

Head of School

Friday 27th January 2023

UPDATE

Dear parents/carers and students,

It has been another busy week at Giles Academy.

On Wednesday, some Key Stage 3 students visited Lincolnshire Showground to experience 'Voice It'. This is a fantastic experience where students are exposed to a wide variety of professional performances from Beat Boxing to the ACM Gospel Choir. All students enjoyed the opportunity with some participating in the performances – well done to our Year 9 students Kevin and Josh who performed as Beat Boxers at the event!

Continuing on our theme of 'Rewards' from last week's letter, I must congratulate our Year 11 students who were selected to take part in the Super Prize Draw this week. Students entered in the draw hold an exemplary record in view of attendance and attitude to learning. Congratulations go to Ben Johnson, Jamie Monks, Lacey Newton, Katie Winn, Kamila Dauskaite and our overall winner Imogen Shaw who received a £45 voucher for her continued excellent effort and hard work!



In addition to this, we must celebrate our top point scorers for last week:

- Year 7 Rachel Moore
- Year 8 Bairon Borcoi
- Year 9 Daniel Murray
- Year 10 Rebecca Woods
- Year 11 Monika Zaliabarstyte

Well done to these students who have gained amazing point scores in the last week with one of our individuals reaching 305!

Year 11 students received their PPE results last week and following this we have now considered every individual performance to provide further support in a specific subject area until the examination period. Therefore, students will have been notified of a change of tutor as registration sessions have now evolved into subject interventions. This is a fantastic way of delivering additional support by subject specialists leading up until their final examinations.



Thank you to all parents/carers who attended the Year 11 online Parents Evening last night – this was well attended and was a valuable last opportunity for an official appointment prior to your child sitting their formal examinations. The next Parents Evening will be for Year 8 on Wednesday 8th March 2023.

Next week, we are holding our annual Book Fair in the library from Wednesday 1st February to Friday 10th February 2023. All of our Year 7 and 8 students will have the opportunity to attend the Book Fair during an English lesson, with other students in Year 9 and above visiting the library in their social times. There is an amazing choice of books for all, so please encourage your child to come and take a look!

I hope you all have a fantastic weekend.

Kindest regards,



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