



# Baskerville School Newsletter



8 June 2018



## Residential Provision Open Evening

A reminder that our residential team will be hosting an open evening next Tuesday (12 June) starting at 6pm. Please come to meet our residential staff and students and tour the facilities to find out more about our residential provision which has received an 'Outstanding' rating from Ofsted for the past 4 years. All parents, carers, students and families are welcome!

## A+ Parents' Evening

Please note that a wrong date has been given in the letter to parents for the next Parents / Carers Evening. It will take place on Wednesday 4 July from 4 to 6 pm.

## TERM DATES

### Year 2017/2018

#### Summer Term

Tuesday 17.4.18 to  
Friday 25.5.18

#### HALF TERM

Monday 4.6.18 to  
Tuesday 24.7.18

\*Staff training day  
on Monday 2.7.18.

(Students will go home at 2:30pm on the last day of term.)

### Year 2018/2019

#### Autumn Term

Tuesday 4.9.18\* to  
Friday 26.10.18

#### HALF TERM

Monday 5.11.18 to  
Friday 21.12.18

\* Staff training days  
on Monday 3.9.18  
and Friday 23.11.18.

#### Spring Term

Wednesday 9.1.19\* to  
Friday 15.2.19

#### HALF TERM

Tuesday 26.2.19\* to  
Friday 12.4.19

\* Staff training day  
on Monday 7.1.19  
and Tuesday 8.1.19  
and Monday 25.2.19.

#### Summer Term

Monday 29.4.19 to  
Friday 24.5.19

#### HALF TERM

Monday 3.6.19 to  
Monday 22.7.19

(School will be closed to students on all staff training days. Students will go home at 2:30pm on the last day of term.)

# Hello & welcome

## Welcome to our New Students

New students who will be joining Baskerville School in September have been invited to visit us in the coming

weeks. They will have a tour around the school and a walk on our nature trail, meet staff and students, play a game of spot the place / face and have their lunch in our dining hall.

If you know any students from your previous school or if you meet any of them for the first time at school, do say hello and make them feel welcome!



## Parents' Survey

Thanks to all the parents and carers who have completed and returned the survey. If you have not yet done so, please note that the deadline has been extended to Friday 15 June. Please take a few minutes to complete the form and return it to Sharon Woolley, our Inclusion Manager. Your opinion is important to us!

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James Wallace has created a replica WWII KV2 tank during his pastoral sessions with Sarah.

James used many skills to create the tank which is now on display in the Portakabin. Well done James!



## Options for Post 16 and Post 19 Placement

A reminder to all parents / carers of Year 10 and Year 13 students to send their preference forms in for Post 16 and Post 19 placement.

It is important that you let the school know your preference for your child so that we can provide the necessary support / guidance for you to secure the placement in good time.

If you need any help, please do not hesitate to contact Sharon Woolley, our Inclusion Manager at school.



MAC Makes Music is an award-winning programme providing innovative music-making opportunities for children and young people with additional needs.

They are now offering 3 taster sessions for children between the ages of 11 and 15 to learn to play music, write their own song, meet and socialise with other young budding musicians / vocalists, have the opportunity to perform at live events, and meet members of SWITCH, MAC's own band of which Xian, one of our past students is a member!

Parents and carers are welcome to come along to the taster sessions which will take place on Tuesdays 12 and 26 June and 3 July from 4:30 to 5:30pm.

For more information, please contact MAC Makes Music Administrator Charlene Marriott by telephone 0121 446 3222 or by email [Charlene.marriott@macbirmingham.co.uk](mailto:Charlene.marriott@macbirmingham.co.uk).

SWITCH will be staging a live performance in MAC's Outdoor Arena on Friday 29 June at 7pm. Xian will be performing with the band! Tickets are £3 each. All are welcome.



Just a reminder that the Summer Fayre will be held on Thursday 28 June, 2-3.15pm. Thank you for all your donations so far which have been gratefully received. Please continue to send donations in. We are in desperate need of teddies for our tombola so if you would like your good quality teddies to go to a new home, please send them in! We are planning to sell cakes, books, plants, bric-a-brac and much more. Come along and pick up a bargain!