

Alcester Academy WEEKLY BULLETIN



11th September 2026

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back to school! And, a very special welcome to our new Year 7 parents this afternoon. The new students are settling in well and we are delighted that you have all joined the school. I'm sure that they are all tired after their first full week with us.

Next week Miss Buckthorp will tell us all about their amazing week at Summer School.



Once again, I'm very grateful to you all for your swift cooperation in light of having to close the school at short notice yesterday. I aim to only have to do this very rarely.

The biggest update this week is letting you know finally, the outcome of our recent Ofsted visit in July 2026. I have written to you all earlier today in a separate communication about this news. As a staff and governing body, we are absolutely over the moon about the outcomes. The students deserve this recognition and we are extremely proud of them all.



Thank you to Mr Moffatt, Head of PE for sharing the success of Sports Day 2026 in last week's special edition. It remains one of my favourite days of the academic year and we are very proud of our athlete's success in all events.

Life at school this week has quickly got back into a positive routine. Can I thank you all for your close attention to providing exemplary uniform and equipment. We certainly do not take this for granted and the students all look so smart upon their return.

Our second uniform supplier, Clive Mark will shortly be on board and we'll write separately to you when this launches.

On behalf of us all, I'd like to thank Price and Buckland for their efficient service over the summer period. School photographs for Year 7 - 10 took place on Monday, and Year 11 have their opportunity after Christmas.

The students had a fantastic day on their reward trips last week. Miss Buckthorp has written about this later on. The reward trips are linked to our behaviour and attendance policies. These can be found on the website if you require them. We will update you regarding today's Year 7 Blackwell trip in more detail next week's Head Lines.

I was bowled over on Tuesday afternoon to enter the hall and see a record number of cast members in attendance for the first Matilda rehearsal. Wow! Show nights are 19th, 20th and 21st of November 2027. Save the

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Results 2026

I have referred to the results for the Class of 2026 in my return to school letter. The students worked tremendously hard and deserve the success that they have achieved.

Notable achievements were:

- * **Faith – 12 Grade 9 qualifications. This is the very first time, any student has achieved this. Congratulations Faith!**
- * **Eshal – 7 grade 9s, 3 grade 8's, 1 grade 7 and a Distinction2**
- * **Megan – 6 grade 9s, 3 grade 8s one grade 7 and a grade 6**
- * **Harriet – 3 grade 9s, 8 grade 8s and a grade 7**
- * **Milo – 4 grade 9s, 3 grade 8s, 3 grade 7s and a Distinction 2**

We wish the students all the very best now as they begin their Post 16 journey.

Welcome new staff

I'm delighted to introduce you to a number of new staff this term as follows:

- Miss Farmer
- Mrs Harvey
- Mr Hodges
- Mrs Holmes
- Mrs Laventine Lee
- Miss Maryon
- Mr Oakley

Miss Molly Farmer

Hello, I'm Miss Farmer and I am delighted to be joining Alcester Academy as a Teacher of PE. This is my first teaching position, and I am so excited to begin my teaching career at such a welcoming and supportive school. I am looking forward to getting to know the students and encourage them to try a wide range of sports. Outside of school I enjoy spending time with my friends and family and walking my dogs, as well as going to the gym and the driving range.



Mr Gary Hodges

Hi I'm Gary and joined Alcester Academy at the start of the summer to oversee some of the building projects taking place around the school. I'd like to thank the staff and pupils for the warm welcome.

I've lived in Alcester and the surrounding villages for over 50 years and attended the school myself back in the late 70's early 80's so it's great to see, and be a part of, the further improvements taking place.

The bus turning circle has already been completed and looks great and a new canopy is almost complete which is a great addition and provides additional cover for the students in all weathers. The focus now moves onto a new classroom and replacement fire doors which will start during half term.

If you have any questions please feel free to get in touch.



