



# Nottingham Academy Secondary Weekly Bulletin—Friday 01/03/2024

## Highlights of the week

**Year 7:** This week Year 7's were brought a new Cricket Set by Miss. Herod. It has been lovely seeing students come together and play so well together during break/lunch. Showing respect to one/each other is something we strive for here at Nottingham Academy. Well done all involved!

**Year 8:** I am thrilled to share that for the second consecutive week, our tutor group of the week is 8T7. Kudos to the students in 8T7 for achieving the highest number of positives and the lowest number of negatives. It's fantastic to see such positive engagement and teamwork within the tutor group. Keep up the excellent work.

**Year 9:** Year 9 Progress Evening was extremely successful this week. 172 parents came and had productive conversations with teachers and listened information assembly about GCSE options.

**Year 10:** It has been so lovely seeing our year 10 students come together and support one another.

**Year 11:** PPE's have made an excellent start, with pupils clearly well prepared and very well behaved. Also, Nottingham College came in to deliver an assembly about post-16 options for Year 11.

**Sixth Form:** The Sixth Form team met with families of external applicants this week. It was lovely meeting new students who would like to join Nottingham Academy Sixth Form to study Level 3, some choosing us to also join the Basketball Academy.



### Student stars of the past week.

Well done and you will be entered for the 3 X £50 Good Citizen Raffle this

**Year 7:** Well done to Rayaan for receiving the most achievement points this week.

Also, A big congratulations to Ibrahim for receiving the most Golden Tickets. Keep up the good work Boys!

**Year 8:** A hearty congratulations to Lucas R-R for accumulating the highest number of achievement points. Well done, Lucas!

**Year 9:** Ismail has had a brilliant start to this half term. He has been rewarded with chocolates for his greatly improved attitude to learning.

**Year 10:** A huge shoutout to Aiden! Caught being great by loads of leaders across the school. He has been a massive support this week for varies peers. He is a very inspirational student, and we are super proud of him.

**Year 11:** Airah has the most achievement points this week. Well done!

**Sixth Form:** We have a superstar amongst our Year 13 students! Oakley is part of the Great Britain Taekwondo team, and he achieved Bronze Medal at the Taekwondo Open in Slovenia this weekend. This now means that he qualifies for the Senior Europeans in July. We are very proud of him!



Mrs Elbaz — Executive Principal

*"Wishing you all a safe and lovely weekend!"*

## Upcoming weekly events:

**Year 7:** World Book Day **Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March**. There will be several activities for students to complete and a love of reading shared throughout the whole day.

In celebration of International Women's Day on **Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March**, 64 girls from Year 7 will participate in a Basketball Festival from period 1-4. We are joining forces with FIBA (World Governing Body for Basketball) and Basketball England (National Governing Body for Basketball). This is a great opportunity for our girls, and we are very excited about this.

**Year 8:** The year team is excited to unveil plans for a big summer trip to Alton Towers. election for this exciting adventure will be based on overall behaviour and conduct around school, coupled with dedication and effort demonstrated in lessons. More details will be provided. Moreover, we have more enriching Into University events lined up later this half term, offering our students valuable opportunities for growth and exploration.

**Year 9:** The Year 9 make their GCSE options choices on **Monday 11<sup>th</sup> March**.

**Year 10:** Our Tracker is in place to record overall attendance and interventions for ALL students. The following six talented students: Jack, Dejante, Bevis, Chorde, Zehshan and Ta Kyle have been chosen to go to a recording studio in the city centre to record and produce a record.

Year 10 Parents evening will be taking place on of March 2024. Between pm and pm. You can book appointments with teachers via school cloud.

**Year 11:** PPEs continue in options subjects.

**Sixth Form:** Our Year 12 Progress Evening is taking place on **Monday 4<sup>th</sup> March 2024**, between **3.30pm** and **6.30pm**. You can still book appointments with teachers via School Cloud. This will be a great opportunity to meet with your son/daughters' teachers and discuss the progress they are making in their Level 3 studies.

The University of Nottingham are delivering a session on Student Finance to our Year 13 students on **Wednesday 6 March 2024**. This is an important session, offering invaluable advice on guidance on student finance to support those students heading to university.

Library News – World Book Day – Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March 2024

**Best Costume wins £50.**

Look out for competitions, £1 book token and lots of book talk!