



11th February 2026

Dear Parent / Carers,

The beginning of 2026 has flown by! We are now officially just over halfway through this academic year.

Halton Education Awards

I had the pleasure of attending the Halton Education Awards recently, where some of our staff and students had been nominated:

- **Diversity, Collaboration and Inclusion Award:** Anthony Walker Ambassadors (Theo, Reuben, Mathew, Joshua, Georgia, Ismail, Archie, Willow, Nathan, Lilly-May and Grace) -
- **Team of the Year Award:** Inclusion Team
- **Incredible Achievement Award** – David D
- **Inspirational Teacher of the Year Award** – Mrs Gaywood

The evening was a fantastic opportunity for staff, students and families to come together to celebrate achievements within our community.

I am so proud of each and every one of them and I am delighted that the Anthony Walker Ambassadors were announced as final winners on the evening. I offer my heartfelt congratulations to them and all other winners and nominees.

Year 11 Updates

- Mock exams commence Monday 2nd March 2026.
- Saturday School / Easter Revision - Invitations and details available on Edulink.

Dates for your diary:

- Year 11 mocks commence 2nd March 2026
- Primary Parents evening: 4th March 2026 - 3.15 to 7pm
- World Book Day – 5th March 2026
- Violet class assembly: 6th March 2026 – 2pm
- Blue and Indigo Class assembly: 27th March 2026 – 2pm

Remaining Parent/Carer Evenings:

Please find below the remaining dates for this academic year:

Year	Date and Time	PROGRESS LEADERS
9 Options Evening	Thursday, 19 th March 2026	Mr Hutton
8	Thursday, 23 rd April 2026	Miss Houseman
7	Thursday, 21 st May 2026	Mr l'Anson



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End/Start of Term

School closes at normal time on Friday, 13th February 2026. Students return to school on Tuesday, 24th February 2026 and are to be on site by 08:30am in full school uniform as usual. Doors open from 08:00am.

I hope that the students have a restful half term and we all look forward to welcoming them back on Tuesday, 24th February 2026.

Yours sincerely,

Mr J Jardine
Executive Principal