Mrs Emily Holmes

Hello, I'm Mrs Holmes, and I'm really excited to join Alcester Academy as a Teacher of Science (and supporting Whole School Teaching + Learning). I've been a Science teacher for 13 years, and have had lots of roles over this time (Head of Year, Head of Department, Teacher Training Lead) - I like a challenge! Outside of school, I love cooking (and eating!), and try to explore new places when I can. I'm already so impressed with the wonderful AA students and staff - thank you for making me feel welcome.



Mrs Jenn Laventine-Lee

Bonjour! I am Mrs Laventine-Lee, your new French teacher! I am beyond happy to be returning to the Alcester Academy community. It was my pleasure to teach here last year, so I feel very fortunate to be back with you all. I hope that my passion



and energy for learning languages encourages you to dive headfirst into your French journey - and I will always do my best to support you. In my free time I love to walk in nature and be inspired by its beauty and magic! Nature also inspires me in my creative outlets of weaving and beading. I'm vegetarian and an animal lover - if you're in my class, you'll have already heard about mon chat Cleo! Au revoir

Miss Laura Maryon

Hello! I'm Miss Maryon, and I am delighted to be joining the English department this year. I've already had such a warm welcome from the school community and can't wait to meet all my lovely classes! I'm passionate about bringing texts to life and helping students find their own voice and confidence in reading and writing. Unsurprisingly for an English teacher, my main passion outside of school is reading (particularly anything with a clever murder mystery plot!), alongside visiting the theatre to see the latest musicals. I'm very much looking forward to a fantastic year ahead!



Mrs Lisa Harvey

Hello, I'm Mrs Harvey and I will be working as a Learning Assistant. I am really happy to have joined Alcester Academy this September. It has been a wonderful few days so far and I have been made to feel very welcome. I am thoroughly looking forward to my wonderful journey ahead, supporting the fabulous students at the school. Outside of a school environment my young family are my main focus and bring me such joy! Not leaving a lot of room for much else.'



Mr Kevin Oakley

Hi! I'm Mr Oakley and am the Cover Manager at Alcester Academy. 2026 marks my 10th year working in a school! I am here because I want all of our students to be the best they can be, whether that be in school or out. Education isn't my only background; I worked for West Midlands Police for 11 years as a Police Community Support Officer, followed by 2 years in the Contact Centre taking emergency and non-emergency calls.

I love my family and spending time away on holidays.

I'm pleased to report that Mrs Gorner and Miss Radbourne are both in very good health in the last stages of their pregnancies. We have maternity teachers in place, in readiness for a smooth transition when required.

Open Evening 2026

We are closing school early on Thursday 24th September in readiness for Open Evening. School will close at 12.40pm.

With regret, school buses will not arrive for this time.

I'm grateful to the students that have already volunteered to help us during this important event.



Congratulations Mr Silvester!

We are extremely proud to report on Mr Silvester's epic walk across the Three Peaks over the summer in aid of Birmingham Children's Hospital. His team managed to raise a staggering £8,000!



Building Progress

It's been a hectic few weeks at school in the run up to the start of term. Works have included the resurfacing of the turning circle, new garage facilities, fencing projects and the construction of a canopy area adjacent to the science block. We still have fire doors to install and mobile classrooms to be demolished and replaced. Can I take this opportunity to thank Mrs Haynes, School Business Manager for her support with these works, and Mr Hodges our internal Project Lead. All projects have been funded through local, or national financial grants.



Routine appointments

Please make routine dentist and optician appointments for students in the school holidays for children. With thanks.

Well Being Updates

A mental health service for children, young people and their families called ECHO (standing for Every Child Heard and Offered support), has launched this week across Warwickshire.



ECHO will provide earlier support and improved access to community-based mental health care. Designed to help children and young people get the right support before difficulties escalate, the service is available for young people up to the age of 18, and up to 25 for those with an Education, Health and Care Plan (EHCP).

ECHO will support children and young people experiencing lower-level mental health and emotional wellbeing challenges, including:

- Feeling anxious or worried
- Struggling with stress or low mood
- Having friendship or school difficulties
- Finding emotions difficult to manage
- Needing coping strategies and early support

Support available through ECHO may include counselling, advice and guidance, consultation support for parents and professionals, and signposting to other services such as bereavement support.

