

Dear Parents and Carers,

27th November 2025

A reflective and purposeful week at Waseley this week with all our students receiving interactive cyber security assemblies educating and highlighting the importance of staying safe online from our safeguarding and IT team.

Tuesday saw Waseley #SpeakUp for White Ribbon Day 2025. All students received the opportunity to reflect in tutor time and have healthy discussions around ending violence towards women and girls. If any of our school community have concerns around this issue, please contact our safeguarding team who will be able to support you.

Our school council Eco committee representatives attended a workshop yesterday delivered by Act-On Energy. Students were encouraged to look at their energy usage and were empowered with strategies to reduce our carbon footprint both within school and at home.

We welcomed Devon from Citizens Advice Bureau last night who was available for parents to chat to about a whole host of things including housing, finances plus many other topics. Citizens Advice run a monthly drop-in session for families at Rubery Library on the first Monday of each month from 10am till 1pm. Please check as the advice he gives is the families who live within a certain catchment. The next parent workshop is 'Navigating the Online World with your Teenager'. This will run from 4.30pm to 5.30pm on 10th December.

A huge thank you to our Year 7 students who raised £56.15 for Children in Need. They have enjoyed cheese and jam sandwiches, prepared by our Wellbeing Ambassadors: Molly, Isabelle and Issy, along with scrumptious cupcakes, biscuits and drinks. Our Live entertainment was a big hit. Thank you to Lucas, Thomas, Jacob Y and Jacob T for their wonderful performance. We would also like to thank our Year 7 tutors, the canteen staff and the music department for their support.



We would like to remind parents that we are working together to ensure students attend school as much as possible. We have therefore reviewed our medicine consent form to make this easier for you to access. This is now electronic to enable immediate medication administration so your young person can remain in school. School will accept paracetamol to be signed in and kept on site to administer to students if needed. Should students attend school and become unwell throughout the school day, we will do our best to support your child to remain in school. Any children that are collected from school without being sent home by a senior member of staff or with evidence of

medical appointments, will receive an unauthorised mark for that period of time. We appreciate your support in helping your child receive their uninterrupted education.

[Medication Consent Form – Fill in form](#)

Key dates:

Take The Floor Dance Showcase – Wednesday 3rd December

This is Waseley Hills' first ever dance showcase! The show starts at 6:30pm and tickets are £2. These can be purchased on Arbor or via cash on the door. There will also be refreshments that will be available to purchase. All proceeds will go back into the Performing Arts department to help with buying equipment and resources for the department. Any donations are gratefully received!

Annual Christmas Hamper competition- Wednesday 3rd December

Form groups are designing, making and filling hampers with donations to support two local charities with much needed items for Christmas. This year we are continuing to support Catshill foodbank and Newstarts Frankley. A big thank you to families for their support and generosity.

Music Concert – Thursday 4th December

All are welcome to celebrate the musical talents of Waseley students. As with the Dance showcase, the show starts at 6.30pm in the theatre and tickets are available on Arbor or via cash for £2 with proceeds going toward future productions including Oliver Jr, of which rehearsals are well underway!

Christmas Jumper Day Thursday 11th December – students and staff are invited to wear a festive jumper in addition to their full usual uniform. Donations to Save the children can be made on Arbor

Attendance Challenge



Attend every day from Thursday 4th December to Friday 19th December and be in with the chance of winning a £50 Amazon voucher. There is one voucher per year group up for grabs and the winners will be chosen during year group celebration assemblies on Friday 19th.

School is closed to students tomorrow and we look forward to seeing all in on Monday as normal.

Kind regards,

Mr T Preston

Principal