



WEEKLY PARENTS BULLETIN NO 10 – WEEK A

Week Commencing 29th November 2021

Monday 29 th November	Year 11 Mocks all week
Tuesday 30 th November	
Wednesday 1 st December	
Thursday 2 nd December	
Friday 3 rd December	

We've packed a lot into 4 days this week at The Dean Academy.

I have enjoyed walking around the school and popping into lessons this week. There has been a real feeling of focus and purpose – following on from a whole school assembly on Monday where students learned about how working memory/long term memory work and the best conditions for learning. Lessons have felt incredibly calm and it was nice to see students grappling with some very challenging concepts with remarkable attention.

I have been pleased to see attendance to school climb for the last three consecutive weeks. Our attendance has remained above the national average at all points this term, and in line with very low numbers of Covid cases over the last three weeks, attendance has risen sharply. I would like to thank parents and carers for their continued support with ensuring excellent attendance.

We want to wish all of our Year 11 students the very best of luck as they start their mock examinations next week. They have been busily preparing and revising and we are sure that their effort will result in excellent grades which reflect their hard work.

As we are now approaching December and we move in to the festive season may I direct parents to a [letter we sent earlier in the term](#). We have invited every child in the school to have a Christmas Lunch with others in their year group, free of charge. If your child would like to take up the offer, they need to book ahead with the restaurant team at break or lunch.

Enjoyment Achievement Community

Congratulations to the following weekly winners of our attendance raffle week ending 19th November 2021:-

KS3 – Miley C, Year 7

KS4 – Jacob N, Year 11



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BRIGHT SPOTS

PRODUCT DESIGN

Year 7 Shield Project (Ms Westgate)





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Year 9 Mechanisms Projects (Ms Westgate)





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HOSPITALITY & CATERING

Y9 Curry Assessment

Y9 pulled out all the stops with their choice of Indian dishes.
Real thought went into what makes a great meal.

Mrs GJ



Well Done!
What an enjoyable
lesson.





Hospitality & Catering

Given the chance to choose their own dishes, the Y11 produced a real range of delicious food. All presented as a single portions .

Great job as usual Y11! Mrs GJ

