

THE CARLTON ACADEMY

WEEKLY BULLETIN

Upcoming Events - October

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Y10 + 11
Calke Abbey Art Trip



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OCTOBER

Y9 National
Careers Challenge



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OCTOBER

Senior Maths Challenge,
Careers Challenge and
Sixth Form Open Evening



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OCTOBER

Y7 Welcome Evening



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Y12 + 13 Photography Visit
and Y11 Revision Evening



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OCTOBER

Y7 Walesby Trip



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OCTOBER

Sixth Form Residential
to London

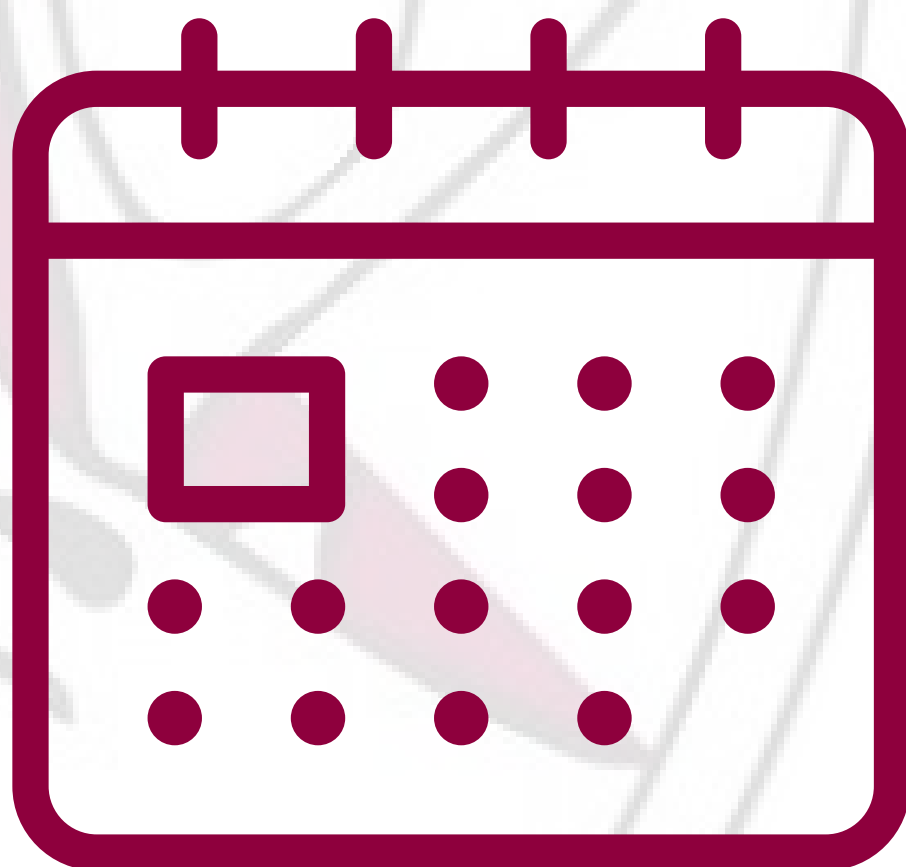


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OCTOBER

Break Up for
Half Term



**Further information
on these events will
be provided in due
course both through
the bulletin and
across our social
media channels.**



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House keys at Student Reception

Several sets of house keys have been found and are currently being kept safely at Student Reception.

If your child has recently misplaced their house keys, please ask them to check with Student Reception to see if they have been handed in.

Communication with Staff

Just a gentle reminder that should you wish to contact specific members of staff, can you please email office@theacademycarlton.org rather than in-app messaging through Arbor. This will ensure that the message gets to them swiftly. Some parents are still using the in-app messaging which is leading to a delayed response.

Parking

Can we please remind parents that they should not be parking on the road outside of school where there are double yellow lines. This is causing difficulties for residents who live opposite the school. Also, when dropping students off after 8:35am, can you please not drop off at main reception unless you have an arrangement to do so. Please drop students off at the end of the drive and they can walk up the drive, using the pedestrian entrance to access the site. There has been an increase in parents dropping off at main reception which is causing issues with parking and visitor access to the site.

Thank you for your support.

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Dear Parents and Carers,

In October and November, the Nottinghamshire Schools Cross Country Championships will be taking place at Berry Hill Park. We are looking for students who may be interested in representing Carlton Academy Academy at these events.

