

Fortnightly Newsletter for Students & Families



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Dear Parents and Carers,

On the final day of this half term, it's lovely to send you our latest newsletter.

We've had another busy fortnight with some wonderful highlights.

Thank you to all parents and carers who attended our most recent Parents' Forum - we should be able to provide covered storage for bags in PE after the break.

We've had some great events for Chinese New Year with dumpling making; red envelope rewards and trying some bubble tea!

We've also been able to welcome our older friends from local care homes to a Valentine's Day event - I'm so grateful to the staff and students who gave their time to ensure there was music, chat, food and laughter.

I was lucky to attend the launch of the Norwich Science Festival last night and it was great to receive such lovely feedback about our satellite event in January - we hope to be able to do it all again in 2025, but in the meantime there are some great free events for young people in the city over this half term break.

Next half term is a short one - with not quite 5 weeks until a very early Easter! We will be breaking up for Easter on Thursday 28th March.

Thank you for your support - and I hope you enjoy some lovely family time over the coming week.

Naomi Palmer - Principal



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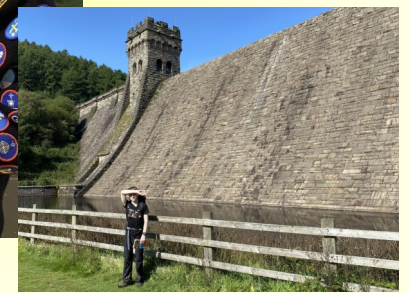
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Student News @ Victory

“Local boy raises £530 for Costessey Scout group and Alzheimer’s Research”
We could not be more proud of Jack and his incredible work!

[Please click here to read the full article](#)



Such fabulous printing work happening from Year 7, in Creative Studies!

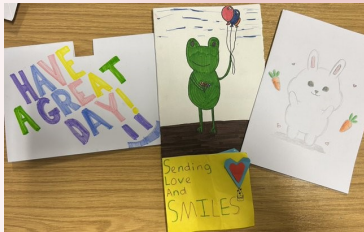




Student News @ Victory



Congratulations to Lola who represented Victory and Norfolk in the Anglian Schools Cross Country Championships in Lincolnshire, finishing an impressive 23 / 60! We are so proud of you.



A selection of the spectacularly kind students who wrote to our friends as part of our Friend in Deed link.

These amazing Year 9 etchings make us smile; such beautiful work!

