



PRINCIPAL'S UPDATE

NEWSLETTER – Week 8

Dear Parents/Carers

Success Stories

As we have done for the past two years, we would like to share students' success stories and achievements in this newsletter each week.

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

Royal British Legion Assemblies

This week each year group has received an assembly on the importance of remembering those who have sacrificed their life for our freedom. The Royal British Legion have been very generous with their time and have supported assemblies each day.

Our very own Y11 student, Thomas Backhouse, has been the Standard Bearer as seen on the photo above.

John Healey has dedicated his poppy within Parliament's Remembrance Garden to the 39 Old Wathonians. This is a lovely gesture and one we are very thankful for.

Yours faithfully

Mr Ransome
Principal

Key Dates:

Sunday 26 November
Charity Christmas Fayre

Thursday 7 December
PCAB

**Tuesday 12, Wednesday 13,
Thursday 14 December**
Performance of Oliver

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](#)



Subject in the Spotlight

Our Science Club is held every Wednesday during Enrichment and on Fridays after school. Here, students were investigating slime and non-newtonian matter. From displacement reactions, to making parachutes, to crystal making, to flame tests and STEM cross-Trust competitions – Science Club is unmissable! You'll be a Scientist in the making in no time!



Wath Academy Sixth Form Open Evening

This week we hosted over 250 prospective students and their families into the Academy to see what we have to offer in our Sixth Form.

It was a great opportunity for our current students to showcase the work they engage in within their subjects as well as for our staff to meet potential new students. It was a very successful evening and we look forward to welcoming them in September.



Staff Appointments

We were delighted to appoint Mrs Garcia Arias to the position of Second in Languages. Mrs Garcia Arias joined us in the last academic year and has been a fantastic asset to the Academy. We are looking forward to working with her in her new role.

We also appointed Mr Bramhall to the position of Senior Attendance Officer. Mr Bramhall previously held the position and has re-joined us this week.

Mrs Brooke has been appointed to Senior Receptionist. Mrs Brooke has done a fantastic job and fully deserves her promotion.