

## Principal's Update

It has been a busy first week back, with a highly successful Y11 Geography fieldwork trip (despite the weather!). Next week we have some special assemblies from our local police officers for some year groups, focusing on respect and safety.

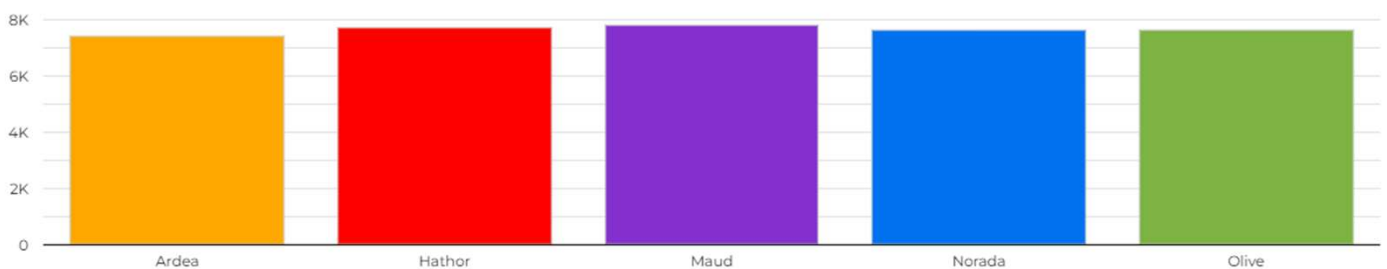
Y11 students have one more week of revision time before their winter assessments begin on 13<sup>th</sup> November. These exams are a really important milestone as they give students, parents and teachers a clear indication of where students are at in their courses and what areas they need to focus on going forward. In addition, strong study habits now lay an excellent foundation for the final term before GCSE exams begin.

Y9 students will have their winter assessments between 27<sup>th</sup> November and 8<sup>th</sup> December. At the start of next week they will be given a copy of their timetable, and subject teachers will tell them which lessons to highlight when they will have assessments. Students should be using their knowledge organisers to prepare for these assessments, which could cover content from Y7 and Y8 as well as Y9. The knowledge organisers are all available on the school website under "Curriculum".

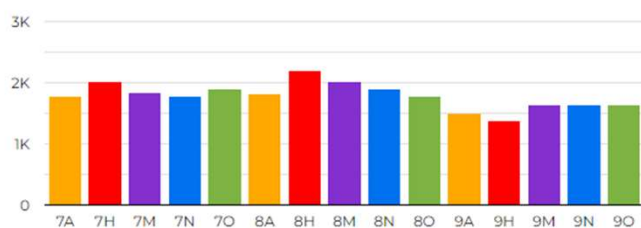
Students continue to earn a large number of house points for excellent work, for their positive attitude and for community service. A number of competitions close today (animation and writing for example) and the house points earned for these events will be added to the totals. For now though, Maud house holds a narrow lead!

## House Point Leaderboard

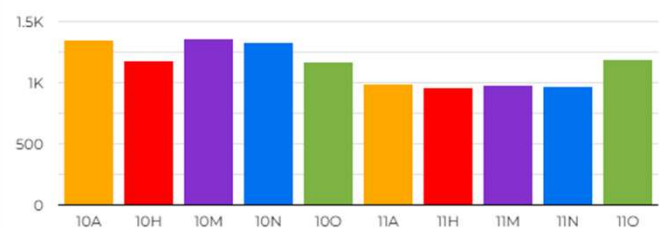
Overall House Points  
38,319



### Key Stage 3 Forms



### Key Stage 4 Forms



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## PE Notices

### PE clubs- all 3-4pm

PLEASE ENSURE YOU DOUBLE CHECK DATES ON EDULINK

#### Tuesday

7&8 Boys football (Starting from the 14th) Mr Shreeve  
7&8 Girls football Miss King

#### Wednesday

7-11 Netball Miss Keel

#### Thursday

7-11 Basketball Hoopstars  
Thurs 8th only 10-11 Netball games night (\*weather depending)

### PE Kit

A reminder all students should have their kit for every lesson. All students are expected to change unless they physically can't e.g. a cast. Even if there is a note, students are still expected to have their kit (they might be able to help in a different way and need to be in suitable attire for the PE environment). Students will always have the opportunity to be involved in the lesson even if there are unique circumstances that change the individual's activity level.