The service is funded by Warwickshire County Council (WCC) in partnership with NHS Coventry and Warwickshire Integrated Care Board (ICB) and is delivered by Coventry, Warwickshire and Worcestershire Mind (CWW Mind). As part of the ECHO service, CWW Mind is also working in partnership with Guardian Ballers, the Anna Freud Centre, Relationships Coventry and Warwickshire, and Lifespace Trust to give children and their families greater flexibility and choice in the support they receive.

From this week, it will be easier for families to access early mental health support as children, young people and their carers can easily self-refer to ECHO online or over the phone. Coventry and Warwickshire Partnership NHS Trust (CWPT) Children and Young People's Services – Mental Health (previously known as Rise) will continue to provide specialist mental health services for children and young people with more complex needs.

Anyone can access support from ECHO for a child or young person. Tel: 02476 631835 (lines are open Monday to Thursday 9am to 4.30pm and Friday 9am to 4pm) or [visit our website](http://www.echosupport.org.uk). www.echosupport.org.uk. For families that want to understand more about ECHO and the mental health support available for young people in Warwickshire, read the [Frequently Asked Questions](#).

Further to this service, parents/carers may wish to look at an organisation called FACE (Face Family Advice) [Parent Live Talks | Face Family Advice, Online Parenting Courses | CPD & Self-Paced Options](#) There seem some fabulous parent talks and guidance on this website for you all related to SEND and behaviours of children/teenagers.

Soluna by Kooth

Soluna by Kooth is a free, safe and anonymous place for young people aged 11-25 to find online support and counselling. The app is a mental wellbeing space for young people and includes access to mental health experts, self-help tools and discussion forums.

Cycling to school

Any student choosing to cycle to school must be sure to wear a safety helmet. Thank you. I'm grateful to parents/carers attention to road safety this week after my communication.



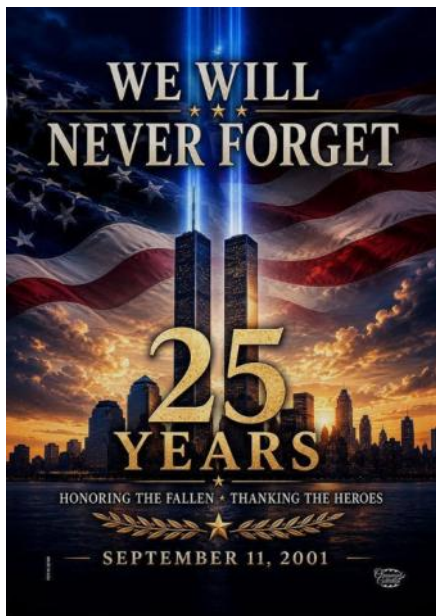
Wheel chair donation

If anyone might be kind enough to have an adult wheelchair in good condition to donate to school, we'd be very grateful. Often, we are dealing with accidents that required additional support for our students to physically get to reception, and this could be handy resource to have available in school. Huge thanks.



9/11

Today, we held a minute's silence at 11am to mark the 25th anniversary of 9/11 and the devastation caused at the Twin Towers in New York City. I thank the students for the respect shown on this important day.



We're wishing the Year 11 geographers all the best for their field trip next week. And so, to wish you all a restful weekend ahead. I'm looking forward to this half term continuing in such a positive way. As always, please be in touch if you need clarification on any area of school life.

Best wishes

Sarah Mellors

Headteacher

Alcester Academy

SEND Coffee Morning

There will be a SEND Coffee Morning on Thursday 22nd October 9.15-10.15am, and we hope to hold these throughout the academic year. Lucy Clarke, Specialist teacher (Autism) will join us for this event.



Weekly Drop – In

Parents/carers all have the option of a drop-in service every Wednesday 3.25-4.25pm. Please report to main reception.

Useful support for families

[IMPACT - Young People's Forum for SEND - Do you want to be involved?](#)

Get involved in IMPACT, the Young Person's Forum for SEND

IMPACT meets online & face to face every other Friday, although this pattern responds to the needs of the group and is likely to evolve.