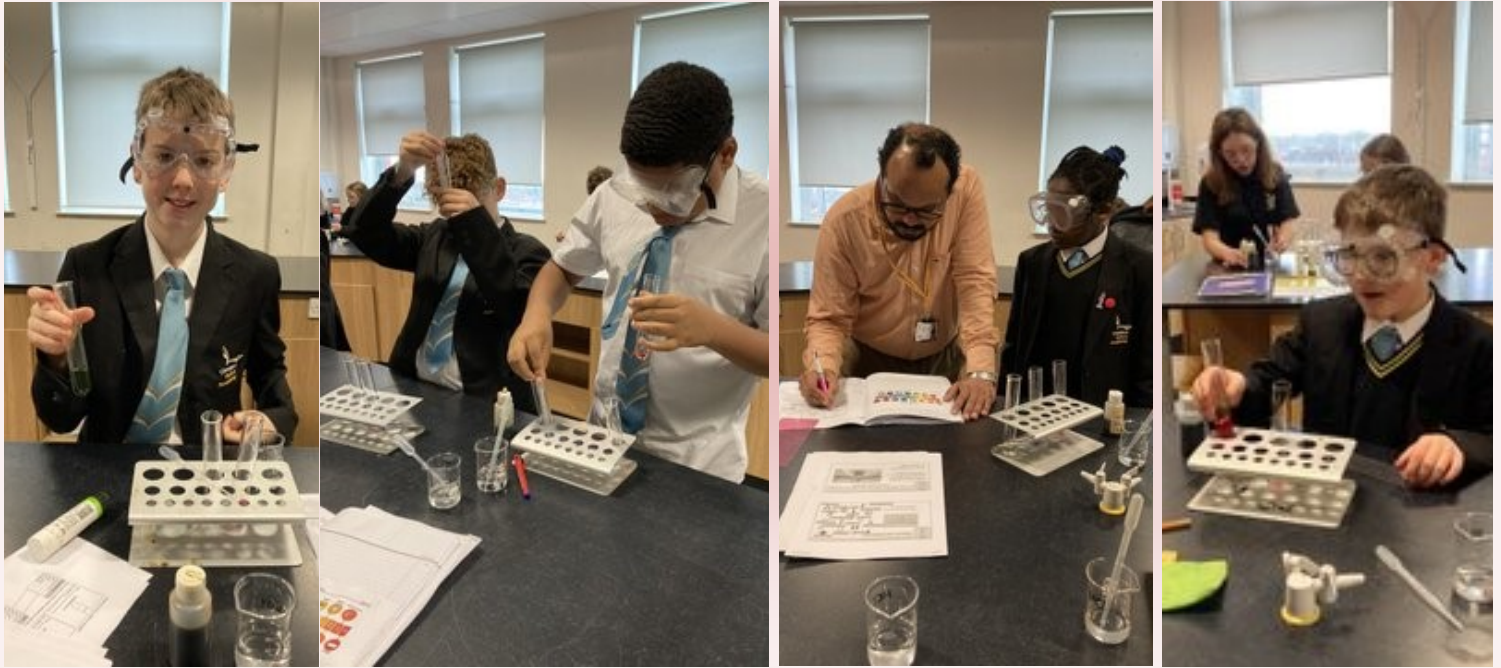


Victorian villain speed dating in English for Year 9! They made brilliant characters using their knowledge of the Victorian era and the ghastly crimes committed.



Student News @ Victory

Great science work with Year 7, exploring neutralisation.



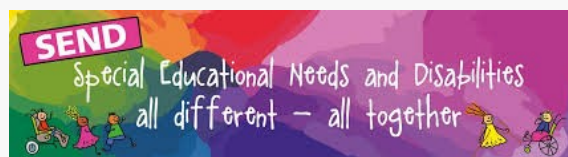
SEND
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Tuesday 5th March 2024

4-5pm

Join us for refreshments - ask questions, discuss worries or find out more about supporting our students with SEND together...





Options Evening @ Victory

Thank you so much to everyone who came along to Year 9 Options Evening - it was great to see you all!





Chinese New Year @ Victory

We kicked off our Chinese New Year celebrations with a delightful dumpling making session last week! Year 9 and Year 11 Mandarin students, along with our Mandarin/Cantonese-speaking students, teamed up to create delicious dumplings while exchanging cultural stories. It was a heart-warming event filled with laughter and friendship, setting the perfect tone for the Year of the Dragon CNY ahead!





Chinese New Year @ Victory

Our Year 7 students have beautifully intertwined calligraphy and tradition in their Mandarin lesson, crafting Fai Chun (揮春) that radiates joy and positivity as we welcome the Year of the Dragon! Each stroke carries wishes of luck, beauty, and love, embodying the essence of prosperity and happiness. We're incredibly proud of their enthusiasm and skill in embracing this cherished Chinese New Year tradition. Let's continue spreading joy and positivity as we celebrate the festive season together!





Chinese New Year @ Victory



Staff enrichment: our great team of wonderful folks deserve some fun too!
Thanks to Miss Lin for a great dumpling and bubble tea event!





Year 7 Fantastic Fist Bump Winners @ Victory

Congratulations to these Year 7 'Fantastic Fist Bump' reward winners.
Well done Jonath, Toni, Charlotte, Charlotte and Lily!





