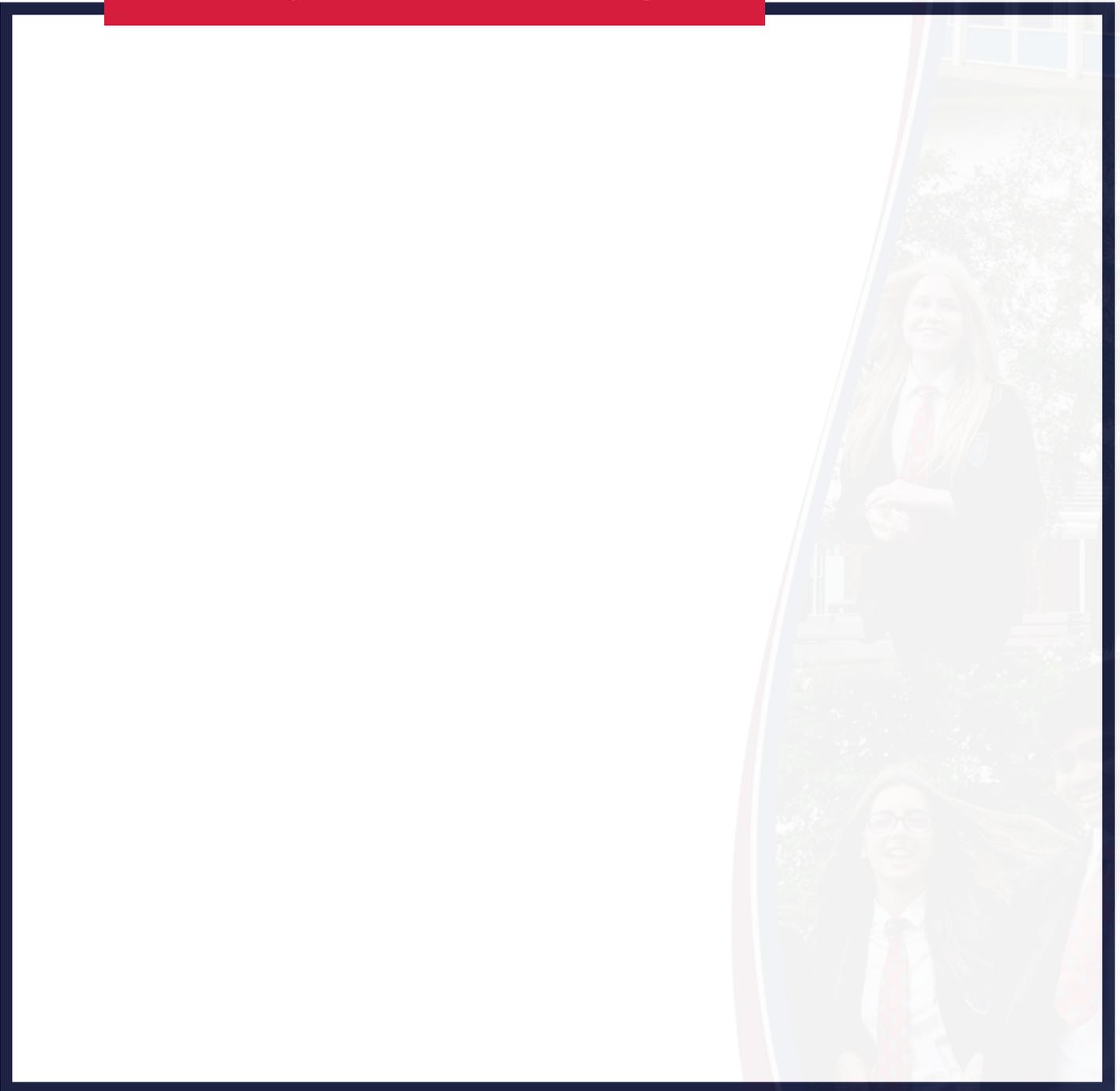




## Message from the Principal





## Armistice Parade

Students from Waltham Toll Bar Academy and Mr Phillip Bond, the Trust Chairman, laid wreaths on the 11th hour, of the 11th day of the 11th month to honour and remember those who have died in war to maintain our way of life.





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Our Key Stage 3 students worked together to create a series of large poppy sculptures made from old red rags, which were donated. The sculpture was made to celebrate Remembrance Sunday and were displayed on the school gates near the entrance.

Thank you for the relentless dedication and enthusiasm of the students involved and the Art Team for their support and delivery of this collaborative activity to honour lives lost in war.