It provides an opportunity for young people aged 13-25 years with SEND to have their say and in-



fluence support in Warwickshire.

If you, or someone you know, would like to get involved please complete the online MS form and we can let you know more information about what is happening and how to get involved.

Rewards Trips 2026

Congratulations to the students on a super, well-deserved day out around the country last Friday on our annual rewards trip day; There were visits to West Midlands Safari Park, Bowling and laser quest, Drayton Manor, Alton Towers and we hosted a huge trip to Thorpe Parke with over 140 students having a fab day on the rollercoasters. Thank you to a huge staff team today for making this happen either on the trips themselves or behind the scenes.



Mental health support for young people in Warwickshire

A simple guide for accessing emotional wellbeing and mental health support for children and young people aged up to 18 (or up to 25 for those with an Education, Health and Care Plan)

Is your child or young person in immediate danger? Call 999 or visit A&E. For urgent mental health advice, contact NHS 111.



WHAT SUPPORT IS BEST FOR YOUR CHILD?

Mild to moderate emotional wellbeing support

Your child may be:

- Feeling anxious or worried
- Struggling with stress or low mood
- Having friendship or school difficulties
- Finding emotions difficult to manage



Your child may need some coping strategies and early support.

Tel: 02476 631835 (lines are open Mon-Thurs 9am - 4.30pm and Fri 9am - 4pm)

Visit: www.echosupport.org.uk

Support includes one-to-one/group wellbeing sessions and drop-in workshops.

More complex or ongoing mental health support

Your child may be struggling with serious emotional or behavioural challenges that are affecting their safety, relationships, learning, or ability to cope with everyday life e.g. eating disorders, self-harm or severe depression

Your child may need a specialist mental health assessment or support from NHS mental health professionals.

Talk to your GP, school, social worker or professional involved with your child about a referral.

For more information visit www.covwarkpt.nhs.uk/cyp-services



DON'T WORRY!

Both organisations will work closely to ensure everyone gets timely and appropriate support from the best service based on their needs, regardless of their referral route.

REMEMBER

Seeking support early, before things escalate, can make a big difference. For more information about mental health support, visit www.warwickshire.gov.uk/mentalhealth



Year 10 Work Experience

We are pleased to confirm that Year 10 Work Experience will take place from Monday 1st to Friday 5th March 2027, coinciding with National Careers Week.

All Year 10 students are strongly encouraged to participate. Work experience is a valuable opportunity for students to:

gain first-hand experience of the world of work;

- develop confidence, independence and communication skills;
- explore possible career pathways and areas of interest;
- understand the skills and qualities employers value; and
- gain experience that can support future college, apprenticeship and employment applications.

We will officially launch the programme with students during an assembly on Thursday 24th September. Further information for students and parents about the procedures and arrangements will follow in due course, including guidance on how students will use their Unifrog accounts to support and record the process.

For now, the most important step is for students to begin thinking about and seeking a high-quality, meaningful placement. We encourage students to look beyond their usual surroundings and consider opportunities that will introduce them to new people, new workplaces and new experiences. Wherever possible, a placement outside a parent or close family member's immediate workplace or supervision can be particularly valuable, as it encourages students to step outside their comfort zone, build independence and confidence, make new professional connections, and experience the expectations of an unfamiliar working environment.

Students should consider areas of work that genuinely interest them and can, of course, draw on family, friends and other contacts to help identify and introduce them to suitable opportunities, while aiming for a placement that gives them the greatest opportunity to experience something new.



We look forward to supporting Year 10 students in making the most of this valuable experience.

Inspiring Future Career Pathways at Alcester Academy

At Alcester Academy, we are committed to supporting our students as they explore their future career pathways, raising aspirations and helping them discover the wide range of opportunities available beyond school.

An important part of this is giving students the opportunity to hear directly from people working in different careers — and this is where our parents and carers can play an invaluable role. Throughout the year, we hold regular Career Drop-In Sessions during lunchtime. These are relaxed and informal sessions where students can bring along their lunch, listen to a guest talk about their career and ask questions about their job, experiences and the pathway that led them there.

