

# Fortnightly Newsletter for Students & Families



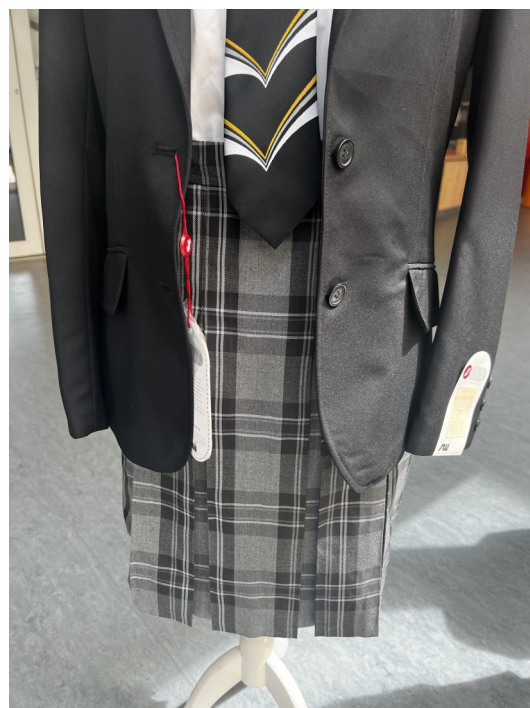
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Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you are all looking forward to enjoying some great weather over the half term break - and those of you with Year 11 and 13 children are looking forward to more restful nights and some time for reflection.

Year 11 have been so positive about their experiences in the examinations so far - we are really proud of their positive attitudes and consistent attempts to answer every question. We have some revision sessions over half term which you will be aware of - Thursday is 10-2pm for mathematics for Year 11 and Friday is for English 10-2pm. Please encourage them to come along, rather than try to do it all alone at home.

Thank you to the parents who have responded to the change to the academy skirt - I have included a photograph of it on this page. Inevitably, some young people are not going to want to change from the plain black skirts, but we have taken the decision to go ahead with the grey, black and white one on display in reception. I agree with some of the young people that one with a black background may be more favourable, but to keep costs manageable, we have kept with this design as it is held in stock by the uniform provider. A significant change to the fabric would mean a rise in costs which I feel would be inappropriate. It should be available via the uniform website over the next few days.



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This will be the ONLY skirt which will be acceptable to wear for Years 7 through to 11. We are currently exploring a 'buy back' scheme for Year 10 into Year 11 so that when they finish in 2024, we help to refund some of their purchase. If students do not wish to wear the skirt, they will need to wear plain black smart trousers (as they can now). Ms Church is working with the Fashion Club to design some optional items as accessories in the same fabric, so thank you to them.

In other news, we have enjoyed much sporting success over the past fortnight with lots of rounders, tennis and some cricket too. The cast and crew for Chitty, Chitty, Bang, Bang has been announced - we can't wait to see the show in December! For those of you who are testing out our subsidised music lessons, I wanted to let you know that thanks to the excellent work of Mr Shelbourn, we are trying to secure funding so this arrangement can continue into next year - he will let you know more as soon as we are able to confirm this, or a similar arrangement.

Well done to all students in Years 11 and 13 who have worked so hard in their final examinations - a much needed half-term break is finally here.

Enjoy the sunshine - and thank you for your support.

Naomi Palmer - Principal



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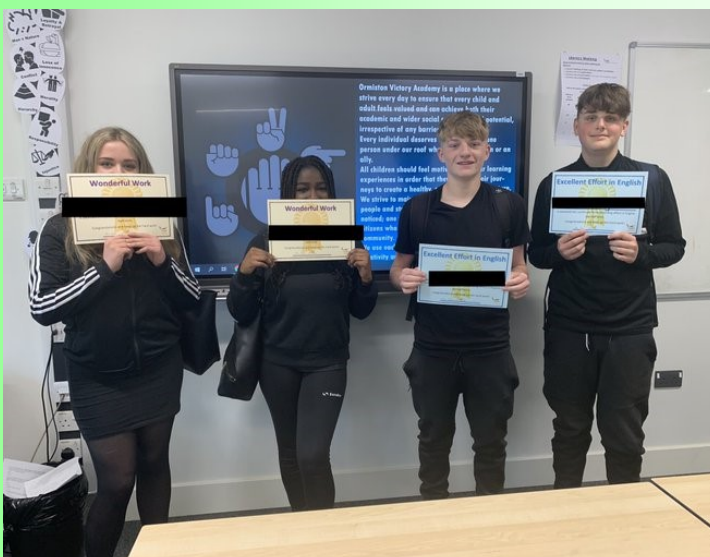
## Student News @ Victory

