

Dear Parent and Carers, 20th June 2025

It was fantastic to see so many proud parents at our Year 7 Parents' Evening last night. The students have made a fantastic start to their Ormiston Denes journey, making great academic and personal progress and it was wonderful to see them being celebrated.

We held our Year 11 leavers' assembly on Tuesday and celebrated the remarkable journey these students have been on, but this is not the end of our relationship with these exceptional students. Whilst we have formal events still to come including prom, results day and certification evening, they are now Ormiston Denes Alumni and more importantly, remain part of our family. If they ever need help, we are here for them.

Our Year 10's visited Lowestoft Sixth Form College this week and took part in a variety of workshops including law, criminology, psychology, sociology and film studies. They were excellent ambassadors for the academy and came back incredibly positive about their experience.

The Form Time Focus next week is "Kindness"

We will be teaching the following **PSHE topics** next week. If you do not wish for your child to participate or have a question relating to the subjects, please contact your child's Head of Year.

Year 10 – Work experience, what to expect.

Year 9 – How have attitudes towards race changed over time?

Year 8 – How can I keep track of my money?

Year 7 – How are political parties similar or different.

Votes for schools - This week students have been voting on "Do we view the term "refugee" positively? If you would like to continue this discussion with your child, please click here for further resources.

Have a lovely weekend.

Yours faithfully

Kate Williams

Principal