The sessions are open to students across the school, allowing anyone with an interest or curiosity in a particular career to attend. Hearing first-hand from people working in a variety of industries can be incredibly inspiring and can introduce students to career possibilities they may never previously have considered.

Keep up to date with Career Drop-Ins

Details of upcoming Career Drop-In Sessions can be found on the Career Zone Google Classroom. All students are encouraged to join the Career Zone Google Classroom so that they can keep up to date with the latest sessions, opportunities and careers information.

Google Classroom code: a3hdvcr

Could you inspire our students?

Our parent and carer community has a fantastic wealth of knowledge, skills and professional experience that we would love to share with our students.

If you feel that your job or career is something our students would enjoy learning more about, we would love to hear from you. Whether your career is well known, unusual, highly specialised or something students might not even know exists, your experience could spark an interest, raise aspirations and help a young person think differently about their future.

If you are able to give up a little of your time during a lunch break to speak with our students, please contact:

careerzone@alcesteracademy.org.uk

By working together, we can help our students explore possibilities, broaden their horizons, and feel inspired about where their future could take them.

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SEND Coffee Morning

For Parents and
Carers

Thursday
22nd
October



9:15AM-
10:15AM

With visitor, Lucy
Clarke, Specialist
teacher for Autism
from SEND
Supported

Key Dates For Your Diary

Parents Evenings

- Wednesday 16th September 2026 KS3 Parent Forum about homework and Google Classroom **ONLINE**
- This will also refer to curriculum changes for KS3. Year 7 and 8 parents/carers have been sent a letter about this already.
- Thursday 15th October 2026 Year 7 Meet the Tutor Evening **LIVE (in school)**
- Thursday 22nd October 2026 Year 11 Parents' Evening **LIVE**
- Tuesday 3rd November 2026 Year 11 Parent Forum. Course content/revision **ONLINE**
- Thursday 3rd December 2026 Year 10 Parents' Evening **LIVE**
- Thursday 7th January 2027 Year 11 Mock Results Evening **LIVE**
- Wednesday 10th February 2027 Year 8 Parents' Evening **LIVE**
- Wednesday 17th March 2027 Year 7 Parents' Evening **LIVE**
- Thursday 29th April 2027 Year 9 Parents' Evening **LIVE**

This term

- Year 8 Skern Lodge Trip Parents meeting - Monday 14th September 6pm (Hall)
- ♦ **Wednesday 16 – Friday 18th September 2026** – Year 11 Geography trip to Blencathra
- ♦ **Week 21st September 2026** – Open Week 2026
- ♦ **EARLY FINISH THURSDAY 24TH SEPTEMBER 12.40pm.**
- ♦ **Thursday 1st October 2026** – National Poetry Day
- ♦ **Week Monday 5th October 2026** – Year 8 Skern Lodge Trip
- ♦ **Monday 12th October 2026** – Year 7 Super Learning Day. My Mate Fancies You.
- ♦ **Wednesday 21st October 2026** – Y8 trip to Cheddar Gorge (Geography)
- ♦ **Week Monday 9th November 2026** – Year 11 mock MFL speaking exams start
- ♦ **Week Monday 16th November 2026** - Year 11 Exam Focus Week
- ♦ **Tuesday 17th November 2026** – Primary School Matinee, Matilda
- ♦ **18-20th November 2026** – School Show Nights; Matilda
- ♦ **Week 23rd November 2026** – Year 11 mocks begin fully
- ♦ **Friday 27th November** – Rock Academy 20th Anniversary gig , Greig Hall, Alcester
- ♦ **Tuesday 15th December 2026** – Christmas Concert in school 6.30pm
- ♦ **Wednesday 16th December 2026** - Student Reward Trips TBC
- ♦ **Thursday 17th December 2026** – End of term. School closes at 12.40pm. Christmas Jumper Day for Save the Children.
- ♦ **Return to school – Tuesday 5th January 2027**

(This list is not exhaustive, PE fixtures, clubs and revision sessions are all in addition, and staff do add various events to this throughout the term).

