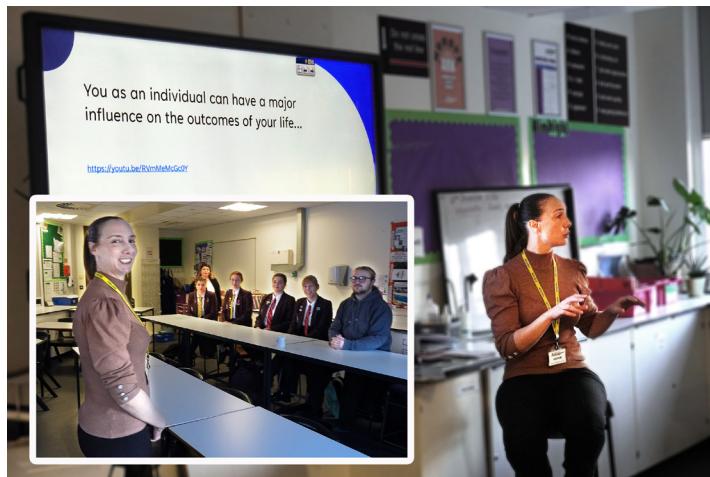




BAE Systems Education Programme visited year 7 and 8. They talked about the importance of magnets in everyday life and performed some exciting demonstrations. Students learned about magnetic fields, electromagnets and their uses in the Royal Navy and Royal Air Force. Hopefully, we now have some budding engineers/scientists!

Medically-minded HAD students were given the opportunity to explore potential career inspiration with outreach visitors from the NHS. Tuesday saw a group of year 9 to year 12 students engage with Tracey Newbold from SATH Trust as she introduced them to routes into careers in nursing, midwifery, physiotherapy, and pharmacology to name but a few. Wednesday was the aspiring Doctors turn, as students from year 10 to 12 listened to a wonderfully motivational talk from Dr Rhiannon Worrall. All students have been invited to partake in the William Farr Academy, to further their recruitment opportunities.



Our fantastic Year 11 Photographers embarked on a location shoot to Shrewsbury. Their brief was to photograph and record the town in response to their theme of 'My Environment' in their GCSE portfolios.

In the preceding weeks, students planned their shoot and researched photographers for inspiration. Some chose to focus on the buildings and architectural details, whilst others chose to photograph the people who populated the town in a photojournalistic/street photography manner.

The day was perfect: the weather cold but dry and many an excellent photo was taken. Everyone had a very creative and productive morning.







Our Showband musicians were delighted to support the Madeley Christmas lights switch-on event by playing at The Anstice.



Y8 had a visit from Dr Simon Nightingale of the British Humanist Association. This is building upon the inclusion of non-religious worldviews in the Religious Studies Curriculum and reflects the latest Census data. We hope more worldview speakers will follow.



Students across years 7-13 participated in this year's House writing competition. Students were asked to write a creative piece on 'time travel', or complete an argumentative piece on 'Is the Internet causing more bad than good?' The winners were Ollie Deutschman, Brianne Hicks, Nicole Pritchard, Chloe Fellows, and Teagan Owen. Congratulations!



## HOUSE CHARITY EVENTS FOR 2023

Wed 25th Jan: **Talent Competition**

Wed 1st Feb: **Family Quiz Night**

Wed 8th Feb: **Five Aside Football**

Bake sales are scheduled for:

Fri 20th Jan: **Darwin**

Fri 27th Jan: **Owen**

Fri 3rd Feb: **Webb**

Fri 10th Feb: **Woodhall**

Darwin: Macmillan  
Owen: Cancer Research  
Webb: Beam (Children's society)  
Woodhall: Teenage Cancer Trust

All students must wear the correct school uniform.

