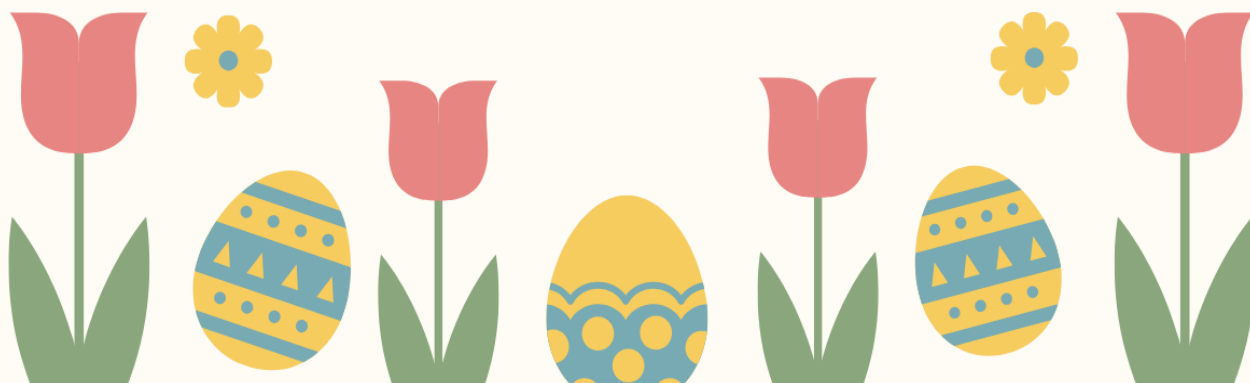
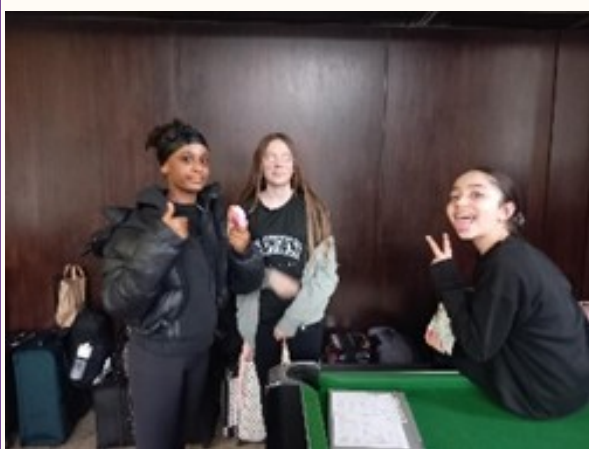


# *Personal Development Updates*

## *Spring Term 2026*

### **Year 7 Residential trip to Ilam Hall**

Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> – Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February 2026. The year 7 residential happened with 30 of our amazing students on a great adventure! Students arrived safely and were thrown straight into activities starting with orienteering. The aim of the trip is for our year 7s to connect with nature and engage in lots of different activities. The year 7 team are so proud of all the dedication and strength shown by our students.



# *Personal Development Updates*

## *Spring Term 2026*

### **Y7/Y9 GAT Football/Badminton Fixture**

Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> February 2026. Ms Clapp took a small number of students out of school to represent Nottingham Academy at the Greenwood Academies Trust fixture to play badminton and football. The range of students did well in their events and the year 9s came third in badminton. Student feedback from the trip was positive and they were thankful for the opportunity to go on the trip. We are thrilled with of all our students who attended and represented us at the event.

### **Y10 Trip to Alma Banks Farm**

Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> February 2026. Some of the year 10 hospitality and catering students had an amazing opportunity to go and visit a dairy farm. Students were able to learn all about the job opportunities created at the farm and see the production of the products they regularly use in their lessons. The student feedback from the trip was amazing – loads of our students loved the chance to visit the farm. Huge thanks to Ms Chattaway for organising it for our students!



# *Personal Development Updates*

## *Spring Term 2026*

### **Y10 ThinkForward business mentoring trip**

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> March 2026 – Students who are part of the ThinkForward project had the opportunity to go into a local business. This long-term project allows them to gain real life insight into the working world and allows for conversations around how the choices they make post 16 can support this. Huge shout out to Davir A, Rawan A, Raja B, Kavel D, Blake G, Samuel L, David M, Jan O and Maliya S.

### **Y9/Y10 The ‘Great Big Dance Off’**

Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> March 2026 – Huge congratulations and shout out to Nottingham Academy dancers and Mrs Herbert for their recent success in their latest dance competition. Nottingham Academy entered 'The Great Big Dance Off' at the Albert Hall in Nottingham on Thursday 12th March 2026. Our entry scored 221 out of 300. Our dancers performed their doll-inspired dance, choreographed by Mrs Herbert, to a live audience and judges. Entries were scored based on choreography, story line and technical performance. The Performing Arts team are super proud of our wonderful dancers who showcased hard work, enthusiasm and professionalism throughout the rehearsal and performance. Thank you to all members of staff who helped to support this event, especially Ms Smikle and Ms O'Flynn.



# *Personal Development Updates*

## *Spring Term 2026*

### **Year 9 Equation Projects ending**

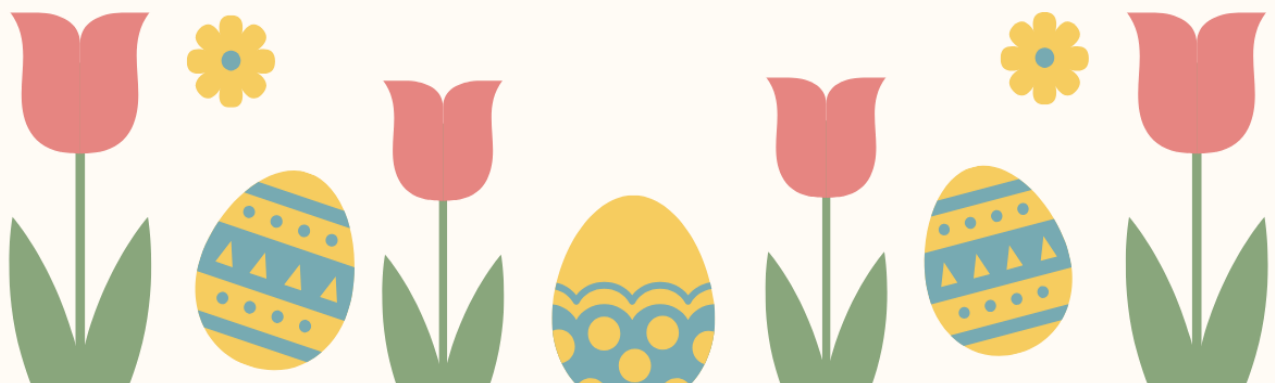
Monday 16<sup>th</sup> March 2026 – This week saw the end of the ongoing Equation Project, where our students from both the boys and girls group created their final piece of art.

The students have worked incredibly hard over the last few weeks and continued to be impressive to the staff at Equation.



### **Y7 St Christopher's Church visit**

Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> March 2026 – Some of our brilliant year 7 students had the chance to visit St Christopher's church in Sneinton. The trip allowed students to support the RE curriculum, where we study all faiths. The session was designed to offer the year 7s a short experience to gain a snapshot view of a church and participate in fun group activities, a quiz and concluding with a short talk covering the history of churches in the UK.



# *Personal Development Updates*

## *Spring Term 2026*

### **Research project with University of Nottingham**

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March 2026 – Small groups of our wonderful students from each year were out in the community. Students were joined by a professor from the University of Nottingham to investigate the impact of food outlets and takeaways on the local area. Ms Smikle and Mr Miller were very proud of how the students carried themselves out and about round school.

### **Y9 Living in the Wider World drop down day**

Monday 16<sup>th</sup> March 2026 – On Monday our year 9 students spent the day off timetable to learn all things living in the wider world. Activities ranged from sessions around fighting for social action, thinking about skills that could be added to CVs and a session delivered by Channel 4. We were really impressed with how many of our students engaged brilliantly with the day. The final period of the day was spent with guest speaker Julian Kelly, who came to deliver an assembly around what life is like in local prisons as well as potential careers within the system – student feedback loved the assembly and have carried away messages from it.



# UKMT Intermediate Maths Challenge

Nottingham Academy ran the Intermediate Maths Challenge. This is a 60-minute, 25-question multiple-choice Challenge designed to encourage mathematical reasoning, precision of thought, and fluency. The problems on the Intermediate Maths Challenge are mostly accessible but also provide challenges for more experienced students, pro-

