

Welcome

This is our first newsletter for this academic year. We would like to welcome all new students and staff to Tipton campus. It has been a positive half term and we would like this to continue.

In this newsletter, we would like to share some amazing things that has been happening here at Tipton Campus.

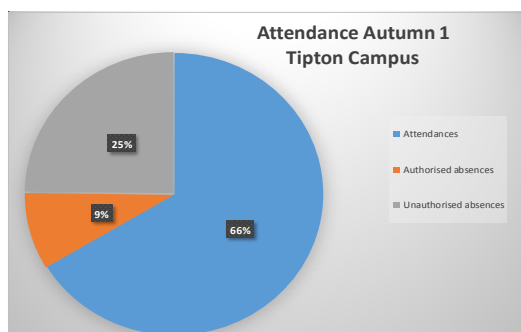
Attendance

The attendance this term for the campus is 66%. Ideally we would like to see 100% attendance from all students.

If your child is ill for any reason please ensure the school is contacted and evidence is provided.

Two students currently have 100% attendance well done to

Dante E & Aaron S



Punctuality

We would like to remind parents/carers that school start at 9am prompt for all students. It is important that your child is in school for this time, so that their learning day is not affected.

Minutes late per day during the school year	Equals days worth of teaching lost
5 mins	3.1 days
10 mins	6.2 days
15 mins	9.3 days
20 mins	16 days
30 mins	19.1 days

Uniform

Just a reminder to parents/ carers and students the uniform for school is as follows:

Black trousers, white polo shirt and black footwear

House Groups

Your child has been placed into one of our four houses. The houses are named after famous celebrities who did not have the best experience at school but despite the odds managed to become successful.

The names of our houses are as follows:



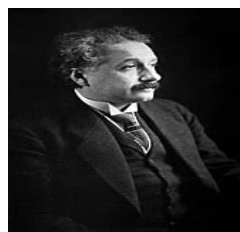
Branson House
(Richard Branson)



Lord Sugar House
(Lord Alan Sugar)



Cowell House
(Simon Cowell)



Einstein House
(Albert Einstein)



On Friday 29th September 2017, students and staff held a Macmillan Morning. Students made various cakes, teas, coffees, buntings and other decorations. Students invited parents to attend this event. As part of the day's events we had two E-Safety workshops; one for students, 'how to keep yourself safe online' and one for Parents, 'how to keep your child safe online'. We ended the day with an assembly, where parents were able to see their child receive awards for attendance, academic work and behaviour.



Knife Awareness

Our local PCSO's were in on Tuesday 10th October 2017. They helped staff to search students as they entered the building. The PCSO's also delivered a presentation on knife crime.



Parent Engagement

We would like to invite parents/ carers to our 'Precious Lives' event which will be taking place on **Friday 8th December 2017, 9.30am** at **Tipton Campus**

At this event, we will look at recent youth murders and how everyday young people made a choice which has life changing consequences for so many. Our guest speakers will be **PC Rob Pedley** and **Alison Cope** - 2015 Pride of Birmingham winner

**Parent Consultation
Afternoon**

**Thursday 9th
November 2017,
1pm—5pm**

