



The Orme Academy



Summer Term Highlights

June - July 2026



We are extremely proud of some of our Y10 Photography students who were the event photographers at the SET Apprenticeship Awards yesterday. It's wonderful to receive such positive feedback about how professional they were throughout the event. 📸 @shawedutrust

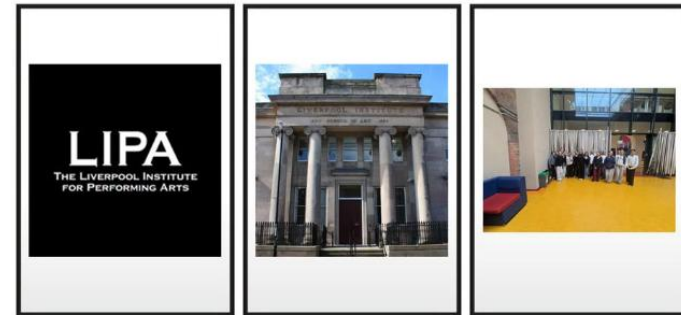


🎉 What a fantastic day at the Liverpool Institute of Performing Arts!

Our students had an incredible opportunity to explore the many exciting career pathways available in the creative and performing arts, gaining valuable insight and inspiration for their futures.

We were so proud of the enthusiasm, commitment, and confidence they showed throughout the workshops. Their outstanding effort and performances were a real credit to them, and they embraced every challenge with energy and creativity.

A huge thank you to everyone at LIPA for such a memorable and inspiring experience. We can't wait to see where our students' talents take them next! 🌟 #LIPA #PerformingArts #CreativeCareers #StudentSuccess #FutureTalent Shaw Education Trust See less



🏆 Year 7 County Cup Finalists! 🏆

💙 We are incredibly proud of our Year 7 football team, who represented the Academy brilliantly in the County Cup Final in Stafford.

While the result didn't go our way in the final, the team should be extremely proud of their achievement. Reaching the final is a fantastic accomplishment, especially considering they competed against schools from across the whole of Staffordshire.

Their dedication, teamwork, determination, and sportsmanship throughout the competition have been outstanding and they have been excellent ambassadors for our Academy.

👏 Congratulations to the entire team and staff involved on a remarkable cup run. Reaching a County Cup Final is something to be proud of, and we look forward to seeing what this talented group can achieve in the future.

💙 Well done! 💙

#Teamwork #CountyCupFinal #Year7Football #SchoolSport #ProudSchool #FutureStars #StaffordshireFootball Shaw Education Trust 🏆 See less



"The Orme Academy staff and pupils share the same high aspirations.

Pupils understand and follow the ambition around empowering learners for life."

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Year 11 Celebration

Prom Awards 2026 🌟



💖 Year 11 Leavers' Assembly 💖

A huge well done to our Year 11 students. We are so proud of the confident young adults you have become, each of you has grown through challenges, shown resilience, and shaped your own path during your time with us.

Your journey has been remarkable, and it has been a privilege to watch you develop into mature, thoughtful and ambitious individuals.

We wish you the very best of luck as you take your next steps into the future. 💖🌟

Today, we celebrate our incredible Year 11 students! 🌟

We are so proud of the young adults they have become and all they have achieved during their time with us. Their resilience, determination, kindness, and growth have been inspiring to witness, and we know they have bright futures ahead.

As they prepare for the next chapter of their journey, we want to thank them for the memories, contributions, and positive impact they have made on our school community.

Congratulations, Year 11 – believe in yourselves, aim high, and never stop reaching for your dreams. We are proud of you and wish you every success for the future. 🌟

#Year11 #ProudSchoolCommunity #CelebratingSuccess #FutureReady #ClassOf2026 See less



We would like to
wish our
wonderful Year
11 students the
very best of luck
for the future!

Well done to our Year 8 students who took part in the Newcastle Games! 🏆

Our students represented the Academy brilliantly throughout the event, demonstrating enthusiasm, teamwork and excellent sportsmanship. It was fantastic to see them stepping outside their comfort zones, trying new sports and embracing every opportunity with such positive attitudes.

We are incredibly proud of the way they conducted themselves and the effort they put into every activity. A great day of sport, learning and achievement! 🌟

#NewcastleGames #TeamAcademy #Year8 #ProudToBeAcademy #Sportsmanship
#TrySomethingNew Shaw Education Trust See less



Aspiration Challenge Enjoyment

🎉 Congratulations! 🎉

A huge well done to the students who have received the highest number of Aspiration, Challenge and Enjoyment points in their year groups over the last few weeks. 🌟

Their hard work, determination and positive attitude have not gone unnoticed. They are fantastic role models and should be incredibly proud of their achievement.

