



**Wath Academy**

## PRINCIPAL'S UPDATE

## NEWSLETTER – Week 18

24 January 2025

Dear Parents/Carers

### **Student Achievement**

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

A fantastic result for our Netball Scholars this week with a 41-0 win against Hall Cross. The team continues to go from strength to strength. Keep up the hard work!

"Well done to the scholar's netball team! They worked brilliantly together showing great communication and determination throughout the game. Due to some absences from the team they all supported each other, with some of the team playing out of their usual positions and this was the key to a well-deserved win!" Miss Greenfield, Head Coach.

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

### **Year 9 Taster Sessions**

This week Year 9 have begun their subject taster sessions to support them in making their option choices in the coming weeks. Students have the opportunity to sample lessons in different subjects and get to know the course better to ensure they make fully informed decisions. The engagement in the sessions has been fantastic, we look forward to seeing what they have chosen.

Yours faithfully

Mr Ransome  
**Principal**

### Key Dates:

**Monday 03 – Friday 14  
February**

Year 11 Trial Exams 2

**Tuesday 04 February**  
Year 10 Parents Evening

**Thursday 06 February**  
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**Monday 10 – Friday 28  
February**  
Year 13 Trial Exams

**Tuesday 11 February**  
Golden Ticket Rewards Event

Click here for our term dates  
and INSET days.

[Wath Academy Term Dates](#)

## **Sports Scholarship Information Evening**

Our second information evening of the academic year takes place on Monday 27 January. Year 11 students interested in our sports scholarships can attend to gain more information about our world class programmes.

Click the link to register your attendance <https://forms.office.com/e/dHRN8SmGdY>

## **Football Scholars Results**

A busy Wednesday this week, with all 3 squads playing in the NFYL. A positive day for our Boys First XI progressing through to the 1/4 Final of the [@nationalfootballyouthleague](#). Unfortunately, our Boys Reserves side fell to a tough opposition and Girls narrowly missing out in a brilliant game. Well done to all players involved, once again, you've represented yourselves and the Academy well!

## **We Will Rock You**

We are delighted to stage our production for 2025 - We Will Rock You. With a script by Ben Elton and a score by Queen, you will hear classic songs from this most flamboyant of rock groups. This is sure to be a sell-out so get your tickets early. [Your Box Office](#)

# MOVEMENT EVENING

28, 29 & 30 JANUARY | 6:30PM

Tickets £5.00 | MAIN HALL



## Movement Evening

There will be three performances of our annual Movement Evening this week on Tuesday 28 – Thursday 30 January. Limited tickets are still available by clicking on the following link [Your Box Office](#)

## Year 11 Geography Field Trip

This week our Year 11 Geography students visited Manvers to complete their Human Geography fieldwork on industrial change in preparation for their paper 3 exam. Students also developed their understanding of the local community and how it has changed over time. The Geography department commented on how the students conducted themselves and said their behaviour was exceptional, which is great to hear.



## A Love of Reading

Developing a love of reading continues to be a key aspect of our curriculum intent. See our website for information around how to support your child with reading at home and how they access over 3000 eBooks. <https://www.wathacademy.com/page/title=Reading>

## Sponsorship Opportunity

Following on from another hugely successful Academy Awards event hosted at Sheffield City Hall, we have secured the historic venue for the fourth time to host this year's event on Monday 7th July. We would like to provide local businesses with an opportunity to be involved in the event by sponsoring a page in the programme or even a prestigious award. If you would like to sponsor the event, please get in touch with us at [academyawards@wathacademy.com](mailto:academyawards@wathacademy.com)