



Lees Brook Academy

Friday 28 October 2022

Dear parents & carers,

Behaviour and Rewards update Autumn 1

Rewards update:

This half term the students at Lees Brook have amassed a total of 105,110 positive points for meeting the schools core values of Learn, Believe, Achieve and #TEAMLeesBrook. Those students achieving their bronze award received their new shield badges for their blazer this week.

We have also completed the end of half term Gold and Platinum ticket draw giving out over eight hundred pounds of Amazon vouchers to those students who won in the draws. Last week we had our first Rainbow Rewards week where students were rewarded for meeting our core value of Learn. Those students who demonstrated resilience and commitment to their learning had the chance to win a ticket and could swap this for a bag of chocolate or sweets. Students managed to get over 650 bags in a week!

Rewards Trip:

We are currently finalising the details of our Christmas rewards trip and those with good attendance and behaviour will be able to attend. The details of this trip will be announced after the half term break but students should be prepared to get their roller blades on.

Detentions:

Whilst the vast majority of our students won't receive a detention during their time at Lees Brook, they remain a vital part of our school behaviour policy. A copy of this policy can be found [here](#)

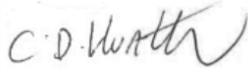
Following the half term break it will be the students own responsibility to attend their own detentions and staff will no longer escort students to their detentions. Staff will remind students during P5 of their detentions but students will need to make their own way at the end of the day. Detentions will also take place on Thursday's so students will need to take themselves to detention following lunchtime and will be reminded period 4. A reminder that students failing to attend any 30 minute detention will be entered into a 60 minute detention the following day. Failure to attend a 60 minute detention will result in students being placed in the ILU until 4pm.

Lees Brook Academy wants to work with parents and therefore we aim to text all parents of students in detention by 12.30 on the day of the detention to inform them of their detention and the length. We understand emergencies occur and students may not be able to sit their detention on that night, in exceptional circumstances the school will move the detention to the following night at the request of parents as long as school have been contacted before 3pm.

More information on the Department for Education's guidance on school discipline and afterschool detentions can be found [here](#)

I'd like to thank you all for your support during a very busy but rewarding half term and wish you and your families a relaxing half term.

Yours Faithfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'C.D. Hunter', written in a cursive style.

Mr C Hunter
Assistant Principal- Behaviour and Attendance