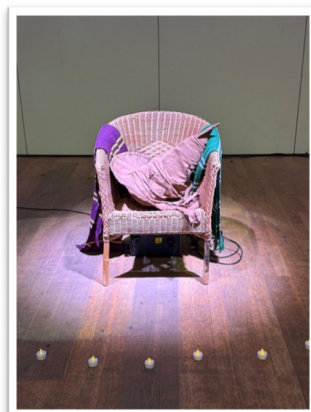


Fortnightly Newsletter for Students & Families



Dear Parents and Carers,

We have had a busy fortnight at Victory - thank you to those of you who attended our annual Open Evening. We had the highest number of families ever to attend- I hope you enjoyed meeting everyone and getting the chance to sample the food on offer.



Today we enjoyed the Sorting Hat assembly with Year 7 which helps us to decide which college they will be in as a form group. I think they really enjoyed the special effects and watching their tutors being placed in Courage, Enterprise, Endeavour and Discovery.

It's just two weeks until half-term so we are encouraging all students to keep their standards high, work hard and maintain their good manners.

Please could you:

- Not drive into the school grounds to drop off and pick up your child unless it is after 3:15pm - the congestion is causing issues for all of us
- Not send in children with glass bottles - our cleaning team have had some near-accidents with broken glass which has been put in the bins
- Ensure your child is not wearing hoop earrings of any kind for school - they are not part of our uniform policy

Have a lovely weekend - and thank you for your support, as ever.

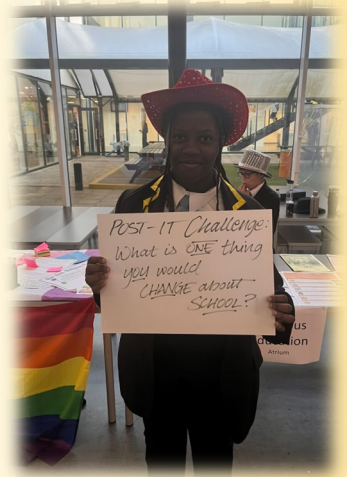
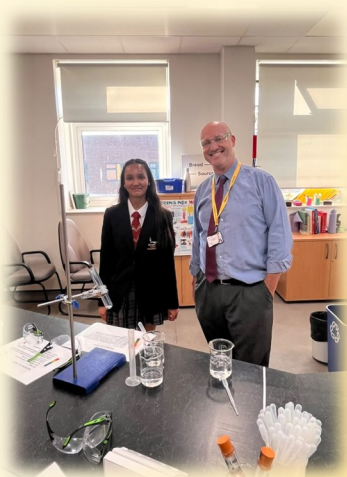
Naomi Palmer, Principal





Year 6 Open Evening @ Victory

Thank you to everyone involved in our biggest Year 6 Open Evening ever!

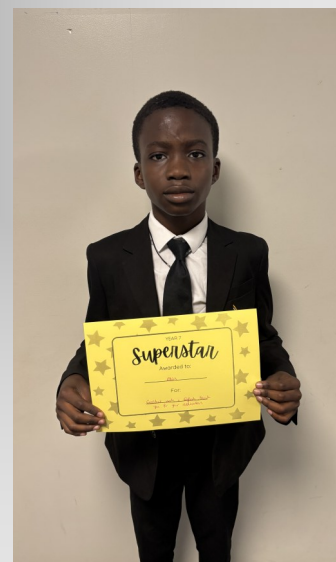




Year 7 Superstars @ Victory

Congratulations to these Year 7 Superstars:

Makayla for always being polite and respectful and working hard during PSHE lessons; Lilly for always being polite and prepared for the day; Kelsie for sharing insightful ideas during PSHE lessons; Samuel for kindly helping out a new student without prompt and always being polite; Asher for being wonderfully polite and eager to contribute in PSHE and form discussions; Isla for amazing effort and participation in English lessons; Matthew for the most time spent attempting Seneca work; Alvin for excellent work in English; Benjamin for always being on time, with the correct uniform, always being polite and working hard; and Summer for great work during science lessons!