Keep striving, keep challenging yourselves and keep enjoying the journey! 🌟 #Aspiration #Challenge #Enjoyment #StudentSuccess #ProudSchoolCommunity #WellDoneEveryone Shaw Education Trust See less



7VTA have enjoyed a brilliant reward, pizza and football, 🏈 after winning last half-term's inter-form competition. Their ACE points, strong attitude to learning, and excellent attendance secured the top spot.

A huge well done to everyone for showing what Aspiration, Challenge and Enjoyment look like in action.

#aspiration #challenge #enjoyment Shaw Education Trust See less



🎉 Attendance Raffle Winners! 🎉

We finished the last half term on a high with our fantastic attendance raffle, celebrating the students who showed great commitment by attending school every day.

🌟 Congratulations to all of our lucky prize winners!

💙 A huge thank you to G & R Roofing Services for generously sponsoring our star prize – a custom bike 🚲. Your support helped make the raffle extra special for our students.

Some of the other fantastic prizes included:

- 🎧 Sony headphones
- 🔊 A mini speaker
- 🍷 Nando's vouchers

Regular attendance makes a real difference, and we're excited to continue rewarding students for their commitment this half term.

★ Remember: every day counts! Attend every day, be on time, and keep an eye out for more exciting treats and rewards throughout the term.

#EveryDayCounts #AttendanceMatters #Congratulations #SchoolCommunity #StudentSuccess #AttendanceRewards Shaw Education Trust 🎉🌟 See less



🔍 History Detectives: The Murder of Thomas Becket 🔍

Our students stepped into the role of historical investigators as they explored one of the most famous crimes in English history – the murder of Thomas Becket.

Using historical sources and evidence, students examined the events leading up to Becket's death, identified possible suspects, and considered the motives behind the crime. They explored the roles of King Henry II and the four knights involved in the attack, debating whether the murder was ordered by the king or carried out independently.

Through source analysis, group discussions, and lively debates, students developed their own conclusions and used evidence to support their arguments. It was fantastic to see them thinking critically, questioning evidence, and engaging with history like real historians.

🌟 Well done to all our budding detectives for their thoughtful investigations and insightful discussions!

#History #ThomasBecket #HistoricalInvestigation #CriticalThinking #HistoryDetectives #LearningThroughInquiry #SchoolHistory Shaw Education Trust See less



🏏 Congratulations to our Year 9 and 10 cricket team!

They secured 4th place at the Newcastle Schools Competition, showing outstanding teamwork from start to finish. The way they communicated, supported one another and stayed united in every innings was brilliant to see.

A performance built on commitment, resilience and real team spirit. 💙🌟 #proud #aspiration #challenge #enjoyment Shaw Education Trust See less



Curriculum Enrichment & Careers

Well done to our Year 10 Health and Social Care students who impressed the staff at Newcastle College during this morning's taster session. We are incredibly proud of the way they represented the Academy and embraced this opportunity. 🌟

A huge thank you to the staff at [Newcastle College](#) for providing this fantastic opportunity and valuable insight into post-16 study options. The experience has given our students a great introduction to what life and learning can be like after secondary school.

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We are always looking to expand our network of community and business partners. Please contact Mrs Woolley if you are able to offer any support with our Academy Careers Programme.

Thank you [Newcastle College](#), we had a great morning.



Newcastle College
11 June · 🌐

Last month we welcomed in [The Orme Academy](#) to take part in an engaging **Health & Social Care taster session!** 💖

🙌 A huge thank you to our colleagues from local colleges and businesses who generously gave up their time today to support our Year 10 Mock Interviews.

We have been overwhelmed by the support from our local community, and we are incredibly grateful for the expertise, encouragement and valuable feedback you provided to our students.

🌟 We are also extremely proud of our Year 10 students, who approached the interviews with professionalism, confidence and enthusiasm. The feedback from our visitors was fantastic and reflected the effort our students put into preparing for the day.

Opportunities like these make a real difference in helping young people develop their confidence and employability skills, and we simply couldn't do it without the support of our community partners.

Thank you for helping to make the day such a success! 🙌💖

🌍 Year 10 Geography Fieldwork 🌍

This half term, our Year 10 Geographers have carried out their physical geography fieldwork enquiry at the beautiful Cotton Dell Nature Reserve.

Despite the very wet weather, students showed great resilience and enthusiasm as they collected data on a range of variables to investigate how the river changes downstream. The hands-on experience provided an excellent opportunity to apply classroom learning in a real-world setting and develop key geographical enquiry skills.

