



Wath Academy

PRINCIPAL'S UPDATE

Dear Students / Parents / Carers,



Success Stories

This year we would like to celebrate the successes of our students. We have therefore created an email address: achievement@wathacademy.com for parents/carers to send in information about their child's success.

Ruby Rowe in Year 9 recently won the 'Players Player of the Year' award for her Mexborough Athletic Football Club. Ruby's sister Millie actually informed us of this amazing achievement, telling us she is a very proud sister. Well done Ruby and thank you Millie for sharing this with us.

Special Mention

A couple of weeks ago a lady in the community fell from a 5-foot wall she was sat on and sustained a deep laceration to her head and bruising to the bridge of the nose.



Charlie Bringlow, Charlie Thompson & Brayden Turner, all in Year 11 immediately went to support the woman. Without hesitation one of the students phoned 999 for an ambulance, one student attended the nearby surgery to call for assistance, whilst the third pupil took off his white school shirt, to stem the bleeding from the lady's head.

Three nurses then attended at the scene to support until the ambulance arrived.

Feedback from the nurses was if the pupils had not exhibited such initiative and quick thinking, the female would have sustained a more serious outcome to her injuries.

After attending hospital by ambulance/paramedics, the lady received 12 staples to the skull (top of the head), and has a cut to the nose and black eyes.

We are incredibly proud of the three boys. Their quick thinking demonstrated their selfless and caring attitudes, they are a true credit to our community. Their actions prevented the situation from being much worse.

Inspector Caroline Bakewell from the Rotherham North Neighbourhood Policing Team got in touch with the academy in order to reward the boys. She and her team attended the academy to award the boys with a District Commanders Good work Minute. She also said:

"On behalf of the Rotherham Command Team I would like to pass on our thanks to Charlie, Charlie and Brayden. Due to their prompt actions and initiative the member of the public received first aid and the help she required. The community spirit and resilience demonstrated is exemplary and well deserving of a District Commanders Good work Minute."

Year 11 and 13

This week marks the end of the exam period for Y11 and Y13. Both year groups have worked exceptionally hard over the last year and particularly in recent weeks.



Yesterday we celebrated Y11s final day with an assembly, ice cream van and shirt signing. We will be doing the same with Y13 today.

We are immensely proud of them and we wish them the very best in the future.

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UPCOMING EVENTS:

ACADEMY AWARDS
Wednesday 6 July 2022

2021/22 TERM DATES

SUMMER HOLIDAY
21 July – 1 September 2022

2022/23 TERM DATES
Our term dates and INSET days for the next academic year can be found on the academy website by clicking the following link [Wath Academy - TERM DATES 2022 - 23](#)



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Academy Awards

There are still opportunities for local businesses to sponsor a page in the programme or even a prestigious award. In addition to advertising the business, we would also provide each sponsor with two VIP tickets which include reserved seating, canapés and drinks on arrival.

All money raised through sponsorship will be put directly in to making the event even more special. If you would like to sponsor the event in any way, please get in touch with us at academyawards@wathacademy.com

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Mr Ransome
Principal

SIXTH FORM

John Healy visit

This week local MP John Healey and alumni student Abi Moore visited school to speak to Y12 students to improve students' understanding of democracy, politics and the electoral process. As a result of the session, student's developed their cultural awareness and their understanding of how to express their voice effectively to challenge local and national issues.



Y12 trials

Y12 students have been working hard within and outside of lessons to prepare for the final rounds of trials this academic year. Trial exams will run from Thursday 23 June to Friday 1 July in the vast majority of subjects. This assessment will provide useful feedback to students and teachers about current progress and will help to inform student's next steps.



HOUSE COMPETITION WINNERS

Friday 17 June 2022

KS3 Royal Ascot The Wath Way Challenge

Winner - Thebes

KS4 Royal Ascot Spot the Difference Challenge

Winners – Troy

Sixth Form – Catchphrases Challenge

Winner - Athens

BOX CHALLENGE SPORTS DAY POSTER WINNER – SPARTA



Total House League Results



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FRIDAY CHALLENGE CHAMPIONS!!

