Endeavour Newsletter



Issue 2—November 2022

IMPORTANT DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR:

Speaking and Listening Assessments week commencing 21st November.

Functional Skills Exams (Year 11) week commencing 5th December.

<u>Celebration Assembly</u> (parents will be invited to attend) 16th December.

Inset Days (Staff in Only) - Monday 19th December and Tuesday 20th

December – school will be closed for students.

<u>Christmas Holiday</u> – School closes on Friday 16th December 2022, school re-opens on Wednesday 4th January 2023



Year 11 Mock GCSE Exam Series:

Our Year 11 students have been sitting their GCSE Mock exams over the last two weeks.

This exam series was reduced in content and designed to allow students the opportunity to experience completing papers in real exam conditions. Where students had been allocated access arrangements, we applied these accordingly.

Behaviour and general attitude towards these mock exams was exemplary. We are extremely proud of the efforts displayed by those sitting exams and of the support shown by others on site throughout.

Shoe Box Appeal

Old shoe box donations required

Endeavour Academy will be taking part in the Annual Shoe Box Appeal to provide Christmas gifts to vulnerable children and families at this difficult time.



Please bring into school any old shoe boxes you no longer need.



Uniform and Equipment Replacement Items

All students had been issued with a free set of uniform and various items including PE top, bag, pencil-case (and contents), water bottle, lanyard and photo ID.

It is essential that students take care of these items and are aware that replacement items do come at a cost.

Water bottles particularly are often misplaced which can result in students not having access to the water fountain as open cups can not be carried around the school. Please ensure your child has their names clearly marked on these items and remind them of the importance of looking after them.

Students can purchase additional items at a cost listed on the price list shared via School Ping last half term.

Attendance and Punctuality

In order to achieve the best possible outcomes both academically, and pastorally, it is important that all students attend school as much as possible and on time.

We ask that parents / carers work with us to maintain the highest possible attendance to ensure that the support we are able to offer is effective and that students have access to education which will undoubtably impact on attainment.

Relationships, Resilience and Confidence are likely to be more positive in line with



good

attendance.



Afterschool Clubs

Music Club has started with Miss Brewer—all students are welcome every Monday, 2:45pm to 3:45pm!

Please contact school for any additional information!

Note: We are intending to create half termly newsletters to share with parents and carers. If there is anything you would like to see included, please contact Mrs Emma Wilson on 0191 5185595 or email enquiries@endeavouracademy.co.uk.