**Year 9**

**Senan**

**Gold Award**



**Zahriya**

**Silver Award**



**Shay**

**Iian**

**Leon**

**Chioma**

**Naeem**

**Diamond**

**Ibrahim**

**Bronze Award**



**Noah**

**Agape**

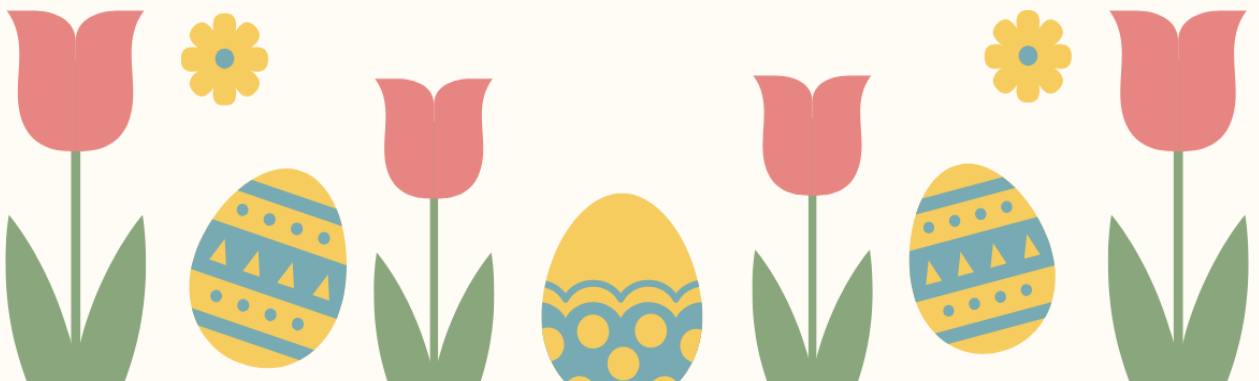
**Shehroze**

**Harris**

**Arthur**

**Nikolas**

**Lakshana**



# *UKMT Intermediate Maths Challenge*

## **For year 10**

### **Year 10**

**Sidney**

**Daniel**

**Eva**

**David**

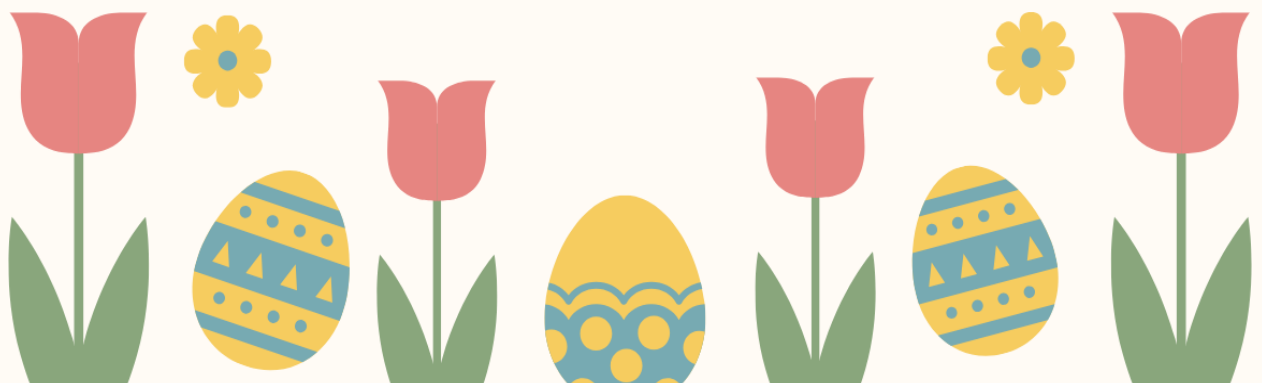
**Sadiq**

**Smith**

**Silver Award**



**Bronze Award**



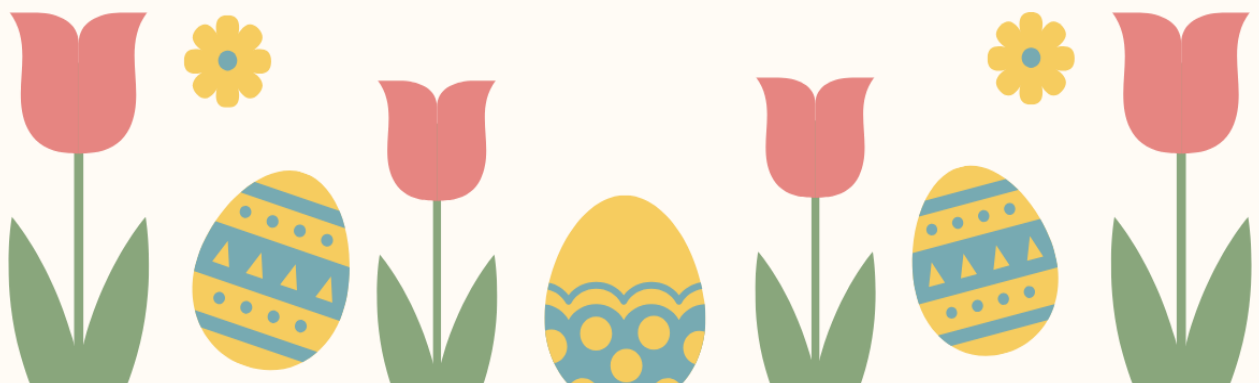
# Nottingham Academy News

KS3 got into the pancake spirit, practising their flipping skills and building confidence at the hob. Students made a range of pancakes and explored an array of toppings, from fresh fruit to sweet sauces, focusing on presentation and flavour combinations.

A fun, hands-on lesson with great skill development and some impressive flips! 🥞🍌

Year 10 have been developing their brunch dishes, focusing on presentation, flavour combinations and technical skills. From stacked pancakes and loaded waffles to beautifully plated crepes, students demonstrated confidence in cooking, portioning and garnishing.

Great attention to detail with sauces, fresh fruit and height on the plate – clear progress in both practical skills and food styling. Well done, Year 10 🍌



# Nottingham Academy News

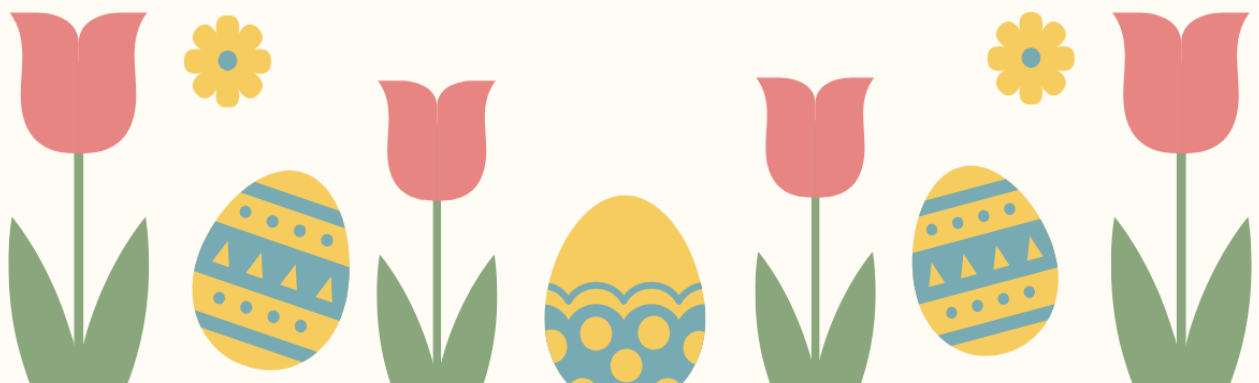
## World Book Day 2026

Huge shoutout to DOFE students - who stayed until 5:30pm making staff treats.

- Harvey & Harley
- Riley
- Chloe
- Subhaan

And another shout out to the year 9 students - who prepped and finalised the trolley for serving!

- Ishmael
- Mami
- Agape
- Christine
- Ozioma
- Dinadu
- Grace



# Library



WORLD BOOK DAY on the 5<sup>th</sup> March was an excellent success, so many amazing and enthusiastic costumes, the commitment from some pupils especially was impressive!

## **Our winners were:**

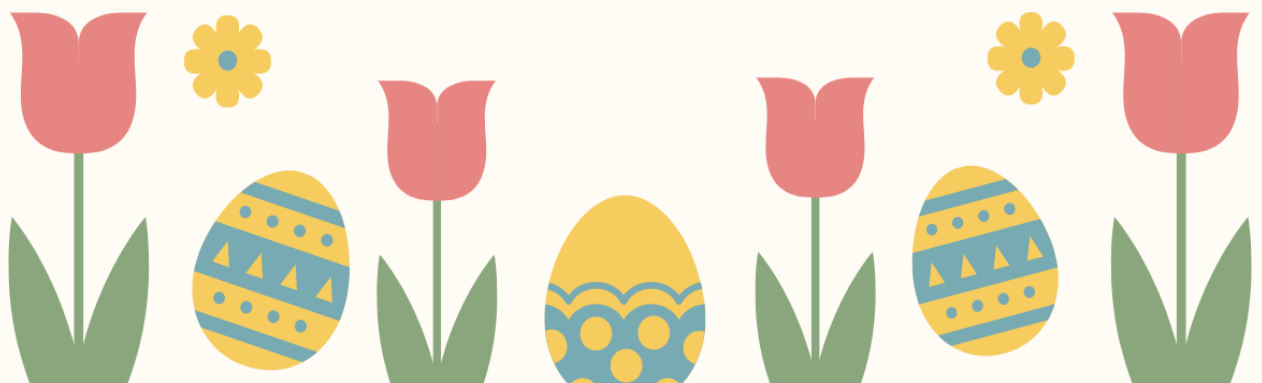
Rugie, Sierra and Djanira with their creative Lorax trio

Daniella P for her commitment to being another Lorax

Caeli O for her Scrooge

& Chloe M for her Gangsta Granny

Though we were impressed by so many!



# Library

And a good effort from many of the staff too, it was an enjoyable and fun day where there were a lot of smiles!

**The winners of the quiz in tutor time for each year were:**

8T7 - Mrs Hampson-Smith

Joint 9T4 - Ms Watson & 9T7 Ms Yousaf-Zai

10T9 - Mr Kernaghan-Andrews

12T3 - Miss Bird



We've read two Page Turners this term one in February on World Read Aloud Day where we read Alisha Bushby's Game Over. And on World Book Day when we read The Phone Goes Dead by Anthony Horowitz.

There will be two more stories to read before the end of the academic year!

We've also been reading Fables and Folklore in Tutor on a Friday morning, this has got us thinking about where storytelling comes from and how our ancestors ensured their stories lived on. It has also given us time to think about the morals of these stories too.

Lots more books have been added to the library catalogue this term, plenty more graphic novels and manga, plus novels to continue series being enjoyed by our avid readers. As always if pupils have any books they would like to see in the school library they can make their suggestions to Ms Young.

