



21st June 2019

Dear Parents and Carers

As we draw towards the end of what has been a very busy but fruitful year at our academy I would like to take the opportunity to thank you for your ongoing support. The work of children, parents and staff has contributed to some amazing developments at Newark Academy and some great class work from our students. We couldn't be more proud of our students and we look forward to September for what will be an even more successful year, I'm sure!

At Newark Academy we pride ourselves on creating invaluable opportunities for children to develop their character through leadership. We have over 130 Student Leaders across our academy who have completed some excellent work through various fundraising projects. Our academy has raised over £3000 this year for various local and national charities and we couldn't do this without your support, thank you. Below is a letter written by our Student Leaders who have planned another fundraising activity to raise money for 'Newark Mind'. This is a vital local, independent charity who support and give guidance on mental health issues, an invaluable service to local people.

In addition to the information related to the fund raising activities described below I would also like to share with you our plans for the final few days of term. Whilst the week will run as a normal school week with lessons planned to deliver our curriculum there will be one or two changes. Our annual rewards trip to Alton Towers will take place on Wednesday 17th July and a separate invite letter with full details will come out very soon to those families whose children have achieved the attitude to learning (ATL) target of 1.8 or better. In addition, there will be an early finish on the last day of term where our academy will close at 1.15pm. Throughout the final day each year group will participate in their end of term rewards assembly where a number of certificates and prizes will be handed out. Lunch will be provided and arrangements for school buses will be made so that early pick-ups can occur. If there are any issues with your child being able to leave early on the final day then please contact your child's head of year so that arrangements can be made in school for them.

Kind regards

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Dear Parents/Carers

On Friday 19th July, we are hosting a non-uniform day for all students of Newark Academy to help raise money for the local charity 'Newark Mind'.

'Newark Mind' is an independent charity working across Newark and Sherwood providing information, support and guidance on mental health issues. Students will be asked for a £1 donation to wear non-uniform on this day which will be collected by their form tutor.

As well as the non-uniform day there will be different activities running throughout the week for students to get involved in such as 'Gunge the teacher' on Thursday, where students will be able to nominate teachers at the reception desk and a bake sale running throughout the week where there will be a variety of cakes and sweet treats being sold for small donations.

All donations will be gratefully received providing welcome support for Newark Mind.

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