

20th March 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope this letter finds you well.

I write to remind you that the school has an In-Service Training Day (INSET) this Friday 21st March and as a result will be closed to students for the day. School will re-open on Monday 24th March as normal for an 8:25am start. Breakfast club and the library will be open from 7:50am.

I would like to also take this opportunity to praise the Year 11 students who have recently completed their second round of mock GSCEs in full exam conditions. They were exemplary throughout the exam period showing a real ambition to be the best version of themselves. My thanks go to Year 11 parents and carers for their support and resilience during this exam period!

Parents' Evening for Year 11 is on Thursday 27th March. It is really important that you save this date to visit the Academy to sign your child's exam entry (a requirement of your child doing exams with us), discuss your child's progress and plan together for those important exams with their teachers.

Finally, I would like to once again stress the importance of attendance for all year groups. There is a clear link between high attendance and excellent exam results at The Albion Academy, as 94% of students who only take a maximum of 3 days off school per year gain that good pass of a Grade 5 or above in Maths and English GCSE here.

This Grade 5 standard opens up huge opportunity at college and in the world of work. Your support here as parents and carers in sending your children to school daily is so vital for your child's future lives and we thank you for this.

Kind regards,

Mathew Rogers

Principal