



Park Hall Academy

Weekly News

19th May 2023



Dates For Your Diary

Monday 15th May - Friday 23rd June – Year 11 Exams

Friday 26th May – Students break up for half term break

Monday 5th June – Students return from half term break

Thursday 15th June – Year 10 Parents Evening

Year 11 Revision School

Wednesday 31st May –

Friday 2nd June

9.30 – 12.30

Academy Colours

Last week we have been celebrating the achievements of our students in Year 7 to 10. It was wonderful to welcome our parents in to school to commemorate together. Well done to all students who have received their badges, and special sports ties – we cannot wait to see them on you.

Special well done to the students receiving their Head of Year and Head Teacher Awards.

	Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10
Head of Year	Harry Watson	Sara Khalfi	Milo Glendinning	Amelie Johnson
	Megan Dalton	Lewis Carpenter	Eva Partlett	James Woolley
Head Teacher Award	Joe Puar	Teagan Reeves	Dylan Dalton	Ellis Britton



Design & Technology Winners of the Star of the Rotation 4

Graphics
Matthew Curry 7J2
Luca Morton 8S1
Jayden Hussain 9B1

Food
Alana Ahmed 7B2
Holly Newey 7S2
Hayden Murrain 8S1
Poppy Miles 8A1
Destiny Maxwell 9A1
Aleema Begum 9J1

Congratulations to the following key stage 3 pupils on receiving the Star of the Rotation.

They have been awarded this by their subject teachers by demonstrating all areas of PRIDE.

Textiles
Dylan Thompson 7A2
Roozy Hasanzada 8S2
Jim Clough 9S1

STEM
Kara Shaw 7A2
Theo Locke 7S1
Lewis Carpenter 8J2
Zara Khan 8S1
Christopher Taylor 9S2

RMT
Ava Butler 7B1
Maddison Booth 8J2
Isabel Cotterill 9J2

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WHOLE SCHOOL PSHE FOCUS



Crime and Personal Safety (lesson 2 of 2)

The Wider World (lesson 2 of 2)

Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Year 11
Acid Attacks and AC2 RM1	Knife Crime and AC2 RM1	Young Offenders and the Law and AC2 Rm1	Transgender Awareness and AC2 RM2	Transgender awareness and AC2 RM2

National Numeracy Day

To celebrate National Numeracy Day in the 17th May, we have been completing numeracy activities in lesson and form time all week.

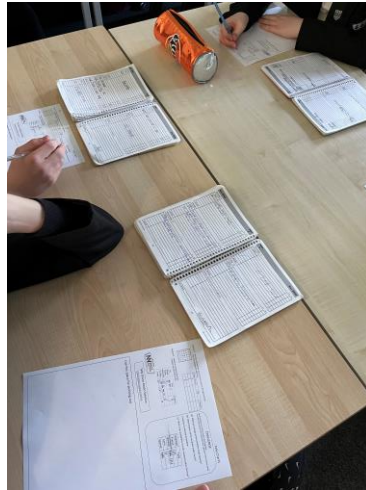
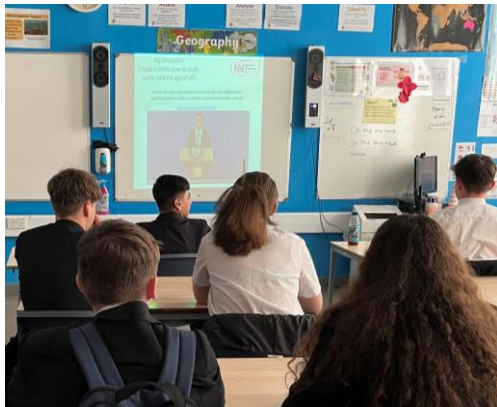
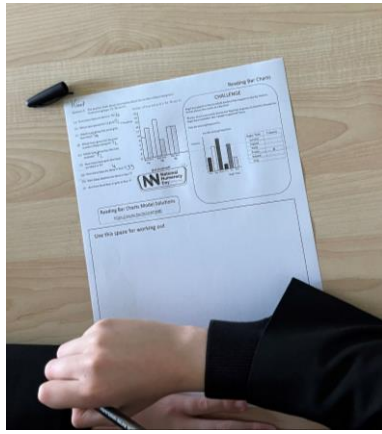
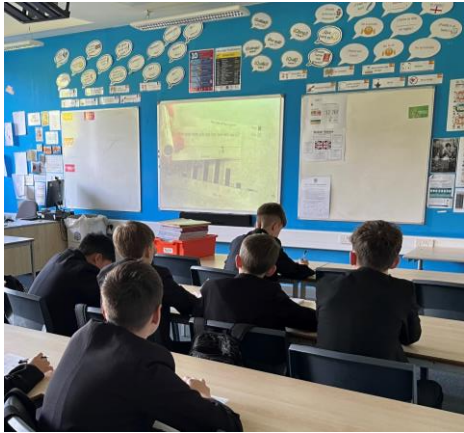
Not only have we completed our Numeracy Ninjas, but we have completed numeracy challenges, and took part in a key debate regarding completing mathematics until the age of 18. What do you think?

Get Involved!



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National Numeracy Day 17 May 2023



Overcoming Maths Anxiety

However you feel about maths, you are not alone. Many of us struggle with using numbers. Here are our top tips to help you overcome maths anxiety.

Talk about it

Take the pressure off

Set realistic goals



Tip 1

Talk about how you feel about maths, you'll find others feel the same way.



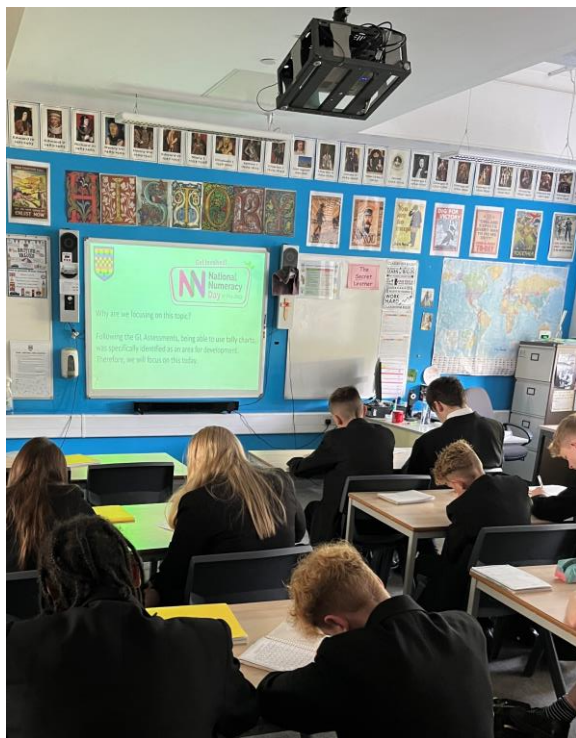
Tip 2

Learning is a not a race so take your time.



Tip 3

Aim to improve a little bit at a time.



Challenge your own beliefs

Don't compare yourself to others

Choose resources that work for you



Tip 4

Are your thoughts about maths helpful? Or are they holding you back?



Tip 5

We all learn differently and that's OK.



Tip 6

We all learn differently. Try the National Numeracy Challenge for an alternative to classroom maths.



Start feeling more comfortable with maths now by trying our free online resources, designed for adults with low confidence.

Give it a go at nationalnumeracy.org.uk/challenge/confidence-scale