A wonderful day was had by all, with remarkably few complaints about the rain! 🌧️💧

Well done to all of our Year 10 students for their hard work, positive attitude, and excellent conduct throughout the trip. 🌟

#GeographyFieldwork #Year10 #GCSEGeography #LearningOutsideTheClassroom
#GeographyInAction #Fieldwork #ProudSchoolCommunity #Resilience #Teamwork Shaw Education Trust See less



A huge well done to our Year 7 students! 🌊🐠

Their Under the Sea project has taken them on a creative journey from careful observation and detailed research to sculpting these beautiful clay coral pieces. We're incredibly proud of their imagination, dedication, and hard work, and the fantastic results speak for themselves. Well done, Year 7! 🐠🐠

#aspiration #challenge #enjoyment Shaw Education Trust See less



After lots of hard work and determination, our Year 10 students enjoyed a well-deserved break at the end of assessment week with a fantastic quiz hosted by the brilliant Mr Hall! 🎉👏

With Mr Hall taking on the role of quizmaster, teams battled it out across a range of fun and challenging rounds. It was a great way to celebrate the end of the exam season—well done, Year 10, on all your hard work. We hope you enjoyed the chance to relax and have some fun together! 🎉👏

#Year10 #EndOfExams #SchoolLife #Teamwork #WellDone See less



🌟 What a fantastic way to kick off our Summer Festival with our amazing Year 7 and Year 8 students! 🌟

A huge well done to everyone for your enthusiasm, teamwork, and positive spirit throughout the year. You should all be incredibly proud of everything you've achieved.

Here's to celebrating together and making wonderful summer memories! 🎉👏 #SummerFestival #Year7 #Year8 #WellDone #EndOfYearCelebration Shaw Education Trust See less



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What a brilliant day at the Newcastle Schools Athletics Competition! 🏃🏆👏

A huge well done to all of our athletes for their hard work, determination, and outstanding performances throughout the day. Congratulations to our medal winners on their fantastic achievements – you should all be incredibly proud of yourselves.

We are so proud of every single one of you for the way you represented our Academy with such dedication, teamwork, and sportsmanship. A day to remember! 🏆👏

#ProudTeam #SchoolsAthletics #TeamSpirit #Achievement Shaw Education Trust African Adventures See less



Our Year 9 students had the privilege of welcoming Dr Satur, our local heart surgeon, who shared an inspiring insight into his career in cardiac surgery.

The session linked directly to our science curriculum, bringing learning to life as students explored the structure and function of the heart, the science behind cardiac surgery, and the real-world application of the knowledge they develop in the classroom.

Students also learned about the skills, dedication, and resilience required to work in medicine, while gaining a valuable insight into careers in healthcare.

A huge thank you to Dr Satur for giving his time to inspire our students. We are incredibly grateful for his support and for helping our young people see the exciting possibilities that science can lead to.

#Year9 #Science #STEM #CareersEducation #Medicine #CommunityPartnership #InspiringLearning Shaw Education Trust See less



Zanzibar

A once-in-a-lifetime adventure begins! ✈️🌍

Today, our amazing students and staff depart on an incredible volunteering project to our partner school in Zanzibar. This is a unique opportunity to make a real difference, experience a new culture, and create memories that will last a lifetime.

We are so proud of each and every one of you and wish you a safe journey, an unforgettable experience, and every success during your time in Zanzibar. We can't wait to hear all about your adventures! 💙🌿

#Zanzibar #MakingADifference #OnceInALifetime #SafeTravels Shaw Education Trust African Adventures See less



✅ Safe arrival at the airport! Our students and staff are all checked in and looking forward to an exciting trip ahead. More updates to follow! ✈️🇺🇰

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✈️ And they're off! Wishing our students a safe journey and an incredible trip filled with learning, laughter, and unforgettable memories. 🌟