- Black trouser/ knee-length skirt (appropriate for school, no denim, joggers/sportswear)
- Academy blazer must be worn at all times
- Black Academy jumper (or plain black V-neck jumper will be considered; there should be no coloured jumpers or hoodies)
- Black school shoes (no trainers or trainer type shoes or boots)
- Hair must be a natural colour, no nail extensions, discrete makeup, no nose studs/rings
- No rings, chains, bracelets, facial piercings, or sparkly/dangly earrings
- Only school coats are acceptable (no fancy or fashion coats)



13 students have made it through to the next round of the Bebras Challenge (featured previously). This is a big achievement for the school as only the top 10% nationally go through. They'll receive a certificate in the whole school assembly next week.



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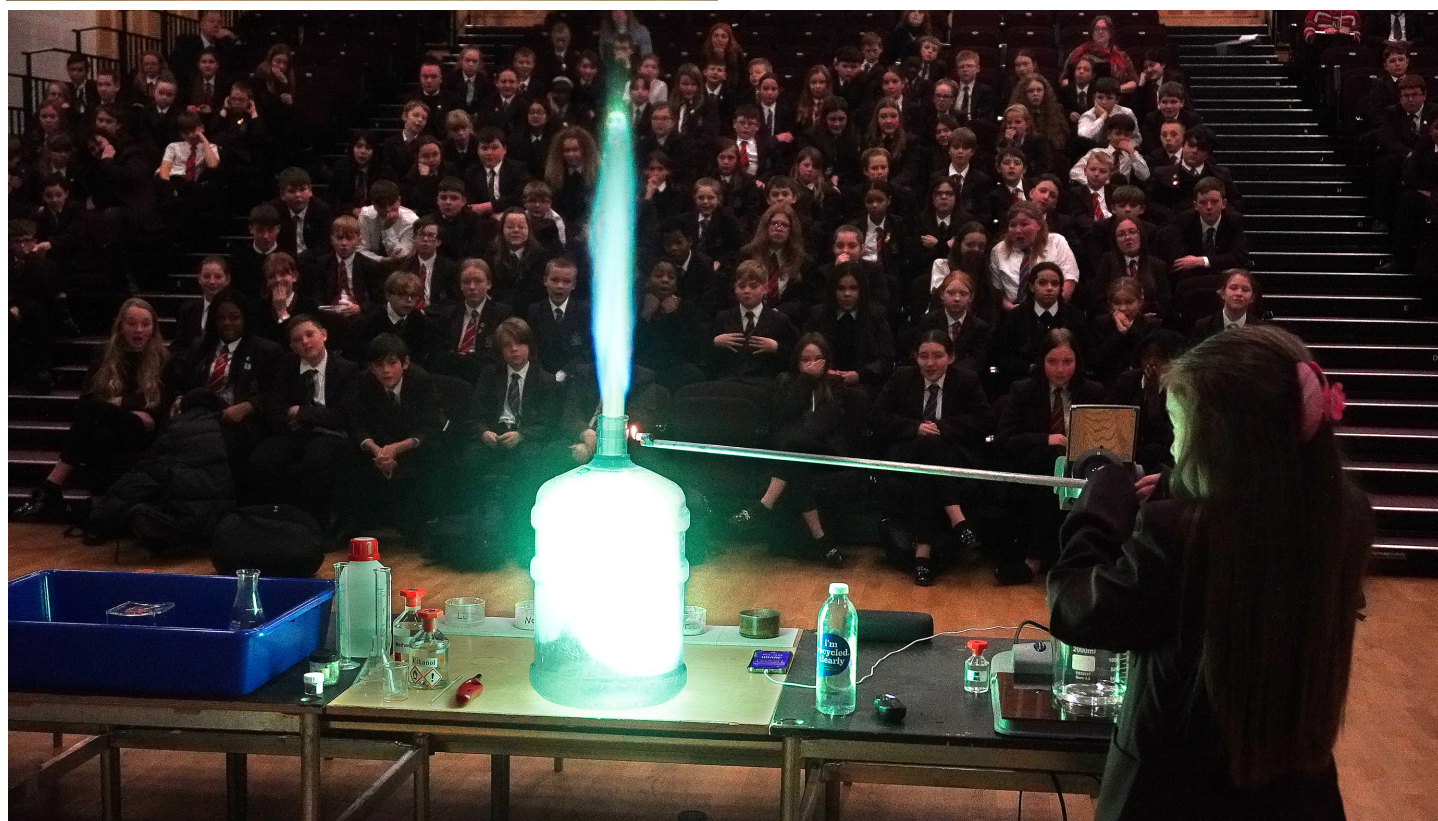
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### BOOM, BANG, WALLOP

A very exciting end to the term for year 7 and 8 pupils who experienced a fabulous "colourful chemistry" lecture from Dr Peter Hoare.



