



DEAN TRUST Ardwick

NEWSLETTER

Safeguarding Tip: Please take time to speak to your child about the risks associated with drugs. The school website has links to help you find further information.

23rd November 2018

COFFEE MORNING 30th November 2018

OUR THEME THIS TERM
ANTI-BULLYING



Headteacher's Message

Now the first set of termly assessments are complete for each year group we look forward to you receiving your first report of the year. Year 10 students are busy preparing for the mock exams which begin on Monday 3rd December and it is very encouraging to see so many of them taking advantage of the Year 10 study base after school.

It was exciting to be able to show a live streaming of Romeo and Juliet in the hall on Thursday for all Year 7 pupils. This will certainly help with their understanding of this famous Shakespeare play which they are studying, and we look forward to some of our Year 7s being inspired to get involved in future Shakespeare productions at school. Well done to the Year 9 football team, read on to find out why!

We would love to see you at our Coffee Morning next Friday, as we share with you our approach to anti-bullying. It is also a great chance to have a chat with other parents over coffee and pastries! I hope you can join us.

Enjoy this week's newsletter.

With best wishes,

Ms S. Finlay



Ms. S Finlay
Headteacher

Dates for your Diary

29 th November	Year 10 Parents Evening
30 th November	Coffee Morning
3 rd - 13 th December	Year 10 Mock Exams
6 th December	Year 9 Options Evening
14 th December	INSET Day

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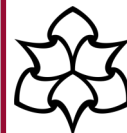
Year 7 News

This week marked the live broadcast of Romeo and Juliet, all Year 7 pupils took part in this event and feedback from the Head of English and staff supervising the event have been exceedingly positive about pupils' conduct and response, giving the fact it was a lengthy show. Please congratulate your child for their exemplary behaviour. This week I have also announced in Assembly the reward for this term, which is to hold our own Year 7 Disco! Form Representatives will be planning this event alongside Form Tutors and me to make it a memorable event before we break up for Christmas!



Year 8 News

This term, I want to encourage Year 8 pupils to attend new extra-curricular clubs, as well as ensuring that as a year group we are promoting and encouraging ourselves to get involved with wider school events. My wish is that every pupil in Year 8 will attend at least one extra-curricular club before the end of this half term.



**Manchester
Metropolitan
University**

Year 9 News

This week has been the week of trips for the Year 9 pupils! Three different groups of pupils went to Manchester Metropolitan University, Nando's restaurant and the Apple Store. All three trips were aimed at looking at different careers and how education and employment work together. In sporting news, the Year 9 boys football team played Burnage on Tuesday evening and put in a marvellous display winning 12-1! Congratulations to Mr Taylor-Johnson and the boys!



Year 10 News

The revision room has now opened every Tuesday and Thursday after school. There are spaces available for students to come and spend an hour at the end of school revising and getting support from teaching staff. Please encourage your sons and daughters to attend.

Year 10 Study Base : Room **209**: 3.15-4.15
3 weeks until your Mock exams begin...

Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
History Geography	Science History	English Maths Geography	Technology

- Room 209 will become a study base for quiet, purposeful revision.
- Each afternoon, different subject teachers will be there to guide you and answer your questions.
- You will be awarded with 1 achievement point per half hour.

Theme of the Week

**THEME
OF THE
WEEK**

Week Commencing
19th November 2018



Enrichment

How do you enrich
your life at Dean Trust
Ardwick?



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Faculty Updates

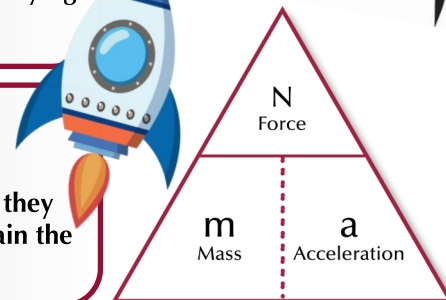
English

The highlight of the week in the English faculty was the live streaming of the newly released Royal Shakespeare Company's Romeo and Juliet production into the Main Hall. The whole of Year 7 were enthralled by the full performance and a question and answer session with the leading actors. This unique opportunity to watch the nation's best young actors take part in one of Shakespeare's best known plays prepares the pupils for studying the play later this year.