**Ms Young, Librarian**





# CAKE SALE

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# Year 7

## **Ilam Hall**

This half-term, **30 students enjoyed an unforgettable trip to Ilam Hall** in the beautiful Peak District. Students took part in outdoor team-building activities, nature walks, and challenges that pushed their confidence and leadership skills. A huge well done to all students for representing the school so brilliantly throughout the trip.

## **Religious/ Cultural Celebrations**

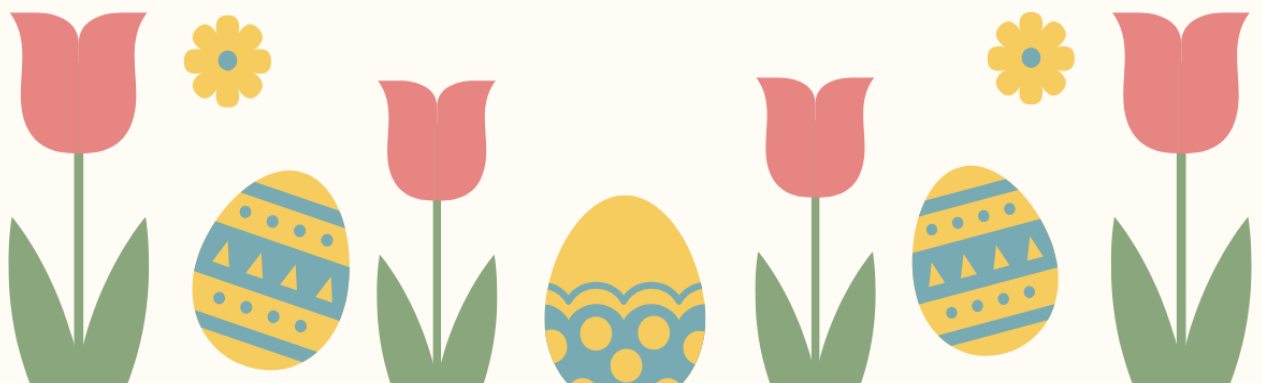
Our school community has been busy celebrating important festivals and learning about different cultures and beliefs. Throughout Ramadan, students took part in reflective activities, learning about the importance of discipline, compassion, and community. We marked **Eid** celebrations with an assembly with creative discussions, and non-uniform celebrations that highlighted the diversity and unity within our school. Students have also been exploring the themes of hope, renewal, and kindness through Easter-based lessons and creative work.

## **Visit to St Christophers Church**

A highlight of the term was our **trip to St Christopher's Church**, where students learned about the Easter story and explored the links between modern traditions and historical origins. They also discovered fascinating connections to **Easter Island**, sparking curiosity about world cultures, art, and history.

## **World Book Day**

We had a fantastic **World Book Day**, filled with creativity and a love for reading. Students and staff took part in themed activities, costume fun, and our page turner reading sessions across the school. From character parades to book quizzes, the day was a vibrant reminder of the power of storytelling and imagination. Thank you to everyone who took part and helped make the day so memorable!



# Year 7

## **Alton Towers Announcement**

We are excited to announce an upcoming **school trip to Alton Towers!** More details, including dates, cost, and permission forms, will be shared soon. Students are already buzzing with anticipation for this end-of-year treat!

## **The Mighty March Attendance Draw**

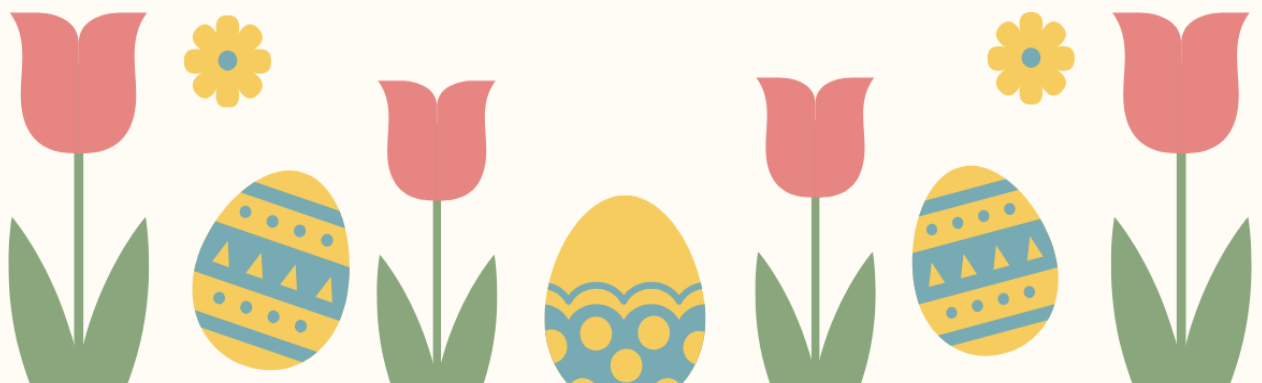
This month featured our **Mighty March Attendance Draw**, celebrating students who continue to show commitment through excellent attendance. [Congratulations](#) to all the winners—your resilience and dedication are truly valued.

## **Celebrating Conduct and Achievement**

We continue to be incredibly proud of our students for their **excellent behaviour, kindness, and academic progress**. Staff have been nominating students weekly for outstanding conduct, resilience, and impressive work across all subjects. Keep it up—your hard work is seen and celebrated!

**Wishing you all a lovely Easter Break!**

**The Year 7 Team**



# Year 8

Dear Parents and Carers,

As we reach the end of the Spring Term, I want to take this opportunity to reflect on the incredible progress, maturity and enthusiasm shown by our Year 8 students. This has been a term full of growth, effort and community spirit, and as a team we are immensely proud of every student.

Year 8 continue to impress us every day with their dedication, resilience and kindness. Their positive attitude towards learning, participation in opportunities and commitment to representing Nottingham Academy with pride has been outstanding.

Below is a detailed overview of some of the highlights from this term.

## **PGL Residential – 17th–19th June**

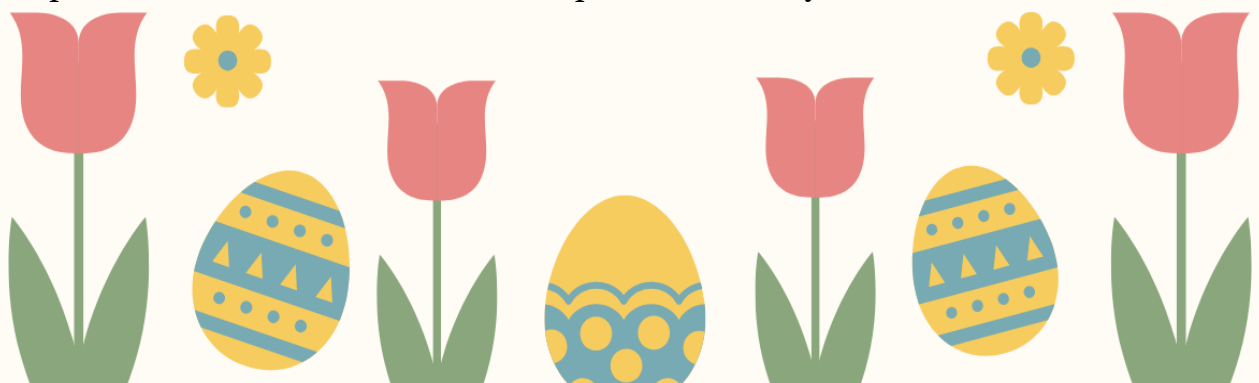
We are thrilled to share that **almost 100 Year 8 students** have signed up for the highly anticipated **PGL residential trip** taking place from **Monday 17th to Wednesday 19th June**. This is an extraordinary level of engagement, demonstrating just how eager our students are to challenge themselves, build confidence and create unforgettable memories.

Over the past few weeks, we have held assemblies to introduce the trip, explain the activities and prepare students for what to expect. Information letters, consent forms and key details have been distributed, and the buzz around Year 8 has been wonderful to see.

Students can look forward to a wide range of exciting and character-building activities, including:

- High-ropes challenges that test bravery and balance
- Canoeing, raft building and other water-based teamwork tasks
- Archery sessions encouraging focus and precision
- Zip-wire experiences pushing students beyond their comfort zones
- Climbing walls and initiative challenges designed to build communication and trust
- Evening camp activities that strengthen friendships and group identity

The enthusiasm from students has been remarkable, and we cannot wait to take them on what promises to be one of the standout experiences of the year.



# Year 8

## **Friday TUC Shop – PGL Fundraising Success**

This term, our Year 8 students have shown exceptional initiative and teamwork through the **Friday TUC Shop**, raising funds in support of the upcoming PGL trip.

Every Friday, students have worked tirelessly to plan, organise, run and promote the stall. Their commitment has been outstanding—many volunteering their time, contributing ideas and working collaboratively to make the shop a hit with the whole school community.