Great work in English  
from Romany and Adriel!



An amazing effort in English from these  
fabulous Year 7s this half term!

Awesome Year 10 English students!  
Brilliant work from Holly, Manny,  
Sonny and Max!



Fantastic English work from these  
students in Year 8!  
Well done Courtney, Jake and Megan.





## Student News @ Victory

Congratulations to Elliot, Isaac, James, Louie, Oskar, Riley, Samuel and the Costessey U12 Eagles for winning the County Cup. Well done to POTM, Riley!



We are beyond proud of Rocco who recently raised £500 for Cancer Research UK after finding this local event himself and taking part to celebrate the milestone of his Dad's first year being cancer free.

He wanted to give back to cancer research and help others.

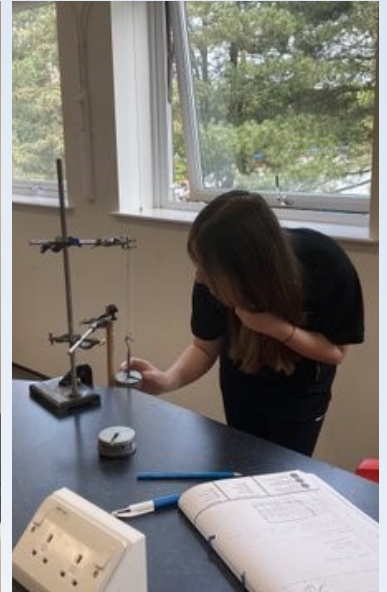






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Our very enthusiastic Year 7 scientist investigating whether a spring or an elastic band is more “elastic”!



Fabulous lino prints created by our wonderful Year 10 artists.

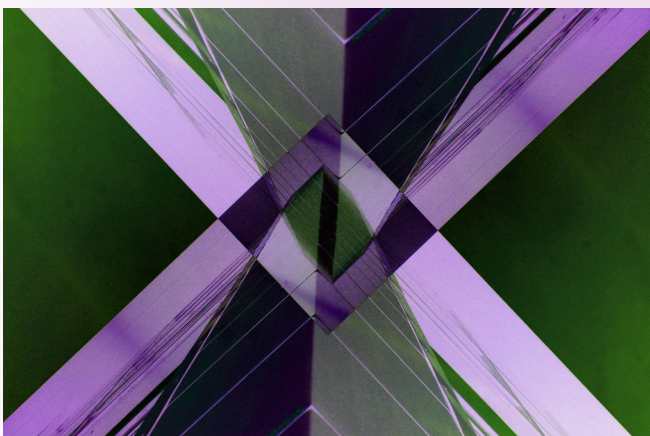
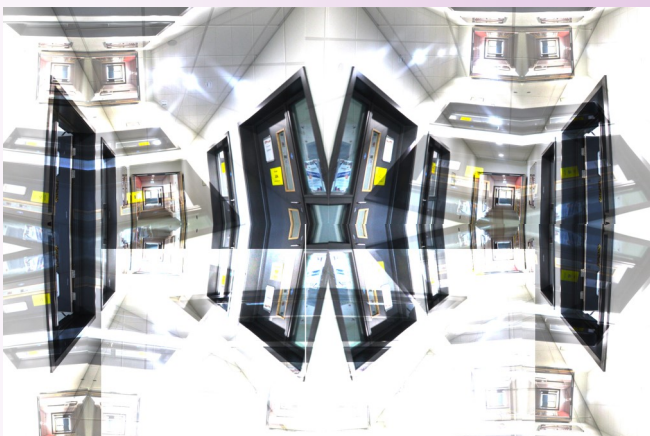
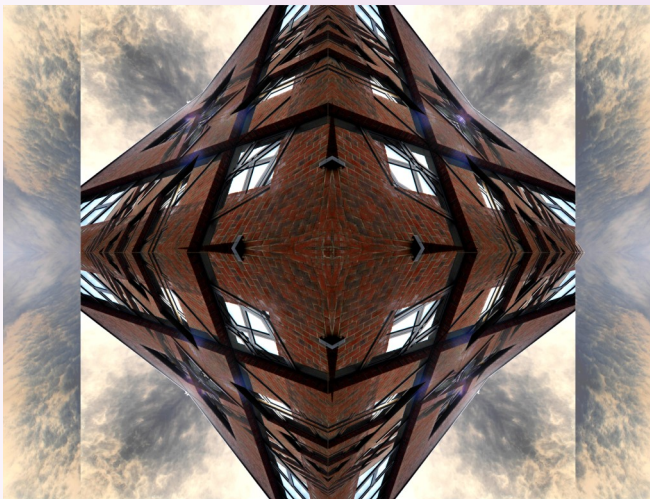