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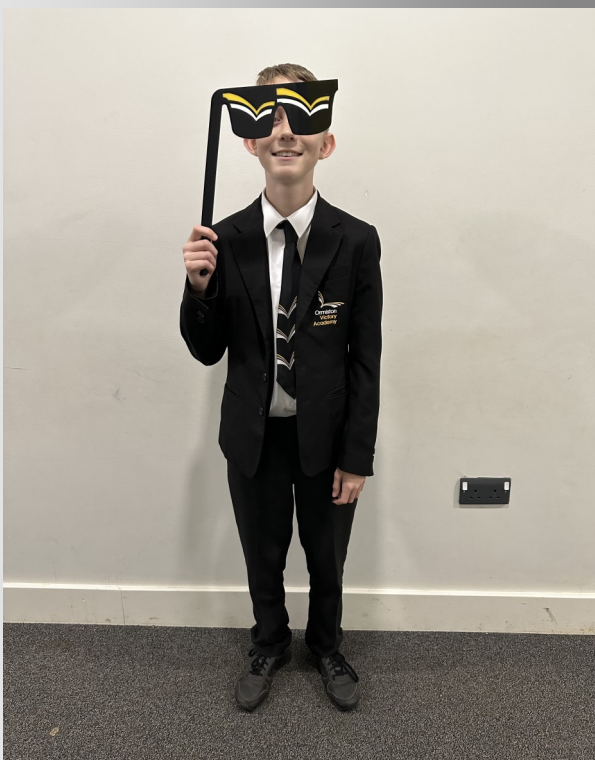
Congratulations to these Year 7 'Fantastic Fist Bump' reward winners. Well done Freddie, for being an all round pleasure to have in the classroom and in Year 7; and Isla, Yasmine; Sophia; and Kate, for being kind and thoughtful!





Year 9 Awesome Achievement @ Victory

Congratulations to these outstanding Year 9 Awesome Achievement Award winners: Aiden, for always working hard and being polite; Ioan, for following instructions and being polite; Phoebe, for lots of visas last week and working hard; and Jude-Damon, for having a fantastic, settled start to Year 9!





Year 10 Pink Tie Positivity @ Victory

Congratulations to these Year 10 Pink Tie Positivity winners:
Jasmine, for constant pro-activity in Science - asking for extra work and test papers for topics she needs to work on; Kacie, for her fantastic attitude to learning, including brilliant piano efforts; Preston, for being the top Year 10 student with VISA earnings this week; Daisy, for wonderful participation in Cheerleading - always willing to help with the younger students, and Miss Bradshaw; and Lexi, for being wonderful all round, putting in the effort in all lessons.





Year 10 Pink Tie Positivity @ Victory

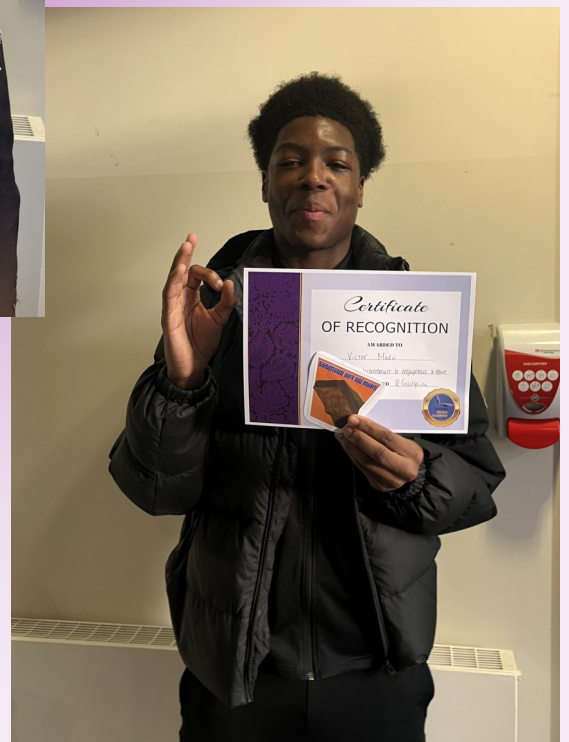
Congratulations to these Year 10 Pink Tie Positivity winners: Corey for such a positive half-term, full of praise all round; Taya for consistently being super polite and respectful to literally everyone; Kimberly for a wonderfully settled half-term, great effort and attitude to learning; Ava for having an awesome sense of humour, bringing joy to the Year Team; and Ella for smashing the Visas and having such a hard-working mindset.





