

Cambridge School Weekly Newsletter

Friday 15th December 2023

Dear Parent/Carer,

Today we invited back last year's Year 11 students to a special Leavers' Assembly to give them their well-earned examination certificates. So much blood, sweat and tears went into achieving these certificates and the students and their families should be immensely proud. It was lovely to hear about the students' success in their new environments.

Two students in particular shone out. Ruby Thompson is at William Morris Sixth Form College, studying GCSEs in Art, Photography and English. The transformation from shy and timid Year 7 to a mature and confident young woman is profound. Another student who showed what a star they have become is Damien Kent who has lost his overwhelming anxiety and has blossomed into a lively and thoughtful young man who was excited to be back at Cambridge to see all his ex-teachers and especially his favourite person in the world, his drama therapist, Lana Selby. It really is so rewarding to see our ex-students flourishing.

We are on the final countdown to Christmas. There is a Talent Show on Tuesday, a whole school Christmas lunch on Wednesday. School finishes a t 1pm on Thursday 21st December. Next week's newsletter is our end of term bumper extravaganza so I will wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year from the weekly newsletter.

Yours sincerely,

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Alan Campbell,

Head Teacher

Stars Of The Week



Our Staff Star Of The Week this week is Julia White for always being willing to help out and staying late if necessary to do so.

100% Student Attendance Award



Callum Lewis

Shantaiyah Charles-Thomas

Outstanding Behaviour Award



Adam Malouk

Summer Shand Taelan Haynes



Note: Some parents have not given permission for their child's photo to be used in external publications.

Important Dates

18th Dec: Drop Down Day **19th Dec:** Talent Show **20th Dec:** Christmas Jumper Day & Christmas Lunch **21st Dec:** End of term, School finishes at 1pm

2024: 8th Jan: INSET DAY 9th Jan: Children return to school W/C 15th Jan: Year 9 EHCPs Begin & Energy saving Week 22nd Jan—2nd Feb: Exam Catchup 1st Feb: Time To Talk Day W/C 5th Feb: Children's Mental Health Week 6th Feb: Safer Internet Day



74%

Akala Class



85%

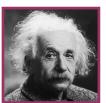


Attendance: Week Ending 8th December 2023:

Armstrong Class 59%

Bevan Class

71%



Einstein Class

89%



Farah Class

61%

84%

83%

Nightingale Class



Obama Class 60%



Rashford Class 85%



Rowling Class 75%



Turing Class 90%



Wilberforce Class 72%



Wiltshire Class 93%



Wiltshire Class!

House Competition.

Points are awarded for good work and good behaviour, and can be earned for winning competitions



Franklin Class