## Photography @ Victory

Year 9 have been exploring the built environment in photography. These amazing photoshop edits came from resilience and persistence. We are so impressed with their hard work and team work.







## Changing the Narrative 2023

This year the focus of our Victory Photography competition will be 'Changing the Narrative'. We would like you to think about which activities help your mental health. When you are having a bad day what helps change the narrative to allow you to feel more positive?

Submit up to 3 images to [f.cant@ormistonvictoryacademy.co.uk](mailto:f.cant@ormistonvictoryacademy.co.uk)

Deadline: 23/6/23

Prize: £25 Amazon Gift Card





## Year 8 Record Breaking Behaviour @ Victory

Congratulations to these awesome Year 8 Record Breaking Behaviour winners: Charlotte, nominated by Ms Brown for being polite and lovely; Ollie, nominated by Miss Cousins for being such a wonderful, kind and polite member of Year 8; and Faith, nominated by Mr Bunting for being awarded the most Visas in a week.







## Year 8 Record Breaking Behaviour @ Victory

Congratulations to these awesome Year 8 Record Breaking Behaviour winners: India-Rose, nominated by Ms Rowe for always quietly working hard; Poppy, nominated by Ms Brown for being resilient and fabulous; Hannah, nominated by Miss Cousins for being such a lovely student who we only ever hear positive and wonderful things about; and Harry, nominated by Mr Bunting for being awarded the most Visas.

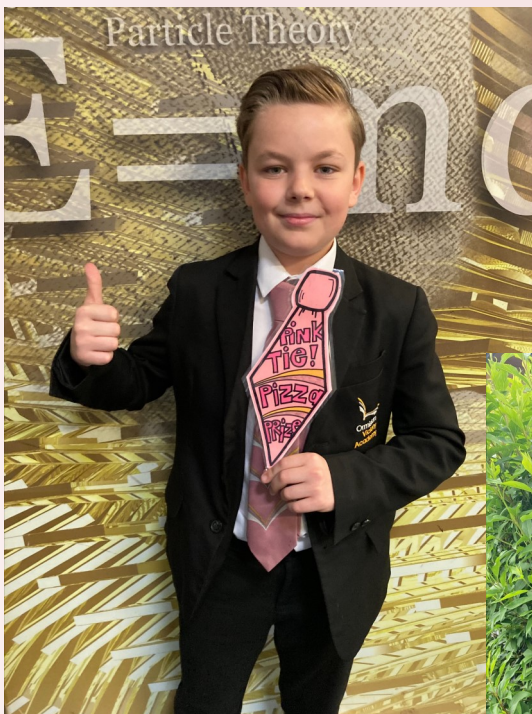






## Year 9 Pink Tie Positivity @ Victory

Congratulations to these Year 9 Pink Tie Positivity winners: Jake, for coping so well on crutches; Charley, for consistently being awesome. Harrison and Archie, for a huge improvement with their Class Charts wheel; and Fahad, for a smooth and calm transition into Year 9 at Victory.







