



PRINCIPAL'S UPDATE

NEWSLETTER – Week 18

Dear Parents/Carers

Academy Awards Auditions

With the logistical planning of the event now well underway, next week we are holding our performance auditions. These will be held on Tuesday and we have over 150 students auditioning. We are looking forward to seeing the students display their talents in preparation for what promises to be another great event.

Please save the date – Wednesday 10 July 2024.

100 Trees for 100 Years

We have now reached our target of £500 and have therefore started to work with the National Trust on planting the 100 trees. We will keep you updated on our progress.

Piano Recital

Our next event will be our Piano Recital which will be held on Tuesday 19 March at 18:30. This event will be held in the Main Hall. Tickets can be purchased from the Music department.

Thank you for your on-going support.

Yours faithfully

Mr Ransome
Principal

Key Dates:

W.C. 26 February
Year 13 Trials

7 March
Year 13 Apprenticeship
Event

14 March
Year 10 Mock Interview Day

19 March
Piano Recital

26 March
Golden Ticket Rewards

27 March
PCAB

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dates and INSET days.

[Wath Academy Term Dates](#)

Academy Publications

Meliora Spectare

Meliora Spectare, our very own book, details 100 years' worth of school history using material from our archives and the specialist knowledge of ex and current staff. The book is available to purchase from the Academy Reception for £5.00 or if you would like to make an online purchase to include postage for £7.99, please email enquiries@wathacademy.com

Torch Magazine

Torch is the Academy's student-produced magazine, published every term. You can read past editions of Torch and predecessors from the last hundred years via our website [Wath Academy - Torch Magazine](#)

Students can contribute to Torch by opting into the Enrichment club or by emailing articles to torch@wathacademy.com

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.

This week we'd like to congratulate Evan Key who has passed his Grade 6 Drums, well done Evan, this is a great achievement.

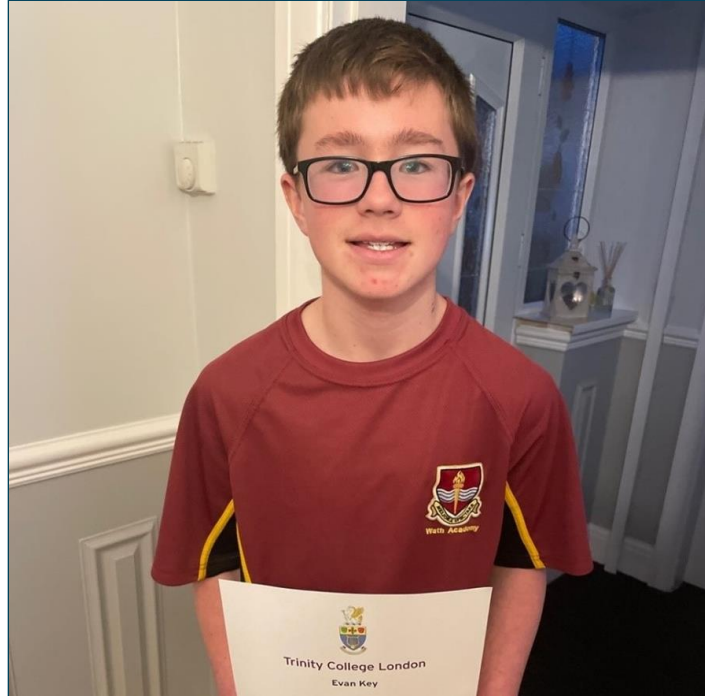
One of our Year 13 students, Fallon Connolly-Jackson received a call up for the Scottish Under 19s team earlier this month. Fallon started for the team on Thursday and saw a 5-1 win over Wales! Well done Fallon, we'll be cheering you on!

Year 11 Intervention

As we approach the final trial exams today, we look back on the effort and commitment from our Year 11 students over recent weeks. We are so proud of them, and we are looking forward to seeing the outcome of these trials. During half term we hosted a number of intervention sessions specifically focused on preparing for their exams. The sessions were of an excellent standard and student engagement was great. We will be hosting more intervention sessions during the Easter break.

Year 11 Online Parents Evening

Year 11 Online Parents Evening takes place on Tuesday 26 March. The booking system will be open for parents/carers to make appointments via the following link from Tuesday 19 March.
<https://www.wathacademy.com/parentsevening>



Enrichment Choices

This week students have chosen their Wednesday afternoon enrichment choices for Term 3. Please see the list of choices on our website [Wath Academy – ENRICHMENT](#). For students who have chosen an off-site activity, please look out for a ClassCharts message shortly with a consent form for parents/carers to complete.

Year 9 Football – Rotherham Cup

On Thursday, our Year 9 Boys Football team travelled to Wales High School to compete in the quarter finals of the Rotherham Cup. Well done on a 3-2 win with some great performances!! We look forward to the semi-final against Wickersley in the coming weeks.