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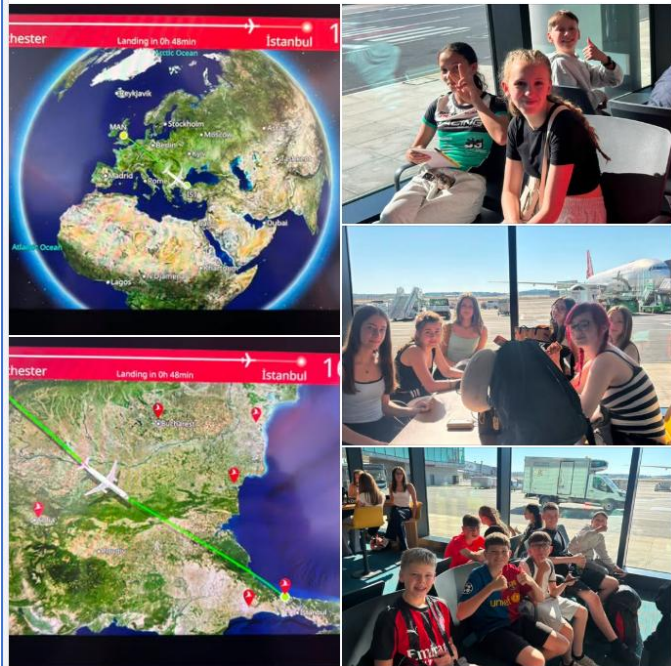


Flight 1 ✈️🇺🇰

We're delighted to share that The Orme Academy has safely landed in Istanbul! 💙🇹🇷

The adventure officially begins – we can't wait to share more updates from the trip. Stay tuned! 🌟

#TheOrmeAcademy #Istanbul #Trip2026 #SafeArrival Shaw Education Trust African Adventures See less



They have made it safely to the hotel and all settled in. Time to explore and enjoy the adventure ahead. 🌟✈️🇺🇰

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🌿 Exploring Jozani Forest and seeing the incredible red colobus monkeys, along with a variety of insects and wildlife, was an unforgettable experience. It was also a sobering reminder of the impact of climate change. Since a previous visit, rising sea levels and saltwater intrusion have damaged parts of the forest, causing many trees to collapse. A beautiful but powerful reminder of why protecting our natural world matters. 🌍💚

#JozaniForest #Zanzibar #ClimateChange #Conservation #RedColobusMonkey Shaw Education Trust African Adventures See less



Beach day recharge before the real work begins tomorrow! 🌊🌞 Ready and excited for our volunteering adventure. ❤️ [Shaw Education Trust African Adventures](#)



Sunset skies, sandy feet, and a kickabout with the locals. 🌅🏖️
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🔧🌟 Prep work is everything! Today we're sanding the walls to create the perfect smooth surface, getting everything ready for plastering and painting. Taking the time to do the preparation properly ensures a flawless finish that lasts. 🙌👏
From rough to ready — one step closer to transforming this space! Stay tuned for the finished result. 🙌 [Shaw Education Trust African Adventures](#) See less



From students to teachers! 🌟
We are so proud to see our students delivering Geography, English, and Art lessons to classes of 70 students. Watching them inspire the next generation is truly incredible. Keep shining — we couldn't be prouder! 🙌👏🌍 [Shaw Education Trust African Adventures](#) See less



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Great to meet the staff and children at our partner school today. Thank you for such a warm welcome! 😊
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Still time to make new friends after a hard day's work. ❤️
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Berlin

🇩🇪 We've arrived safely in Berlin! Our Year 10 historians are excited to begin an unforgettable educational visit, exploring the city's rich and complex history. We're looking forward to a fantastic few days of learning, discovery, and memorable experiences together. Stay tuned for updates! [#Berlin](#) [#HistoryTrip](#) [#Year10](#) [#LearningBeyondTheClassroom](#) [See less](#)



🕯 Today is a day of reflection in Berlin. Visiting Sachsenhausen Concentration Camp Memorial, the Olympic Stadium built for the 1936 Olympics, and the House of the Wannsee Conference. These places stand as powerful reminders of one of history's darkest chapters—where hatred, discrimination, and unchecked power led to unimaginable suffering. Travel isn't only about seeing beautiful places; it's also about learning, remembering, and honoring those whose lives were forever changed. A humbling and unforgettable day. 🇩🇪 [#Berlin](#) [#Sachsenhausen](#) [#OlympicStadium](#) [#Wannsee](#) [#HistoryMatters](#) [#NeverForget](#) [#TravelWithPurpose](#) [Shaw Education Trust](#) [See less](#)



🌟 We are incredibly proud of our talented dancers from [The Marilyn Jones Dance Centre](#), who took to the stage in five sell-out performances at the Mitchell Arts Centre last week! 🎭💃 Despite performing in extremely hot conditions, every dancer delivered a truly fabulous show with confidence, professionalism and passion. It was wonderful to see their hard work and dedication shine through in every performance.

