

Westfield News



January 2024



Rewards Special Edition



Many students throughout the Academy work tirelessly to ensure that they are working hard each lesson, and that they are achieving excellence in their classwork and in their homework. There are other students who are working well to ensure that they are putting themselves in the best position to achieve. They are striving for higher grades and they are aspiring to do their very best.

In January, students in the Academy were awarded certificates and prizes in recognition for their efforts. The students were awarded for their success in lessons and their pursuit of excellence. The Heads of Year also nominated students who they thought had gone the extra mile. Also featured in our rewards assemblies are the students who have worked hard in all weathers after school, in practice sessions, and matches to strive for success.

Year 7 Rewards

Year 7 are a special year group as they are the newest to the Academy. As a year group, there have been many special qualities that have been noted by staff and their Head of Year. They are noted about the way they are compliant and collaborative in their attitude since the start of the year, which speaks volumes for these bright young minds. There were many awards given, and there were 25 winners in each category. Featured below are the voucher winners from each category:

Believe award:

Ashtami Dinu

Strive award:

Ethan Kamaliza

Achieve award:

Sanam Safi

Attendance award:

Emily Brown

Best attendance form:

7W - 95.29%

Best average merits award:

The best average merits award went to form 7F

Student of the term:

This award went to Dia Prajapati

Special mention:

Special mention to the football team (featured here) who have played and trained brilliantly this year.



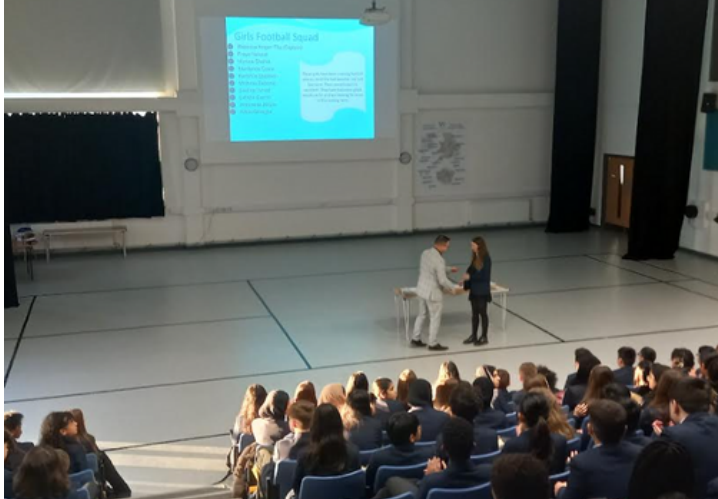
In Year 7, the Boys' Football have been excellent in training and, with continued hard work this year, they have bags of potential to do well in 11-a-side next year!

The Girls' Football team have been training hard all season; their commitment is excellent. They have had some good results so far and are looking forward to more in this coming term.

The basketball season started this term and these students have consistently attended training or shown great potential.

The Girls' Netball team have shone and demonstrated their dedication in training and matches.

Year 8 Rewards



Year 8 rewards assembly was received with much joy and celebration. Some of the words that describe the year group is that as a collective body they are together they are an eclectic group of light-hearted, helpful and easy-going individuals who are passionate & enthusiastic. These themes continued as the Assembly Awards were given. There were 25 winners in each category. Featured below are the voucher winners from each category:

Believe award:

Prium Gopal

Strive award:

Heleena Corby

Achieve award:

Chloe Ndregjoni

Attendance award:

Poppy Brooks,
with the best attendance in form 8L at 96.04%

Best average merits award:

The best average merits award went to form 8A

Student of the term:

This award went to George Achemping

The assembly ended with a celebration of the achievements of the Football and Basketball teams, who have won some significant matches this year.

In Year 8, the Boys' Football team have been dedicated to training and matches, working extremely hard to succeed. They are in the league final and could be promoted if they win the final!

Year 9 Rewards

Year 9 assembly, was crowned with the highlighting of some of the words that describe the year group; that as a collective body they work together. Quoting from staff, “You are like a bunch of fireworks lighting each other up. Individually, you are kind, caring and very special to be around.” There were 25 winners in each category. Featured below are the voucher winners from each category:

Believe award:

Jacob Exler

Strive award:

Riya Reji

Achieve award:

Constance Chan

Attendance award:

The best attendance was form 9D with 94.46%

Best average merits award:

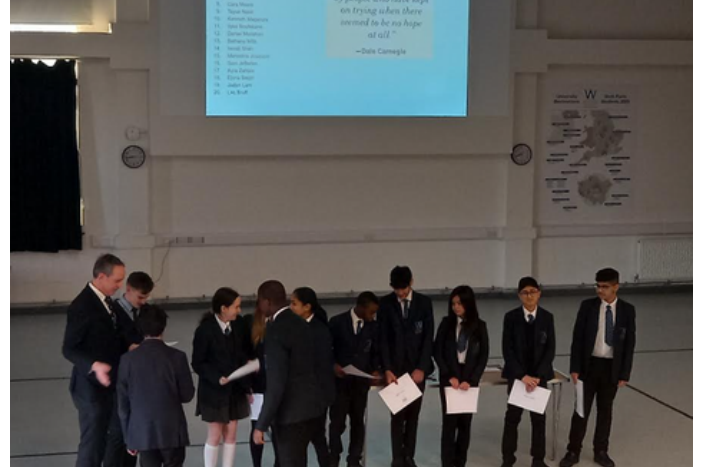
The best average merits award went to form 9D too

Student of the term:

This award went to Arshaq Khan

The assembly ended with a celebration of the achievements of the sports teams and their match successes this year.

