



## PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT NEWS

Nothing but the best

22nd March 2024

The penultimate week of the term has been packed with Personal Development opportunities. It has included a PSHCE drop down day, Careers Fair and Student Council meetings. Mixed in with this has also been the Year 11s final parents evening; the relationship we have with parents means so much to us and we thank the parents of our year 11s for working collaboratively with us over their sons/daughter's 5 years with us. Over the next few months these students will need this joint support more than ever as they embark on their GCSE exams.

### THIS WEEK'S THEME: GLOBAL RECYCLING WEEK



This week has been Global Recycling Week. We have not held assemblies this week but the theme have been weaved through the reading task and informed some of the discussion for student council meetings.



#### STUDENT COUNCIL:

During tutor time this week tutees discussed the extent to which they feel we fulfil our core value or being "Community Centred" and ideas they have to help the local community more, some of which might be inspired by global recycling week. These ideas were feedback in formal Student Council meetings. Well done to the representatives from each house who confidently gave valuable feedback to via this important forum.

#### PSHCE DAY 4

Day 4 took place this week, a day to fully focus on personal development. The themes covered were:  
Year 7-Aspiring to Succeed  
Year 8-Reaching Goals  
Year 9- The World of Work and Wider  
Year 10-Sexual Relationships  
Year 11-Relationships

#### CAREERS FAIR



On Wednesday this week around 30 businesses formed our annual Careers Fair. Students from all year groups had an opportunity to visit them and be inspired for their futures. Please continue dicussions at home about the opportunities they have learnt about and their aspirations for the future.

#### HOUSE COMPETITION:



#### HOT CHOCOLATE



Hot Chocolate with Mr Lewis this week was to say well done to those who have improved their engagement on Sparx Maths.



#### UPCOMING FOCUS

Next week's theme is rewards, when we recognises the many successes of the half term and term.

