

Dear Families

As we enter the first week of Spring 2 Term, we are pleased to welcome back students and staff.

With the mock exam period ahead, this can be a stressful time for students, but please be assured that we have a supportive pastoral structure in place for our students to access if required.

Mock exams inform us of any gaps in knowledge and enable the final periods of teaching to be targeted and supported.

You may have seen in the media, that the Government have released a document on the prohibition of mobile phones in schools across the UK. Shrewsbury Academy intend to come into line with these guidelines in the coming weeks and further information will be forwarded to you accordingly.

I would like to personally thank all families who are supporting us with students wearing the correct uniform. As previously stated, high uniform standards come hand in hand with some of the best schools in the county. Therefore, I would like to continue the progress that has already been made.



Mr Jim Taulor
Acting Headteacher



Year 11 – Please come along to Maths 3 (on the main corridor) every lunch time and take advantage of a quiet revision/ independent study space. There will be paper, pens, post-it notes, index cards and highlighters, which you may use to make revision resources. Please bring your lunch along and make use of the full 30-minute slot. You can come and work independently, work with a study buddy, ask the teacher in the room....
We look forward to seeing you there!

Congratulations!

A massive congratulations to Oscar Adams (Year 7 at Shrewsbury Academy) who won the Year 7 Shropshire Schools X Country on Saturday. The event took place in Oswestry with a strong competitive field. Oscar won the Under 12 race by 40 seconds over the 3000 metre course. This is an amazing achievement for Oscar and the school are extremely proud.



SEND Transport

SEND Transport is currently under review by Shropshire Council. Shropshire Parent and Carer Council (PACC) have shared several updates over the last 12 months about this, and have made representations to Shropshire Council encouraging coproduction throughout the process. They have now announced engagement sessions are to be delivered where families can present their views on SEND Transport options and inform the process further.



Apprentice Opportunities in Engineering and Manufacturing

We have been advised that exciting opportunities have arisen at Caterpillar Shrewsbury. A comprehensive training programme which will provide apprentices with numerous opportunities to put their newly-acquired knowledge and skills into practice in safe and supportive environment.

To find out more, visit www.caterpillar.com/shrewsburyapprenticeships



Sister Act Success

Well done Finch Mills on winning our Big Show poster competition!

Mock Exam Preparation

For those undertaking mock exams, please take the time to read the attached information.

Top Revision Tip

Parent Top Tip 13 – Keeping Active during Revision

UPCOMING EVENTS



Click [here](#) to view our upcoming events.

- Year 8 Parents Evening – 29th February 2024.

Click [here](#) to view our term dates.



NEWS

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