We encourage students to wear plain black base layers under their Broadland kit if they wish (plain white or grey is also acceptable for now, black is ideal).

Students are expected to have Broadland shirts and jumpers for lessons- no hoodies, coats etc.

Many thanks for your support.

Mrs Keel - Head of PE





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## Enrichment

### Pumpkin Carving Competition

Here are some of the photos from the pumpkin carving competition. We had close to 50 entries so thank you to all students and parents who sent them in. After 42 staff votes it was a tie between Tallulah's Starry Night pumpkin and Amy's Day of the Dead pumpkin. Both were based on topics we study in KS3 so nice to see them still influence the students.

Mrs Wilson





## Sports Report

### Girls Football

Fantastic day of football at the OAT/NCFC Yr 7 Girls Football Tournament organised and run by the Norwich City scholars. The girls were unbeaten in all their seven fixtures except a penalty shootout loss. They won one and drew four in the group stage in the morning with Rose and Emily G getting on the scoresheet. A semi-final defeat on penalties provided us with a final fixture against Stoke and a 5-0 win (Rose 3, Emily G and Mahala). All the girls were a credit to the academy.

### Boys Football

Plenty of goals on Tuesday afternoon in our two football fixtures. Our Yr 7 boys lost 2-6 to North Walsham with Marcus scoring both. The Yr 10s dominated for large parts of their match and won 5-3 with goals from Archie 3, Ryan and an own goal (credited to Shaun for the cross).





# CHRISTMAS CARD

## COMPETITION 2023

### Competition Rules

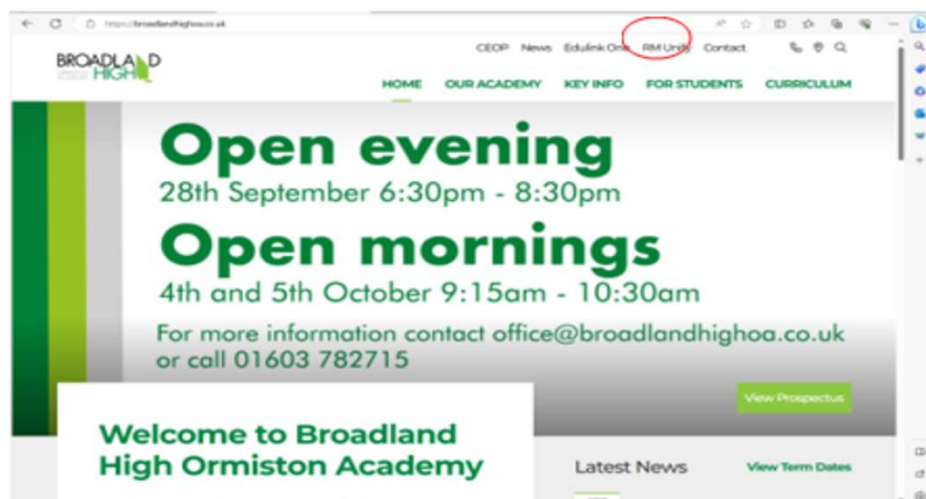
- ✳ Designs must be on white, A5 paper (15cm x 21cm)
- ✳ You can create a computer graphic, draw or photograph anything you want, to do with Christmas, as long as it is in colour and is your own work.
- ✳ You can use crayons, charcoal, felt tips, paints or computer designs but please don't stick anything on it.
- ✳ Please do not put your academy name or logo on the design.
- ✳ Please don't forget to include your name, age, academy and a title for your piece on the *back* of your design.
- ✳ Send your entries via email to head office ([marketing@ormistonacademies.co.uk](mailto:marketing@ormistonacademies.co.uk)), and OAT and OT will select the winners and runners-up.
- ✳ Deadline for entry is **Wednesday 8 November 2023**.
- ✳ **If your design is chosen we will need your original design, so please keep it just in case!**