LRC News

Alcester Academy Macmillan Cake Sale

Indulge your sweet tooth and help make a real difference to the lives of those affected by cancer. There will be a delicious cake sale, for staff and students, to raise vital funds for Macmillan Cancer Support.



Date: Tuesday 29th September

Time: Break and Lunchtime

Location: Learning Resource Centre (LRC)



We'll have a fantastic selection of homemade cakes, cookies, and treats. Every purchase, big or small, contributes to providing essential support and care.

Let's come together as a community and bake a difference!

Get Involved!

Baking: If you'd like to contribute baked goods, NO NUTS, please bring them to school reception or the LRC on the morning of the 29th September.

Together, we can provide comfort and support to those who need it most.

Why Support Macmillan?

Macmillan Cancer Support provides crucial physical, financial, and emotional support to cancer patients and their families. Your contributions help fund:



- Dedicated nurses
- Information and advice services
- Financial aid and benefits advice
- Support groups and complementary therapies



Every penny raised goes towards helping people live life as fully as possible after a cancer diagnosis - Thank You!

We look forward to seeing you there and appreciate your generosity in supporting Macmillan Cancer Support. Together, we can make a real difference.

Exciting Library Events for 2026/27!

We have a fantastic lineup of library events, book awards, and visits scheduled for the upcoming academic year. More details on how your child can sign up for the book awards or get involved with these events will be shared closer to the time. We look forward to a year packed full of reading for pleasure!

September 2026: Macmillan Cancer Support Cake Sale: Kickstarting our year with a wonderful cause! We will be hosting a delicious cake sale in the library on the 29th September, to raise vital funds for Macmillan Cancer Support. Bakers and buyers alike, get ready!

October 2026: Warwickshire Teen Book Award Begins: Aimed at our year 9 readers, students will get to dive into a fantastic list of contemporary books, debate their favorites, and vote for the ultimate winner.

December 2026: Warwickshire Schools' Book Award Begins: Hot on the heels of the Teen Award, the Warwickshire Secondary Book Award launches in December for our year 7 and 8 readers. This is a brilliant opportunity for students to experience the best new fiction and even get the chance to meet the authors at the final ceremony later in the year.

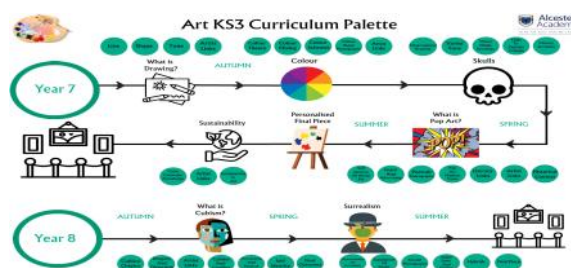
February 2027: Author Visit—Tom Palmer: We are thrilled to announce that the award-winning children's author Tom Palmer will be visiting our school! Known for his incredible sports-themed fiction and gripping historical novels, Tom will be here to inspire our pupils.

March 2027: World Book Day: Always a highlight of the school calendar! Expect creative literary activities, competitions, and a celebration of all things reading as we mark World Book Day.

Mrs Hands—LRC Manager

Check out our knowledge Goals Booklet for Years 7 and 8

These are a valuable resource to help with homework and link really well with our subject palettes. Students in Year 7 and 8 can access these on Google Classrooms.





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TEXT ACADEMY

Report incidents of
bullying, theft,
cyber issues, crime or
anti-social behaviour

*“I'm being bullied -
I don't know
what to do -
textacademy to
07563130478”*



with your message
or
email your message to:

**textacademy@
alcesteracademy.org.uk**



07563130478





Positive Points Leaderboard 10th July—16th July 2026

Top Students:

1	Eva	10KI	Ragley	6 points
2	Georgia	7TN	Oversley	5 points
3	Matilda	10YA	Ragley	4 points
3	Lola	7RA	Greville	4 points
4	Teddy	8BI	Ragley	3 points
4	Sammy	7WI	Ragley	3 points
4	Charlottte	7WI	Oversley	3 points

Top Tutor:

1	7TN	49 points
2	8BI	46 points
3	8SA	44 points
3	7PA	44 points
4	8BW	43 points

Top Staff:

1	Mr Yarrington	139 points
2	Mrs Hands	79 points
3	Mrs Marshall	46 points

Top House:

1	Ragley	191 points
2	Greville	184 points
3	Billesley	166 points
4	Oversley	162 points





Positive Points Leaderboard Year 2026/7

Top Students:

1	Charlotte	7WI	Oversley	290 points
2	Oscar	10YA	Ragley	271 points
3	Eva	10KI	Ragley	260 points
4	William	7WI	Billesley	253 points
5	Lola	7RA	Greville	248 points
6	Thomas	7LX	Oversley	252 points
7	Theo	8SA	Greville	243 points
8	Daniel	10GA	Oversley	241 points
9	Alizee	10YA	Greville	240 points
10	Min-Seo	10GA	Oversley	237 points

Top Tutor:

1	7WI	4515 points
1	7LX	4214 points
2	7RA	4100 points
3	7PA	4098 points
4	8SA	4053 points

Top House:

1	Oversley	19995 points
2	Billesley	19410 points
3	Ragley	19399 points
4	Greville	19369 points



Attendance Updates

Top Tutors attendance this week:

8BW with 95.1% attendance
7WI with 95.1% attendance
9NA with 94.3% attendance
10GA with 93.1% attendance
7RA with 92.8% attendance



If your child will be absent from school, please notify our Attendance Officer, Ms Louise Hatcher, with the reason before 8.50am each day. You can do this via:

- ⇒ **MCAS App—medical appointments and absences can be reported through the app**
- ⇒ **SchoolComms**
- ⇒ **Phone: 01789 762285**
- ⇒ **Email: louisehatcher@alcesteracademy.org.uk**

We kindly ask parents and carers to remind students who are leaving for appointments during the school day to come to the office a few minutes early so they can sign out promptly. Thank you for your cooperation.

Ms Louise Hatcher—Attendance Officer



If a pupil is ten minutes late to school or lessons each day, they will miss seven days of learning over a year.



DfE data shows that pupils with more than 95% attendance achieve better GCSE results!

2025/26 Attendance Headlines!

Top Tutor Attendance this year:

9AN with 97.0%
7LX with 96.7%
8RW with 96.6%
11HE with 96.4%
10GA with 96.2%

Reprographics Technician

Part Time - Working 30 hours per week over 5 days

term time only (39 weeks including 5 Teacher Training days) pro-rated accordingly.

NJC Scale F, Scalepoint 6 Actual Salary £18,044

Closing date: Rolling

Start: ASAP

Interviews: TBC



ADVERT ON THE SCHOOL WEBSITE

The Post

This is a term time only post working 39 weeks per year (incl. 5 teacher training days), pro-rated accordingly, managing the cost effective production of materials and documents for the whole school. Manage, co-ordinate and ensure the high quality, customer focused presentation of school information and publicity for internal and external audiences, manage the stock levels of all school administrative and reprographics stationary resources and provide administrative support for the teaching staff. Maintain the school website and co-ordinate social media accounts and school branding. Collate school policies for staff in conjunction with the Clerk to the FGB. Full details of the role are included in the recruitment pack.

The Application Process

Please complete an Alcester Academy application form which can be found above. A written statement in support of your application will be accepted but we do not consider CVs.

Please send your completed application to admin@alcesteracademy.org.uk.

We will be reviewing applications and inviting to interview at regular intervals. Interviews TBC.

Alcester Academy reserve the right to appoint before the deadline for a suitable candidate.

If you have any questions with regard to this vacancy or wish to visit the school, please contact: admin@alcesteracademy.org.uk.

We reserve the right to follow up references provided in person.

We may interview and appoint suitable candidates prior to the advertised closing date, therefore, we reserve the right to close this advert early.



Teaching Assistant 2

Full and Part Time Positions available.

Job Shares also considered.

Full Time - Working 37 hours per week 5 days term time only (39 weeks including 5 Teacher Training days)

Scale F range 6-11. Actual pro rata £22,254.