## Year 9 Pink Tie Positivity @ Victory

Congratulations to these totally awesome Year 9 Pink Tie positivity winners: Emily, for having a wonderful moral compass and sticking to it; Alan, for being incredibly polite; Ollie, for a wonderfully calm and strong start to Victory; George, for an amazing piece of Photography work; and Mia, for her enthusiasm and participation in the UEA Future Forward session.

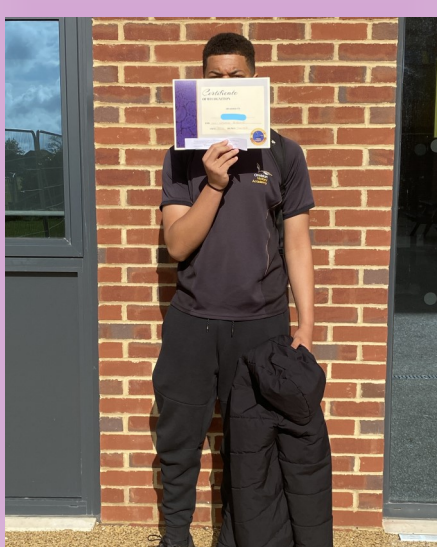
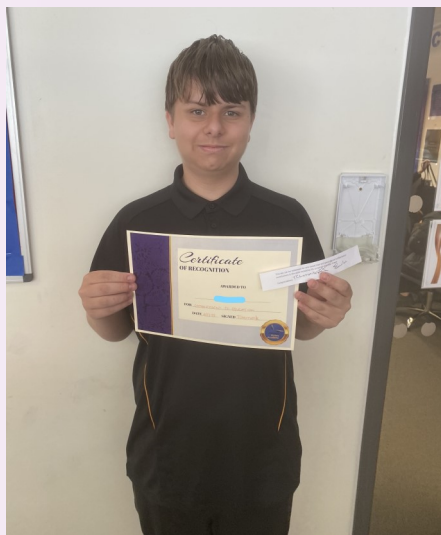






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## Enrichment @ Victory



Our U13 cricketers really enjoyed their day out at Langley.

Such a lovely weather for Cricket Club with Mr Tyne!



Introducing the cast of Chitty.... Flying into Victory in December '23







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Our Year 8 students had a lovely afternoon at Sprowston for the Caged Cricket.



Our super 7s! Their first ever competitive match and they smashed it with a win over Framingham Earl. Well done to both teams for excellent play. POTM was Olivia!

The awesome 8s! All their tactical planning paid off with a win against Framingham Earl. Super sportsmanship from both teams. POTM was Annie!



Our wonderful Year 9s - we are so proud of how they played against Taverham!



# THE OVA COMMUNITY LIBRARY

Borrow, Take, Replace

We are setting up a community library at OVA for our students and their siblings. We would greatly appreciate donations of any unwanted children's books.

Please leave book donations in the box at reception or give them directly to Miss Church in Art. Thank you.

## Appeal for tubs, for our catering students

If you have anything similar to the ones in the images, big enough to fit 6 cupcakes in, that you no longer require and would be happy to donate to the academy, please get in touch. Our wonderful catering students would really appreciate your support, if you are able to help them out.

Thank you.







