

Pool Hayes
Academy

THE KEY

PARENT & CARER BULLETIN

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Message from our Principal

Friday marks the end of another term. A passing of time and a chance for us to breath and reset ready to go again in the new year. As we come to a close we are saying 'bon voyage' to a number of staff as they move on to new roles in new schools or settings. We wish Mrs Prior, Miss Jackson and Ms Malbon all the very best. They will always be a part of the Pool Hayes Family.

I hope you have had chance to see our Christmas Video although my cameo appearance as Bono seems angry rather than the festive angst I was trying to portray. A big thank you to Ms Thomson and Mr Warrington who pulled it together.

The end of things also means the beginning of things of fresh

starts and new ambition. I look forward to seeing everyone on their return as we accelerate towards more mocks for Year 11 and 13 and assessments for other year groups. Given what is coming with these exams and assessments, attendance is a real key. I'm pleased to say we are ranked third best in our trust but would love to beat the leaders, Bristnall Hall. Maybe if I make this a Christmas wish Santa Claus will deliver?

And so to quote Tiny Tim (in the hope that Year 11 learn their literature quotes):

Merry Christmas

"God bless us, everyone!"

Mr A Lawrence
Principal

Key Dates and Events

All students return to the academy: Monday 6th January

Advance Notice

Year 11 Mock Exams Continue:
Monday 13th January

Year 10 Parents Evening:
Tuesday 14th January

Merry Christmas from the staff at Pool Hayes Academy!

Watch by clicking here!

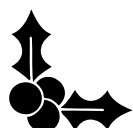


Student Successes

Students have been working hard to complete their Sparx Homework. So far as a school this year we have read for **1146 hours** and read **594 different books!** In Maths we have answered **501,010 questions!** In Science we have answered **115,221 questions!**

On Languagenut student have earned an impressive **1,797,300 points** this month!

Congratulations! Amazing work and effort to our students!!



Head of Year Shout Outs

To all year 9 students, parents/carers

May you all be blessed with a peaceful Christmas and a prosperous new year. We hope to see the standards continuing to grow within the year group in the new year. Go Year 9!

Enjoy the break.

Miss. Agha & Mr. Shakespeare