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Welcome to the next issue of my Principal's blog. It has been a very exciting and busy couple of weeks for team TAL! Site meetings, visits to primary schools and putting together the plans for student and staff induction. Thank you for your continued positivity and support for our school, we cannot wait to see you all soon.

Music Tuition



We are delighted to be able to offer music tuition free of charge to every TAL student. Our newly appointed Curriculum Tutor of Music, (MOBO nominee no less), Mr Johnson, cannot wait to start working with you. If you have not done so already, please let us know if you are interested in continuing or beginning tuition in the following areas: **voice, drums, guitar, keyboard.** Mr Johnson and Miss Scantlebury will also be running a range of exciting Arts clubs including, TAL Choir, TAL Orchestra, No Limits Drama Club, and the 'T' Team (technical theatre training). Don't forget that you can also opt in to join LAPA, our Performing Arts group, that runs every Thursday 2.50-4.50 p.m. which will cover all aspects of musical theatre.



Induction

As a new academy, we will have to do induction days a little differently this year! We will be inviting all parents to our first ever Induction Day to meet with Form Tutors and hear important information about our academy as soon as our building has been completed! You will be contacted with an option to choose a time that best suits you, but please make a note in your diary for **Thursday 2nd September.** Our students will also take part in TAL Induction Camp on Friday 3rd, Monday 6th and Tuesday 7th September where they will have lots of time to meet with their teachers and fellow students, and get used to all things TAL. We will continue to send out key information to our families, and we are currently trying to secure funding for some summer transition activities, lots more to follow!

Challenge winners!

Mr Weston was blown away by the quality of the entries into his Maths challenge. He was so impressed that he has decided to award everyone who entered with a special Maths related prize that will be posted to your home address over the next couple of weeks. Send us a picture of you receiving your prize, we would love to see your reaction!



Get Involved!

We are excited to launch our co-curricular programme, Involve! Every Tuesday and Wednesday at TAL we have an extended academy day where every single one of our students will take part in two clubs per week aimed at enriching and broadening their knowledge, skills, and experience. We have listened carefully to the feedback from your 'All About Me' forms and we are delighted to be able to offer you such a wide range of exciting opportunities. You will get to choose your first Involve clubs during TAL Induction Camp, meanwhile keep following us on social media for all the details!

Involve club options include:

Futsal, STEM club, Photography, Book Club, Rowing, Catering and Fashion Design.

Our best challenge yet!

In this issue we are setting a very special challenge indeed, Mr Trail has set up an opportunity for a small group of our founding students to visit the site and see first-hand your school being built from the ground up! All health and safety regulations will be strictly followed, and we can only offer this opportunity to five of you, so I am hoping that the competition will be fierce! **Our deadline for entries is Monday 7th June...** Your challenge is to create a scientific model that will help explain a fascinating part of science. You could model the human heart from biology, an atom from chemistry or the solar system from physics. You could even choose your own concept. Your model can be 3D or 2D the choice is yours!

Meet John Fielding

I have worked in the public transport sector for over 25 years, starting my career as a bus driver before being promoted to staff manager and deputy of operations manager. [READ MORE ON OUR WEBSITE...](#)

John
Fielding |
Governor

Meet Mrs Kolota

Mrs Kolota |
Curriculum
Leader EAL

I am extremely excited to be joining Trinity Academy Leeds in September! I am certain it is going to be a very rewarding journey, both, for the wonderful students and amazing teachers!

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Meet Miss Kay

Miss Kay |
Humanities
Teacher

I feel exceptionally privileged to be joining the founding cohort at Trinity Academy Leeds in September as a Humanities teacher.

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