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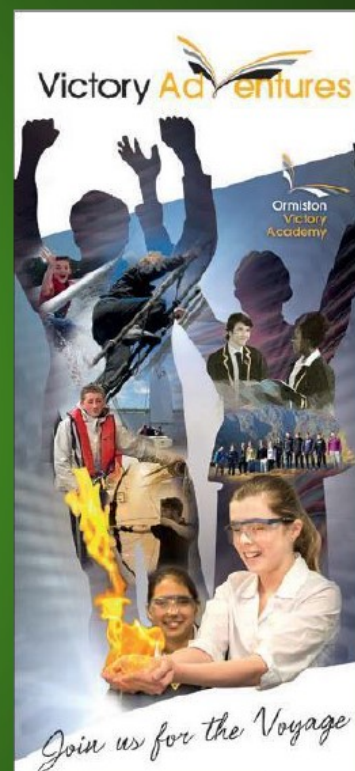
### MONDAY

CLUB		STAFF	VENUE	TIME
Badminton		LBU	Sports Hall	8:00-8:25
Singing Practise		TSH	Music 1	10:55-11:15
SEN Lunch Club		LTAs	Luke Day	12:05-12:35
PL Kicks Football Club		NCFC	Field	2:45-3:45
Badminton Week 2		MDU	Sports Hall	2:45-3:45
Tennis Week 2		KWE	Tennis Courts	2:45-3:45
Homework Club		JCO	Library	2:45-3:30
KS3 Art Club		AWI	Art 4	2:45-3:45
KS3 Book Club Week 1		CRE	Plat 4	2:45-3:45
Lyrical (competition team only)		HCU	Main Hall	2:45-3:45
Commercial (competition team only)		HCU	Main Hall	3:45-4:45
Boys Dance		TSH	Dance Studio	3:45-4:45
Musical Theatre (dancing and singing)		ZBR/CCO	Main Hall	4:45-6:00



### TUESDAY

CLUB		STAFF	VENUE	TIME
Multi-Gym Club		KWE	Multi-Gym	8:00-8:25
Singing Practise		TSH	Music 1	10:55-11:15
SEN Lunch Club		LTAs	Luke Day	12:05-12:35
Year 10 Btec Support		KZE	ICT	2:45-3:45
Rounders Club		LBU	Field	2:45-3:45
KS4 Photography Club		FCA	Art 1	2:45-3:45
Homework Club		JCO	Library	2:45-3:30
Beauty Club		KBO	Beauty 1	2:45-3:45
Yr7-10 Maths H/W Club		NTA	Jub 7	2:45-3:45
Maths Homework Club		Dr Sh	Jub 6	12:05-12:35
Scrabble Club Week 2 KS4		AGL	Plat 1	Lunch B
KS4 Book Club Week 2		TNA	Plat 10	Lunch B



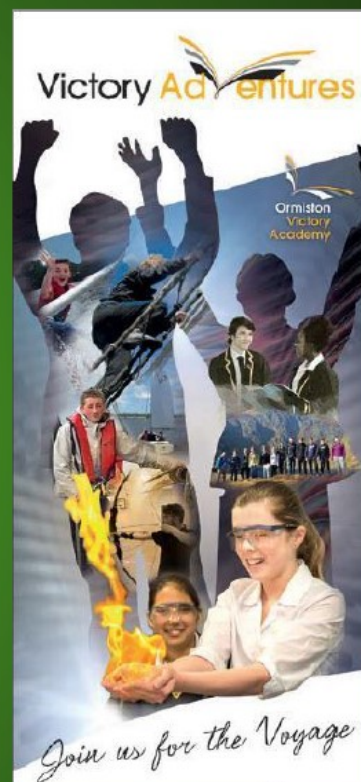




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### TUESDAY ... CONTINUED

CLUB		STAFF	VENUE	TIME
KS4 Chess Club		OJA	Traf 1	Lunch B
Keyboard Club (Y7-9)		TSH	Music Room 1	12:15 - 12:45
Drum Club (beginners/improvers)		AHA	Drum Room	2.45 - 3.30
Guitar Club (beginners/improvers)		ADE	Music Room 2	2.45 - 3.15
Ballet		TSH	Main Hall	2.45 - 3.30
Facade Singers		TSH	Music 1	3.45 - 4:15
Tap		TSH	Main Hall	3:30-4:15



