

Dates for the Diary

Pride Month

June 2023

Year 10 & Year 12 AP2 Assessments

Monday 26th - Friday 30th June 2023

Year 11 Prom

Friday 30th June 2023: 5:30pm - 10:30pm

Year 9 Transition to Upper Academy

Monday 10th July 2023

Students of the Week

Congratulations to the following students who have been awarded Student of the Week for week commencing 22nd May 2023.

★ Year 10 - Logan.B (R10X2)

★ Year 11 - Tyra-Mae.L (R11E1)

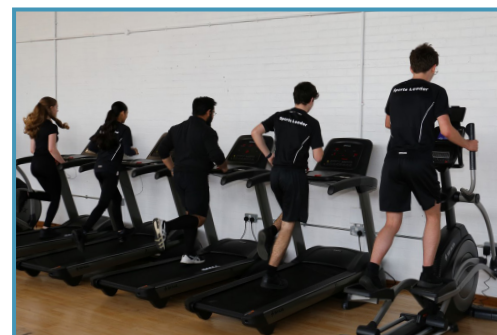
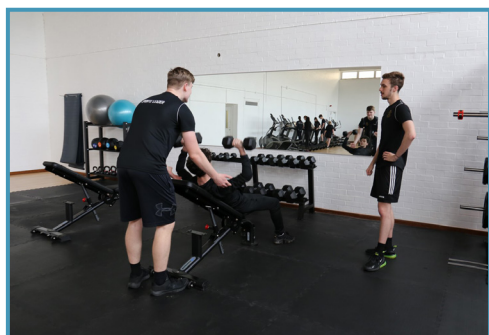
★ Sixth Form - Jay.B (R1213)

New Fitness Suite launched

We are delighted to announce the opening of a brand-new Fitness Suite at the Upper Academy. Students will be able to keep fit on a wide variety of 'keep fit' equipment including exercise bikes, running machines, rowing machines, cross trainers and fixed weight machines.

"It makes me glad to see the school accommodating student needs. The equipment in the Fitness Suite is high-quality; It excites me to see how this new facility will benefit students for years to come." Shaunak.G - Year 11

"This will be a safe place for students to have the ability to keep physically fit." Angelica.S & Hemanti.S - Year 10



Year 11 & Sixth Form Exam Timetables

The timetables for Year 11 and Sixth Form examinations can be found on our website:

www.basildonupperacademy.org.uk/exam-information

The Year 11 Intervention programme, including our Saturday School timetable, can also be located on our website:

www.basildonupperacademy.org.uk/out-of-hours-learning



Student Value of the Term

LOVE IS LOVE

House Points - Week Ending 26th May



43,894
HAWKING



42,604
AUSTEN



42,591
ALI



42,355
SEACOLE

Spotlight on: A Level Psychology



Psychology literally translates as 'the study of the human mind' – but Psychology is more than this. Psychology is everywhere around us. It is intriguing, it is emotional, it is scientific and above all, it is thought provoking. This course offers you the opportunity to learn about the science behind human behaviour by understanding how research is conducted and used to develop theories and laws about human behaviour.

This course will develop skills highly valued by Higher Education (HE) and employers, including critical analysis, independent thinking and research skills.

Full course information can be found by visiting the following link on our website: [A Level Psychology](#)

Year 11 students wishing to join our Sixth Form can apply via the following link: [Apply to join](#)

Safeguarding

Safeguarding our students is at the forefront of everything we do. Parents and carers can access information via the following link www.escb.co.uk which offers guidance and signposts to resources on various safeguarding issues. Please contact our safeguarding officers if you have any concerns about your own child or another student at the Academies.

www.basildonupperacademy.org.uk/safeguarding

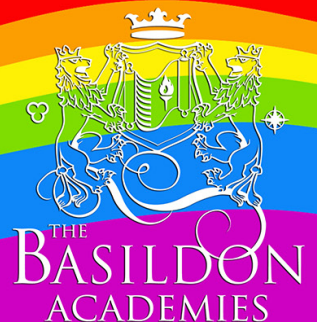
Lemon Drizzle Cake Day



TO CELEBRATE LEMON DRIZZLE CAKE DAY
ON FRIDAY 9TH JUNE, THE DINING HALL WILL BE
SELLING SLICES OF LEMON DRIZZLE CAKE FOR 50P

HAPPY PRIDE MONTH

LGBTQIA+



Supporting your neurodiverse child

Does your child or young person have any of the following issues that worry you?

Sleep disturbances

Distressed behaviour

Sensory issues

Communication

Social anxiety

Meltdowns

Mental health issues

Speech delay

Struggles in school

Fussy eater

Problems with their peer group

[Supporting your neurodiverse child resource pack](#)

Written by Essex Family Forum, MyOTAS and SEND the Right Message, this information pack is to help families navigate the support that is available and includes practical interventions, resources, hints and tips based on the lived experiences of local families. Available both online and in hard copy, simply scan the QR codes opposite, or visit the Essex Family Forum website.



View a digital copy here

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Essex Family Forum (EFF) is the parent carer forum in Essex for families whose children and young people have special educational needs or disabilities (SEND). We need to hear your views and experiences to represent your voice. Visit our website at www.essexfamilyforum.org to find out more about what we do, to access the resource pack and to share your experiences and feedback via our virtual graffiti wall.



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[Support for children and young people with SEND](#)

The Local Offer gives children and young people with SEND, and their families, information about what support services are available in their local area. You can access the Essex Local Offer at www.essexlocaloffer.org.uk



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