

Friday 28th March 2024

Dear parents/carers,

Our final update of the term. As you would expect from Unsworth Academy, we have a hive of activity taking place on this last day and over the Easter break.

As I write, students are on a careers drop-down session, considering a range of workplace concepts and looking at work experience. The Army are in for the second consecutive day working with Year 9 on a range of physical and mental activities. The feedback from the children who took part yesterday was stellar. There is a lot of conversation going on between learners and staff about yesterday's "solidarity fast". Links are on our website and thanks to everyone for their support and appreciation of it. Students involved in our Oliver show have also been very excited to see a professionally produced recording of the performance! A huge public thanks to Finnlay Lyons's Dad for his assistance with this. Links have been sent out to cast members. On top of all the above, the construction team have arrived on-site a day early to start Project AstroTurf. The old surface is being cut into ribbons as I write, which is generating even more engagement and excitement in the project. Have a look at Twitter.

Tomorrow marks the start of a much-deserved Easter break. Well done to all students and staff for their hard work over the last eleven weeks of term. We do have a lot going on over the break. There are two foreign trips taking place. Groups of children and staff go to Paris in the first week and to Holland in the second week. The themes of the trips are Maths and Football, respectively, so have a great time everyone involved and represent us well. On site, we have an excellent schedule of Easter school Year 11 revision classes. Please make sure you attend year 11 and public appreciations to the staff for putting this on. Year 10 school reports will, also, be coming out and Project AstroTurf will, of course, progress!

I attach a leaflet that has come into school from British Cycling for your information and wish you all a super Easter hol!

Thanks everyone,

Yours faithfully,

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