

Part of the Marches Academy Trust



Friday, 09 September 2022

Dear Parents and Carers

"I have to be seen to be believed" By Queen Elizabeth II

I am pleased to welcome back, both new and existing students, to what I believe will be an amazing year for Shrewsbury Academy. There have been some exciting new changes throughout the summer months, with the start of our 'new look' school project, as I'm sure the students will have seen by now. I'd also like to welcome our new Community Governor, Mr David Ashlin and introduce Mrs J Jones, Director of Humanities, as our Staff Governor. There have been some additions to our teaching team also, whom I'm sure you will join me in welcoming to the school.

It is with great sadness that we enter day one of national mourning for the passing of HM Queen Elizabeth II. A lady of true honour, dedication and commitment to serving her people. Her values ring true with so many of us. Tomorrow is never guaranteed, so we must be grateful for today.

Rest In Peace Your Majesty.

Miss Julie Johnson Headteacher



REMINDERS & NOTICES

Food Bank

If you wish to receive and access support from the food bank, please feel free to contact Lucy Howells or Rachel Powell who will be more than happy to refer into the service.

Please do not forget we have the S4T scheme which enables families to collect food items when required. Look out for weekly contact or please contact Lucy Howells or Rachel Powell, who are more than happy to support.

Complimentary Breakfast Club

We understand the pressures and hardship our pupils go through on a day-to-day basis. Even more so with the cost-of-living crisis and the pandemic which, disturbed pupil learning over the past few years. The Senior Leadership Team have been mindful of this and have wanted to do something to support our fabulous students at Shrewsbury Academy. I am pleased to advise that we will be continuing to offer complimentary breakfasts each morning for pupils of all year groups. The breakfast will include a variety of cereals, toast, and toasted bagels alongside various condiments, milk, and milk alternatives.

The breakfast club will be served from approx. 8:10 – 8:45 each morning and operated directly from the canteen.

GCSE Results

Congratulations to our Year 11 leavers, on their GSCE results. There were some very happy students on site on results and we are pleased to have been part of your journey.

Book of Condolence – Queen Elizabeth II

Rev. Lisa Knight will be opening Holy Trinity Church from 3pm – 7pm today for those who wish to pay their respects, light a candle, sign the unofficial book of condolence or simply to reflect on signficant moment in history.



Queen Elizabeth II 1926 - 2022

A message from the Marches Trust.

It is with sadness that Buckingham Palace announced yesterday, the death of Her Majesty The Queen.

We have now entered a period of national mourning that will continue until the end of the State Funeral. Following Government guidance, all Trust schools will remain open and normal attendance is expected. We will continue to follow Department for Education guidance in the coming weeks and will keep you informed

A message from Miss Johnson – Headteacher

This moment in history will be sensitively delivered to our students and we will gather ideas and preferences from the students and staff as to how they wish to commemorate this significant event. Further details of this will be confirmed.



UPCOMING EVENTS

Click <u>here</u> to view our upcoming events.

- 12-14.09.22 Humanities Trip to Carding Mill Valley
- 13.09.22 EDIB Meeting @ 4pm
- 22.09.22 Open Evening 6pm 8pm

Click <u>here</u> to view our term dates.



NEWS

Click <u>here</u> to view our latest news articles.

Why not also follow us on Facebook @ <u>ShrewsburyAcademy</u> for a wealth of content, from student, staff and school celebrations, to competitions. We encourage you to get interactive with our posts!

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