We are incredibly proud of the maturity, leadership and entrepreneurial spirit shown. Students have demonstrated:

- Excellent teamwork
- Strong communication skills
- Responsibility and ownership
- Pride in contributing to something bigger than themselves

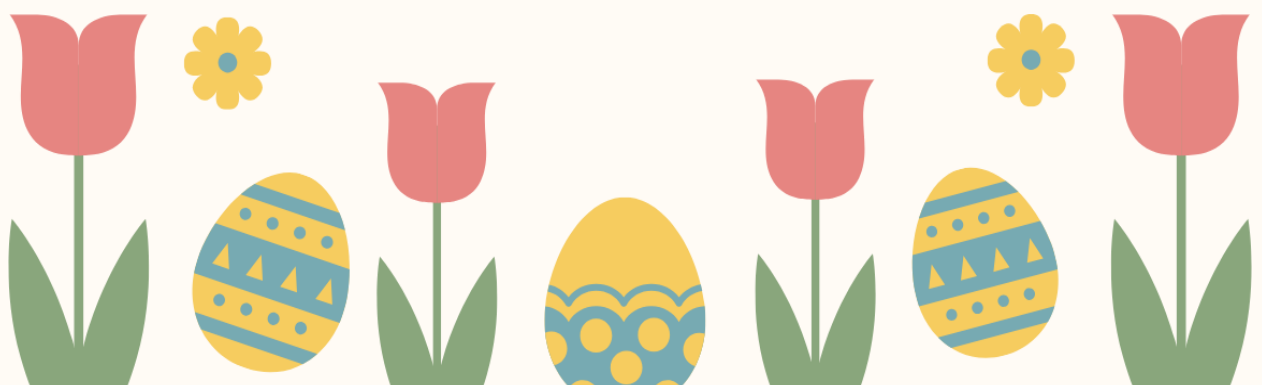
Their efforts have not only raised money but have also strengthened our year-group identity and sense of community.

## **Year 8 Progress Evening – Thursday 5th March**

Thank you to all parents and carers who attended the **Year 8 Progress Evening** on 5th March. The turnout was exceptional, and it was inspiring to see so many families committed to supporting their child's academic journey.

The evening provided a valuable opportunity to discuss each student's progress in detail, celebrate their successes, identify next steps and strengthen the home-school partnership. We were genuinely impressed by the engagement, the thoughtful conversations and the positive atmosphere throughout the night.

Your support continues to play a vital role in student achievement, and it was a pleasure to welcome so many of you into the academy.



# Year 8

## **Year 8 Student Ambassadors – Supporting Our School Community**

This term, our Year 8 Student Ambassadors have continued to demonstrate exceptional leadership, maturity and dedication in their roles across the academy—particularly in their work stationed at the front of reception.

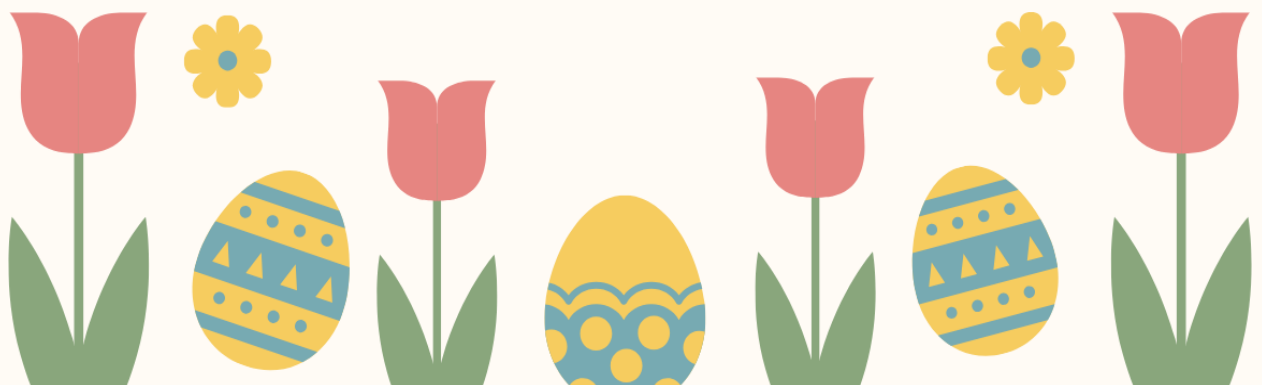
These students volunteer their time each week to assist with a range of important responsibilities, including

- Greeting visitors and helping to create a warm, welcoming first impression of the academy
- Supporting staff with signing-in procedures and directing guests
- Assisting with the organisation of student movement during busy times
- Helping ensure our reception area runs smoothly and professionally
- Acting as positive role models for the rest of the school

Their calm, confident and respectful attitude has been consistently praised by staff across the academy. They embody the values we strive to instil in all students: responsibility, kindness, communication and pride in representing Nottingham Academy.

We are incredibly proud of the ambassadors for the way they conduct themselves on a daily basis. Their commitment has made a genuine impact on the smooth running of our school environment, and their contribution reflects the very best of Year 8.

A huge well done and thank you to all our ambassadors—you are a credit to your year group and to the academy as a whole.



# Year 8

## Year 8 Celebration Assembly – Thursday 27th March

This term concluded with a fantastic **Year 8 Celebration Assembly**, where we honoured the achievements, progress and character of our students. It was a joy to come together as a year group and take time to recognise the outstanding contributions made by so many.

Awards were presented across a variety of categories including:

- Academic excellence
- Exceptional effort
- Positive behaviour
- Improved attendance
- Contribution to school life

A special **congratulations** goes to the three students who received **Mrs Elbaz's £50 Good Citizen Award**—a significant accolade recognising kindness, integrity and positive influence within our community. Seeing students celebrated for not just academic success, but for who they are as people, is what makes these assemblies so meaningful.

We felt incredibly proud watching so many deserving students take the spotlight.

## Wishing You a Wonderful Easter Break

As we head into the Easter holidays, we want to thank our students and families for your continued support, cooperation and commitment. Year 8 have had an exceptional term, and they should feel proud of all they have achieved.

The Summer Term holds many exciting opportunities, including:

- Summer sports fixtures
- Enrichment activities
- Additional trips and events
- Continued preparations for the **PGL Residential**
- And the always-popular **Alton Towers trip**

We hope everyone enjoys a restful, safe and enjoyable break. We look forward to welcoming Year 8 back refreshed and ready for another inspiring and successful term.

**Wishing all families a happy Easter and a wonderful holiday.**

**Warm regards**

**Mr Samples (Head of Year 8)**

**Miss Gordon (Deputy Head of Year 8)**



# Year 9

## 🌟 Highlights of the Term

As we head towards the upcoming break and festive period, I would like to take a moment to reflect on some of our key highlights from this term. Year 9 have continued to impress us with their maturity, engagement and enthusiasm across all areas of school life.

## 🏆 Sporting Success

We are incredibly proud of the progress made by the **Year 9 Boys Football Team**, whose commitment and teamwork culminated in a **well-deserved and emphatic victory** at the recent football tournament. A huge [congratulations](#) to all the players involved!

## 👥 Progress Evening Success

It was wonderful to welcome so many parents and carers to our **Year 9 Progress Evening**. The event offered valuable opportunities to discuss students' learning, celebrate their achievements, and strengthen the partnership between home and school.

## 📅 Insightful Options Talk

A special thank you goes to **Mr Collishaw** for delivering a highly informative presentation on the **Year 9 Options Process**. Families greatly appreciated the clarity, support and guidance offered as students begin considering their next steps.

## 🎯 Options Interviews

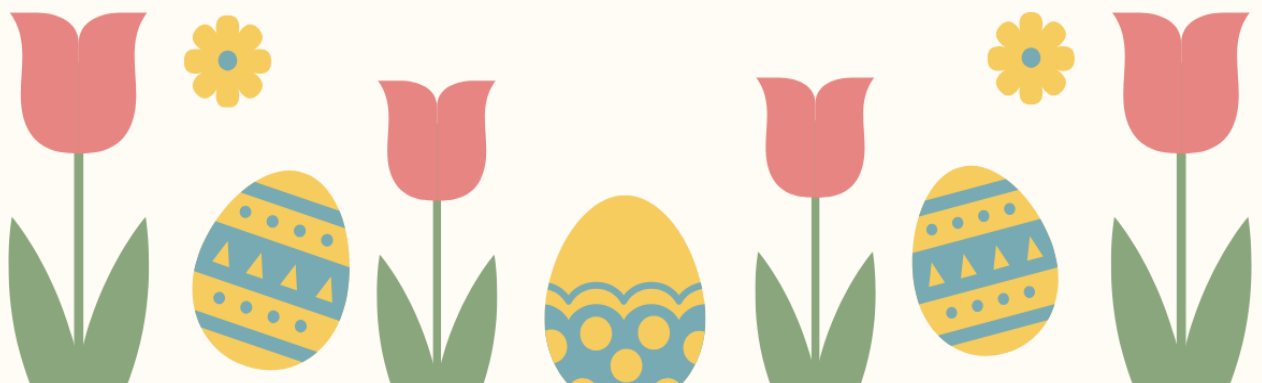
Students also took part in their **Options Interviews**, an important milestone in planning the next stage of their educational journey. This process helps them reflect on their strengths, ambitions and the pathways they may follow in the years ahead.

## 🌍 Drop Down Day – Living in the Wider World

Year 9 also enjoyed a dedicated **Drop Down Day** themed around *Living in the Wider World*. Students participated in workshops led by external speakers on:

- Social Action
- Skills and Personal Qualities
- CV Writing and Employability

We were delighted to welcome session leaders from **Channel 4** and **Unifrog**, our preferred careers platform, who provided valuable insight into future careers, jobs, apprenticeships and the world of employment.



# Year 9

## **Yet to Come!**

We are building towards our Residential trip to PGL this year. This has only been launched to the Year group but already the anticipation is very high so excitement nearer the time will be electric. We will of course also be looking forward to our annual trip to Alton towers!