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## TOP ATTENDANCE week ending: Dec 2nd

"It is through education and learning that we can ultimately achieve all our goals and desires"



### GOOD ATTENDANCE & PUNCTUALITY


Better education and exam results  
Good home-school relationships  
Good placements  
Work placements  
Apprenticeships  
Opportunities  
College  
Jobs

**7 JDJ Webb**  
best attending mentor  
this week

**7 AST Woodhall**  
best attending mentor  
of the year to date

### Mobile phones and devices

The use of mobile phones and other electronic devices is prohibited during school hours except in exceptional cases (includes using it for lessons or with prior authorisation from a member of staff). Earphones/earpieces will be confiscated. 6th formers are permitted to use their phones in designated areas only.



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# PART-TIME SCHOOL RECEPTIONIST

Salary: £8,127 pa Grade 3, Point 3 (£11.2359 per hour)  
(Full-time equivalent salary £21,676 per annum)

Are you looking for part-time work and have experience in a customer facing role? If so, we may have the position for you. We are looking for an experienced school receptionist for 2 days per week as a job share with our current receptionist. This is a busy school reception and duties will include: answering the school phone, face to face reception duties, signing in visitors, dealing with parents, staff and members of the public, answering queries and providing good customer support.

The hours are 8.00 to 16.30 over 2 days (preferably Thursday and Friday) and also to cover reception on the school's PD Days.

Further information and an application pack are available from our website: <https://www.haberdashersabrahamdarby.co.uk/support-staff-vacancies/>  
Completed applications should be returned to the HR Manager via email: [deborah.tudor@taw.org.uk](mailto:deborah.tudor@taw.org.uk)

The closing date for applications is 3pm on Friday 6th Jan 2023

Haberdashers' Abraham Darby is committed to protecting children and young people. All posts working with children, young people and vulnerable adults will be subject to an enhanced DBS check (including a check of the Barred List) and essential pre-employment checks.

*Passionate about learning* ✓

# Christmas Jumper Day ( or red top ) Wednesday 14th

Christmas jumper / red top to be worn over school uniform (blazers not required if wearing your Christmas jumper). Students not participating in this charity event must wear full school uniform.



# We Wish You all a Safe and Very Merry Christmas

All students break up on Friday 16th December 2022 and return on Wednesday January 4th 2023 (week A).

## ABRAHAM DARBY MUSIC

Sat 10th Dec: SMADA Christmas Fayre 12.30pm  
Sun 11th Dec: Carols at M&S from 11am-1pm (TBC)  
Wed 14th Dec: Saxs at Park Lane Com. Centre 10.30-12.30pm  
Thurs 15th Dec: End of term concert  
Sat 17th Dec: Carols at M&S playing from 10am-12pm  
Sun 18th Dec: Saxs at M&S playing from 11am-1pm  
Sun 18th Dec: Brass Group St. Michael's Church Madeley 6pm  
Mon 19th Dec: Carols at M&S playing from 10am-12pm  
Tue 20th Dec: Carols at M&S playing from 10am-12pm  
Wed 21st Dec: Carols at M&S playing from 10am-12pm  
Fri 23rd Dec: Carols at Morrisons, Wellington 10am-3pm  
Sat 24th Dec: Carols on Ironbridge 7pm

Christmas 2022

## End of Term Concert

Featuring the Academy Bands

Thursday 15th December

7.30 pm

Tickets £8.00

From Mrs Collington 01952 386049  
[sue.collington@taw.org.uk](mailto:sue.collington@taw.org.uk)





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