

# Parent Forum #2



## Agenda:

- Improving punctuality across the academy.
- Year 9 Options - our intentions.
- Home learning - update and reflections.
- Opportunity for questions and AOB.

Mr Tharme, Principal  
Mrs Warr, Head of Secondary  
Mrs Burder, Assistant Principal  
Mr Tewkesbury, Assistant Principal  
Mrs Joiner, Head of EYFS & KS1

## **Future Parent Forum Dates:**

- 30.01.2024
- 19.03.2024
- 14.05.2024
- 09.07.2024



**How was your parent consultation experience?**

**100% 4/5 or 5/5**

**Were you given a clear overview of your child's progress so far this year?**

**100% agree.**

**My child is happy at LAB.**

**100% agree.**

**My child feels safe at LAB.**

**100% agree.**

**My child has settled well at LAB.**

**100% agree.**

**LAB supports my child's wider development.**

**97% agree.**

**When I have raised concerns with the school they have been dealt with effectively.**

**97% agree.**

**I would recommend LAB to another parent.**

**100% agree.**

# Improving attendance

**93.8%** Attendance total (National 93.2%)

YR: 94.8%

Y1: 95.6%

Y2: 96.3%

**Primary: 95.9% (National 94.7%)**

Y7: 94.7%

Y8: 93.3%

Y9: 92.3%

**Secondary: 93.2% (National 91.6%)**

## Academy actions:

- Phone calls and meetings held offering support/questioning reasoning
- Fast track attendance
- Involvement of BCP & Social care
- Positive report cards
- Incentive system



# Attendance process

<90% = Persistent Absence - Initial Fast Track Process - (6 weeks min)

<80% = Parent Contract

<75% = FPN Warning letter



# Improving punctuality...

**2.6%** Late to the academy total

**Reception:** 1.8%

**Y1:** 2.2%


**Y2:** 2.5%

**Y7:** 1.1%

**Y8:** 2.0%

**Y9:** 3.5%

## Academy actions:

- Phone calls and meetings held offering support/questioning reasoning
  - Secondary detentions
  - Positive report cards
  - Incentives for individual students
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# Home learning - update and reflections.

## Primary:

Half termly project

Numbots and TT Rockstars are ready to go - induction for children in school to start after half term

Reading - decodable books

Phonics practice

Flash Academy\*



# Home learning - update and reflections

## Secondary: 86% completion rate


Sparx Maths

Sparx Reader

Tassomai English

Tassomai Science

### Academy actions:

- Achievement points
  - Incomplete detentions
  - Advisory focus on completion
  - Free access to all for free
  - Digital technology used for adaptive learning
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# Year 9 Options...

Core subjects		
<b>English Language</b> <b>English Literature</b>	<b>Maths</b>	<b>Science Trilogy</b> <b>Biology, Chemistry, Physics</b>
Free choice		
Geography	Art	Music Technology
History	Drama	Photography
Computing	Spanish	Fashion & Textiles
Sport	ICT	Graphic Design
Hospitality & catering	Creative iMedia	Electronics
Health & Social Care	<b>After the core subjects, students will get a free choice of 3 of the above.</b>	



# Planned questions...

Can children read real whole books instead of extracts in the app?

Have you got any plans to add another foreign language other than Spanish as a choice?

Is the planned roadworks still on schedule and in the meantime, what is the school's response? Also, with the new 'airport style' drop off system that'd be presumably be employed next year, what is the provision for disabled drivers?

Is there a plan to offer more academy-led clubs on different days to avoid the clash of clubs?

Is there an approx date the new apps for primary homework will be rolled out?

Can the secondary have a dance club please?



# Thank you and questions

Thank you for your attendance and helpful suggestions.

Please feel free to catch us individually, if you have any questions or suggestions.

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