Science

Year 10 students have been busy in science this week investigating the relationship between force, mass and acceleration. Students completed a core practical whereby they carried out a practical, performed data analysis and applied their knowledge to explain the relationship.



Physical Education

Over the last couple of weeks in Physical Education, theoretical assessments have taken place testing pupils' knowledge of: muscles, components of fitness and the effects of exercise. On reflection, their knowledge and understanding of key concepts has been fantastic. Well done to the Year 9 Football Team winning 12-1 this week! We hope this success continues with the Year 7 Football team and with girls' football in the Manchester United Hub Tournament.

Humanities

During Black History Month pupils had the opportunity to learn about inspiring British individuals and their contribution to British society in their Humanities lessons. Pupils were encouraged to think about who inspires them the most and create a fact file about their individuals. The winners of the Black History Month competition were:

Year 7 Imaan

Year 8 Amina

Year 9 Oluwadurotimi



Hospitality and Catering

This week Year 10 have created a range of flavoured Focaccia, with a focus on time management and their ability to prove their bread as they prepare the toppings. The end results have been brilliant!

Design and Technology

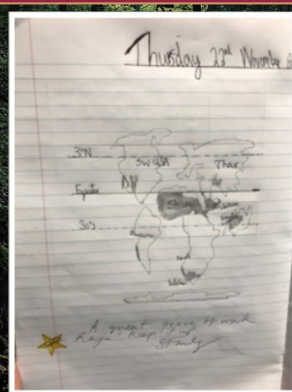
Speaker designs from Year 9 are looking fantastic, they are nearing completion and ready start practical work!

Art and Design

Year 10 have been getting experimental in their art lessons this week with some brilliant results from Miss McCann's class 10C.

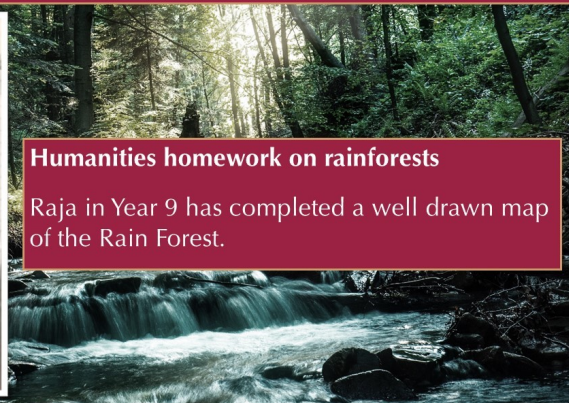


Headteacher's Commendation



Humanities homework on rainforests

Raja in Year 9 has completed a well drawn map of the Rain Forest.



Year 8 Stars of the Week

Subject	Name
English	Fiza
Mathematics	Alana
Science	Tasnia
Humanities	Paul
Design and Technology	Paul
Art and Design	Shereese
Hospitality and Catering	Arman
Physical Education	Adib
Modern Foreign	Aisha
Computer Science	Madalyne
PSHE	Keira

Top BfL 1 Grades	
Name	BfL Grade 1s
Madalynne	39
Mohammed	38
Aisha	37
Azeem	36
Salman	36

Form Awards

Whole School Attendance
97.31%

Year 7 BfL Grade 1
Form of the Week
Whitworth
61 Grade 1s

Year 7 Form of the Week
Attendance
Palace
100%

Year 8 BfL Grade 1
Form of the Week
Piccadilly
89 Grade 1s

Year 8 Form of the Week
Attendance
Piccadilly
100%

Year 9 BfL Grade 1
Form of the Week
Turing
90 Grade 1s

Year 9 Form of the Week
Attendance
Whitworth
100%

Year 10 BfL Grade 1
Form of the Week
Rylands
43 Grade 1s

Year 10 Form of the Week
Attendance
Piccadilly
99%