



Students visit Westminster Abbey in the presence of Her Majesty the Queen

Thank you to Ms Pitts and Ms Taylor for taking students to the Commonwealth Service 2020. This was an opportunity given to us by one of our Governors Nusrath Hassan and we are very grateful.



Outward Bound

A massive thank you to Mr Collis, Mr Chu, Ms Taylor, Ms McRill and Ms Bartlett for taking 50 students outward bound in Sussex at the weekend. They swam, abseiled, did lots of activities and got very muddy!! A great deal of fun and learning was had by all.



Science Week at Shoreditch

Well done to Ms Hunnisett and her team for some lovely activities taking place this week to mark Science Week and the anniversary of Stephen Hawking, our most famous British Physicist.

Students visit Oxford

On International Women's Day last Friday students visited Wadham College, Oxford University to have a tour of one of the Colleges; this trip was to inspire students and open up possibilities for them.

Year 9 Parents' Evening

It was really nice to see all of our parents on Tuesday evening. We held the evening in 'our Street' as the hall was being used for Year 11 and 13 Mocks and there was a real buzz in the air. There were lots of useful conversations around learning and teaching and progress which is so important. Well done to Mr Hatton for a successful event.

Notice Regarding Coronavirus:

We know that there is an ongoing concern about the Coronavirus. As a school we follow the guidelines from Public Health England. The Government is closely monitoring the situation and has advised that it is still safe to send your child to school. If you are going or been to one of the areas on the 19 specified countries list please contact the school immediately. Please see list of countries on this link: <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-specified-countries-and-areas/covid-19-specified-countries-and-areas-with-implications-for-returning-travellers-or-visitors-arriving-in-the-uk>. Further advice about Coronavirus can be found at <http://www.gov.uk/coronavirus>

Thank you, Mrs Ruth Holden - Executive Principal

Sixth Form

Inmarsat Talk

Stephen Gilbert from Worshipful Company of Chartered Secretaries and Administrators livery company or whom the school does much work with, was in this week. He was speaking to students about an exciting work experience placement at Inmarsat telecommunications. We are pleased to say that Fadumina Barre and Ismail Hussain have secured places at Inmarsat for a weeks work experience in July 2020.



Congratulations

A huge congratulations to Aida Tewolde in Year 13 has received an offer to study Medicine of BBC at The University of East Anglia. We are so pleased for Aida who has been putting in endless work ensuring that she was able to get through the challenging interview process to become a doctor.

Writing Club

Every Friday before school and after school, Year 13 are invited to attend the Academic Writing Club. In the club we look at essays - both planning and deconstructing the aspects of work writing students have done. There is a focus on ensuring clarity of arguments, appropriate content, normalisation and grammatical clarity. Breakfast is provided and its an excellent opportunity for students to work with teachers on improving writing. All students are welcome from 8.00am to 9:00am and 3:30pm to 4:30pm every Friday in the Sixth Form.

Governors Visit

We were very fortunate to have a visit from our own governor, Joanna Abeyie who is supporting us in English and Drama. Joanna came in to visit English lessons and spoke to Ms Higgins our Head of English and students in the Sixth Form. Joanna is an inspirational individual who founded and is Director of a multi-award-winning Executive Search and Diversity and Inclusion Consultancy and she is supporting both staff and students thinking about future careers using an English and Drama. We are looking forward to future work as Joanna will work with some of students in preparing them for university and supporting in future careers.

Ms Wallace – Head of Sixth Form

Science Week at Mulberry Academy Shoreditch

This week, we celebrated Science Week at Mulberry Academy Shoreditch. All students in Year 7 to 10 completed STEM challenges in lesson from building the tallest egg towers to strongest bridges and tomato transportation! Each Science teacher also put up information on their favourite Scientist.

On Friday we celebrated Stephen Hawkins Day which involved students taking part in the element treasure hunt around the school.

Ms O'Connor also took students out on some great STEM trips!

Ms Hunnisett

6-15 March
**British
Science
Week
2020**



Year 8 TfL Trip



As part of Science Week, a group of Year 8 were taken to TfL Acton (which is not normally open to the public) as a reward trip for their fantastic attitude to learning in Science.

The students were taken around the depot to explore old buses, trains, trams and to look at how engineering has changed and evolved within the transport systems. The students also had the opportunity to interview engineers about their career and get information for their own career paths.

We ended the day with an engineering challenge to build a track to transport an egg from one end to the other. The students really loved this challenge and made fantastic efforts with very few derailments. The engineers and staff at TfL commented on how wonderfully the students completed the tasks and how lovely, polite and engaged they were.

Ms O'Connor

Year 7 Junior Engineering Engagement Programme



On Monday, Year 7 finished their Junior Engineering Engagement Program with a final trip to Broadgate Offices in Exchange Square. The students enjoyed a tour of the building, meeting engineers and people with a range of careers in the offices and completing practical's about electricity.

