

Sherburn High School

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Dear parents and carers,

Have you seen this article in today's York Press?!

York schools ranked in top 10 for performance in the north

"TOP York and North Yorkshire schools have been ranked in the best ten state and independent schools in the north for academic performance, results compiled by The Sunday Times show.

Fulford School, Archbishop Holgate's CE, All Saints RC and Sherburn High all landed a place in the top ten state schools in the north,"

See <u>here</u> to see the full article!

Proposed Merger with CYMAT

As part of the current period of engagement, STAR MAT would like to hear from our stakeholders regarding the proposed MAT Merger with South York Multi Academy Trust. This survey should take just a few minutes to complete and all feedback will be collated into our Engagement Report.

Click here to open the survey

Thank you in advance for your feedback.

Praise – Praise – Praise!

A highlight of my week has been attending one of the Year 7 "First 50 Days" celebration events. A huge congratulations to all of the students who were invited, the chocolate cake looked particularly delicious!

Next week we have our second Praise Breakfasts of the academic year. The focus for this half term has been "Ambition" with invitations to this event going to students who have "ambitious" punctuality, arriving on time to school and each lesson!

And, from next week class teachers will be busy sending home their E-postcards to praise those learners who been exceptional this half term!

Sixth Form News

Whilst Year 13 are busy applying for university and revising for their PPEs, our Year 11s had the opportunity to experience life beyond GCSEs on Wednesday. Remember – the deadline for early, priority applications for Sherburn High's Sixth Form is Friday 13th December.

Just think, Year 11 this time next year you too could be returning from your sixth form residential and I could be receiving lovely emails like the one I received on Sunday, about you! *Dear MS Oakley,*

We have recently had the pleasure of having your students and Staff staying at our hostel, I have to say they are all a credit to your school. The students were all polite and well-mannered with myself and my team. Your staff were excellent also and pleasure to deal with. I hope they all had a great time in Edinburgh and we hope to have you school stay at our hostel in the future. Garry Watson Edinburgh Central General Manager

And finally...Why not give this a twirl!



Have a lovely weekend, let's hope the weather is kind to us all! And, as always thank you for your ongoing support, Kind regards,

Miriam Oakley Headteacher