



# UNSWORTH ACADEMY



Friday 4<sup>th</sup> April 2025

Dear parents/carers,

Here is our last Friday update of the Spring Term. Since we last wrote to you, Eid has been celebrated by our Muslim communities. I hope you noticed our X social media posts in which we sent blessings and happiness, but it is also nice to use this briefing to wish everyone good health and success.

Highlights this week have included reward assemblies for all year groups. There have been prizes for attendance, effort, academic excellence, most notable academic improvements and champions of Unsworth values. We had a whole school two-hour careers drop down day on Thursday in which children did some age-specific future aspiration work. A community litter pick took place on Wednesday. Several members of the local public expressed their gratitude to the team of students, which was lovely. And today Year 7, Year 8 and Year 9 reports have gone out to parents on email and on the Arbor app.

We are open almost every day over the Easter break for Year 11 Easter Revision School. A huge thank you to staff members who are coming in during their holidays to support with this. It is much appreciated by everyone. Our latest technological development has been to purchase GCSEPod. It will be particularly helpful to Year 11 in these final weeks of revision. Years 7 to 10 also have accounts, however, and it is a great way to revise ahead of end of year exams. Letters with login and usage details went out to all students and parents this week. Our Spanish Department trip to Barcelona is going brilliantly and we welcome everyone back on Monday next week too.

Tuesday 22nd April is the first day of our Summer Term. Notable dates in the first couple of weeks for your calendars are Year 9 Parent's Evening on 24/04/25, distribution of Year 9 options forms on 25/04/25 and a 1.25pm finish for Years 7 to 10 on 02/05/25 for the Year 11 Leavers Assembly. It is a fitting Unsworth tradition for the Year 11s to have all the staff present that afternoon to reflect on their 5-year journeys just before the exam season. On Tuesday 29/04/2025 at 9.15am our SEND team are holding a coffee morning for parents/carers who want to know more and may have any questions about our adaptive teaching and pastoral care.

Have a lovely holiday all, well done to everyone who participated in Lenten commitments, which of course end on Thursday 17th April.

Let's hope for some lovely weather over these two weeks. Enjoy family and friend time,

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