



INTHEKNOW

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Summer Musical – Beauty and the Beast

'As the years passed, he fell into despair and lost all hope. For who could ever learn to love a beast?'

Fairfax Performing Arts is proud to present their rendition of *Beauty and The Beast* to end this year, providing two evenings worth of musical enjoyment for all the family to see. Students have been working incredibly hard for over 10 weeks, to bring you a story of love, happiness, and jealousy; showcasing how ultimately, faith and perseverance can pay off to achieve your destiny in life. We will be taking you through a theatrical experience that will have you up and out of your seat dancing at Lumiere's dinner party, to then experience the plight and desperation of the Beast and Belle, with some of the difficult choices they must make.

We are very proud of the finished performance and look forward to once again, taking to the stage, (in what seems an age) to bring you a piece of stunning musical theatre! We hope to see you there.

'A tale as old as time, Beauty and the Beast'

Milestone Ladder – Merits

Please be advised that due to ongoing technical difficulties, the merging of our previous and new rewards system has been delayed. Students who are owed milestone rewards will receive these as soon as possible. Thank you for your patience and understanding.

Attendance Matters

Well done to our students whose attendance has been high. A reminder that attendance should be 97%. Attendance improves achievement! Please support Fairfax in maintaining a high level.

Attendance CSAWS

Please be reminded that CSAWS (Central School Attendance and Welfare Service) may conduct a home visit to any family whose child has not attended school and no valid reason has been provided.

Term Time Holiday Requests

A reminder notice: parents/carers are kindly reminded that Fairfax Academy cannot authorise holiday leave during term time. Please be advised doing so may result in penalty charges.

Punctuality

A reminder notice: punctuality is a very important aspect of life. This is a key focus for Fairfax Academy as we prepare our students for the world of work, where there will be high expectations of attendance and punctuality. Students who arrive later than their designated start time can expect to receive a same day after school detention.

YEAR 7

A reminder notice: The GL Assessment Progress Test in English will take place on Friday, 1 July and in Mathematics on Friday, 8 July.

YEAR 8

A reminder notice: The GL Assessment Progress Test in English will take place on Tuesday, 5 July and in Mathematics on Monday, 11 July. An individual timetable will be issued in tutor time next week.

YEAR 9

A reminder notice: the GL Assessment Progress Test in English will take place on Monday, 4 July and in Mathematics on Wednesday, 6 July. An individual timetable will be issued in tutor time next week.

YEAR 10

A reminder notice: the Year 10 Art Gallery visit to Birmingham is on Friday, 8 July. Please refer to the visit letter for further details.

YEAR 11

A reminder notice: Results can be collected from the school gym from 8:30am on Thursday, 25 August. Staff will be available on that date should students require any further help and support.

YEAR 12

A reminder notice: the Year 12 Duke of Edinburgh Gold Practice Expedition is from Thursday, 30 June until Tuesday, 5 July 2022. Please refer to the visit letter for further details.

A reminder notice: the Year 12 Art Gallery visit to Birmingham is on Friday, 8 July. Please refer to the visit letter for further details.

A reminder notice: Year 12 students who will be applying to university next year must start their application and complete all sections except for the personal statement and university choices by Friday, 15 July.

YEAR 13

A reminder notice: Results can be collected from the school gym from 8:30am on Thursday, 18 August. Staff will be available on that date should students require any further help and support.