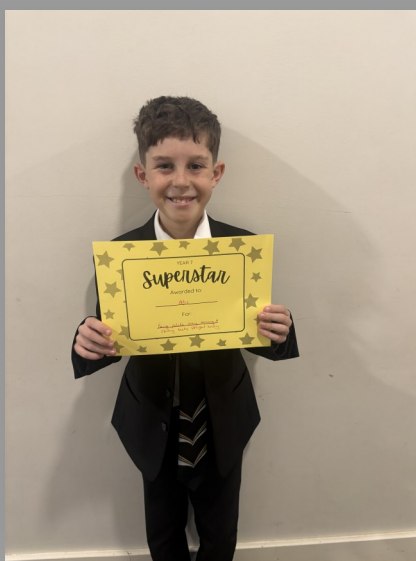




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Sienna who is ready every day, with the correct equipment and is a presence in Form; Bobby who is always ready to help and support any member of his Form and works hard in lessons; Isabella for excellent answers in PSHE; Faith who volunteered in Form and put on an excellent show; Masha for fantastic behaviour during the fire drill and for always being so polite and kind; Herring and Loombe for the most Visas; Billy for fantastic contributions in form time and PSHE and brilliant explanations of answers; Frankie for an amazing first music lesson, being able to speak confidently and eloquently about topics covered; Alfie for being polite and starting tasks straight away; Tyler for showing that he is ready by following instructions and being engaged in activities; Elijah for being polite and friendly in PE; Davina for amazing contributions in her German class; Derin for excellent gym routine sessions and coaching others; Jess for excellent focus and engagement throughout RE lessons and consistently looking to challenge themselves!





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Mataio for being so polite and positive all the time and being an amazing resilient young man; Maddison for creating her very own flashcards to help her revise Spanish vocab; Jovann for amazing work, effort and attitude in Science; Wylie for such a positive attitude; Darcie for an excellent start to German and producing wonderful work; Ryan for going above and beyond helping out another student at boxing; Marcie for excellent focus in English; Faith for superb effort throughout Maths lessons; Brody for excellent contributions towards the languages quiz; and Charlie for really awesome work in Maths and explaining methods to another student!





Year 8 Pink Tie Positivity @ Victory

Congratulations to these Year 8 Pink Tie Positivity winners:
George and Moesha for a perfect at Victory; Jaylaræ for showing strength and resilience; Belle for being super settled and smiley; and Anya for doing the right and mature thing, during a tricky situation.





Year 8 Pink Tie Positivity @ Victory

Congratulations to these Year 8 Pink Tie Positivity winners:
Rwot-Lai for a vast improvement; Olysia for having strong values and kindness;
Lorena for finding a level of calm and collection this year; Jesse for effortlessly slotting
into life here at Victory; and Kira for having a real sense of doing the right thing,
and looking out for friends!



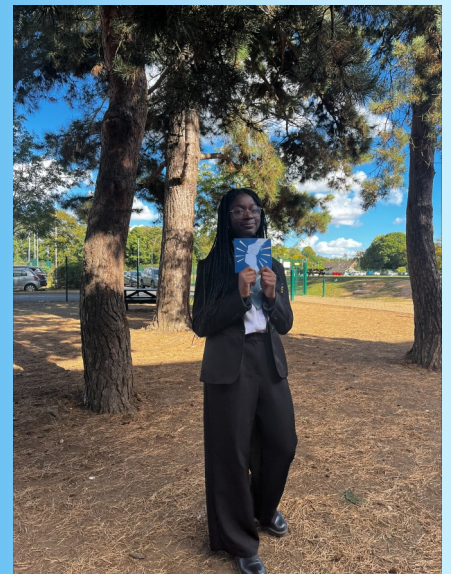


Year 10 Fist Bumps @ Victory



Well done to
Michelle, Tudor, Faith,
Skye, Sophia,
Irene and Caitlin.

Our awesome Fist
Bump winners!





Year 10 Fist Bumps @ Victory

Well done Orla, Emily, Tyler, Lexi and Rita, our awesome Fist Bump winners!





Year 11 Red High Performance @ Victory

Well done to our Team Red High Performance award winners:
 Zakk for doing amazingly well in Engineering;
 Bethany and Susanne for working together to make flash cards in Form;
 and Thai for an amazing start to Year 11!



