

Brakenhale School

Year 7 News



Friday 17th November 2017

Dear Year 7 Students

Well done for helping raise money for Children in Need on the mufti day on Friday 17th November. As a school, we raised more than £1000. We were pleased to note that we have had an improvement in attendance. As a year group, last week we achieved 97.4% so can we push to go over 97.5% and even reach 98%? Well done to 7B who achieved 98.5% and 7H who achieved 98.1%. Could you be a friend to someone in the year group and encourage them to come into school by walking to school together?

We have noticed several students are forgetting to get their planners signed. Remember it is your responsibility to get a parent or carer to sign it once a week. Many students are now joining homework club after school on Tuesday in the LRC. If you need help with homework, come and join us in the LRC.

Morning assemblies are encouraging us, "to do the right thing", to "make the good choices". We are hoping for more positive praise awards for our Tuesday sports hall assembly. Good daily routines help us to create habits, which are helpful to progress our learning, e.g. check your planner and show my homework every afternoon. Who is the holding the door, saying please and thank you, being kind to others in your tutor group. Who is reminding everyone to be in the Assembly Hall on Friday mornings when the first bell goes, not the second bell? When we say something, are we being positive?

We have talked about PiXL Edge in assemblies and in PSHE next week you will be focusing on what you as a tutor group can do to help run a stall at the Christmas Fayre. You can use this to fill in a couple of items from

- leadership - can you take charge of a stall?
- organisation – could you help organise the resources and friends in the tutor group?
- initiative – are you creative? Could you help the tutor group come up with a great idea?
- communication – can you inspire others to come to the stall, create a poster about the stall?

There are a number of upcoming events including the Brakenhale Christmas Fair on the 30th November. Please remind your parents that this is a real shopping experience of professional stalls in the main hall. Also remember the deadline for ordering school photographs and getting free delivery is 22nd November, use the unique name and password as given on the example photograph.

Have a great weekend and see you all on Monday.

Regards

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KEY EVENTS – w/c 20th November

	Tutor	Notices
Monday	<p>B11 - B B12 - R B13 - A B14 - K B15 - E B16 - N B17 - H</p> <p>PiXL Edge focus!</p>	<p>Clubs: Tech club</p>
Tuesday	<p>Assembly – movement studio - visitors Period 1-4 as normal Period 5 - PSHE</p>	<p>Clubs: Netball Cross country/fitness Homework club in the LRC</p>
Wednesday	<p>Literacy</p>	<p>Clubs: Badminton Stem club in S21</p>
Thursday	<p>Current Affairs</p>	<p>Clubs: Art Club Trampolining Rugby</p>
Friday	<p>Main hall assembly</p>	<p>Clubs: Culture Club</p>

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