Year 11 Sweet Treat Winners @ Victory

Congratulations to these Year 11 Sweet Treat winners:
Chelsea, for an amazing effort in revision; Victor, for a massive improvement in effort and engagement; Kezia, for always working hard and being respectful;
Phoebe, for maturity and strength of character; and Jake, for hard work in lessons.





Year 11 Sweet Treat Winners @ Victory

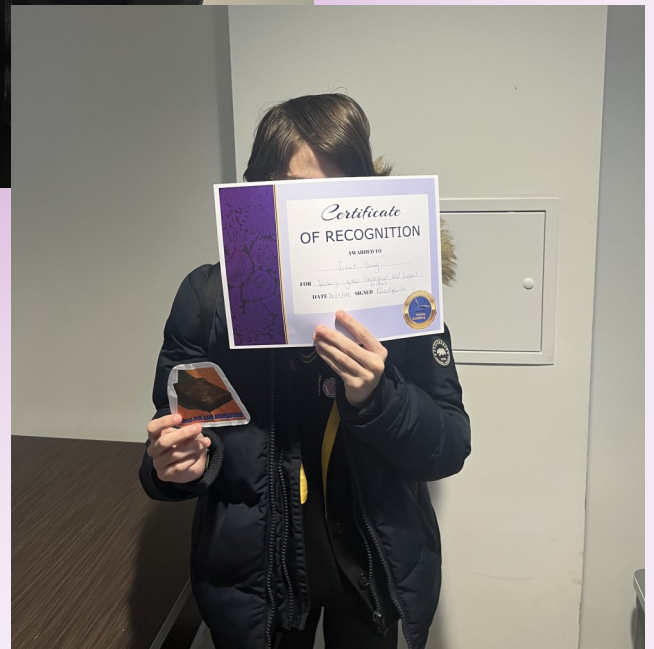
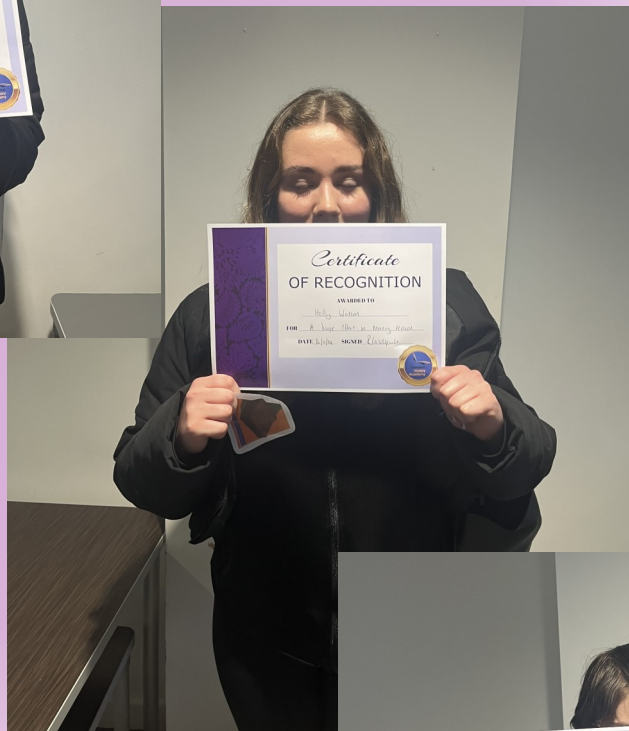
Congratulations to these Year 11 Sweet Treat winners: Noah for an excellent focus in revision; Maisy for having no negatives this year; Ted for kindness of character and compassion to others; Max for kindness of character; and Holly for excellent attitude towards learning!





Year 11 Sweet Treat Winners @ Victory

Congratulations to these Year 11 Sweet Treat winners:
Khiya and Holly for commitment to early morning revision; Oliver for demonstrating a good effort during mocks and staying calm; Scout for compassion towards a friend; and Kezia for consistent hard work and effort!





Enrichment @ Victory

It was 2/2 for our amazing Year 7 and 8 basketball team against JAC!
A real credit to themselves.



Well done to our fabulous Tanya in Year 10 who got player of the match in netball against Taverham!

Our Year 7 boys had an amazing football tournament at the Norwich City FC Colney Training Centre.



