



GAZETTE



Autumn Term 2017

WELCOME TO ISSUE #13

Welcome to the latest edition of The Jubilee Gazette in which we are pleased to update you on what has been happening at The Jubilee Academy.

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MESSAGE FROM HEAD OF SCHOOL

Dear Parents, Carers and Students,

We are pleased to share our exciting news with you in this edition of the Gazette.

The second half of the Autumn term is always a very term, especially for our Yr 11s as they begin to have their mock exams and start to prepare for their external exams in January.



Our annual trip to The Excel Careers Fair also takes place. This trip is invaluable for Yr 11s as it enables them to gather information about all the exciting opportunities that are available to them so they can start to plan for their future after The Jubilee Academy.

We are pleased to see student attendance is very good during the winter months and punctuality is also improving dramatically. We work very hard with students and parents to ensure students are in school and ready for learning.

To celebrate the upcoming festive period with our students we have our Christmas lunch on Monday 18th December. All students and staff will enjoy a lovely Christmas meal. We also have non-uniform day on the last day of term, Wednesday 20th December.

All of us at The Jubilee Academy would like to wish you a very Merry Christmas, stay safe. We look forward to welcoming students back in January.

Warm Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, which appears to read 'Mike Jarrett'.

Dr Mike Jarrett
Head of School



NEWS & UPDATE

SCHOOL TRAVEL PLAN

The School Travel Plan team have been working hard on a schedule of events and activities for the Autumn term.

Our main focus has been road safety, taking part in the National Road Safety Week.

Kerry Eden from Harrow Council started off our Road Safety Week with an assembly. Focussing on the importance of wearing seatbelts and safe breaking distances.



During PSHRE students watched road safety video clips and then took part in a quiz.

Staff at The Jubilee Academy have taken part by signing the 'brake pledge' which focuses on speed awareness.

For more information on our Student Travel Plan, see our School Website:

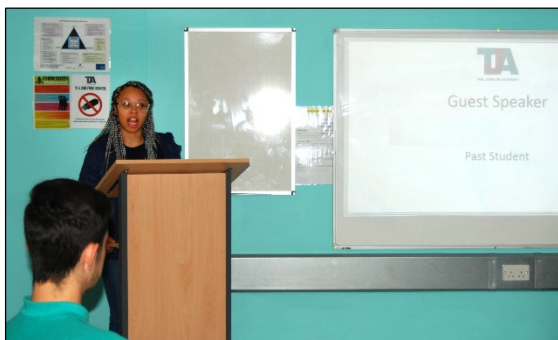
<http://www.thejubileeacademy.org.uk/information/school-travel-plan/>



YR11 MOTIVATIONAL CONFERENCE

To help support out Yr 11s we hosted a Motivational Conference. We invited former students to come in and talk to our Yr 11s about their experiences after leaving The Jubilee Academy. We also invited speakers from agencies we work with to help focus the Yr 11s and encourage them to make the right choices.

All the different speakers had very interesting and thought provoking stories. We hope the Yr 11s found the conference useful.



SAFEGUARDING

Nothing is more important to us than our students' safety. If you have any concerns about your child or any other child at The Jubilee Academy, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Our Safeguarding Contacts are;

Designated Safeguarding Lead



Ms Bennett

Lead Governor for Safeguarding



Ms Cozens

Deputy Safeguarding Leads



Mr Boothe

School Counsellor



Ms M Jolly



Mr Sutherland

For more information on Safeguarding at The Jubilee Academy please see our website,

<http://www.thejubileeacademy.org.uk/safeguarding/>

UPDATE FROM MR. BOOTHE

Below is a list of the outside agencies we use to support our students.

- “Talk it out” Counselling Service
- Compass - Substance Misuse Support
- Mindfulness – with our School Counsellor
- Stop Smoking Cessation Programme
- Ignite – 1:1 mentoring sessions with some of our male students, looking at improving behaviour, social skills and developing emotional resilience.
- Ignite – Group sessions with some of our female students, focusing on self esteem, confidence and self worth, as well as CSE and healthy relationships.
- Educational Psychologists.

PSHRE

Stand Up, Speak Out...Stop Hate

We ran a session to promote a safe learning environment.



FGM

This session was for girls to raise awareness of FGM.

IMPORTANT DATES

- Monday 18th December – student and staff Christmas lunch.
- Wednesday 20th December - last day of term. Students can wear sensible non-uniform and will finish at lunchtime, 12.35pm.

SPRING TERM DATES 2018

Thursday 4th January 2018 to Friday 9th February 2018

Half Term: Monday 12th February to Friday 16th February 2018

Monday 19th February to Thursday 29th March 2018

Occasional day: Thursday 4th January 2018

Inset day: Friday 5th January 2018
Thursday 29th March 2018

SUMMER TERM DATES 2018

Tuesday 16th April 2018 to Friday 25th May 2018

Half Term: Monday 28th May to Friday 1st June 2018

Monday 4th June 2018 to Friday 24th July 2018

Inset day: Tuesday 16th April 2018

A full list of dates can be found on our website:

<http://www.thejubileeacademy.org.uk/school-information/term-dates/>

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