Enrichment @ Victory

Well done to our Year 7 and 8 girls, who played in a football smash up last week!





Victory Facade
present

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Music by
ALAN MENKEN

Lyrics by
GLENN SLATER

Book by
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& BILL STEINKELLNER**

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Enrichment @ Victory

Our Year 9 Paddleboarders, enjoying Whitlingham Lake!



Amazing football played by our Year 9 and 10 teams at a 5-a-side smash up!
POTM was awarded to Eden.





Enrichment @ Victory

We could not be more proud to take two Year 10 netball teams to the Norwich tournament last week—they were all absolutely amazing.

POTM awarded to Skye, Sophia and Irene!

We're delighted to have over 55 girls attending our netball club each week. It's wonderful to see so many girls getting involved, developing their skills, and enjoying netball



Well done to our Year 7 boys football team for winning their first match in the County Cup! On to the next round...





Enrichment @ Victory

A great football match was played by our Year 8 boys at Sprowston last week.
POTM was awarded to Jesse!



Our Year 9 boys community team in action at Hellesdon.
POTM was awarded to Karthi!

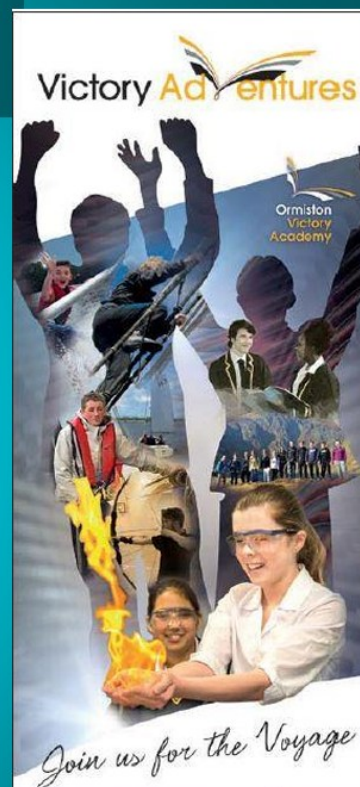




Enrichment Clubs @ Victory

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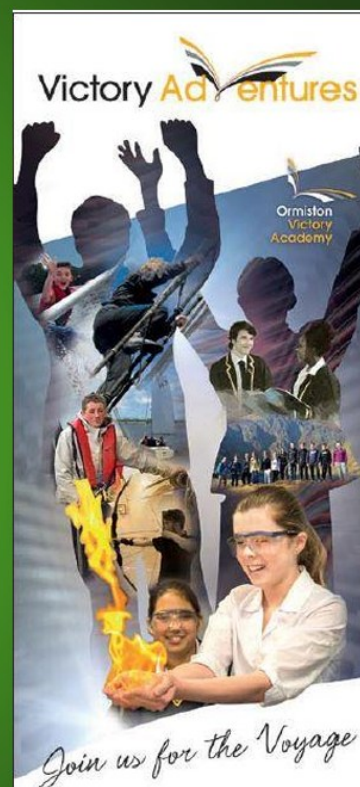
CLUB		STAFF	VENUE	TIME
Basketball		RTI	Plat	08:00-08:20
Daily Music Lessons (Pre-booked)		TSH	Various	Various
Basketball		ECH	Sports Hall	3:00-4:00
Art Club		MPA	Art 1	3:00-4:00
Bugle Newspaper Club Week 1		GTO	Library	3:00-4:00
KS3 Creative Writing Club		AGL	Plat 1	3:00-4:00
VCA Cheerleading (team only*)		ZBR	Sports Hall	3.30-5.30



*Information about a second round of tryouts will come out soon, if you are interested in trying out for this season

TUESDAY

CLUB		STAFF	VENUE	TIME
Basketball		ATY	Sports hall	08:00-08:20
Snack & Study		CRE	Library	3:00-3:45
Daily Music Lessons (Pre-booked)		TSH	Various	Various
UKMT Club		TKI	Jubilee 2	3:00-4:00
Netball		KWE	Netball Courts	3:00-4:00
Maths Homework & Games Club		NKN	Jubilee 7	3:00-4:00
Badminton		KZE	Sports Hall	3:00-4:00
Science Club (Starts 22/09)		TLE	Science 8	3:00-4:00





