

PRINCIPAL'S BULLETIN



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The communication between school and parent is vital in reinforcing to students that the school and you, the parent, is a team with the same goal: to support children in reaching their potential.

Dear Parents/Carers

Another week of positive, incremental changes being made. Helpful, solution-focused, constructive feedback from parents is always welcomed and is essential to the improvement journey.

This week, we have emphasized the importance of wearing the Gateacre badge: it means something to be a Gateacre pupil; it has value; it is a privilege; it shows our community that we are developing the next generations of leaders of the country, and Liverpool will be a driving force in this contribution. How we wear this uniform reflects our mindset: our value of ourselves and our value of our school – it is our identity. We, therefore, unapologetically wear full uniform as outlined in the policy. We wear it with pride.

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We can't do this alone. Alongside your support, I have the full support of Northern Schools Trust. The vision is a noble one: we want to create life changing opportunities through education for every pupil. We believe each child has great potential, and it is our role to nurture this and ensure it actualises into great progress, irrespective of the starting point. Your support, as parents/carers, in this will be key.

Our values are: Believe. Achieve. Succeed. We believe in each and every pupil in this school. Over the coming weeks and months, we will be looking to survey pupils to gain an insight into who they are, what their interests are, their family make-up, what careers run in the family, what skills they hold dear or want to develop, what aspirations they have – all to carve out a personal pathway for them through to Year 13 when they go off to university or begin the world of work in fields of their choice(s).

To our Year 6 pupils/parents: I want to know the very same, as above, about your child so we maximise our time and begin this personalised offer from the day you set foot into Gateacre.

Together we are strong. We are Gateacre.

Mr N. Jamil

Principal

GIRLS UNIFORM



BOYS UNIFORM



Y10 GCSE DRAMA

Y10 put on a wonderful display of creativity on Thursday when they performed for their first GCSE practical Drama exam. For some students, this was their first time performing on stage and all students did incredibly well. The students performed plays devised by themselves around a variety of themes: Gun crime, the Great Depression, the after life, Covid 19, the story of Ann Boleyn. A range of skills were demonstrated and the hard work of the students, including rehearsals over Easter and after school, really paid off. Well done Y10 Drama!



FUTURE FOCUS

A group Year 10 students recently participated in a widening participation program at Liverpool University. This is a continuation from a visit during Year 9. They engaged in practical experiences such as birthing toy lambs in Veterinary and engaging in ethical debates in Psychology, gaining exposure to Medicine, Dentistry, Life Sciences, and more. This hands-on learning opportunity provided valuable insight into various fields of study and a true insight into University life.



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

6th MAY
Bank Holiday

9th MAY
Year 10 Parents Evening

27th MAY
Half Term

FOLLOW GATEACRE SCHOOL ON

