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Year 10 Newsletter

Week 3 2024-2025

Courage

Compassion

Respect

Faith

Integrity

Bacon's College ensures that every student is well educated, cared for and exhorted to achieve the academic and personal excellence that will lead to university or skilled work and to a fulfilled life.

'I came to give life, life in all its fullness'

John 10:10

A week in the life of year 10

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Now that we are in our third week, year 10 continue to make a strong start to KS4. They are settling into productive routines, demonstrating focus, dedication, and enthusiasm for learning. Lesson drop ins and teacher feedback show students' commitment to developing their knowledge and engaging actively in learning.

In this week's assembly, as part of our education with character, students were given the opportunity to participate in this year's Duke of Edinburgh Award. This prestigious program helps students develop essential life skills such as leadership, resilience, teamwork, and self-discipline. Through outdoor adventures, volunteering, and personal challenges, participants gain confidence and a sense of achievement that extends beyond the classroom.

It's a wonderful way for students to explore their interests, give back to the community, and prepare for future success.

We encourage you to support your child in taking part.

Kind regards,
Ms Roy

Deputy Head of Year 10

Homework Champions & 'Shout outs'

We have had lots of shout-outs for year 10 from staff this week:

Mr Mathan - Shout out to Harvey G and Lenny D for excellent effort and work during their Maths lessons. They are a joy to work with and they are so mature in their conduct.

Mrs Bennett - Shout out to Sophie L and Talia for excellent quality of class work and homework. Also, to Moses for not giving up when faced with a challenge.

Ms Coles-Williams - Shout out to Laszlo for a model response to verbal feedback from his peers which he used to improve his own answer.

Ms Majeed – Shout out to Ella 10C for great class work and for always demonstrating great manners. Also, Daniel A for always engaging in lesson, wanting to read, and answering questions.

Ms Green - Shout out to Aaliyah B in Spanish, as she is always engaged and participates in all tasks given in lesson. Also, Zainab, who is a joyful member of the class; works really well with others; and has shown excellent attitude towards drama.

Ms Newton - Shout out to Mark for really great engagement in history and his contributions in lessons. Also, Lily M for persevering with her work.

Dr Patel - Shout out to Nimot and Seb for excellent focus and contribution to lessons.

Ms Ley - Shout out to Richie W and Tador for their excellent homework in history.

Ms Roy – Shout out to Georgie and Freddie for excellent focus and effort during GCSE chemistry.

Homework Completion

We have seen an increase in the number of year 10 students receiving homework detentions over the last week. Homework is vital to the academic excellence we champion at Bacon's and it is especially important in KS4 as it ensures students stay up to date with their GCSE curriculum.

Please encourage pupils to complete the homework set, and if there are any issues, to contact their teachers before the homework is due.

Dates for the Diary

- Thursday 10th October – Year 10 will receive a careers presentation led by JD Sports