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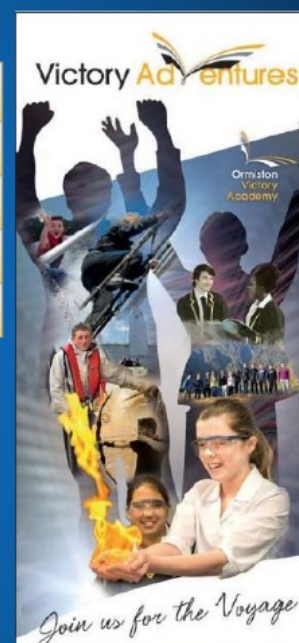
WEDNESDAY

CLUB		STAFF	VENUE	TIME
Basketball		KZE	Sports Hall	08:00-08:20
KS4-KS5 Pride Club Week 2		AWI	Drama Studio	Lunch B
Football		ATY	Field	3:00-4:00
Daily Music Lessons (Pre-booked)		TSH	Various	Various
Eco collective + Gardening Club		MSM/ LTU	Allotment + DT2	3:00-4:00
Warhammer Maths Club		TKI	Jub 2	3:00-4:00
History Club		DCO	Teach 3	3:00-4:00
Chess Club		OJA	Jubilee 8	3:00 – 4:00
Dungeons & Dragons		AWI	Teach 10	3:00-4:00



THURSDAY

CLUB		STAFF	VENUE	TIME
Basketball		LBU	Sports Hall	08:00-08:20
Daily Music Lessons (Pre-booked)		TSH	Various	Various
Maths Games Club		ECO	SEN3	Lunch A
SEN Boxing		TCH	External	13:30-3:30





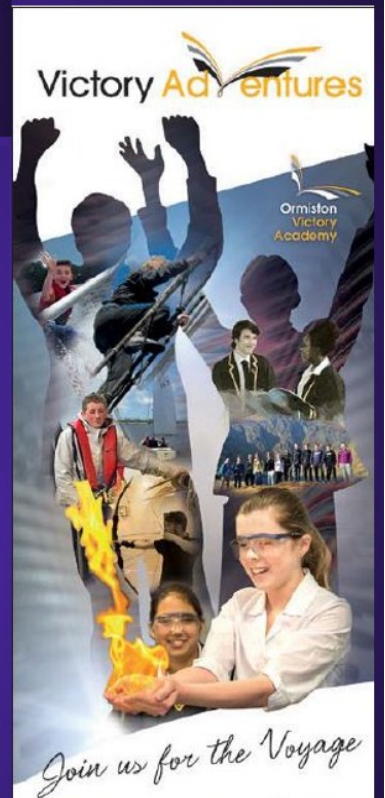
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FRIDAY

CLUB	STAFF	VENUE	TIME
Basketball	ECH	Sports Hall	08:00-08:20
Daily Music Lessons (Pre-booked)	TSH	Various	Various
Year 11/6 th Form Multi Sports	OWI	Sports Hall	3:00-4:00
Greenpower Kit Car	DGR	DT1	3:00-4:00

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VictoryAdventures@ormistonvictoryacademy.co.uk
or tweet us [@VictoryAdventur](https://twitter.com/VictoryAdventur)!





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Thursday 22 October 2026

5.00–7.00pm

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Vocational

Applied Law
Applied Science
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Christmas Song Writing Competition!

We are proud to announce our first Christmas Song Writing Competition!

The winning song will be recorded by a choir of students and members of our community and will be published on our social media pages.

To enter, you will need to write a Christmas song consisting of 2-3 verses and a catchy, repeating chorus. Your song may also include a bridge and/or an introduction.

Submissions may be lyrics only, or they may include a melody and/or musical accompaniment, which can be adapted or edited for the recording.

Lyrics should be simple and may include the following themes:

- Being with friends and family
- What Christmas means to you
- Our (Victory) family
- Lights, candles, trees, and decorations
- Cold, warmth, and coming together

All submissions should be sent to Mr Shelbourn
t.shelbourn@ormistonvictoryacademy.co.uk

by Friday 16 October (deadline extended)!