Lovely to see these wonderful footballers get tickets for the NCFC match for being amazing during PL Kicks recently - thank you to Norwich City Community Sports Foundation!



Enrichment @ Victory

Our Year 7 snow tubers had a great day at Norfolk Snowsports Club. So much fun had by all!





Enrichment @ Victory

Well done to the Victory Stars of the Month in PE.
You have been amazing - keep up the great work!



RA Royal Academy of Arts



Now in its sixth year, the Young Artists' Summer Show is a free, open submission exhibition for students aged 4-19 studying in the UK. Artworks are judged by a panel of artists and arts professionals, with selected artworks displayed online and on-site at the Royal Academy of Arts

If you're 12 or under, a teacher or parent/guardian will need to enter for you; if you're 13 or over you can submit artwork yourself.

Each student can submit one artwork and there is no theme. When you enter, we'll ask for an image of your artwork plus some information about the piece such as title, size, and a little text about the artwork and why you made it. Your artwork will be seen by our panel of judges and the selected pieces will be shown in our online exhibition. Some of the artworks will also be shown at the Royal Academy of Arts.

The artwork can be made using any material; it can be a painting, sculpture, photograph, installation, video, drawing, or a combination. There is no theme so artworks can be of any subject and we don't mind when you made the artwork as long as you are between 4-19 years old when you submit it. We also welcome collaborative pieces made by more than one student, a whole class, a whole year group or even a whole school! If you're submitting as or for a student at GCSE, A Level or BTEC level, we suggest submitting artwork that is not being assessed for exams.

Registration and submission is open until 27 March 2024

<https://youngartists.royalacademy.org.uk/>

Recycled Character Design Challenge



Create a 3D character design using recycled materials. Your character should be full of personality.

You can use any materials such as old bottle caps, unwanted paint brushes or even broken clothes pegs. If you are struggling to source materials talk to an Art Teacher to help you.

Make sure you have permission from a grown up to use the materials you have sourced and ask for help if you need it to put your character together.

Photograph or bring in your character to show Mrs Richards in Art 1 by 27/03/2024.

You will receive an Anchor Point and 10 Visas for taking part.



Enrichment @ Victory

MONDAY

CLUB	STAFF	VENUE	TIME
Badminton	LBU	Sports Hall	8:00-8:20
SCALE Club Week 1	AWI	Teach 10	11:00-11:20
Yr 7&8 Chess Club	OJA	Jub 8	12:25-12:55
Netball	KZE	Sports Hall	3:00-4:00
PE Sensory (Invite)	DWH	PE Sensory Room	3:00-4:00
Homework Club	JCO	Library	3:00-3:30
Dance Club (starting week commencing 8th January)	KMC/CSM	Main Hall	3:00-4:00
Eco Club	MSH/LTS	DT2	3:00-4:00
G-GOATS (Geography) Club Starts 18/09	CCR	Teach 8	3:00-4:00
Boxing Club	LWA	Studio	3:00-4:00
Eco Club	LTU/MSH	DT1	3:00-4:00



TUESDAY

CLUB	STAFF	VENUE	TIME
PE Sensory	KWE	PE Sensory Room	8:00-8:20
Volleyball	ECH	Sports Hall	8:00-8:20
Cakes & Bakes (Waiting List)	JDE	Cat 1	3:00-4:45
Basketball Club	ECH	Sports Hall	3:00-4:00
Multi-Gym	KWE	New Multi-Gym	3:00-4:00
Gardening Club	MSM	Allotment	3:00-4:00
Yr7-10 Maths H/W Club	NTA	Jub 7	3:00-4:00
Homework Club	JCO	Library	3:00-3:30
Warhammer Club	TKI	Jubilee 2	3:00-4:00
Maths Homework Club	NTA	Jubilee 7	3:00-4:00
Lyrical Competition Team (Invite only)	ECK	Main Hall	3:00-4:00





