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#### Milestones and Important Dates

This week, all Year 11 and Year 13 students have reached the end of GCSE and A level exams.

You have all shown tremendous resilience, determination and commitment to your studies and we are incredibly proud of you!

On Thursday, Year 11 students came into school to celebrate with their teachers and Year Team at their Leavers' Assembly. Year 13 students will be joining us on Monday afternoon for their Leavers' Assembly.

### **Sports Week**

It has also been Sports Week this week, and we've had good weather, except for Tuesday, when Year 9's events were cancelled due to persistent rain. Today is Year 8's turn and we will report back on the results next week.

#### Strike Days

There will be two further NEU Strike Days on 5 July and 7 July. A letter has been sent to parents and carers today via email and ClassCharts. **You can read it here**.

#### **Transition**

On Monday, we welcome our new Year 7 intake into school and can't wait to get to know them all and help them settle into Allerton Grange!







Eid Mubarak to all members of our community celebrating next week!

# Dates for your Diary:

Transition Days for new Year 7 students - Monday 26 and Tuesday 27 June

New Year 7 Parents' Information Evening - Tuesday 27 June, 4.30 - 6.00 pm

Year 13 Leavers Assembly - Monday 26 June, 2.15 - 3.15 pm

Year 7 Bushcraft Residential Trip - Wednesday 28 to Friday 30 June (during the school day)

Year 8 Science Workshops - Thursday 29 and Friday 30 June

Awards Evening - Wednesday 5 July, 6.00 - 8.00 pm

Sports Awards Dinner - Thursday 6 July, 6.00 - 8.00 pm

Year 11 Prom - Friday 7 July, 6.00 pm - 9.30 pm

ClassCharts

Positive Points this week: 7,200 Negative Points this week: 1,000

88% Positive Ratio

# Sports Fixture Results Cricket

The **Year 8 boys' Cricket team** played their first game of the season against Roundhay in which they were victorious by 22 runs.

AGS scored 95 from their 16 overs batting first, and restricted Roundhay to 73. The AGS team will now progress to the next round of the Year 8 cup competition.

### **Vitality Cricket Trip**

On Tuesday 20 June, Mr Gaunt and Ms Caisley took 30 KS3 cricket enthusiasts to Headingley to watch the Yorkshire Vikings take on the Northants Steelbacks.

After a very wet day the clouds moved, and the game took place. Northants set a commanding target of 180 for 6. Unfortunately, Yorkshire could not reach this and were all out for 102.

The students were really well behaved and even got some signatures of the Yorkshire team!







Thank you to the PE Team for supporting our students!

### Lifesaving Skills

Our Year 10 Health and Social Care learners recently took part in a First Aid and Communication Day where they gained a range of new skills.

Thank you to Ms Rai for organising this event.





### **Sports Week**

Monday started with our **Inter Primary Sports Day**, attended by Kerr Mackie, Moor Allerton Hall, Moortown, St Matthew's and Talbot Primary Schools..

The Year 5 and 6 pupils took part in a range of athletics events including the obstacle race, 50m sprint, 100m sprint, skipping race and beanbag relay.

St Matthew's were our winners, with Kerr Mackie in seond place and Talbot in third place.
Well done to all the teams for taking part!



# Year 7 Sports Day

On Wednesday, Year 7 competed in a range of events including netball, football, athletics track and field events.





### Year 10 Sports Day

On Thursday afternoon, Year 10 students took part in a range of events.

### **Year 8 Sports Day**

We ended Sports Week on Friday with Year 8.



















### Transition Days for New Year 7 Students

We are excited to be welcoming our new Year 7 students into school on Monday 26 and Tuesday 27 June 2023. Students will meet their Form Tutor, get to know other students in their form, take part in activities, try out a school dinner from the canteen and even follow a timetable for lessons!

On Tuesday 27 June, we will be welcoming new parents and carers into school for an Information Meeting with the KS3 and Transition Team at 4.30 pm.

