GEORGE SALTER ACADEMY

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The Update

for Year 7 Parents/Carers

Welcome!



As we approach the end of this half term, I want to congratulate all of year 7 on how well they have settled into life at George Salter. They have all made new friends and found their way around the academy well and have had a good start to the year. This week, I have been into lessons during PSHE and have seen them all engaged in their learning about bullying, working incredibly well and looking very smart! Next half term, we will be introducing our Year 7 tutors in each weekly update so that, over time, you will get to know our dedicated year 7 team. I hope everyone has a good week off during half term next week and want to remind you that students return on Tuesday 3rd November following our staff training day.

Student Shoutout

Handsi

Shannon

Well done to these students who earned the highest amount of positives last week!

"The school was so big. When we arrived, I didn't think I'd be able to find my way around, but now it's really easy and I've made so many friends"

~ Larin

Subject Shoutout - Maths

This week's subject shoutout comes from Mrs Sahota in Maths.

Year 7 Maths – Sparx Superstars! 🏆

Our Year 7 students have made a fantastic start to the year in Maths! It's great to see so many students getting into a good routine of completing their weekly Sparx homework. Regular practice is really important for building confidence, improving fluency and remembering key skills.

A big well done to our current Sparx leaderboard stars, who have earned an impressive number of XP points! Keep up the brilliant work!

Elishadip

Adyan

Emily

Where to find support



Mrs J Flavell
Designated Safeguarding Lead

Miss T Dale
Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead





Miss E Robinson
Pastoral Manager

Mr S Kaul
Pastoral Manager



Extra - Curricular for Year 7

Monday
Eco Club (STEPs 1)
Netball Club (Netball Courts)

Tuesday
Eco Club (STEPs 1)

Wednesday
Library Club (Library)
Badminton (Sports Hall)

Thursday
Homework Club (IT4)
KS4 Basketball (Sports Hall - Week A Only)
DT Club (Library)
Film Club at Lunch Time (EN10)

Friday
Homework Club (IT4)
Friday Fun (Sports Hall)
Football (Large Astro)

Upcoming Events

- **Monday 26th - Friday 30th October** : Half-Term
- **Monday 2nd November** : Staff training day
- **Monday 23rd November - Thursday 26th November** : Scholastic Book Fair

Recommended Reads

Percy Jackson by Rick Riordan



Look, I never asked to be the son of a Greek god. I was just a normal kid. . . until I accidentally vaporized my maths teacher.
Percy Jackson is having a bad week. His life has gone from totally normal to monsters-from-Greek-mythology-randomly-appearing kind of strange. Worse still, the king of the gods thinks Percy has stolen his all-powerful lightning bolt - and it seems making Zeus angry is a very bad idea.
Now Percy and his friends have just ten days to catch the true lightning thief and stop all-out war from erupting on Mount Olympus. What could possible go wrong?