

Walsall Academy

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Dear Parent/Carer

I hope that you are having a well-earned rest during the Christmas holiday.

Restaurant Prices

Please be aware that prices will rise in the Academy Restaurant in January. This is the first rise for over four years. The allowance for free school meals had already risen in December by over 15%.

Dates for your Diary

Year 11 – Monday 21 January 2019 – GCSE Preparation, Careers & The Challenge Information Evening – 7pm

The Key Stage 4 team will host an evening to advise Year 11 students and their parents regarding Careers and public examination preparation. This will include subject specific presentations by the English and Mathematics Departments. There will also be a presentation on The National Citizen Service powered by The Challenge.

Year 8 – Tuesday 26 February 2019 – GCSE Preferences Information Evening – 5:30pm & 7pm

Year 8 students and their parents are invited to the Academy for an information session on the new curriculum in Years 9, 10 and 11. Details of the arrangements for the evening will be provided nearer the date.

Year 13 – Wednesday 6 March 2019 – UCAS Student Finance Information Evening – 7pm

The Academy will be visited by an advisor from Aston University to answer questions regarding student finance. Further information will be sent to you nearer the date.

Wednesday 20 March 2019 – HE Fair for Years 10, 11 and 12 students from 5pm to 8pm

Plans are underway for the HE Fair to be held at the Academy for students from Year 10 up to Year 12.

All information that you may require can be found on our website or by contacting your child's Personal Tutor (PT).

May I wish you and your family a most enjoyable break over Christmas and New Year and my best wishes to you for 2019.

Yours sincerely

Mr S Rogers
Headteacher

