



ORMISTON DENES ACADEMY

Dear Parent and Carers,

20th March 2026

It was a pleasure to see so many of you supporting the Dance Showcase last night. Watching our Year 10 and Year 11s in their performances took me back to watching many of them on the stage in Year 7. Watching the way they have grown in confidence and technical ability was inspiring and made me incredibly proud, as I am sure you were. It was also lovely to see former students either performing or supporting the event and of course our younger students showcasing the talent that runs across the whole academy.

We supported Red Nose Day on Thursday this year, to allow our Year 10 students take part in the non-school uniform part of the day (as all our Y10 students are going to a college event today). Thank you for all donations received.

We will be sharing and celebrating the recent Y11 March mock exams results with our students on Monday 23rd March.

The **Form Time Focus** that week will be "Ready"

Next week, we will be teaching the following PSHE topics. If you have any concerns regarding the content of the PSHE lessons, please refer to our policy for clarification on withdrawals. The policy can be found [here](#).

Year 11 – Catch up.

Year 10 – What factors might affect my fertility?

Year 9 – What does the Cabinet do?

Year 8 – How can I manage influence and pressure around alcohol?

Year 7 – How can I be safe near the water?

Votes for schools - This week students have been voting on "Do you understand the reasons for the Iran conflict? If you would like to continue this discussion with your child, please click [here](#) for further resources.

Have a lovely weekend.

Yours faithfully

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