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BIDDICK PARENT WEEKLY BULLETIN

Week starting 22nd November 2021

Message from Miss Morris

As you know, Biddick Academy was inspected by Ofsted this week as part of their usual inspection programme.

Although it will be some time before we receive the written report, I wanted to take a moment to thank parents and carers for their support and contributions via the Parent Survey. We will of course, share the full inspection outcomes with you, once these are published by Ofsted.

Miss Morris Headteacher

Biddick Academy Bagel Bar - opening Monday 22nd November 2021!

- At Biddick Academy we understand that school mornings can be busy and taking the time for breakfast can sometimes be overlooked.
- ➤ We all know the importance of a healthy and nutritious breakfast to start the day and to encourage our students to be ready to learn we are excited to announce that our free Bagel Bar will be opening on Monday 22nd November 2021.
 - ✓ All students are invited.
 - ✓ Students can enjoy a <u>free</u> breakfast in a warm and friendly environment whilst taking the time to catch up with friends, make new friends, chat to staff, read a book or complete some homework.
 - ✓ Opening at 8.00am until 8.20am in the Biddick Academy Café.
 - ✓ Students can choose from warm bagels, cereals, drinks with gluten free options available.
 - ✓ No need to book, students can just turn up!
- ➤ Why not build the Bagel Bar into your school day routine and consider the new normal start of the school day as 8.00am!

Exam update - Formulae sheets

- ➤ In the summer 2022 maths and science exams, students will be given a formulae sheet alongside each of their question papers.
- ➤ This is one of the changes to 2022 assessments announced by Ofqual and DfE following their public consultation with the aim of supporting students by removing the necessity to learn formulae from memory.
- ➤ Please click the following link to the exams page on our website to access the formulae sheets for science and maths which will be provided to every student for the appropriate exam and tier of entry.

https://biddickacademy.com/curriculum/exam-information/