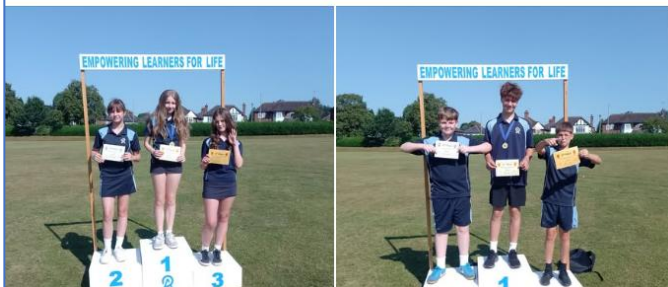
A special congratulations to Alice, Ava and Maggie on receiving their well-deserved awards – a fantastic achievement! 🏆👏

Well done to all of the dancers and everyone involved in making the shows such a huge success. ❤️

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🏆 Sports Day 2026 – Congratulations to All Our Participants! 🎉 A huge congratulations to every participant who took part in our Sports Day! Your enthusiasm, determination, teamwork, and sportsmanship made the event a tremendous success. It may not have been the day we had hoped for due to the hot weather conditions, but we are incredibly proud of everyone for their resilience, enthusiasm, and positive spirit throughout the event. Well done to all who took part! 🏆👏 [#SportsDay](#) [#Congratulations](#) [#TeamSpirit](#) [#Sportsmanship](#) [#ProudMoment](#) [See less](#)



Today was a brilliant day exploring Berlin! 🇩🇪

🏠 We started at the Mall of Berlin for some food.

🏰 We then visited the Brandenburg Gate.

🇺🇸 Next was the Soviet War Memorial, paying our respects to those who lost their lives during WWII.

🏛 We finished the day at the Reichstag, one of Germany's most iconic buildings.

Along the way, we also mastered travelling on the U-Bahn and even figured out how to shop in a German Lidl! A fantastic day all around, with plenty of sightseeing, learning, and great memories.

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🇩🇪 Greetings from Berlin! Excited to share updates, new experiences, and highlights from the journey. Stay tuned! [#Berlin](#) [#TravelUpdates](#) [#StayTuned](#)



Supporting from Berlin. 🇩🇪🇺🇦🇷🇺



Duke of Edinburgh Award

Great first day for our expedition students! 🌟

We've seen amazing teamwork, resilience, and determination throughout the day. Everyone has embraced the challenges with a positive attitude, and we couldn't be prouder of what they've achieved already. Looking forward to the adventures ahead! 🌟👏 #Teamwork #Resilience #Expedition See less



Arrived safely at camp, pitched the tents, and enjoyed a well-earned meal. Looking forward to what tomorrow brings! 🏕️🔥 #dofe #proudforyou



What a fabulous weekend with an amazing group of students completing their Bronze Duke of Edinburgh Award Expedition! 🏆👏

Over the past few days, our students have shown incredible resilience, teamwork, determination, and positivity as they tackled the challenges of the expedition. From navigating routes to supporting one another every step of the way, they have been a credit to themselves and our Academy.

We are extremely proud of every single one of them for their hard work, commitment, and achievements. 💙

Congratulations to all our Bronze DofE participants – what a brilliant achievement! 🌟👏

#DofE #BronzeDofE #ProudMoment #Teamwork #Resilience #Achievement #OutdoorLearning See less



Good luck to all our students taking part in their Bronze Duke of Edinburgh Expedition this weekend! 🌟

Challenge yourselves, support one another, and enjoy the adventure. We're proud of your hard work and preparation. Stay safe, have fun, and make some amazing memories! 🏕️👏 #DofE #BronzeExpedition #GoodLuck See less



🏕️ Duke of Edinburgh Expedition – Day 2 🌟

Day 2 is underway! Our students are up, packed, and making great progress along Route 2. After a successful first day, they have set off with determination, teamwork, and positive spirits as they continue their expedition journey.

Throughout the day, they will be putting their navigation, resilience, and problem-solving skills to the test while supporting one another along the route.

We're incredibly proud of the commitment and enthusiasm they are showing.

Good luck to all participants as they continue their adventure—we look forward to hearing about today's achievements! 🌟

#DofE #DukeOfEdinburgh #Expedition #Teamwork #Resilience #Adventure #Route2 #ProudToBeDofE #OutdoorLearning #StudentSuccess See less



What a fantastic first year at The Orme Academy for our Year 7 students! 💙

This week's Celebration Assembly was a wonderful opportunity to recognise the achievements, effort and positive attitudes shown throughout the year. We are incredibly proud of everything our Year 7s have accomplished and can't wait to see what they achieve next.

Well done, Year 7! 🌟👏💙

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“Congratulations on successfully completing the Bronze Duke of Edinburgh Expedition.”