The students also learned about the sustainability of the building and the efforts to make the space more green and animal friendly.

The bug hotel and bird boxes were among the students' favourite finds! The students really enjoyed the day and were a joy to take on a trip. Well done Year 7.

Ms O'Connor

Year 12 TfL Trip



On Thursday, a group of Year 12 girls went for a data insight session at TfL Greenwich. Students were given a tour of the offices, met and questioned some of the current 'on programme' apprentices and early career professionals, gained an insight into the exciting range of Technology Apprenticeships and careers at TfL and took part in a practical activity and learned to plot real TfL data using JavaScript with live data!

The students were engaged all day and said they really enjoyed talking to actual people about their careers. It gave them lots to think about for their own career paths - well done girls!

Ms O'Connor

Spanish Exchange Trip

Last week, a group of Year 9, 10 and 12 Mulberry Academy Shoreditch students travelled abroad with Ms Milton and myself to participate in our first Spanish Exchange Trip.

Our host school was Instituto Alminares, the secondary school where I studied up to Year 13, which is located in Arcos de la Frontera, a beautiful medieval town in the South of Spain (Cadiz). Our host families gave us a warm welcome upon arrival and this marked the start to a very exciting week, which included a lunch event hosted by Alminares Food Tech apprenticeship students, a visit to Arcos' Old Town area, day trips to stunning cities such as Cádiz and Seville, and water sports in Arcos' lake.

Our students had the chance to visit iconic Spanish landmarks, such as Reales Alcázares and Plaza de Espana in Seville (set for movies/TV shows such as Star Wars or Game of Thrones), Cadiz's city centre and its sunny coast. They also had the opportunity to join their exchange partners in their school lessons.

Mulberry Academy Shoreditch is excited to welcome the Alminares students in two weeks time, when they will join us over some lessons and will take part in activities around London.

Mr Calderon



WORD OF THE WEEK

Wow!

AMBITIOUS

DEFINITION

Aiming high and being determined to achieve something remarkable, but difficult.

EXAMPLE

Tonisha was an ambitious athlete. She'd set a goal to break the world record for running 200m before the ages of 25 yrs.

SYNONYMS

Motivated. Driven.

ANTONYMS

Unenthusiastic. Not bothered.

CHARACTERISTICS

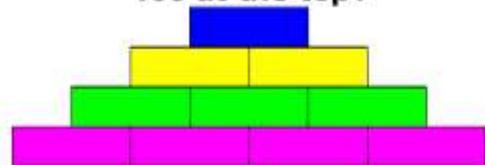
From the old French 'ambitieux'. The noun is 'ambition'.

Maths Quiz

Can you work out what number will be at the top of the pyramid?

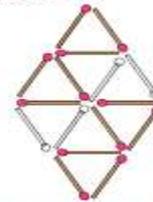


Can you make a pyramid with 100 at the top?



5. Missing Matches

Last week's answer



How many different solutions are there?

30 Maths Starters

Ms Scales

Attendance Figures

2nd March – 6th March 2020

Tutor Group	Attendance Percentage	Tutor Group	Attendance Percentage
7A	97.6%	10A	97.9%
7B	93.8%	10B	97.9%
7C	98.5%	10C	94.5%
7D	96.7%	10D	91.7%
7E	97.6%	10E	97%
7F	91.4%	10F	94.7%
7G	99.2%	Year 10	95.61%
Year 7	96.4%		
		11A	98.5%
8A	85.2%	11B	97.9%
8B	93.6%	11C	96.9%
8C	82.7%	11D	96.7%
8D	96.4%	11E	97.9%
8E	93.9%	11F	97.3%
Year 8	90.36%	11G	89.3%
		Year 11	96.35%
9A	93.3%		
9B	91.1%	12A	88.9%
9C	91.5%	12B	98.5%
9D	96.2%	12C	91.4%
9E	93.3%	12D	92.5%
9F	90.4%	12E	89.2%
Year 9	92.63%	Year 12	92.1%
		13A	96.9%
		13B	94%
		Year 13	95.45%

World Book Day



In celebration of World Book Week last week, the library held activities every day either at break, lunch or after school. On Monday at break and lunchtime, students designed and made their own coloured bunting triangles to be displayed for World Book Day. Students also made their own bookmarks. They had lots of fun making these and enjoyed spending their break and lunch time drawing and colouring in.

Sixth Formers were lucky enough to be a part of a workshop run by Penguin Books on careers in publishing. Students worked in teams on a project, with the winning team winning a prize! Everyone walked away with a free copy of 'Taking Up Space'. The Sixth Formers found this workshop engaging and interesting - they not did realise the different variety of careers available within publishing and the work needed to successfully design and promote a book!

Ms James