

MESSAGE FROM THE HEAD

I always look forward to the new term in September- it's a new start to a new year with all the possibilities that this can bring. This term has been a really positive start to the year, and for our year 7 students their journey here with us at the Academy.

Students have represented the Academy in a range of activities- from mock trails to robotic competitions to sporting fixtures to visiting speakers, and I am always immensely proud of how our students conduct themselves, they are a credit not only to us, but also to our community and yourselves as parents.

I was delighted with the way our Year 11 and 13 students prepared themselves for their mock examinations and the way that the students have responded to their teacher's feedback. I know they will continue to work hard as they prepare for the next set of mocks. We look forward to seeing you at our parents evenings in January.

Thank you to all our parents who have visited us during this half term. We have hosted open evenings, parents evenings and our annual award evening. It is always a pleasure to welcome you into the building.

I would like to thank the students and the staff for their hard work this termwith dark mornings and dark nights it's a tough term, but everyone has pulled together to ensure that learning takes centre stage and all our student have the opportunity to achieve great things.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish all your students and their families, and friends of the Academy a wonderful Christmas and a very Happy New Year. I look forward to seeing everyone in 2024 for more amazing possibilities.

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Tom Urwin, Head Teacher

LRC NEWS

Festive therapy dog reading sessions

Over the past term we've been delighted to have been joined by Therapy Dogs Nationwide volunteer Pam and her dogs Bella, Sasha and Ben during Year 7's weekly Accelerated Reader sessions in the library. Lasy week we were really impressed by Bella's Christmas jumper and we think Ben enjoyed opening his bag of treats during the final session of this year!



SIXTH FORM YORK SIXTH FORM TRIP

On 14th December 2023 Consett Academy Sixth Formers got the opportunity to visit York and the Christmas markets.

45 of us gathered and Durham Railway station for an early train down to York. Year 12 and Year 13 had the opportunity to explore York and all it offers for Christmas but also this was a great chance for Year 13 to see what York has to offer as a University city too.

York was full of Christmas delight and everyone was able to enjoy the festive treats and each others company after a busy term with mock exams and UCAS applications.



YEAR TEAM AWARDS

Ebrahem M Miley H Elzbieta K

CONSETTIACADEMY

TUTOR AWARDS

7.1- Freddie H and Grace W
7.2- Phoebe S and Hollie W
7.3-Ichrio M and Alfie H
7.4- Sophie M and James M
7.5- Violet D and Will S
7.6- Roman D and Beth D
7.7- Finley C and Megan P
7.8- Freya P and Taylah R
7.9- Joe R and Ellie R
7.10- Isabel B and Daniel S

7.II- Jake N and Nicole Y
7.I2- Tyler D and Brandon M



YEAR TEAM AWARDS

Maximo D Hannah Th

CONSETTIACADEMY

TUTOR AWARDS

8.1– Sophie C and Alfie A

8.2 Caitlin W and Kian N

8.3- Callum M and Rose G

8.4- William L and Amelia Rose C

8.5- Felicity F and Zach S

8.6 Holly M and Logan H

8.7- Isla W and James M

8.8- Lacey M and Dexter G

8.9- Stacey R and Daniel D

8.10- Leah H and Cole C

8.II- Tilly W and Jase L



YEAR TEAM AWARDS

Lucas M Mia A Daniel M

CONSETTACADEMY

TUTOR AWARDS

9.1- Alfie M

9.2- Aedan H

9.3- Hendrix L

9.4- Maisie R

9.5- Daniel A

9.6- Elise F

9.7- Laura K

9.8- Lexi R

9.9- Jenny R

9.10- Kieron W

9.11- Harvey S

9.12- Kellan S



YEAR TEAM AWARDS

Michael C Lois M Emily T

CONSETTACADEMY

TUTOR AWARDS

10.1- Charlie M

10.2- Ruby N

10.3- Lauren R

10.4- Natalia T

10.5- Macey-Leigh H

10.6- Steven R

10.7- Tianna C

10.8- Hannah H

10.9- Lauren H

10.10- Jayden C

IO.II- Lexi H

10.12- Jasmine H



YEAR TEAM AWARDS

Lucy F Joe B Brooklyn C

CONSETTACADEMY

SUBJECT AWARDS

English- Ashleigh A Maths- Kimberley F Science- Nora K