Enrichment @ Victory

WEDNESDAY

CLUB		STAFF	VENUE	TIME
Badminton Club		ATY	Sports Hall	8:00-8:20
KS4-KS5 Pride Club Week 2		AWI	Drama Studio	Lunch B
Badminton Club		LBU/MDU	Sports Hall	3:00-4:00
Multi-Gym		OWI	New Multi-Gym	3:00-4:00
PE SENSORY (Invite)		DWH	PE Sensory Room	3:00-4:00
Art Club		FRI/MPA	Art 1	3:00-4:00
Homework Club		JCO	Library	3:00-3:30
Greenpower Kit Car		DGR	DT1	3:00-4:00
Scrabble Week 2 KS3		AGL	Plat 1	Lunch A
Dungeons & Dragons		AFA	Teach 2	3:00-4:00



THURSDAY

CLUB		STAFF	VENUE	TIME
Badminton		KZE	Sports Hall	8:00-8:20
Yr7&8 Business Club		MPR	Meeting Room	12.25-12.55 (Lunch A)
Fashion Club		ACH	Plat Art 3	3:00-4:00
PL Kicks Football		NCFC	Field	3:00-4:00
Yr7 Girls Football (Invite)		KWE	Colney	3:00-5:00
Homework Club		JCO	Library	3:00-3:30
History Club		DTH	Teach 4	3:00-4:00
KS4 Photography Club		FRI	Art 1	3:00-4:00
HipHop (Invite only)		ZBR	Main Hall	3.45-4.45
Commercial (Invite only)		ECK/MWA	Main Hall	4.45-5.45
Mr Foster's Fishing Club Week 1		MFO	Sci 6	3:00-4:00
Mr Foster's Science Club Week 2		MFO	Sci 6	3:00-4:00
Maths Games Club		ECO	SEN3	12.25-12.55 (Lunch A)
SEN Boxing		DCO	External	13:30-3:30
Year 12 'Learn to Cook' Club		DJE	Plat Catering	3:00-4:00





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FRIDAY

CLUB	STAFF	VENUE	TIME
Multi-gym	MDU	Multi-gym	8:00-8:20
MFL Spelling Bee	EBA	Plat 8	Lunch A
KS3 Pride Club Week 1	AWI	Drama Studio	Lunch A
Homework Club	JCO	Library	3:00-3:30
Sixth Form Multi-Sports	RTI	Sports Hall	3:00-4:00
Cheer Competition Team (Invite Only provisional)	ZBR	Sports Hall	3:00-4:30
Junior Dance Group (Year 7-8 open)	ECK	Main Hall	3.00-4.00
Dungeons & Dragons	RAR	ICT 2	Lunch B
Senior Dance Group (Year 9-11)	MWA	Drama Studio	3.00-4.00



FRIDAY - YEAR 11

CLUB	STAFF	VENUE	TIME
Year 11 Study Session	JCO	VIP	4:00-5:00
Recreational Sports	RTO	Sports Hall	3:00-4:00
Multi-Gym	OWI	Dance Studio	3:00-4:00
Card & Board Games	ACR	VIP	3:00-4:00
Dance	MWA	Drama 2	3:00-4:00
Running	RCO	Sports Hall	3:00-4:00
Make-up	SAD	Beauty 2	3:00-4:00
Beauty	TWO	Beauty 1	3:00-4:00
Photography	FCA	Photo Room Plat	3:00-4:00
Pool in 6th Form	DBA/PHA	Traf Common Room	3:00-4:00





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Y11 PROM SHOP



Any donations of Dresses, Suits, Shoes and Accessories will be greatly appreciated!

For the last few years we have had a huge amount of donations of dresses and suits in loads of different sizes and styles and the students LOVED them, this year we need even more to fill the shop back up!

We desperately need more suits in all sizes but especially need some in taller sizes!



Dresses of all sizes but we really want more colour and style variety



We really need shoes both boys & girls



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if you are able to support!



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- ensuring all candidates have an equal opportunity to demonstrate their abilities
- ensuring the security of the examination before, during and after the examination
- preventing possible candidate malpractice
- preventing possible administrative failures
- liaising with the examination officer and senior invigilator

The post would be ideally suited to applicants who feel a sense of responsibility for today's young people and who are able to work flexible daytime hours mainly, but not exclusively, between 8.30am and 4.00pm.

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