

Assemblies for Week Commencing 10 December

House assemblies will this week be taken by Mrs Barber and will be on the topic of 'Plastic and the environment'.

Attendance Winners

This week's attendance winners were 11-SH.
Congratulations!

HUNDREDS OF BIKES ARE BEING STOLEN IN COLCHESTER EACH MONTH
STOP THE BIKE THIEVES RUINING YOUR CHRISTMAS

PROTECT YOUR BIKE

COME TO THE BIKE EVENT FOR SOME FREE ADVICE FROM THE POLICE AND BIKE SPECIALISTS WITH DEPUTY MAYOR NICK COPE

Organised by The Berechurch Bulletin

FREE BIKE EVENT

Saturday 8th December

10am until 12noon

THE GRAPES PUB, Mersea Road

BRING YOUR BIKE ALONG

PICK UP A 20% OFF VOUCHER TO USE ON THE DAY TO BUY A SECURE LOCK
(Your bike is only worth as much as the lock you use!)

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The Griffin

GCSE Drama Students Trip to see Aladdin

Over seventy GCSE Drama Students were transported to A Whole New World as we visited the Prince Edward Theatre to watch Disney's Aladdin.

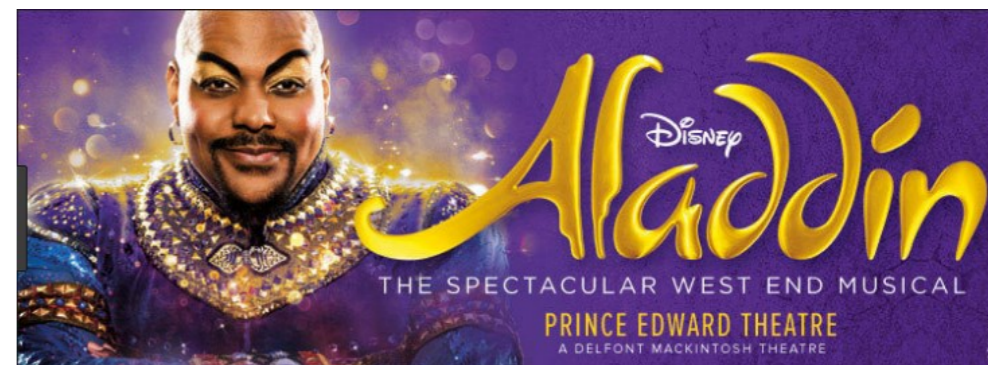
As part of the GCSE course, students are expected to review a live performance so the Year 9, 10 and 11 students had the opportunity to see a fantastic West End Show. The live action version of Disney's Aladdin included all of the hit songs from the film whilst also including a variety of new songs just for the stage show.

The Scenery and costume, as an area of study certainly did not disappoint with some phenomenal scenery pieces and over four hundred costumes changes.

The energy and enthusiasm of the cast was amazing and the dancers certainly kept us all entertained. But it was the Genie whose charismatic and lively performance made the show! With his high octane dance routines and booming singing voice, every hilarious moment left us wanting more. The flying carpet also impressed students flying Aladdin and Jasmine through the air. Also impressing the crowds were the flashing pyrotechnics and whizzing confetti cannons. What a spectacular show.

Well done to all students who went on the trip for representing the school so well and for your lovely behaviour.

Miss Parker
Head of Drama



Diary Dates Diary Dates

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| Monday 10 December | Year 11 Mock Interviews - Catch up |
| Monday 10 December to Friday 14 December | Year 10 and 11 German Christmas Market Trip |
| Tuesday 18 December | School Christmas Lunch |
| Friday 21 December | Last Day of Autumn Term. School closes at 12.45. Mersea / Peldon buses depart at 1.00pm. |

The school is providing transport home for students who use First 175 and Hedingham No. 19 buses. This bus will depart at 1.00pm

Child Protection Policy

The Thomas Lord Audley School's Child Protection Policy is available via the School Web-site



Christmas Dinner

Tuesday 18th December

Price - £2.50

Students eligible for Free School Meal will be provided with a free Christmas Dinner unless Main Reception are notified

Payment is by ParentPay

Deadline for payment is Tuesday 11th December





Please be aware there will be **no other food** available on this day at either break time or lunch time

TLA House Cup Totals

- 1st Austen 69.07
- 2nd Darwin 63.07
- 3rd Nelson 61.02

Our current leader in the stars totals is Imogen Hodges 7A-JK with an impressive 211 stars so far.

Well Done Imogen!

Music Success

Congratulations to Sam Copus who has passed his Grade 6 Piano with Distinction!

An amazing achievement!

Mrs Curd
Head of Music

School Council Raffle

Hamper Raffle Tickets are now on sale:

- £1.00 a strip
- £5.00 for 6 strips



Lost Property



Lost property will be displayed at Student Office from Monday 10 December until the end of this term.

Items not claimed by the 21 December will be disposed of. Can we please ask that items of clothing are marked with your child's name.

Finance Notices

1. Sharp el-531 calculators available via ParentPay
2. TLA school tie and replacement locker key now available via ParentPay
3. Year 10 and 11 Science Revision guides - available via ParentPay
4. Ski Trip February 2019 - Fourth instalment **NOW OVERDUE**
5. Year 8 French Residential Trip - Second instalment **NOW OVERDUE**
6. Music Tuition Fees Spring Term - Payments due by ParentPay by 7 January
7. GCSE PE Polo Shirt - Payment due via ParentPay by 14 December
8. Christmas Dinner Tickets available via ParentPay, Deadline 11 December. Students entitled to Free School Meals do need to book their meal online. **Please be aware that there is no other food available either at break or lunch time on this day.**
9. **Please make sure that dinner money payments are up to date using ParentPay, our online payment system. Any queries please contact Main Office.**

Book Clubs

	Monday	All Years	Slated
7 Week B WB 10 DEC	Tuesday	Year 9	Territory Interform
	Wednesday	Year 8	Socks are not Enough Interform
	Monday	All Years	Joe Cowley
8 Week A WB 17 DEC	Tuesday	All Years	Doctor Proctor Time Travel