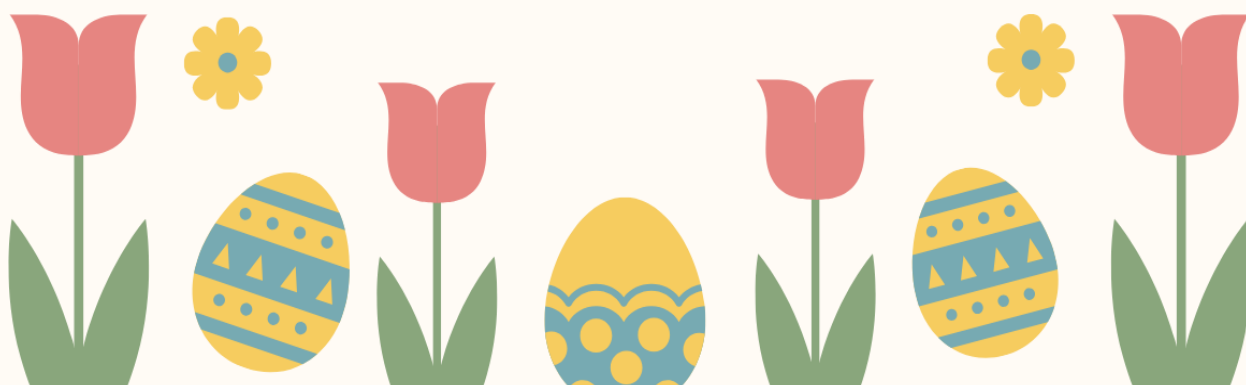
A big thank you to all the external agents that have supported the students this year without them we would be having some difficult days. I won't name them all for fear of missing someone, however, A special shout out to the MHST team and Equation for the work they have done in school this Year. More importantly Ms Smikle for opening our doors to them all.

Wishing you all a lovely Easter Break

**Mr Kuffour**

**&**

**Miss Buttler**



# Year 10

## Year 10 Half-Term Newsletter

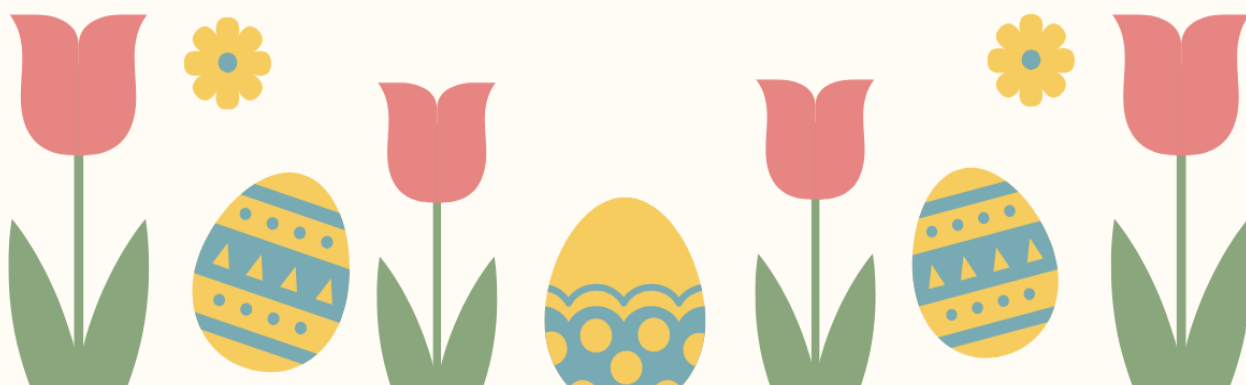
This half term has been such a lovely one for Year 10. We've enjoyed plenty of fun moments together, from the brilliant creativity on World Book Day, where every winning costume came from Year 10, to seeing attendance steadily improve as the weeks went on. It's been great spending more time with the year group, getting to know everyone even better, and watching students grow in confidence and character.

We've had so many brilliant trips and experiences recently. Our hospitality and catering group headed off to Alma Banks Dairy Farm with Ms Chattaway, discovering how a real dairy farm operates and exploring the jobs involved in keeping it running. Students watched the production process in action and even had a go at making their own butter, then taste-tested it with plenty of enthusiasm! It was a proper hands-on day that students are still talking about.

Another fantastic day out was the visit to Loughborough University with Mr Samples. Students tried out a range of sports science activities, used heart-rate monitors, toured the campus and learned what it takes to study sport at one of the top universities in the country. The staff at Loughborough were full of praise and said our group was the best they'd had on the outreach programme; a brilliant achievement for Year 10.

Ten students also attended the **Voice of the Youth event** with Ms Banister, joining discussions about the issues that matter most to young people in Nottingham. Several students were confident enough to speak in front of the full audience, which was fantastic to see. Afterwards, they went on to experience **Punch** at the Nottingham Playhouse, a powerful performance sharing Jacob Dunne's story about choices, consequences and personal change. The whole day gave students a lot to think about, and they represented the school brilliantly.

In March, Six Year 10 students also took part in a project with researchers from the **University of Nottingham**, helping with a study on fast-food and takeaway habits among teenagers. They contributed ideas, helped gather insights and got a real feel for what university-level research is like.



# Year 10

Our young linguists have also been busy with two Community Languages preparation days for students sitting their home-language GCSEs a year early. The sessions were full of energy, with students practising speaking, reading and writing, and supporting each other throughout. It was wonderful hearing so many languages being spoken proudly around school.

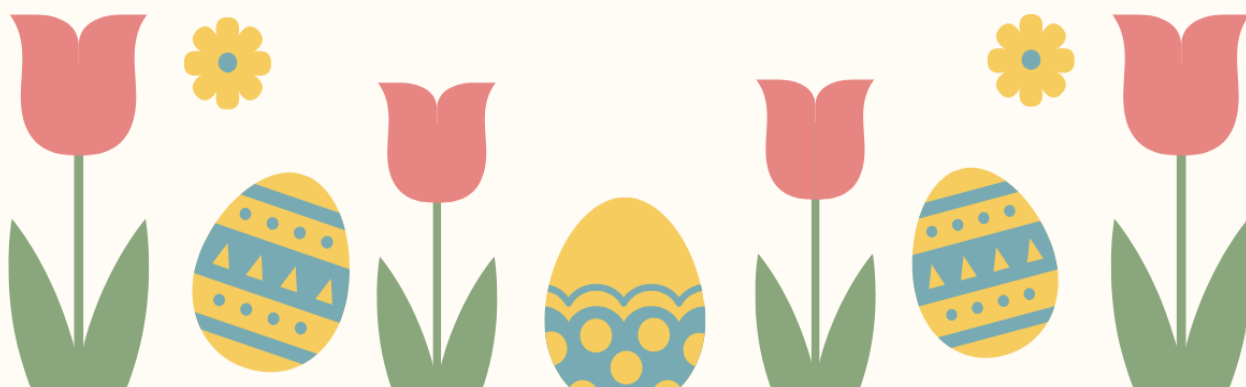
Alongside all of this, students took part in some important personal development activities. In January a group visited the National Holocaust Museum, where they learned from exhibitions, worked with students from other schools and heard the testimony of a survivor – something students described as incredibly meaningful. In school, Year 10 also took part in an assembly from Equation on misogyny, stereotypes and how to challenge harmful behaviours. Students handled the discussion really thoughtfully.

We also want to give a huge shout-out to the Year 10 boys' football team, who brought home a huge win at the Nottingham Football Tournament last week. Playing the semi-final and final at Trinity School, the team showed brilliant teamwork and real determination. The final was intense and went all the way to penalties, where Jack made some outstanding saves to secure the victory. Christ also played a massive part across the tournament, scoring two key goals that helped carry the team through. A fantastic achievement – well done to the whole squad!

Looking ahead, we're getting very excited for the **Barcelona trip from 21st–24th April**. Please make sure all forms are completed, and it's definitely not too early to start thinking about packing! It's going to be an amazing few days of sunshine, culture and unforgettable experiences. We can't wait to share it with the students and to head into another brilliant term with Year 10.

Enjoy the Easter break, get plenty of rest, and we will see you in two weeks!

Ms Geary, Ms Banister, Mr Miller



# Year 11

## Year 11 – End of Term Newsletter

As we come to the end of this busy and incredibly successful term, I wanted to take a moment to celebrate the outstanding achievements of our Year 11 students. Their hard work, resilience and determination have been evident in every part of school life, and we could not be prouder of the progress they are making.

### Post 16 Success and Academic Progress

A huge [congratulations](#) to the many students who have already secured their Post-16 places for next year. This is a fantastic reflection of their commitment and the high standards they continue to set for themselves.

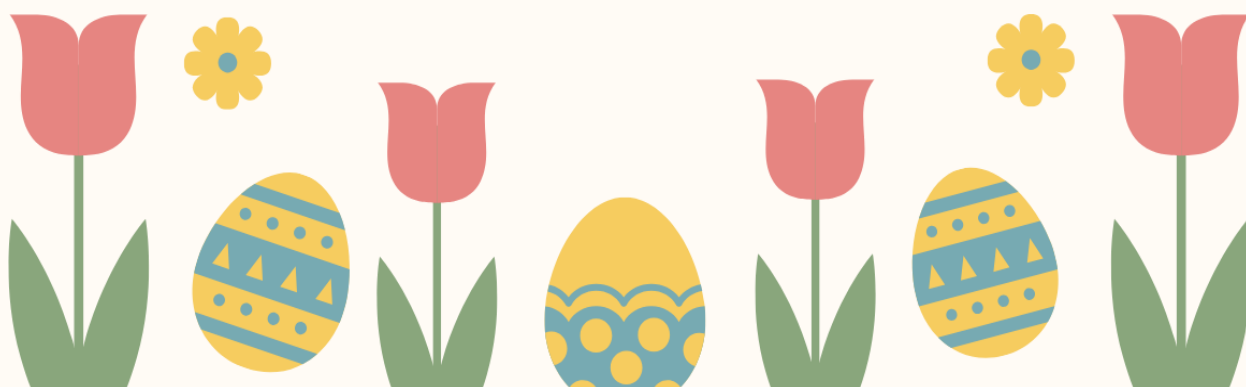
We have also seen **significant improvements in Attitude to Learning**, attendance and behaviour across the year group. The recent reports show just how far many students have come, your efforts are being noticed, and they are paying off. In addition, our recent **PPE (mock exam) results** show strong progress across all subjects, with many students achieving excellent grade jumps. Keep this momentum going as we head into the crucial final stretch before GCSEs.

