



Wath Academy



NEWSLETTER – ISSUE 32

PRINCIPAL'S UPDATE

30 June 2023

Dear Parents / Carers,

Success Stories

A group of Y9 and 10 students have been taking part a project ran by Liberty Steels. It was a 12-week afterschool project, where students have been working with mentors from Liberty Steels. They worked as part of a team that had produced a proposal to make Meadowhall Oasis more environmentally friendly. Each team member had a role that reflected a role in industry.

Ella Gures took on the role of project manager/report writer. She showed great organisational skills and skillfully managed the rest of the team during the project. The industrial mentors were very impressed with how she carried out this role and nominated her for the Outstanding Achievement Award.

If you would like to share your success stories with us, please email us via the following address: achievement@wathacademy.com.

KEY DATES:

Year 11 Prom
30 June 2023

Year 13 Summer Ball
6 July 2023

Sponsored Walk
7 July 2023

Golden Ticket Rewards
11 July 2023

Sports Day
14 July 2023

Academy Awards
19 July 2023

2022/23 TERM DATES

Our term dates and INSET days for this academic year can be found on the academy website by clicking the following link [Wath Academy - Term Dates](#).





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100 Years Celebration

As part of our 100-year celebration we are aiming to plant 100 trees to celebrate the Academy's centenary this September.

Isla from Year 9 said: "This is a great chance for us to do something positive for the environment and celebrate our Academy's 100th anniversary.

To celebrate this, we are looking to raise funds to plant the 100 trees, it would be hugely appreciated if you could donate to this great initiative by using the following link:

<https://www.justgiving.com/page/100-wathacademy>

You can read more via the following link:

<https://www.wathacademy.com/news/?pid=3&nid=4&storyid=82>

Academy Awards

Planning is well under way with for the upcoming Academy Awards. Students are busy rehearsing, and we are in the process of selecting the award winners. The event will be held on 19 July at the Sheffield City Hall. We are extremely excited to host the event here for the second time following the success of last year. Further information will be coming out regarding tickets over the next couple of weeks.

If you wish to be involved in sponsoring the event, then please contact us via the following email: academyawards@wathacademy.com.





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Y11 Prom

We are looking forward to celebrating the end of year Prom with Y11 this evening at Wentworth Woodhouse. The event will be a very special occasion and it will be fitting to be held at such a stunning venue.

Sponsored Walk

This time next week we will be about to embark on our annual sponsored walk. The walk will cover approximately 6 miles passing Hooper Stand, using public footpaths. It is a great event which gives students a great experience as well as the opportunity to raise money for charity.

Students have been given a sponsor form and will be raising money for their house charities:

Athens – Barnsley Animal Rescue Charity
Cartage – Macmillan Cancer Support
Rome – Rotherham and Barnsley Mind
Sparta – Cancer Research UK
Thebes – Young Minds
Troy – Rotherham Hospice

Additionally, we will be raising money for Wentworth Woodhouse Charity.

It would be great if you could support your child in raising as much money as possible.

NEU Strike Days

The NEU have announced that they will be striking on Wednesday 5th July and Friday 7th July. The Academy will remain fully open to all students.

Yours faithfully

Mr Ransome
Principal