Event Dates:

Saturday 10 October 2026

Saturday 14 November 2026

Saturday 28 November 2026

Age Categories, Distances and Start Times:

- U14 Boys (Years 7 & 8) - 3500m (10am)**
- U14 Girls (Years 7 & 8) - 3000m (10.35am)**
- U16 Boys (Years 9 & 10) - 4000m (11.05am)**
- U16 Girls (Years 9 & 10) - 3500m (10am)**
- U18 Girls (Years 11 & 12) - 4000m (11.05am)**
- U18 Boys (Years 11 & 12) - 4500m (11.25am)**

We are able to enter up to eight runners in each category.

If your child is interested in taking part, please email k.malone@theacademycarlton.org for more details.

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Year 7 Walesby Forest Team-Building Trip

Our annual Year 7 Walesby Forest team-building trip will take place on Wednesday 14 October 2026. The day is designed to support students' transition into secondary school through a range of practical activities focused on communication, teamwork, decision-making and personal development.

Students will meet at school at 8:30am and return at approximately 4:00pm. The trip costs £17.50 per student, with the full cost covered by the school for students eligible for free school meals.

Parents must provide consent and make payment through ParentPay by 1pm on Friday 2 October 2026. Consent is required even if a student is eligible for a free place.

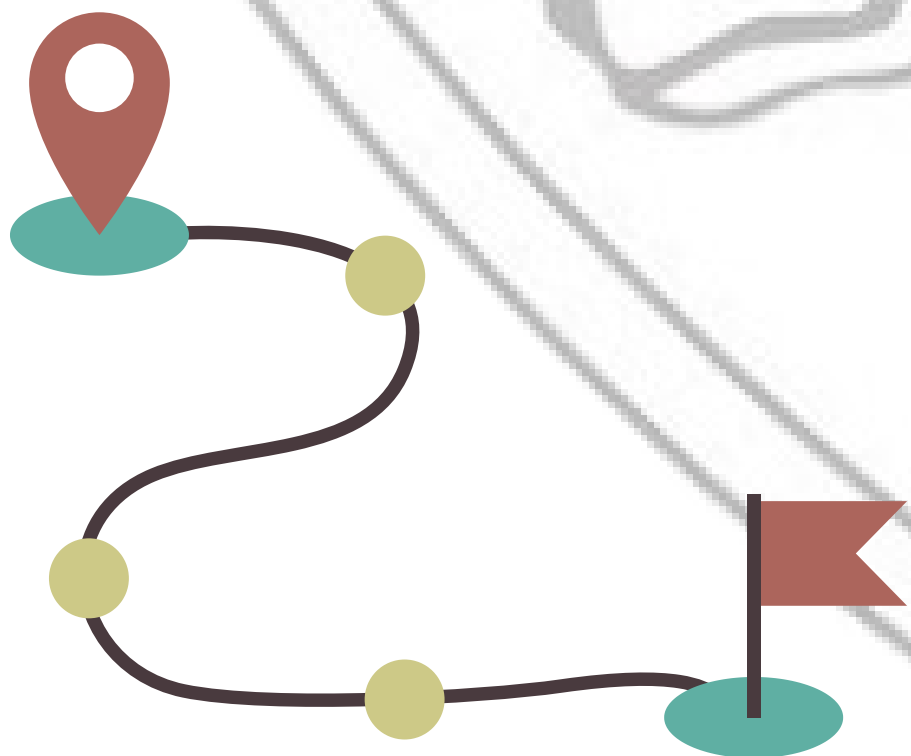


Save the Date: Year 7 – ‘Beginning the Journey Together’

We would like to invite all Year 7 parents and carers to our ‘Beginning the Journey Together’ evening on Thursday 8 October. This event will provide an opportunity to find out more about life at The Carlton Academy, including assessment, learning, school routines and other important information to help support your child's transition into secondary school.

The evening will offer valuable guidance and information to help families understand how we can work together to support our Year 7 students as they begin their journey at Carlton Academy.

Please save the date. Further details will be shared with families in due course.



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We are inviting 40 Year 11 students to take part in a trip to see Poetry Live at the Royal Concert Hall on Monday 8 February 2027. This is a great opportunity to hear the poets they are studying for their GCSE English Literature speaking and answering questions about their own poems. There will also be a session with a Senior Examiner. Students will be responsible to make their own way to and from the venue. If you would like your child to be included on this trip, please complete the expression of interest form. Tickets cost £20.35 and will be allocated on a first-come-first-served basis.

POETRY LIVE EXPRESSION OF INTEREST – FILL OUT FORM

On Tuesday 13 October we will be holding a revision skills and support evening for parents of Year 11 students to support you and them with preparations for their mocks and Summer exams. Please save the date.

More information will be shared with you nearer the time.