### Celebrating Student Success Beyond the Classroom

We are incredibly proud of **Ethan H**, who recently represented in the **European Youth Basketball League (EYBL)** competition in Menorca. This is an exceptional achievement and a testament to Ethan's dedication to his sport.

Our **Year 11 football team** also shone in their recent tournament. Across **15 games over four separate evenings**, they battled their way to the final and finished **second in the whole of Nottingham**, only losing on penalties. An outstanding performance from an outstanding team.

The **Year 11 basketball team** also have their final match coming up against Wells Academy—we wish the team the very best of luck. You've got this!



# Year 11

## Drop Down Days – English & Maths

This term, Year 11 took part in two highly successful Drop Down Days:

- **English – 23rd March**
- **Maths – 25th March**

Behaviour, engagement and effort were excellent throughout both days, and staff were extremely impressed with how maturely and seriously Year 11 approached these sessions. These intervention days play a vital part in exam preparation, and Year 11 rose to the challenge brilliantly.

## Celebration Assembly – 26th March

We are looking forward to hosting our **final Year 11 celebration assembly** this Thursday. It will be a special moment to recognise students for their attendance, academic achievements, improvements and contributions to school life.

There will be **loads of prizes** up for grabs, including sweets, Easter eggs—and even **prom tickets** for some lucky winners!

## Prom 2026 – Colwick Hall

This term we have had **close to 100 students** purchase their prom tickets! It is shaping up to be an incredible night at **Colwick Hall**, and we can't wait to celebrate with everyone.

Tickets are **still available**, but going fast—students who haven't yet secured theirs are encouraged to do so soon.

## Interventions & Period 6

Attendance at **Period 6 sessions** has been excellent this term. The commitment shown by so many students will make a **huge difference** to their confidence and grades as we approach the final exams. Thank you to everyone who attends regularly, you are absolutely doing the right thing.

As always, thank you to Year 11 parents and carers for your continued support. This term has demonstrated exactly what this year group is capable of, and we are excited to see what they achieve next.

Have a wonderful Easter break, and we look forward to welcoming Year 11 back for their final term, and the final push, towards GCSE success.

**Best wishes,  
Mr Clarke, Mrs Cooke & Ms Smikle  
Year 11 Team**



# *Sixth Form*

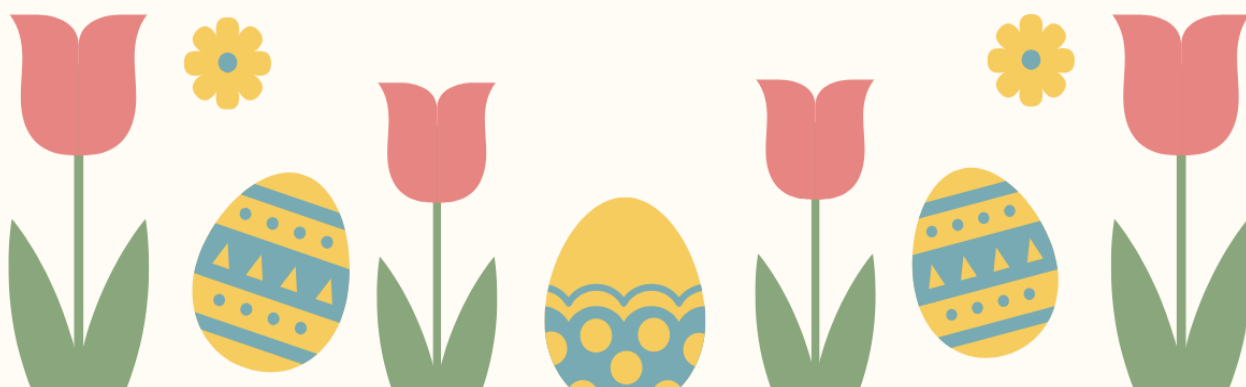
Right from the outset, the term got off to a busy start in Sixth Form. Some of our Sixth Form students began with official January vocational examinations, held from 6th to 10th January. They returned from the Christmas break fully prepared, and we were extremely impressed with the maturity and commitment they demonstrated.

Soon after, on 14th January, the UCAS deadline passed, with an excellent 85% of our Year 13 students submitting university applications. These included a wide range of ambitious and exciting courses such as:

- Medicine at the University of Nottingham
- Pharmacy at the University of Birmingham
- Sport and Exercise Science at Birmingham City University
- Philosophy and Politics at the University of Manchester
- Microbiology at the University of Leeds
- Journalism Studies at the University of Sheffield
- Social Work at the University of Nottingham
- Business Economics with a Year in Industry at the University of Liverpool.

Several students have opted for apprenticeship pathways, and one has already secured two offers before choosing a childcare placement that provides condensed training and future management opportunities.

To help prepare our Year 13, The University of Nottingham visited on the 19<sup>th</sup> January to deliver their 'Study Skills 101' session, providing valuable strategies to support students as they work towards their final examinations. They had the opportunity to put these skills into practice during their PPE's. The Year 13 PrePublic Examinations took place from 9th to 27th February. These assessments provide essential insight into progress and areas for development, and we were proud of the positive way students approached them.



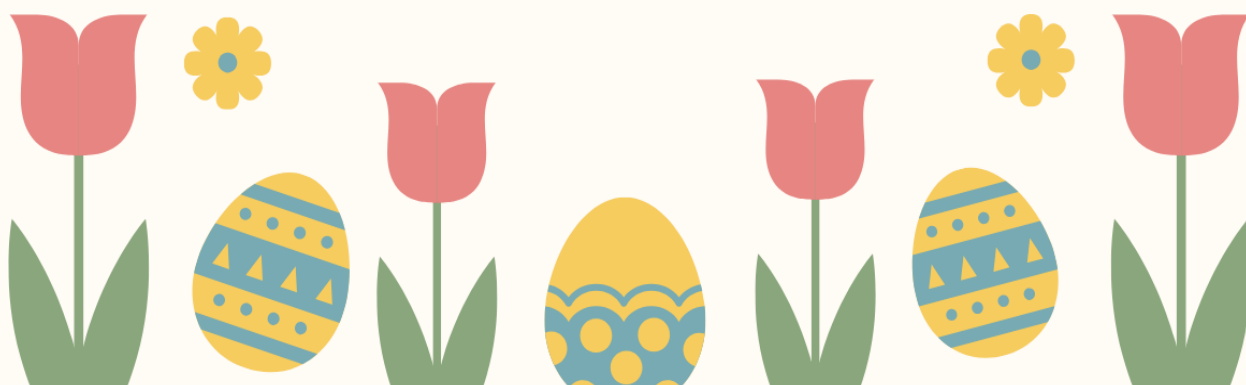
# *Sixth Form*

Alongside their academic studies, our tutor programme continues and on the 28<sup>th</sup> January, we were pleased to welcome Councillor David Mellen, who joined us to discuss key community issues and the importance of local engagement. It was wonderful to see students stay behind after the session to continue the conversation with him.

Shortly afterwards, on 4<sup>th</sup> March, we launched our Year 12 work experience programme. All Year 12 students will take part in a placement during the week commencing 6<sup>th</sup> July, giving them the chance to experience the world of work and explore potential career paths. Students are responsible for securing their own placements, and one has already arranged an exciting opportunity within the Physics department at Nottingham Trent University.

We re-visited the Year 13 Pre-Public Examinations on the 12<sup>th</sup> March with a mock results day. This important event encourages reflection, goalsetting and strategic preparation for the months ahead. Ms Beldham, our Standards & Progress Leader, also introduced Massolit to students. This is an excellent online platform offering university level video lectures to support deeper understanding across a range of subjects. A great resource to go alongside students continued revision.

Beside this academic focus, our student athletes have enjoyed an exceptional term. Our female elite basketball team achieved a fantastic victory on 23<sup>rd</sup> February, winning the Northern Conference of the regular season and entering the postseason as a #1 seed in the Women's Elite Academy Basketball League (WEABL). They went on to deliver an impressive 93–35 win against Oaklands in the quarter-finals on 4<sup>th</sup> March. Their semifinal performance against Ipswich on 11<sup>th</sup> March showed incredible skill and teamwork, and although they were narrowly defeated, their determination was outstanding. Our male squad also had a successful term, finishing with a hard fought draw against Leeds on 11<sup>th</sup> March, securing their promotion to Colleges Basketball League 2.



