



# ST GEORGE'S ACADEMY

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Dear Parent/Carer

## Kindness Campaign Update

Firstly, I would like to thank all parents/carers who contributed to the kindness campaign by sending messages to staff. We had nearly 400 messages sent which have definitely made a difference to staff wellbeing. Thank you.

Secondly, I thought you might like to hear about the community kindness projects our lovely students have undertaken.

### Ruskington Campus

We have embraced the Kindness Campaign at Ruskington and have participated in the following:

The school choir performing at The Chestnuts Nursing Home where residents enjoyed singing from the students and joined in themselves.

Year 7 visited The Chestnuts Nursing Home and sang. They also had a 'Teddy Tombola'.

Year 8 took part in a football shooting challenge with the quickest student to complete the course winning a prize. Money raised went to the local community.

The Mini London Marathon for Schools occurred last week, where students in Year 9 were sponsored to run, jog or walk 2.6 miles, raising funds for our local community. All students demonstrated remarkable dedication. Not a single complaint was heard throughout the event.

Year 10 had a Tattoo Art afternoon to raise money. They sold and applied tattoos and transfers and body art and raised quite a lot of money.

### Sleaford Campus

The Sixth Form Ambassadors have been supporting each of the younger year groups with their Kindness Campaign:

Year 7 students were armed with Easter cheer in the local community. They visited several shops, expressing gratitude and appreciation for their service to the community. Their aim was to spread Easter spirit and show appreciation to those who serve them.

Year 8s were armed with 'Kindness Cards' and heartfelt messages. These young ambassadors aimed to brighten everyone's day. Their efforts were praised by a local resident who expressed gratitude for the kindness they had spread.



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Year 9 students participated in a community litter pick for our Kindness Project, enjoying a successful day collecting litter in Sleaford. We're grateful to the kind individuals who greeted us and to our dedicated Sixth Form volunteers for supervising. We're proud of our student volunteers for their care for the environment and their service to the local community.

Year 10 students spent the last half term collecting hundreds of cans for the Sleaford Community Larder, which were delivered on 26 March 2024. These donations will quickly benefit those in need in our local area. The larder relies on the generous support of the community, and we're proud that St George's Academy students could contribute. Additionally, some Year 10 students hosted a Cake and Conversation event at the Sleaford Community Grocery last term, where they shared news of our Kindness Campaign and connected with new people.

Year 11s involvement in a Young Carer's Lunch at Church Lane Primary School was a resounding success. Their Easter activities brought joy to the children, and the school provided overwhelmingly positive feedback, expressing gratitude for their engagement during the Young Carer's Lunch. They represented their school well, and their kindness was greatly appreciated by all. The school hopes for more events in the future.

This was the second year that we have run a Kindness Campaign and the students took the community kindness element to the next level. We are very proud of all students who participated and discovered how rewarding it can be to spread a little joy.

Yours sincerely

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**Mrs L King**  
Principal