

Parent Bulletin, 22nd March 2024

Events wc. 25th March

Monday 25 th March	Year 8 Visit to Gressenhall Museum – Group 1
Tuesday 26 th March	Year 8 Visit to Gressenhall Museum – Group 2
Wednesday 27 th March	
Thursday 28 th March	Last Day of Spring Term
Friday 29 th March	Bank Holiday – Academy Closed

Year 8 Visit

Just a reminder for parents of students who are attending the Year 8 History visit on Monday or Tuesday next week. Students will need to be in school to register in the main hall at 7:45 on the day of the visit. The coach will leave school at 8:00. We hope to be back at school at approximately 15:45.

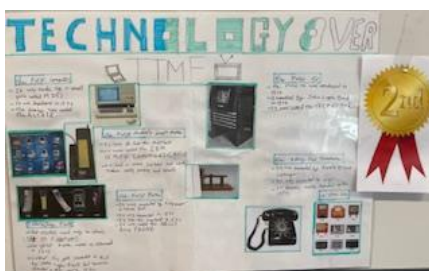
Term Dates 2024/25

Please see provisional term dates below for the 2024/25 academic year.

Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term
Monday 2 nd September – PD Day	Monday 6 th January – PD Day	Tuesday 22 nd April – First Day for Students
Tuesday 3 rd September – First day for students 8.30am for Year 7, 9.30am for all other years	Tuesday 7 th January – First Day for Students	Half Term – Monday 26 th May – Friday 30 th May
Half term Monday 28 th October – Friday 1 st November	Half Term Monday 17 th February – Friday 21 st February	Friday 18 th July – Last Day for Students
Last day of term Friday 20 th December	Monday 24 th February PD Day (Trust)	Monday 21 st July – PD Day (disaggregated)
	End of Term Friday 4 th April	Tuesday 22 nd July – PD Day (disaggregated)

British Science Week

Thank you to all those who participated in the British Science Week Poster Making contest. Congratulations to the following: Gracie Sillence - first prize (winning a Science trophy, voucher and certificate); Thomas Cracknell - 2nd prize and Holly Clarke - 3rd prize (both winning a Science trophy and certificate).



Bake Sale

A massive thank you to all those students (and parents!) who baked or brought in cakes to be sold, and to those who came along and purchased a yummy treat on Red Nose Day last Friday at our bake sale. It was all greatly appreciated - we raised **£190!**

Ormiston's Got Talent

This year Ormiston's Got Talent received 80 entries from 222 students across 33 schools within the trust. A panel of judges were treated to a spectacular variety of acts including singing, dancing, acting, magic and music technology. After an extremely difficult process, judges narrowed entries down to select 116 regional finalists.

One of the regional heats took place on Tuesday 12th March at Ormiston Victory Academy. In total, 41 acts competed head-to-head to be named the regional winners of Ormiston's Got Talent 2024, with staff, students and supporters enjoying a variety of dance, drama, music and magic performances. Each act was outstanding, which made it incredibly difficult for judges to select regional winners and national finalists.

Huge congratulations to our semi-finalists representing our school, Sapphire Howe, who performed some street dance, and Robert Kijak, who played guitar and sang. They did an amazing job to get this far in the competition as talent this year was outstanding.