## Day of the Dead Mask Competition

Congratulations to all the KS3 winners of the MFL Department's Day of the Dead Mask Competition. The judges were very impressed with the vibrant colours and designs and, with over 150 entries, they were spoilt for choice.

¡Mucha creatividad!

### Winners

**1st Prize:** Victoria Williams (Year 7D Perseus)

**2nd Prize:** Jasmine Jervis (Year 7G Indus)





## Day of the Dead Mask Competition

### Runners Up:

Emily Lamb (7G Indus)

Alma Aleter (7B Lyra)

Millie Gude (7G Indus)

Zack Ardron (7D Perseus)

Lily Turrell (7F Vela)

Aiyana Nijjar (7H Lyra)

Isobella Allan (7I Orion)

Kian Dixon (7F Vela)

Farzan Salehi (7B Lyra)

Lily-Rose Stinson (8C Orion)

Ruby Popham (8D Perseus)

Leo Oxley (8D Perseus)

Frankie Cass (8H Lyra)

Phoebe Smy (8H Lyra)

Hannah Wilde-Porter (8L Vela)

Megan Goodman (8D Perseus)

Charlotte Mason (8J Tucana)

Faith Swanson (9M Indus)





## Maximise Evening

Thank you to all students and parents for attending the Maximise Evening. Over 300 students attended this event to better understand how to prepare for their GCSE's. All students were issued with a number of revision guide books to support them in their studies. The Year 11 Revision timetable, and slides from the Maximise Presentation can now be found on the Academy Website.

## Art Masterclass

Many thanks to Paul Sparks, Programme Lead of Foundation Art at Grimsby Institute, who came in this week to discuss, with some of our Year 13 art students, post A Level options and potential careers in the fields of art and design.





## Sports Leaders



A number of year 9 students represented themselves and the academy to the highest possible standards when they helped run the Panathlon event at Grimsby. The students demonstrated excellent organisation, problem solving and communication skills throughout the day.



## Ballet Star

Congratulations to Sofia for gaining a scholarship at Elmhurst Summer School next year.

Sofia currently travels each weekend to Newcastle to pursue her passion for ballet with the Royal Ballet company.

Her love for ballet started at the end of 3 and her dedication is so great that she even continued her lessons via Zoom during the pandemic.

We wish Sofia all the best for the future.



## County Players

Congratulations to Ashley Carrol Y9 and Charlie Fisher Y9 and George Styles have been selected for the county hockey team.

Well done!



Year 10 student Libby Thompson has been selected to represent Humber-side County in Girls Football.

Well done Libby!



## Year 9 Residential Visit

A number of Year 9 have enjoyed a residential visit in November at Walesby Forest. Our students engaged in a number of activities throughout their stay. Thank you to Mr Cowie for organising the event.





## Interfaith Week 2022

To mark Interfaith Week 2022, Years 7 and 8 had the opportunity to participate in an interfaith fact chase, informing others about facts from different worldviews. We then held a random prize draw and the following stars won top prizes: Alfie, Oscar, Anna, Darcie and Kavishan. We had an amazing number of entries to congratulations to all those that took part!





## Spanish Play



Year 10 and 11 students who are studying Spanish, were treated to a performance of a play entirely in Spanish - followed by churros!

Fantastic actors of “Mi Personalidad,” performed by Onatti theatre company, encouraged students to speak in Spanish and take part in the play.





## U15 Girls Football Team

Well done to the under 15s girls team who beat Cleethorpes Academy 4-2 to reach the fifth round of the English FA Schools Cup. Both teams played some fantastic football with the all to play for until the last few moments.

Well done to all the girls for competing in the match so well.

## Spanish Tapas Trip



Year 10 and 11 GCSE Spanish students got to flex their linguistic skills while tantalising their taste buds at Bar Castelléjar in Louth. After ordering food in Spanish, they enjoyed a range of delicious tapas dishes including Paella, Pata-tas Bravas and Tortilla Española. And the verdict afterwards? ¡Muy delicioso!



## Year 11 Mock Examinations

The Year 11 Mock examinations start on 5th December . We wish all our year 11 students all the very best over the next few weeks. Staff will be on hand to support students during this time, the academy will continue to offer a range of after school revision session during this time. Details of the sessions can be found here.

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## Petit Delight



Quel petit déjeuner! Year 11 French students from Waltham Toll Bar Academy enjoyed a delicious French breakfast at local French bistro, Petit Delight. As well as a tasty selection of French food and drink, they had to order in French and give their opinion on it too. And the verdict? Délicieux!