

Friday 3rd November 2023

Dear parents/carers,

I am sending you a very concise Friday briefing this week. We are busily getting on with delivery of our calendar commitments and lessons. School is a hive of happy activity.

In assemblies over the past five days, we have considered progress with our new vision, culture, and values. There has been consensus amongst staff and students that we have started well this academic year with our principal purpose - to drive the academic and character development of all. Culture and values are also embedding well, with a particular focus on individual ownership. All are supported to succeed at Unsworth Academy, but whether we do so or not is ultimately up to each of us as individuals.

A major theme of next week is our Year 11 mock exams. We run two sets of mocks here, one in November and one in February. The mocks are really crucial in building momentum toward GCSE summer exams so good luck to Year 11 learners. A busy seven days of revision ahead for our two hundred Year 11 students.

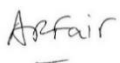
The time of year at which we ask for your feedback has arrived. The link below is to the parent survey and students and staff have been submitting their views today too.

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/Parentsurveyterm12023>

Please take the time to fill it in. If you feel positively about things, we need to know to keep doing them. If you feel there are things we need to change or improve, then we need to know that too.

Thank you everyone for your support as always and have a lovely weekend - hopefully with less rain!

Yours faithfully,



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