

## Being Bold in the Community



Well done to all the students and families who contributed food to the Ivybridge foodbank. We donated all this to those who most need it in our community.

## Parents and Carers Evening

We had a really successful parents evening on 22nd Nov. Almost all our parents came and it was a great opportunity for them to have some time to meet the tutors. Thank you to all the parents for the very supportive comments in the survey.

# Inter-house Music Competition

We had a number of amazing performances during the interhouse singing competition. All of the students took part in this. We were also treated to brilliant solo acts playing the Spanish guitar, piano and violin. 7C won – much to Miss Jones' delight!

Bolder reaches the Semis in the National Youth Mathematics Award



Our students have managed to get through to the semi-finals and we are delighted with this. We wish them all the best for the first week of December.

### Parent Association

We would love our parents and carers to get more involved in the Academy and would like a Parent Association to be set up.

If there are any volunteers please email office@boldercademy.co.uk by

7<sup>th</sup> Dec 2018.

# Literacy Volunteering Underway



A big thank you to Sky who are sending 15 volunteers every week to give some one-to-one support to some our students.

The scheme runs for 7 weeks and in January we kick off a similar programme for numeracy.

# We're expanding our Library



Thanks to Sky's support we've raised over £150,000. The first thing is getting our Accelerated Reader programme up and running and to expand the number of books in our library.

## A trip to Tile Barn



We have a fantastic activity trip booked in July for our year 7s to visit Tile Barn the outdoor centre in Hampshire. We can't wait!

## Volunteers wanted

We're on the look out for any budding volunteer artists. we would like to create life size statues or sculptures of the people who we named our houses after. Ideally we would like volunteers who could support this activity to work with students on

Monday 3.15pm – 4.15pm or Thursday 3.15pm – 4.15pm. please let us know office@bolderacademy.co.uk

# Sky Coding Course Complete



All 150 young people have now gone the through the year 7 coding course delivered by Sky. It was a great success. Ask the children about the mazes they made!

### Our New building



Intense and weekly meetings are well underway with the architects, contractors and DfE. The meetings are looking at the internal spaces and deciding on furniture and layouts...all very exciting.

# A Cross Country Star!

Well done to Shareen Baccar for qualifying for Middlesex Cross Country Competition.

### Sports Update



### **Girls Football Fixtures**

Bolder vs Heston 11th Feb Bolder vs Reach 4th Marc Bolder vs Cranford, Green, Lampton, Kingsley – dates TBC

#### **Girls Netball 2018**

Bolder A 3 Kingsley 4 Bolder B 0 Kingsley 4 Bolder A vs Lampton 3rd Dec Bolder B vs Lampton 3rd Dec

Bolder A vs Cranford, Brentford, Bolder B – dates TBC

#### **Boys Football**

Bolder vs Isleworth and Syon 10th Dec (between 3rd Jan – 5th Mar) – exact dates TBC Bolder vs Isleworth and Syon Bolder vs Gunnersbury Bolder vs Spring West Bolder vs Green School Bolder vs Cranford Bolder vs Nishkam

#### **Boys Rugby – Friendlies**

Bolder vs Green School 28th Nov Bolder vs Springwest 6th Dec

If parents/carers have any ideas