### WEDNESDAY

CLUB		STAFF	VENUE	TIME
Cricket Club		ATY	Sports Hall	8:00-8:25
Singing Practise		TSH	Music 1	10:55-11:15
Cricket Club		ATY	Sports Hall	2:45-3:45
SEN Lunch Club		LTAs	Luke Day	12:05-12:35
Athletics		OWI/RTI	Field	2:45-3:45
YR 7 & 8 Science		MFO	Sci 6	2:50-3:45
Sci-Art Club - Week 1		Art	Art 1	2:45-3:45
Homework Club		JCO	Library	2:45-3:30
MFL Spelling Bee		EBO	Plat 8	2:45-3:30
Scrabble Week 2 KS3		AGL	Plat 1	Lunch A
Hiphop (competition team only)		ZBR	Dance Studio	3:30-5:00
PE SEN Sensory (invite)		DWH	PE Sensory	2:45-3:45







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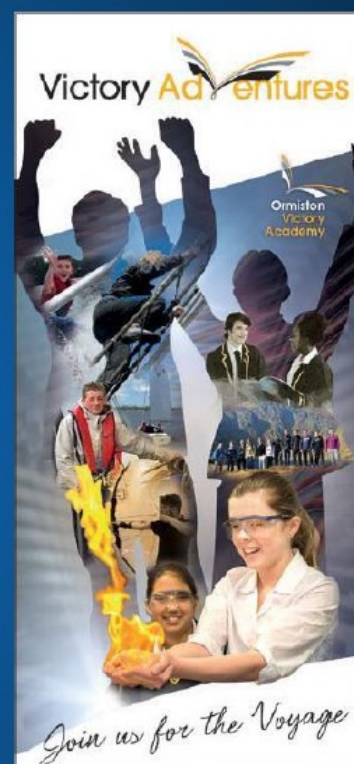
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CLUB		STAFF	VENUE	TIME
Badminton		MDU	Sports Hall	8:00-8:25
Singing Practise		TSH	Music 1	10:55-11:15
SEN Lunch Club		LTAs	Luke Day	12:05-12:35
KS4 Fashion Club		FCA	Art 3	2:45-3:45
Golf Club Week 1		KWE	Bawburgh	2:45-4:15
Rounders Club Week 1		MDU	Field	2:45-3:45
Homework Club		JCO	Library	2:45-3:30
Maths GEMS Club		OFR	Jub	2:45-3:45
Greenpower Kit Car Club Wk2		DGR	DT	2:45-4:00



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CLUB		STAFF	VENUE	TIME
Drama Club		LDA	Drama Studio	2:45-3:45
PE SEN Sensory (invite) Week 1		DWH	PE Sensory	2:45-3:45
KS4 Creative Writing Week 1		CCC	Plat 9	Lunch B
KS3 Chess Club		OJA	Traf 1	Lunch A
Creative Writing Week 2		GTO	Plat 5	2:45-3:45
Geography Club		JCR	Teach 7	2:45-3:45
Recorder Club		TSH	Music Room 1	12:15-12:45
Violin Group Lesson		BUR	Music 2	10:45-11:45
Cello Group Lesson		PER	SEMINAR 3	10:45-11:45
String Group Lesson		BUR/PER	Music 1	12:20-12:50
Guitar Group Lesson		POR	Music 1	4:00-4:30







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### FRIDAY

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Multi-gym		KZE	Multi-gym	8:00-8:25
Singing Practise		TSH	Music 1	10:55-11:15
SEN Lunch Club		LTAs	Luke Day	12:05-12:35
Homework Club		JCO	Library	2:45-3:30
Year 11 PE		OWI/MDU	Sports Hall	2:45-3:45
Sixth Form Multi-Sports		RTI	Sports Hall	2:45-3:45
Gardening Club		JRO	Garden	2:45-3:45
Warhammer Yr 11		LDA	Jub 8	2:45-3:45
Yr7-9 Singing Club		TSH	Music 1	Lunch A
SEN Boxing		DCO	External	13:30-3:30
Greenpower Kit Car Club		DGR	DT	2:45-4:00
Cheer		ZBR	Dance Studio	3:00-4:30







# ASK FOR HENRY

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