# *Sixth Form*

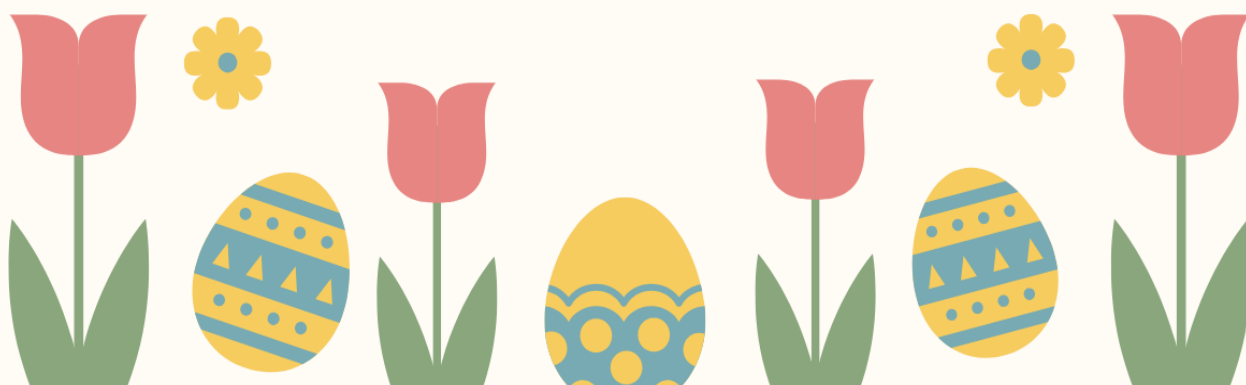
Since January, we have also been meeting internal applicants individually to discuss applications, predicted grades, and their aspirations for Sixth Form life, which has been a real pleasure. We have also welcomed prospective external applicants interested in our Basketball Student Athlete Programme. A highlight of the visit was hearing our current student athletes speak so highly and confidently about their own experiences.

The final week of term was particularly busy. On 24th March, we held our end of term Celebration Assembly. This was a lovely occasion that highlighted the many positive achievements and contributions made by our students. Finally, on 26th March, we hosted our Year 12 and Year 13 Progress Evening, giving parents, carers, and students the opportunity to meet with subject teachers, discuss progress to date and identify key priorities for the start of next term.

We would like to thank all our students for their efforts throughout a very full and rewarding term. We hope you have a lovely Easter break and enjoy a well-deserved rest.

**Ms Merrill**

**Head of Year – Sixth Form**



# *Sports at Nottingham Academy*



## **Nottingham Academy Easter Sports Roundup**



This term has been packed with outstanding sporting achievements across the Academy, with students from every year group demonstrating determination, teamwork and pride while representing the school. Here's a look back at a brilliant term of competition.

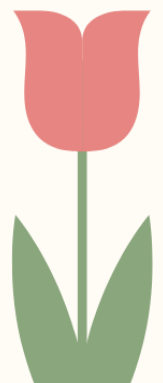


### **Basketball Highlights**

#### **Year 8 Basketball**

Our Year 8 teams have been in action across multiple competitions:

- **Y8 Girls** showed superb determination in their first fixture, growing in confidence throughout and finishing 4th overall.
- **Y8 Boys** battled hard, narrowly missing out on a place in the final but bouncing back brilliantly to win the 3rd-place playoff and secure bronze medals.



# *Sports at Nottingham Academy*



## **Basketball Highlights**

### **Y8/9 GAT Basketball Tournament**

A fantastic day of high-level basketball saw:

- Boys finish 3rd
- Girls finish 2nd
- Nottingham Academy place 2nd overall



A brilliant achievement for all players.

### **Y7 Boys – Nottingham Schools Finals**

Our Year 7 boys were outstanding, winning all three games to take home **gold medals** and the title of Nottingham Schools Champions. A superb team performance.



# *Sports at Nottingham Academy*

## **Year 11 Table Tennis Success**

Both Year 11 table tennis teams delivered exceptional performances against strong opposition, finishing joint third overall and earning well-deserved bronze medals. A fantastic achievement from all involved.



## **Y7 Sportshall Athletics**

Year 7 athletes delivered an excellent all-round performance in the Nottingham City Schools Sportshall Athletics:

- **Girls** finished 2nd out of eight schools
- **Boys** finished 1st out of seven schools

Both teams energy and determination were clear throughout—well done to everyone involved.



# *Sports at Nottingham Academy*

## **Football Roundup**

### **GAT Sports Competition**

Nottingham Academy competed in 5-a-side football and badminton doubles, with strong results across the board:

- **Y7 Football:** Boys 4th, Girls 3rd
- **Y9 Badminton Doubles:** Girls 4th, Boys 3rd

These results placed the Academy **3rd overall**.



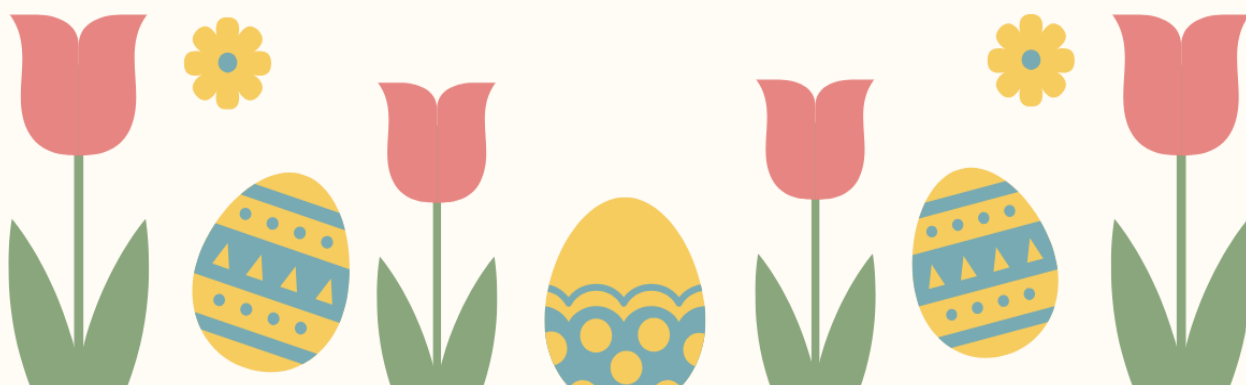
# *Sports at Nottingham Academy*

## **Year 11 Boys' Football**

Our Year 11 team enjoyed an excellent run in the Nottingham Schools Premiership:

- They finished 2nd in the first round to qualify for the finals
- After a dramatic semi-final penalty shoot-out win, they went on to finish as **runners-up** in the competition

A brilliant season and a performance to be proud of.



# *Sports at Nottingham Academy*

## **Year 9 Boys – Nottingham Schools Champions**

The Year 9 boys produced a sensational week of football to be crowned **Nottingham Schools Championship League Champions**.

- A dominant 5–2 win over Bulwell secured their place in the final
- A thrilling 4–3 victory over Djanogly—sealed with a goal in the last three minutes—clinched the title



## **Year 10 Boys – Premiership Champions**

The Year 10 boys completed a superb campaign to become **Nottingham City Schools Premiership League Champions**.

- A strong 2–0 semi-final win
- A dramatic final where a last-minute equaliser led to penalties
- Cool heads and composure in the shoot-out secured the title

A huge well done to the champions.



# *Sports at Nottingham Academy*

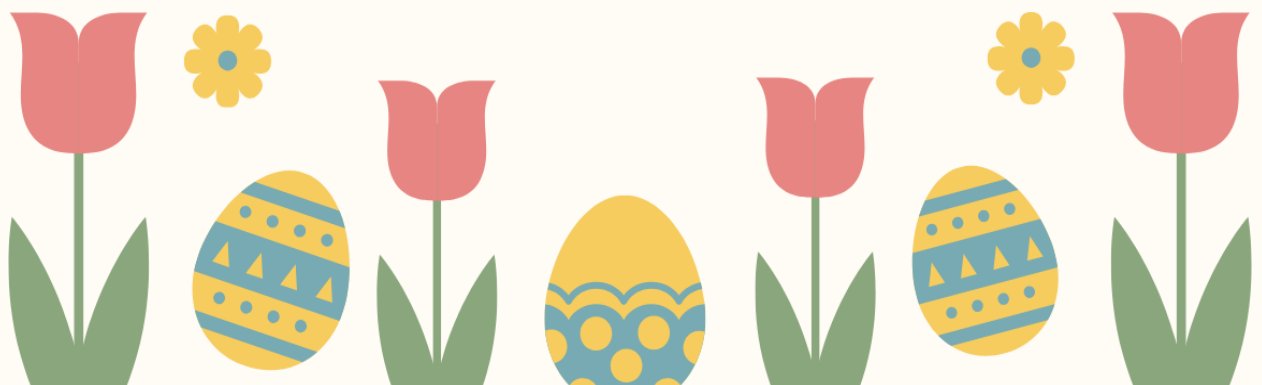
## **Year 7/8 Girls' Football**

Our Y7/8 girls showed fantastic resilience and teamwork, finishing with 1 win, 2 draws and 2 losses. Despite facing mostly Year 8 opposition, they competed brilliantly throughout.



## **Year 7 Boys' Football**

The Year 7 boys began their Nottingham City Schools Championship Finals campaign with one loss and one hard-fought draw. With more fixtures ahead, there's plenty still to play for as they push for a strong finish.



# We All Need A Little Support

The Easter Break can be a great time, but it can also be a hard time. If you are struggling, please reach out.

Here are some support networks you can access anytime:

## Sources of Support

- \* Nott Alone - <https://nottalone.org.uk/> Local mental health advice and help for young people in Nottingham and Nottinghamshire. Contains links to a range of Nottingham based services and online support videos v Kooth <https://www.kooth.com/> Mental health support for Young People
- \* Young Minds <https://www.youngminds.org.uk/> Mental health support for young people and parents
- \* Cruse <https://www.cruse.org.uk/> Bereavement support
- \* Harmless <https://harmless.org.uk/> Support for self harm
- \* CGL <https://www.changegrowlive.org/> support and advice around drug use Other sources of support
- \* Mind -0300 1233393
- \* Shout – Text ‘SHOUT’ to 85258
- \* Papyrus – 0800 0684141 (suicide support)
- \* CAHMS Crisis – 0800 1707055
- \* Refuge (domestic abuse helpline 0808 20005000

The Nottingham Academy Safeguarding team can be contacted on [safeguarding@nottinghamacademy.org](mailto:safeguarding@nottinghamacademy.org)

If you believe that a child is at immediate risk and in need of protection then you should call the Police - **999** immediately.