In Year 9, the Boys’ Football team have been training hard all season, in all the bad weather we had last term; their commitment is excellent. They have had some good results so far and are looking forward to more in this coming term.



Year 10 Rewards

Year 10 assembly featured 25 winners in each categories of Believe, Strive and Achieve, and also winners for attendance and Head of Year student award. The students are featured here:

Believe award:

Taimur Tahir

Strive award:

Muskaan Sajid

Achieve award:

Amelia Wojtanowicz

Attendance award:

Funmi Ikumelo

Student of the term:

Shifa Gul



Featured above are our Year 10 Football team and below are the Year 11 team with their medals.

Year 11 Rewards

Year 11 Assembly featured 25 winners in each categories of Believe, Strive and Achieve, and also winners for attendance and Head of Year student award. The students are featured here:

Believe award:

Dia Sajid

Strive award:

Zeeshan Islam

Achieve award:

Bertina Benoy

Attendance award:

Aiden Knowles

Student of the term:

Arjan Randhawa



BUSINESS AND ENTERPRISE EVENT



Our annual Business and Enterprise Event is coming soon to Westfield Academy. It will be held in the Sports Hall on 16th February from 9am to 3pm.

Look out for more information in form time, coming out soon!

MR AND MRS SMITH PREMIERE

On Wednesday, 17th January, one of our passionate students, Haider, who studies Media contacted Prime Video for a chance to attend a premiere.

They invited 5 students to watch their new show Mr. & Mrs. Smith. Students saw the cast, showrunner and watched the first two exhilarating episodes.

Mrs Abuelreesh



YEAR 13 WORKSHOP

A selection of our Year 13 students took part in a workshop which was led by Renee from <https://computacenter.com>. The students were able to gain useful information and techniques, which they could use for CVs and interviews for apprenticeships.



COMPUTER SCIENCE CONSTRUCTION



Our Year 12 Computer Science class have been constructing the beginnings of what could be the slowest computer in the world by using discrete 1970s logic components. They are building a digital clock signal generator using logic gates, resistors and capacitors. Amazing effort!



COPPERBOX ARENA



A group of students in Years 7 & 12, as well as members of staff from the Science, PE & 6th Form teams, went to watch a professional basketball game at the Copperbox Stratford in London.

For some it was the first experience watching a professional game, let alone a Eurocup game against a strong Spanish team.

The first game introduced the group to the fast pace, intensity and excitement of the game, with the first half ending with London Lions being down.

During the halftime show, there were dances, music and basketball freestyles to entertain the crowd until the players returned.

The second half grew more exciting by the minute, with the lead changing at nearly every possession.

The game finished with the Spanish team winning the game, with a buzzer beater to beat the London team.

Hopefully the first of many trips to basketball games, for not only students but staff too!

MOCK EXAMS

Our Years 11 & 13 students have returned back to start their mock exams in January.

It has been a cold and blustery January, and our students have risen to the challenge of sometimes having two exams in any given day.

The students have been able to seize this chance to shine in their subject areas, and are eagerly looking forward to getting the results back in February.

SPORTS NEWS



Basketball:

Year 10 beat Croxley Danes 40-12. It was a fantastic performance from the whole team contributing to the win.

Special recognition for Zak's defence, Alex's rebounds & Marcus determination offensively. Jason won 'man of the match' with a 3-point buzzer beater and outstanding game.

That's 4 games so far across the year groups with 3 wins. Two games have been won with a difference of over 28 points. Great start to the season!



Our Year 9 Basketball team have enjoyed similar successes. In their match against Rickmansworth School, they won 36-34. Great start to the basketball season!

Football Academy:

Congratulations on the winning match against QPR. The final score 3-0.



W AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS- SPRING 2024

WESTFIELD ACADEMY
The star within everyone

You must bring PE kit and suitable footwear to participate. You can change before the Sessions.



	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Astro / Field	YR 7 BOYS FOOTBALL (COACH /GCO)	Yr 10 BOYS FOOTBALL (DEM)	YR 8 BOYS FOOTBALL (COACH/DEM)	YR 7 & 8 GIRLS FOOTBALL (COACH/CC)	YR 9 BOYS FOOTBALL (COACH/B MC)
Sports Hall		BADMINTON YR 7 - 10 (KHS)	YR 11 & SENIOR BASKETBALL (MCU)	YR 9 & 10 BASKETBALL (COACH/BPA)	YR 7 & 8 BASKETBALL (COACH/BPA/DEM)
Functional Fitness Suite 3-3.45pm	YR 9 & 10 FITNESS (LGH)		YR 7 & 8 FITNESS (DEM)		
Courts	YR 7 - 10 GIRLS NETBALL (HTA)			YR 9 & 10 GIRLS FOOTBALL (CBK)	
Field				RECREATIONAL FOOTBALL YR 7, 8 & 9 (RMC & CBK & AGR)	