If working part time, salary will be pro-rated accordingly.

Interviews: TBC

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Learning Support at Alcester Academy

Working under the supervision of the responsible teacher, assist and support teaching and learning, working with individuals or groups, and assist in providing general care, safety and welfare for pupils.

The Post

This is a term time only post working 39 weeks per year (incl. 5 teacher training days) as a 1:1 Teaching Assistant. We are particularly interested in hearing from applicants with experience of planning and running intervention sessions with children and monitoring progress within these. Alongside supporting a range of special educational needs specifically neurodivergence, including autism, ADHD and dyslexia.

This is a temporary post for 12 months in the first instance with a view to becoming permanent after this period.

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Alcester Academy is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. Enhanced DBS disclosure is required for appointment to this post. In line with safeguarding procedures, all shortlisted candidates will be subject to an online search prior to interview. This forms part of our safer recruitment checks.

Teaching Assistant 3

**Full Time - Working 37 hours per week 5 days term time only
(39 weeks including 5 Teacher Training days)**

If working part time, salary will be pro-rated accordingly.

Scale H. Actual pro rata £26,683

Interviews: TBC



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The Post

This is a term time only post working 39 weeks per year (incl. 5 teacher training days) as a 1:1 Intervention Teaching Assistant. We are particularly interested in hearing from applicants with experience of planning and running intervention sessions with children at a Primary school level within phonics, spelling, reading and Maths and monitoring progress within these. Alongside supporting a range of special educational needs specifically neurodivergence, including autism, ADHD and dyslexia.

Working with delegated authority and under the overall direction of the SENCO, hold a senior role within the teaching assistant field of work, contribute to whole of school policy development. Contribute to the school's statutory duty to safeguard and promote the welfare of children.

Learning Support

- Delivering interventions at a Primary school level within phonics, spelling, reading and Maths.
- Planning interventions recommended from in-house assessment, professional reports, EHCPs – relevant to the focus children.
- Delivering interventions – identifying objectives for the sessions and monitoring progress towards these.
- Reflecting upon progress with the children and staff, preparing feedback for parents.

This is a temporary post for 12 months in the first instance with a view to becoming permanent after this period.

The Application Process

Please complete an Alcester Academy application form which can be found above. A written statement in support of your application will be accepted but we do not consider CVs.

Please send your completed application to admin@alcesteracademy.org.uk.

We will be reviewing applications and inviting to interview at regular intervals. Interviews TBC.

Alcester Academy reserve the right to appoint before the deadline for a suitable candidate. If you have any questions with regard to this vacancy or wish to visit the school, please contact: admin@alcesteracademy.org.uk.

We reserve the right to follow up references provided in person.

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Extra Curricular Sport Information!



**Next week's
after school
Sport...**

**W/B 14th
September
2026**

Day	Extra-Curricular Club & Staff	Location
Monday	No clubs - Staff meeting	N/A
Tuesday	SW District Cross Country Trials – MO/NA Year 10 + 11 Netball training - FA	AGS Courts
Wednesday	Year 7 Netball training - FA Year 7 Football training – MO/NA	Courts Field
Thursday	All Years Girls Football – MO/FA Year 8 + 9 Football – NA	Field Field



**Break /
Lunchtime
Sport –
Autumn 1**

**W/B 14th
September 2026**

w/b	MO – Tues Break (Gym)	NA – Wed Break (Gym)	FA – Wed Lunch (Gym)
14/9	11 Indoor Football	7+8 Basketball	7+8 Girls Netball
21/9	11 Indoor Football	9+10 Basketball	9+10 Girls Netball
28/9	11 Indoor Football	7+8 Basketball	7+8 Girls Netball
5/10	11 Indoor Football	9+10 Basketball	9+10 Girls Netball
12/10	11 Indoor Football	7+8 Basketball	7+8 Girls Netball

Break time Sports Clubs – 11.15-11.45

Lunch time Sports Clubs – 1.50-2.20

No PE kit required just suitable footwear

No food or drink allowed in the gym

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