

# Blackfriars Bulletin

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A very warm welcome to our first newsletter of the year, we are delighted to report that we have had a really smooth start to the year and whilst some students are not quite as overjoyed as us to be back, they are doing their best! It was lovely to look out at the sea of expectant faces during assembly and see everyone looking so smart in their school uniforms. Thank you!

We especially want to say 'welcome' to:-

Class 1: Lucy and Naomi

Class 3: Daniel, Jack, Alexander, Allarna and Samuel

Class 4: Jake, Beaujena, Holly, Jack and Elise

Class 6: Aaron, Bradley, Shannon, Luke, Rhys,

Harry, Matthew, Owen and Alfie

Class 7: Maisie-Lou

We hope you are all very happy here at Blackfriars.



We had some absolutely fantastic results in the summer with 100% of our complex needs Year 11s gaining their accreditation and some brilliant results in ASDAN and BTec qualifications. In a year when all of the exams have changed and there is a new scoring system, we had 16.7% of our students

gaining a grade 4 (equivalent to a grade C) in English and 16.7% in maths. We are so proud of our Year 11s and wish them every success in the future. 100% of them are moving on to further Education – at a range of settings including Blackfriars FE, Springfield Sixth Form in Crewe, Macclesfield College and Newcastle –Under-Lyme College. We look forward to hearing all about how they are getting on and will forward their news when we have it.

If your child has personal care, please can we ask that you send in a named bag with 2 packs of wipes, pads, Kushies, swim wear including a swim cap and towel and at least one full set of clothes, but preferably more pants and trousers / tracksuit bottoms. If ANY parent has a child that has outgrown pants/ tracksuit bottoms/ trousers etc, please can you send them in for emergencies for other children





The physio team at Blackfriars this year are Kay Morris, Aimee McHale and the assistants Suzanne Lewis, Debbie Harrison and Pat Law. If you have any concerns, please contact Kay on 07580792464.

#### Autism friendly cinema screening

September's films

Cineworld host an autism friendly cinema screening on the first Sunday of every month at 11am.

Cineworld's next autism friendly film screening is Cars 3 on Sunday 3rd September at 11am.

Showcase host an autism friendly cinema screening on the second Sunday of the month at 10am.

Showcase's next autism friendly film screening is Thomas & Friends: Journey Beyond Sodor on Sunday 10th September at 10am.

ODEON host an autism friendly cinema screening every month at 10:15am. At a select number of cinemas, ODEON are trialling screenings for older audiences.

ODEON's next autism friendly film screening is Cars 3 on Sunday 24th September at 10:15am.

ODEON's next autism friendly films for older audiences at 9 cinemas is The Dark Tower (12A) on Monday 25th September at 6pm.

Vue host an autism friendly cinema screening on the last Sunday of every month at 10:15am, from £1.99.

Vue's next autism friendly film screening is Paw Patrol on Sunday 27th August at 10:15am.

Vue's September film is Spark on 24th September at 10:15am.

#### Lunch-time clubs will be starting from Monday 11th September. They include

Day	Club	Club	
Monday	Computer Club/Minecraft English as an additional language		
Tuesday	Computer Club/Minecraft	Board Games Club	
Wednesday	Railway Club Colouring Club		
Thursday	Singing Club	Lego Club	
Friday	Girls allowed Club		

Our times of day are slightly different this year meaning that lunch-time starts later. It is therefore important that your child brings some tuck into school for break-time or money to purchase it from our canteen. We have a new cook, Jane Rowley, she has been in catering since leaving school and brings to our school a vast range of experience. Below is the break menu and prices

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Buttered Toast 30p	Buttered Toast 30p	Buttered Toast 30p	Buttered Toast 30p	Buttered Toast 30p
Crumpet 45p	Cheese Oatcake 75p	Teacake 50p	Cheese Oatcake 75p	Bacon Roll £1.00
Fruit Muffin 40p	Fruit Muffin 40p	Fruit Muffin 40p	Fruit Muffin 40p	Fruit Muffin 40p

Morning Break Price List

Milk Carton 25p Bottled Water 300ml 45p Milkshakes Carton 50p Radnor Fruit 330ml 60p

Fresh Fruit 35p

