

THE WEEK AT



FRIDAY 27TH JUNE 2025

PRINCIPAL'S UPDATE

It has been a fab week here at WOA!

A few of the top highlights are:

- Pupils in Years 7-10 have had an absolutely AMAZING week at Ingestre Hall.
- Today was week 14 of our FOMO Friday Rewards Package - over 50 pupils have prizes or vouchers because their attendance over the past week has been 100% or they have won a 'Catch them being good' reward. This afternoon we had a disco and face-painting followed by BINGO and many more pupils won prizes from Miss Moore's trolley of joy this afternoon!
- We launched our Golden Time attendance reward and a lucky Year 8 winner and 4 friends have enjoyed pizza, pop and playing the X-Box this afternoon.
- Year 9 won the most improved attendance this week and enjoyed a chocolate treat at the end of school today.

We have been busily popping in to lessons to check how well we have reset our expectations following our focus last week - well done to all pupils who have had a shout out or who have been caught being good!

On Monday morning (30th June) we are planning to reward EVERY PUPIL WHO COMES TO SCHOOL ON TIME with a chocolate treat - we are looking to a fabulously full day of attendance.

Finally, a reminder that we are planning a HUGE Attendance Rewards Disco in the Sports Hall on Friday 4th July - to qualify for an invite, all your child needs to do is continue to improve or maintain (if they are Band 1/!*) their attendance band over the next 2 weeks. We will also be announcing on Monday morning the winner of next week's Golden Time Award which will take place on Friday 4th July - there will be one winner announced who will choose 5 friends to join them for a pizza lunch and X-Box time.

ATTEND TO ACHIEVE

Our top attending tutor groups of the week are ...

Year 7- 7CDE
Year 8- 8JBi- 100%
Year 9- 9SMJ
Year 10- 10ARO

Well done to all our FOMO Friday winners taking part in the Disco, Bingo, and wheels of wonder!

Be in school to join in on the fun!

Every Friday is FOMO Friday so make sure you are in school!

Year 9 are the most improved attenders' week on week and will collect their treat during the wheel of wonder today.

#attendtoachieve

#missitmissout



HOMEWORK HIGHLIGHTS

SPARX READER

1925 hours of reading have been completed so far, with over 1654 books already read!

1	Ellie G (Ellie the Catalyst)	429 SRP
2	Harrison D (Harrison the Asset)	344 SRP
3	Peace O (Peace the Ruler)	316 SRP

SPARX MATHS

An amazing 134 students have uplevelled this week on Sparx Maths and 11677 hours of learning have been completed !

1	Sufia A (Sufia the Blessing)	3,355 XP
2	Lacey-Le (Lacey-Lei the Boss)	1,640 XP
3	Keziah A (Keziah the Matriarch)	1,370 XP

HOUSE POINT LEADERBOARD



1st place - Austen- 34920

2nd place – Bronte 34810

3rd place – Dickens 34517

4th place - Shakespeare – 31955

Well done to:

7REV, 8RTO, 9MBA, and 10HPT the top house point scorers in their year group!



RAISING ACHIEVEMENT

Well done to everyone that has attended their English and Maths interventions and started their journey to 'Make it Happen!

Year 10 - Don't forget you have English Literature assessments next week so make sure you are ready, have revised, and raring to go!

You have some more assessments over the next few weeks to prepare you for year 11.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

2nd July – Year 7 Parent's Evening

2nd & 3rd July – Induction Day new Year 7 students

17th July – Sports Day

18th July – The Ultimate FOMO Friday!

21st August - Year 11 Results Day

WE CARE – USEFUL INFORMATION

1. Only talk to people you know on line
2. Only organise to meet people in safe places
3. Walk each other home – don't stay out too late!
4. If you see anything that concerns you – don't forget to run, hide, tell!

If you have a concern during the holidays please contact:

Police – 999 (emergency) 101 (non-emergency)

NSPCC – 0808 800 5000 (Text 88858)

Sandwell Children's Services team – 0121 569 3100

For support, please contact:

ChildLine – 0800 1111

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