

Success Academy Trust Newsletter

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BUILDING
LEADERSHIP AND
CHARACTER
TOGETHER



What's included this term...

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Words from the Trust Leader...

TBC



Mandi Collins – Trust Leader

In October we launched our student leadership groups, which are a fantastic addition to Thomas Estley life not available in most other state schools and a big part of our children's development as successful future adults.

We had members of our teaching and support staff interested in being a facilitator of a student leadership group.

So far we have primary transition leaders, preschool readers, site leaders, wellbeing ambassadors, barrier to learning removers, computer technicians, prom leaders, yearbook creators, fundraising leaders, diversity ambassadors and teacher interviewers. These add to our subject ambassador and college ambassadors as roles which students of all ages can be involved in taking up

Community of courage and commitment to success



In October, Thomas Estley hosted the annual celebration of the performing arts 'Successfest'. Students from each of our trust schools showcased their talents for family and friends in a collaborative performance. Pictured are Thomas Estley students who were fantastic ambassadors for the arts and made us all very proud.

A huge congratulations to all students who performed. It was great to see such an array of talents, from football skills to magic tricks (and everything in between).

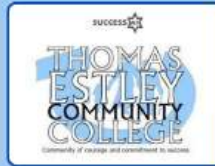
Thank you to all primary and secondary leaders who supported behind the scenes and everyone.

We are already looking forward to next year!

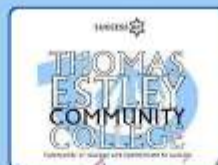




ART



Student Leadership & Primary Transition



ENGLISH



I think attitude being attitude means that if you have a good attitude you are more likely to achieve your dreams but if you have a bad attitude you won't achieve things.

I am going to work very hard to achieve my goal and I am going to have a good attitude.

I will have to learn better vocabulary to achieve my goal.



THOMAS ESTLEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

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Leadership at The Oaks





Mr Tim Barrow – Headteacher

The Trust are absolutely delighted to introduce Tim Barrow – the new Headteacher appointed for Hallbrook Primary.

"Hello, I am Tim Barrow and I am delighted to have been appointed as the Headteacher of Hallbrook Primary School and join Success Academy Trust.

I have joined from a different medium-sized primary trust in Leicestershire and have developed expertise in school improvement and raising the quality and effectiveness of education in schools.

I look forward to leading Hallbrook forward and making it part of a much larger community within Broughton Astley.

From the brief time I have been in the school, I can already see that Hallbrook has incredible pupils who are capable of achieving amazing things"



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Mandi Collins – Trust Leader

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Ms Townsend – Headteacher

The Trust are absolutely delighted to appoint Lorna Townsend as the new Headteacher at Cosby Primary...

“It is a privilege to serve as the Headteacher of such a welcoming and inclusive school community.

From the moment you enter our school, you’ll feel the passion, teamwork, character, and high expectations that make Cosby so special.

Our school is built on a foundation of respect and kindness, and we are dedicated to providing a rich and diverse education that not only delivers essential knowledge and skills but also fosters personal growth, creativity, and resilience in our pupils”



**Acting as a leader enables young people to develop
new skills and experience,
build resilience and confidence
and hone their personal vision and values.**



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Richmond have elected pupil Wellbeing Ambassadors in years 2–6 who have the responsibility of **leading** and promoting pupil wellbeing across the school.

They will encourage other children to talk to an adult about how they are feeling, organise events across the school which promote health and wellbeing and provide feedback on what's working well in school and highlight areas for development



We have extended our **Leadership and character** awards into preschool and out of school club, and our children there are excelling in these areas.

This positive impact is down to everyone's commitment to support our young people collaboratively.



Nikki Sadler



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This is Cooper...

Cooper has received a first certificate and a trophy from Mrs Collins for being a good role model.

Cooper always makes good choices about his behaviour and is always kind.

He can take himself out of tricky situations and wait for things to calm down before joining in with play again.

We feel that he 'leads' others by setting such a good example.

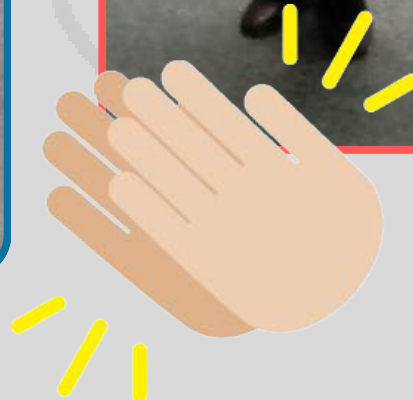
He is the first preschooler to receive this trophy, which we will be handing out each half term.



Leadership at Thomas Estley Out of School Club

We have two children that have been awarded with **Leadership** recognition by Mandi Collins for helping and providing activities for the younger children to engage in.

We are very proud of them, they have taken their time and taught individuals some new skills, in football and craft activities.



Sarah Quittenton



Teacher Trainees 24/25

In August we saw our 15 primary and secondary trainees begin their journey.

With centre-based learning, ITAP behaviour training and primary school visits, they then began their school placements mid-September to use their strategies within the classroom with the support of their mentors.

It is wonderful to see them grow with confidence into their teaching roles and exciting to know that they are helping to inspire the next generation.

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**TEACHING IS A
WORK OF HEART**

TELA CPD

We have facilitated 20 subject networks this term, many being hosted at alliance schools aswell as at our TELA base.

The one common agenda point this term...

National subject updates and Ofsted subject reports

Are you considering a teaching career?

Do you know a member of your family or have a friend who are contemplating a teaching career?

Why not try a 'Day in the Classroom' in January?

This will give a good indication if you would like to pursue teaching and it strengthens an application.



**SECONDARY
SCHOOL EXPERIENCE DAY**

**THOMAS ESTLEY
COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

 Achieve with TELA - TELA@thomasesstley.org.uk

 Secondary -
Tue 21 Jan '25 from 8.30am to 3.15pm



<https://telaonline.co.uk/get-school-experience>



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