

Dear Parents and Carers

We are now into the second term of Year 9, doesn't time fly! In the first term of the year students have worked incredibly hard in subjects and have made superb progress. Teachers regularly comment on how students are applying themselves to the work so well in lessons, but also how polite and courteous students are around school site.

As a year group, particularly in our weekly assemblies, we regularly talk about students now moving from being children to young adults and having greater responsibility for their behaviour, attendance and overall education. This will be realised over the next few weeks as students begin the process of selecting their GCSE options. I look forward to speaking to parents, carers and students at our GCSE Options evening on Tuesday 28 January 2025, and at the Parents' Evening the week after on Tuesday 4 February 2025.

Finally, I'd like to remind parents/carers that if they require any support for their child at Maltby Academy that my email is always open at <u>canderson@maltbyacademy.com</u>

Mr Anderson Y9 Student Achievement Leader

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Year 9 Options Evening (in school) Tuesday 28 January

Year 9 Parents' Evening (online) Tuesday 4th February

RAFFLE TICKETS

Students can be rewarded with a raffle ticket by staff for being kind, courteous and polite around site.

These can be traded in for chances to win fantastic prizes!

Keep an eye out on our social media to find out who has won.



CAREERS FAIR

Our Maltby Academy Careers Fair was a huge success!

All students across the four key stages who visited were fantastic and had the best time exploring the array of stalls!

A huge thank you to all of our local business, higher education partners and providers for joining us and engaging in meaningful conversations with our young people and their futures!

You have definitely inspired them and opened up doors for their bright futures!



MUSIC FOR YOUTH PROMS

At the end of November, Katie (Y9) and Matthew (Y11) took part in the Music for Youth Proms at the Royal Albert Hall representing the South Yorkshire Orchestral Collective.

We are all super proud of both students for their achievements outside of MA.

MA wish both students best wishes in their musical journey and can't wait to hear of all their successes in the future

Well Done Katie and Matthew, keep up your amazing efforts





CHRISTMAS DAY 2024

A day dedicated to celebrating friendship and fostering a sense of community among students and staff. Students enjoyed a Christmas present courtesy of Father Christmas himself, as well as a visit from Rudolph and a Christmas Dinner sat together.

Christmas day is a time for community, one of our key drivers at Maltby Academy, and it was more evident than ever during our fantastic Christmas at MA!



