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Take a photo which links to any aspect of science—open to all year groups

THE PHOTO MUST BE TAKEN BY THE ENTRANT

Email your photo along with your name, form, school name, where and when it was taken along with why you think the photo links to science to... science@sigmatrust.org.uk

Deadline: 5pm Monday 29th April 2019

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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. Year 8 French Residential Trip - Third instalment **NOW OVERDUE**
5. Year 7 Mersea Camp - Second instalment **NOW OVERDUE**
6. Year 10 Ypres and the Somme - Second instalment **NOW OVERDUE**
7. Year 11 Leavers Hoody - Plain £18.99 personalised £21.99. Final date for payment 1 April
8. Year 11 Prom tickets - Final date for payment 31 May

NB: Please note Year 11 students will not be permitted to purchase either a hoody or Prom Ticket if there is an outstanding balance on ParentPay.

Please make sure that dinner money payments are up to date using ParentPay, our online payment system. Any queries please contact Main Office.

Attendance Winners

This week's attendance winners were 7A-SJ. Congratulations!

18 March 2019

The Thomas Lord Audley School

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The Griffin

Grease the Musical

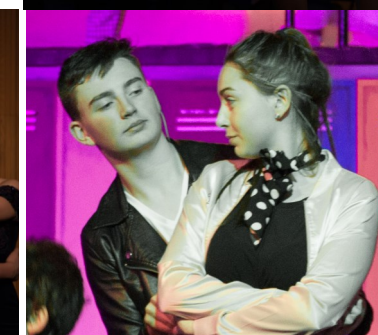
This year's school production took us back to the 50s with an excellent production of Grease the Musical. Over 40 students from across the school took part onstage, offstage or in the creation of the fantastic production. Mrs Curd led a band of professionals, which also included Year 11 student Joe Blair and Year 10 student Oscar Ryland. The boys played exceptionally well and the music really brought the show to life. Having worked for over 5 months the chorus made up of students from Years 7 - 11 sang and danced their hearts out, bringing the most famous hits from the show to life.

Josh Webb as Danny and Zoe Killen as Sandy brought the love story to life. With exceptional performances also from Lisa Madikazi, Holly Craig, Claire Holt, Poppy Woods, Isaac Lock, Cameron Moye, Joey Barber and Archie Constantine-Knight as the T-Birds and Pink Ladies.

Supporting them and giving stellar, energy-filled performances were Nate Drury as Vince Fontaine and Isabelle Clarke as Teen Angel.

"The show has been a pleasure to work on and it has been fantastic to see so many students from across the school work together, grow in confidence and shine on stage. Grease has given us an opportunity to push student's skills and to build a whole school atmosphere."

Miss Parker
Head of Drama



World Book Day 2019

On Thursday 7th March, we once again celebrated World Book Day. This was a celebration of authors, illustrators, books and (most importantly) a celebration of reading.



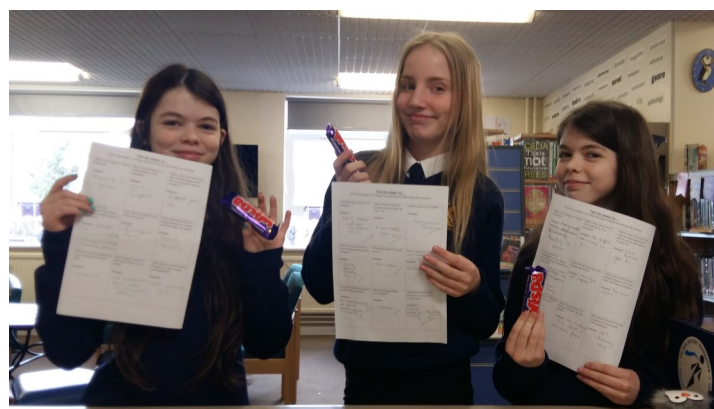
At lunchtime, the Library hosted World Book Day Fest where students could take part in a wide range of activities including: bookmark making, how to... character drawing, creating your own book covers as well as many quizzes which tested students' knowledge of book characters as well as their skills to find information in the Library. The Library was a hive of activity and it was wonderful to see so many students using the Library and engaging so positively with the tasks and activities. Look out for more themed events coming to the Library in the near future!



Once again, the school hosted a book-themed lunch menu where students enjoyed Minerva's Macaroni Cheese or James' Giant Sausage Roll. Many also enjoyed the break time food available including Alice in Wonderland's "Eat me" cupcakes and cookies which proved to be highly popular! Five students were also lucky enough to win a free bacon or sausage sub by finding a golden ticket in their food on the day! In addition to these events, we also hosted an inter-form quiz where Tutor Groups competed against each other to "Guess the teacher" hidden by the book. This was a closely-fought contest but in the end the winning Tutor Group was 7A-JK!

Congratulations and well done to all Tutor Groups who participated!

Mrs Warriner
Head of Literacy



Child Protection Policy

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

Lost Property

Please be aware that lost property will be displayed at Student Office from the 25 March to the 5 April 2019. Any items not claimed by 5 April will be handed to a local charity.

There are a lot of winter coats that have been handed in so if your child has lost their coat please ask them to come and have a look.



Assemblies for Week Commencing 18 March

On Monday 18 March Mr Essex and Mrs Green will deliver an assembly to the Year 8 students regarding their Options and the House assemblies will take place on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday and will be taken by Mr Muir and based on the topic of 'Attendance'.

Year 11 GCSE Art Examinations

The dates for the GCSE Art practical examinations are:

Class 11A Tuesday 30 April and Wednesday 1 May

Class 11B Thursday 2 May and Friday 3 May

Students will be based in the Art rooms periods 1 – 5 each day.



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Diary Dates

Monday 18 March	Have Your Say Competition
Monday 18 March	Year 7 Maths Olympiad NEMO Competition
Wednesday 20 March	Year 11 School Photos
Thursday 21 March	Year 8 Parents' and Options Evening
Monday 25 March	Year 8 HPV injections
Tuesday 26 March	Year 9 Big Bang Science Fair, University of Essex
Wednesday 27 March	Year 7 BAE Systems Roadshow
Monday 1 April	Year 10 Maths Enrichment Day
Thursday 4 April	Year 11 v Staff Football Match