# **Transition Music Project**

Students from our Year 7 Choir have been working with Year 6 students from Gledhow Primary School and will perform together at a concert on 11 July 2023.

The students have enjoyed working together and are excited to be part of this project.

Freya: "I liked meeting the Year 6s and introducing them to the school, to help them when they start at Allerton Grange."

Florence: "It was a great opportunity to meet new Year 7s, get to know their personalities and hear their lovely voices."

Eva: "I loved meeting the Year 6s and seeing how much potential they've got with their singing, on their own and in a crowd."

Isabelle: "It was really nice working with a new group of voices and seeing how much fun they're having. I think it's going to be an amazing project!"

so far. They are all very considerate, kind improve their skills." and it's been great working with younger children, who I could help with their **Temi:** "I loved how they sing. I got to make confidence in singing."

Oliwia: "Because I used to go to Gledhow, I've loved seeing how they've changed The concert is taking place on Tuesday 11 and improved in a lot of things. I saw my July from 5 pm at Allerton Grange. old singing teacher and Headteacher!"

that are about to join our school."





Anais: "It's been a lovely experience to work with children younger than us and Megan: "It's been an amazing experience help them grow as singers, and better

> friends, work with new people, get to know them and make them feel welcome."

All are welcome to attend.

This is a free concert, but we will be Imogen: "It's been nice to sing with the kids accepting 'pay as you feel' donations in support of the Music Department and future performances.

### Year 11 Leavers' Assembly

On Thursday afternoon, Year 11 students joined Mrs Wright, Mr Whincup, Ms Drew and Ms Walker, as well as lots of other teachers, to celebrate their time at Allerton Grange.

We're really proud of each and every one of you and can't wait to hear about the next steps of your journey.

We'll be seeing lots of you at Prom on 7 July, and also at GCSE Results Day and Sixth Form Enrolment!





























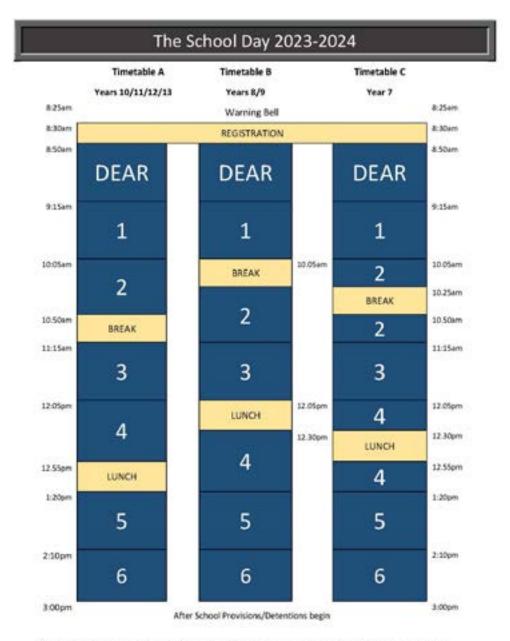


### Reminder: From September 2023, there will be changes to the timings of the School Day.

Students will need to arrive by 8.25 am for Registration at 8.30 am.

The School Day will be amended, with the first lesson starting at 9.15 am.

School will still finish at 3.00 pm, unless students are staying for extra-curricular clubs, revision sessions or detentions.



All students should leave the school site by 3.10pm unless attending a session 7 or working with a member of staff. There is to be no waiting in the cafe after school. The only students in the building must be involved in Enrichment sessions, a session 7, or isolation/detention.

(Monday) Stage 3 - SLT Detentions = 3:05pm = 4:30pm (85 minutes) (Tuesday - Friday)

Stage 1 Detentions = 3:05pm - 3:35pm (30 minutes)

Stage 2 Detentions - 3:05pm - 4:00pm (55 minutes)

Isolation takes place between 9:00am-3pm/3.30pm/4.00pm (Depending on Behaviour)

There is no immediate change as the current School Day timings remain for the Summer Term (April to July 2023).

The new times will start after the summer holidays, in September 2023.