



Feversham College

Our Autumn Newsletter



As the first half terms draws to a close I write to update you on some of our achievements and news headlines.

As you are aware Feversham College is one of only 3 outstanding secondary schools in Bradford. I have previously told you how pleased we were with the collective success of our students summer examination results 73.1% of pupils achieving an A*-C in English and Mathematics. New performance measures are taken into account this year alongside this headline measure all schools will also have a Progress 8 Score (P8). Progress 8 tell us how well pupils have progressed between the end of primary school (key stage 2) and the end of secondary school (key stage 4), compared to pupils in other schools who got similar results at the end of primary school. This is based on results in up to 8 qualifications, which include English, Maths, 3 qualifications including Science, Computer Science, History, Geography and Languages and 3 other additional approved qualifications.

I am delighted to tell you that our P8 score puts us well above average and well within the top 5% of schools in England. This is a fantastic achievement and one we can all be truly proud of.

Miss Clare Skelding
Headteacher

Bradford Girls Academy

We have been successful in our application to open a free school.

Bradford Girls Academy will hopefully open in September 2018 to its first cohort of 120 girls. We are meeting with the DfE in November to have further discussions around potential locations within Bradford.

Teaching and Learning

Staff have had fantastic CPD training around feedback strategies, developing Literacy and use of new technologies in the classroom.

Trips

We have had several reward trips this half term for the girls that achieved 100% attendance last year. As we all know attendance makes a huge difference to achievement.

Please support us in helping your daughter to achieve an attendance award next year.

Great News

Four of our students have been shortlisted for the Young Muslim Writers' Awards this year. Their poems were chosen as amongst the top 5 in their category for entries all over the Country. We wish them all the best of luck. One of our students and a winner from last year has been invited as a judge for the Key Stage 2 competition this year.

Student Services team – 2016/17

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Please note the email addresses for your daughter's House Leader, should you need to get in touch.

Dates for your diary

- Friday 21 October – School closes for Half Term
- Monday 31 October – School reopens
- Tuesday 22 November – Careers convention
- Thursday 24 November – Year 12 and 13 Consultation evening
- Thursday 8 December – Presentation evening
- Monday 12 December – Year 11 Mock exams begin
- Tuesday 14 December – Year 10 Consultation evening
- Wednesday 21 December - school closes for the Winter holidays
- Tuesday 3 January 2017 – School reopens.