Spartan's we've gone from champions of half term 4 to 4th position this half term. The difference; we had participants in every competition. There's still everything to play for though, we're only on week 2 of 6 and then there's sports day! Sparta GET INVOLVED!



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Y11 Careers Guidance

Careers Guidance Careers guidance is still available for Y11 students. All Y11 students should have made a post 16 application, but there is still time to make further applications or receive support. Please contact the careers team on careers@wathacademy.com or 01709760222 for support or to arrange an appointment.



JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Are you trying to build your CV for the future?

Constant Security Services provide Event management and Safety Stewarding to some of the most prestigious events in the UK including multiple Yorkshire Racecourse venues and major agricultural shows. We are looking to recruit Special Events Stewards and SIA Licensed staff based in the Yorkshire area to work as part of our events team.

What we offer:

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- Career development opportunities
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If you are interested in the above opportunity to join our events team, contact Declan Richards who will be happy to speak to you.

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Oxbridge Information Evening

On Thursday 23 June we welcomed outreach staff from Magdalen College, University of Oxford, to host an Oxbridge information evening for parents and students from the local area.

The event gave the opportunity to find out more about Oxford, learn about admissions and ask any questions.




HM Government

Cyber Explorers Introduction Webinar

29 June 2022, 4:30 - 5:30pm
Visit cyberexplorers.co.uk to find out more

SKILLS FOR LIFE

The world that we live in is becoming increasingly technology-dependent. Introducing **Cyber Explorers**, an initiative led by the Department for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport (DCMS) designed to engage 11-14 years olds in cyber security learning. Coinciding with demands from the digital technology sector, Cyber Explorers presents an opportunity to develop the knowledge and skills required to safely navigate the modern online world and introduce students to careers in digital, cyber and wider technology. Visit cyberexplorers.co.uk to find out more.

DEPARTMENT INFORMATION – ART AND DESIGN TECHNOLOGY

A level Art exhibition

As this academic year draws to a close, the Year 13's have put together their end of year exhibition displaying the journey that their coursework has taken over the past 2 years. Each student has chosen their own unique starting points and themes to investigate. Through the creative process they have developed a body of work that has eventually lead to a final personal response. Each student has used a wide variety of techniques and processes along their journey. Students have worked in a variety of different scales using traditional media as well as textiles and digital manipulation. Some of the work has even been selected by the exam board for next year's teacher training resources. Well done Year13!



Y 5 Student visit

For the first time Art and Technology are planning a two day taster session of all the subjects within our faculty. Our local feeder primary schools will get the opportunity to try out their art, cooking, graphics and 3D design skills for a day. The two visit days will run on Monday 4 July and Tuesday 5 July; this will be an excellent opportunity for students to experience the creative subjects within our curriculum.

Yorkshire sculpture Park

For the first time since lock down we have finally managed to organise a trip that allows us to take all of our Year 10 cohort out in one group. Fine art, Photography, 3D design and Graphics student's visited the sculpture park in May to take inspiration from the artwork and surrounding landscape in which the sculptures are placed. It was a perfect opportunity for students to take photographs and research new artists to influence their projects back at the academy.





ACADEMY AWARDS

As you are aware we are holding our Academy Awards on Wednesday 6 July, and we cannot wait!

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E –SAFETY TIP OF THE WEEK – TWITCH

Twitch is a livestreaming service which tends to focus on gaming. Users can publicly broadcast their gameplay and commentary online for other users to watch. It's a community-driven platform where viewers can support their favourite streamers' channels through PayPal donations, "Bits" and more. Each streamer or group creates their own community for fans to interact with each other. Twitch has more than 15 million daily active users and includes non-gaming topics such as music, cooking and art. Anyone can create a channel to livestream or watch videos.



Wath Academy PE Extra Curricular



JUNE 2022

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
B 27 June	Rounders Training Y7-9	Fitness Suite – all years		Y8-10 Cricket Training	Rounders Training Y10 Yr7 Cricket Practice until 3.45	

FOOTBALL SCHOLARSHIP NEWS

Wath Academy Sixth Form Football Scholarship presentation evening will be held on Monday 27 June.

We cannot wait to celebrate the success of all players who have participated and competed this year for the scholarship programme.



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