

Tuesday 13th October, 2026

Re: Wellbeing week-Autumn HT1

Dear Parent/Carer,

In celebration of the final week of the Autumn half term, please accept this letter as an overview of events taking place during the Academy's 'Wellbeing week' which will take place over the last week of the half term.

If I can kindly ask parents/carers to please take some time to discuss the below events with your child, as we understand that any change to your child's normal routine (without prior notice) can be unsettling for our pupils:

☐ **Thursday 15th & Monday 19th October 2026**

Pupils will have the opportunity to participate in a '**Class Council**' session, to provide feedback to Mrs Horne (Principal), about life at the academy and any ideas to further improve the school.

☐ **Monday 19th October, 2026 & Wednesday 21st October 2026**

Your child will participate in a '**Read and Feed**' session in the Library with the Intervention Team, to promote reading for pleasure around the theme of Halloween and gothic literature.

☐ **Tuesday 20th October 2026 - Deep Learning Day**

'Spirits, Stories and Symbols: A cultural journey through Halloween' is this half term's theme. Activities are designed to encourage creativity, teamwork, and hands-on learning. Pupils will take part in a range of interactive tasks, including problem-solving challenges, arts and crafts.

☐ **Wednesday 21st October 2026 - End of Half Term Celebration trip**

Pupils are invited to join their classmates on a trip to Big Fun! Pupils are reminded that they must meet the requirements of the trip risk assessment.

☐ **Thursday 22nd October 2026 - Compass Halloween Ball (12:15pm)**

We would like to invite all pupils, parents and carers to our first annual 'Halloween Ball'. This will be a fantastic opportunity to share a Halloween themed meal together and enjoy the DJ, face painting and various competitions/prize draws that we have in store!

Lastly, I would like to thank all families for your continued support so far this year.

On behalf of the Academy team, we wish you a fun filled, spook-tacular half term break!

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The school will close for the half term break on **Thursday 22nd October 2026** and reopen to all pupils on: **Monday 2nd November from 8.30am**. Please ensure that your child arrives on site, everyday by 9am.

Yours sincerely,

C.H

Mrs C Horne
Principal

Wellbeing Week - Autumn HT1: Pupil Overview

Monday 12.10.26	Tuesday 13.10.26	Wednesday 14.10.26	Thursday 15.10.26	Friday 16.10.26
Normal lessons	Normal lessons	Normal lessons	Normal lessons/ Class Council 	Normal lessons
Monday 19.10.26	Tuesday 20.10.26	Wednesday 21.10.26	Thursday 22.10.26	Friday 23.10.26
Normal lessons, plus Read & Feed or Class Council meetings.  	Deep Learning Day: Halloween Themed activities 	Rewards Trip / Normal lessons 	Halloween Ball- Fancy dress is optional! 12:15pm 	School closed: Training day 