

Monday 6th June 2022



I hope that all of our students had a good holiday over half term and Year 11 students took some time away from exam preparation.

The week before half term saw the school mark the Jubilee with a picnic on the field on Friday afternoon, all of the students in the school including Year 11 attended it was a lovely event and so important to have everyone together for the first time in a long while.

The Art/DT department also took the whole of Year 8 to the Victoria and Albert Museum in London to support the learning of students in the upcoming lessons. Students enjoyed the trip greatly and this as ever is such an important part of their school experience, learning beyond the classroom and experiencing and seeing the very best of what is achievable.

Year 11 are approaching their GCSE examinations with a calm confidence and I am sure that the work they have put in will bear fruit when they receive their results in the Summer. The extended examination window has proven to be tough, with a run of three weeks of exams followed by a further three weeks after half term. It has been fantastic to see so many students come in for revision sessions both this week and in the half term break.

If you visited the Suffolk Show over the half term you may have seen Gracie, the Owl designed and painted by the students in school ready for the Big Hoot trail in a few weeks. I hope that as many of our students as possible will go and see Gracie in situ once the trail starts.

With warmest wishes

Simon Martin

All hard work brings a profit, but mere talk leads only to poverty

Proverbs 14:23