# Year 7 Newsletter-September

#### Welcome

We hope you find this newsletter informative. It's an opportunity to keep up to date with what year 7 are doing and achieving.

# Attendance

During assemblies we have been trying to foster somewhat of a competitive spirit between forms. The current top 3 forms are:

- 1. 7G 98.1%
- 2. 7D 97.8%
- 3. 7F 96.7%

Is your child in one of these forms?
Is your child's attendance improving or staying the same?







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#### Assemblies

Mr Gunn presented a wonderful assembly last week all about courage. He asked pupils to write poems or draw pictures along the theme of peace. There are prizes available for those who submit entries by Friday 4<sup>th</sup> October.

# Sparx Reader

All of year 7 have access to SPARX reader and should be reading regularly at home as part of their homework. This will be checked by form tutors.

Our top three readers in year 7 so far are:

- 1. M. Ahmed 7G
- 3. M. Haider 7H Well done!

# **Sparx Reader**

## Homework

Further guidance can be found on the school website. Form tutors check work on a daily basis and log on class charts either positive or negative points depending on completion.

### **CATS & NGRT**

During this week year 7 have been sitting CATS tests in the hall and NGRT tests in computer rooms. Their behaviour have been exemplary. Well done!

# Class Charts

Value points- staff reward pupils within lessons when they demonstrate any of our values of excellence, independence or community. Some pupils have received special messages home as they have managed a phenomenal amount of value points in a week. Well done!



Do you have some good news to share with us? Let us know and we will include it in the next bulleting in October

Thank you

Year 7 Team

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