For out of School Hours contact Children's Social Care (if the child or young person lives in Nottingham city) **0115 876 4800 (operational Monday to Friday at 8:30 am to 5:00 pm)**

<https://www.nottinghamcity.gov.uk/information-for-residents/children-and-families/nottingham-city-safeguarding-children-board/worried-about-a-child/>

NSPCC Free Helpline :  
**0808 800 5000**



## Gloji teens

### Healthy lifestyle & weight management programme

The perfect opportunity for you to build healthy habits and have fun, whilst making sustainable, positive changes to your lifestyle

#### Workshops

Over 12-weeks, we'll explore practical strategies for making positive, healthy lifestyle changes. Through discussions and activities, we aim to equip you with the tools, self belief and confidence to take control of your health and well-being!

#### Topics include:

- Goal setting and habits
- Finding the balance; keeping full & energised
- Anxiety, body image and self confidence
- Discovering what works for you (portion sizes, environment & exercise)
- Inside our food (sugars, sweeteners & ultra processed foods)
- Diet culture & myth busting
- Hunger, fullness & emotional eating
- Sleep & screentime
- Healthy hydration
- Eating out, socialising & takeaways
- Self management, boundaries & managing setbacks

#### Group activities

Whether it's boxing, gym sessions, dance, yoga, or cooking, you'll discover new ways to stay active and energised whilst having a great time in a supportive environment.

0115 6485724

hello@thrivingnottingham.org.uk  
www.thrivingnottingham.org.uk

Want to find out more? Get in touch

## Are you a Young Carer?



A young carer is someone aged 25 and under who cares for a friend or family member who, due to illness, disability, a mental health problem or an addiction, cannot cope without their support. Find out more about what support is available in Nottingham:

Young Carers Notts

## Where to go for sexual health services in Nottingham

### SH:24

Sexual health 24 hours a day – free, discreet, confidential

Website

### Sexual Health Services Nottingham and Nottinghamshire -Under 25s

NHS  
Sexual Health Services  
Nottingham and Nottinghamshire

**Under 25s**

MON TO THU  
2 - 7PM

VICTORIA HEALTH CENTRE  
GLASSHOUSE STREET

CONTACT US  
T: 0300 131 7010  
WWW.SEXUALHEALTHNHS.CO.UK

### Free Condoms - an update

Recently the C Card scheme in Nottingham has ended. To ensure young people can continue to access free condoms in Nottingham City, the Children's Public Health 0-19 Nursing Service will be restarting the MyCard scheme. This works in a similar way to C Card where young people aged 13 - 19 years can sign up via their school nurse. You will go through a registration process and following that, you can pick up condoms during your school drop-in or request to pick up using the Texthealth service



## Coming soon for all Year 11s

We provide 'How to survive becoming an adult! Tips to staying healthy and well and where to go for help' to all Year 11s. It contains lots of information about your health and well-being, useful websites and services.

This E-resource will be sent to you via your school email after the Easter holidays, so look out for it!

If you would like more information about our service or when our nurse drop-in is in your school, please go to our website



# Keeping well this spring

An information leaflet from your Children's Public Health 0-19 Nursing Service, April 2026

## Easter fun and holiday activities

Find out about activities in your area over the Easter holidays



Go to Askion



## Need some advice or support?



**Remember your Children's Public Health 0-19 Nursing Service is there for you during term-time and the school holidays!**

We offer young people in secondary schools a weekly confidential drop-in. We provide advice and support around a range of health needs including emotional health, sleep, sexual health and relationships, self-harm, bullying, alcohol and drugs, healthy eating, smoking and vaping.

To access the drop in within school you can pop along to the school nurses' room on your lunch break, request an appointment through a teacher or send a text to our TextHealth service and we will ask your school nurse to send you an appointment.

**The TextHealth service can help with all kinds of things like:**

- Emotional health
- Relationships
- Alcohol
- Smoking
- Sexual health
- Self-harm
- Drugs
- And more
- Bullying
- Healthy eating

If you would like more information about our service or when our nurse drop-in is in your school, please go to our website:

Website

Send a text to 07480 635024

Or start a TEXT CHAT here

If you feel that you need some support, there are lots of websites and services that can help. You are NottAlone!

**NottAlone** is here!  
Are you worried about your own, or someone else's mental health?



Want to find trusted information, advice and local services that can help?

This website has local mental health advice and help for young people in Nottingham and Nottinghamshire, all in one place.

[Website](#)

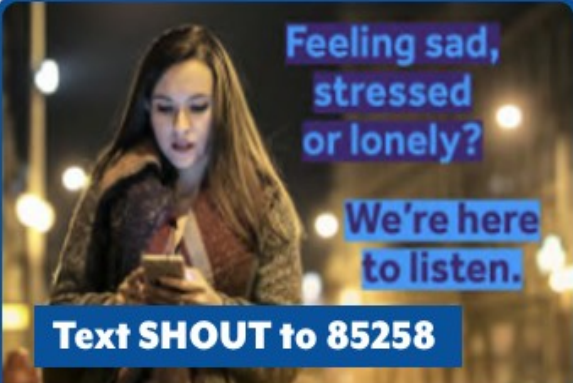
## Be U Notts

Support when you need it!



Be U Notts offers free mental health and emotional wellbeing support and is available to anyone **aged 25 or under**, living in Nottingham and Nottinghamshire (excluding Bassetlaw) who is registered with a local GP.

[Website](#)



Feeling sad, stressed or lonely?  
We're here to listen.

**Text SHOUT to 85258**

Shout is a free, confidential and 24/7 text messaging service for anyone in the UK who needs support. If you are struggling to cope and need to talk, our trained Shout Volunteers are here for you.


[Website](#)

## Minds of all Kinds

**A new website called has been launched to provide tailored support and resources for people of all ages who are neurodivergent, including those with ADHD and Autism.**

Minds of All Kinds includes:

- Clear, jargon-free explanations of ADHD, Autism, and other neurodivergent differences.
- Local service directories and referral pathways for Nottingham and Nottinghamshire.
- Practical advice for navigating education, health, and social care systems.
- Personal stories and lived experiences from young people and families.



[Website](#)

## Mental health advice for young Muslims

Check out faith-friendly information, shaped by the voices of young Muslims and created in partnership with Muslim Youth Helpline:

[Website](#)

For great tips and positive messages follow **Young Minds** on Instagram:

[Instagram page](#)



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## Feel Good Easter Festival

Join us for some feel good Easter fun with Easter activities and a visit from the Easter rabbit!

**Tuesday 31 March, 3:30pm to 6pm**

Cherry Lodge King Edward Park, Carlton Road, NG3 2AR

**£2 per child**

**Book your place:** [bookwhen.com/renewaltrust](http://bookwhen.com/renewaltrust)



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## Feel Good Breakfast



**Monday 30 March to Thursday 2 April**

and

**Tuesday 7 April to Friday 10 April**

**9am to 10am**

Cherry Lodge, King Edward Park  
Carlton Road, NG3 2AS

Join us over Easter for breakfast with cereal, toast, fruit, hot and cold drinks and more

**Free** - no need to book, just drop in  
Everyone welcome!

To find out more call 0115 911 2226  
or email [enquiries@renewaltrust.org.uk](mailto:enquiries@renewaltrust.org.uk)



## Renewal Trust Holiday Club



**Monday 30 March to Thursday 2 April**

**10am to 2pm**

Cherry Lodge, King Edward Park, Carlton Road NG3 2AS

Join The Renewal Trust and friends for some Easter holiday fun with multi sports, cycling, Lego, arts and crafts and more - Lunch is provided

**Free - Sessions for ages 5 to 14**

**Book your place:** [bit.ly/rtholidayclub](http://bit.ly/rtholidayclub)

Sessions open to families who are eligible for free school meals

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# Easter



## at The Renewal Trust

### Feel Good Breakfast

Monday 30 March to Thursday 2 April, 9am to 10am  
and

Tuesday 7 April to Friday 10 April, 9am to 10am

Cherry Lodge, King Edward Park, Carlton Road NG3 2AS

Free - No need to book, everyone welcome

### Feel Good Family Skate

Monday 30 March, 3:45pm to 4:45pm

National Ice Centre, Bolero Square NG1 1LA

By invitation

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Cherry Lodge, King Edward Park, Carlton Road NG3 2AS

Book your place -

Open to families eligible for free school meals

### Easter Festival

Tuesday 31 March, 3:30pm to 6pm

Cherry Lodge, King Edward Park, Carlton Road NG3 2AS

Book your place - £2 per child

### Lego Make and Take

Wednesday 8 April, 10:30am to 12:30pm

Cherry Lodge, King Edward Park, Carlton Road NG3 2AS

Wednesday 8 April, 1:30pm to 3:30pm

Cherry Lodge, King Edward Park, Carlton Road NG3 2AS

Book your place - £2 per person

**Book your place:** [bookwhen.com/renewaltrust](http://bookwhen.com/renewaltrust)

## **Contact Nottingham Secondary Academy**

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### **Stay up to date**

Our website is regularly updated with key contact and safeguarding information. Arbor is also available to every parent. Please contact reception for you login details.

### **Contact Information**



It is vital that the information we hold is kept up to date. In an emergency, we need to be able to contact you. Please ensure Reception is informed should any of your details change.



*Wishing you all a safe and wonderful Easter Break!*