## Accessing School Accounts From Home

How to access Teams, Office 365 and Outlook from home:

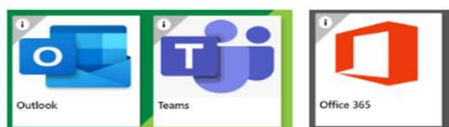
1. Go to the Broadland website.
2. Click the RM Unify button at the top of the page.



3. Sign in using student username and password:

**Username:** 23 followed by first letter of first name, then last name (**Example: 23aking**)

**Password:** The same password students use to log onto the computers at school



4. Click sign in and it will load up the Broadland RM Unify launch pad where you will find Teams, Outlook and Office 365.
5. To log into Outlook, use the same details used for logging into RM Unify. It may ask for your email address which is, your username followed by @broadlandhighoa.co.uk (**Example: 23aking@broadlandhighoa.co.uk**)



# What does your sparetime look like?



Flying, sports, target shooting, drill, adventure training, camping, fieldcraft, canoeing, archery, abseiling and more...  
**all whilst hanging out with new friends and having fun!**

## 222 (Broadlands) Squadron Air Cadets

Monday and Friday evenings | 7–9.30pm

Broadland High Ormiston Academy

Are you  
12 years old  
and in Year 8?

## Join us today!

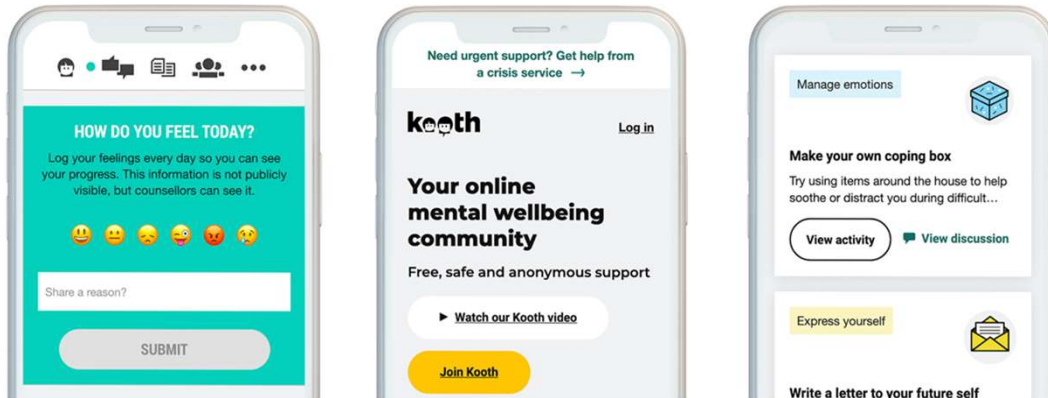
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or visit [222-atc.org.uk](http://222-atc.org.uk)



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## Kooth



**Kooth** is a web based confidential support service available to young people. Kooth provides a safe and secure means of accessing mental health and wellbeing support designed specifically for young people.

**Kooth** offers young people the opportunity to have a text-based conversation with a qualified counsellor. Counsellors are available from 12noon to 10pm on weekdays and 6pm to 10 pm at weekends, every day of the year on a drop-in basis. Young people can access regular booked online counselling sessions as needed. Outside counselling hours' young people can message our team and get support within 24 hours.

When students register with **Kooth** they will have support available to them now and in the future. Support can be gained not only through counselling but articles, forums and discussion boards. All content is age appropriate, clinically approved and fully moderated.

To find out more visit

[www.Koothplc.com](http://www.Koothplc.com) (adults)

[www.kooth.com](http://www.kooth.com) (young people)

where young people can register and others can find out more about the service.

You can also view a short video about the service at: <https://vimeo.com/318731977/a9f32c87de>.



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## Safer Schools App

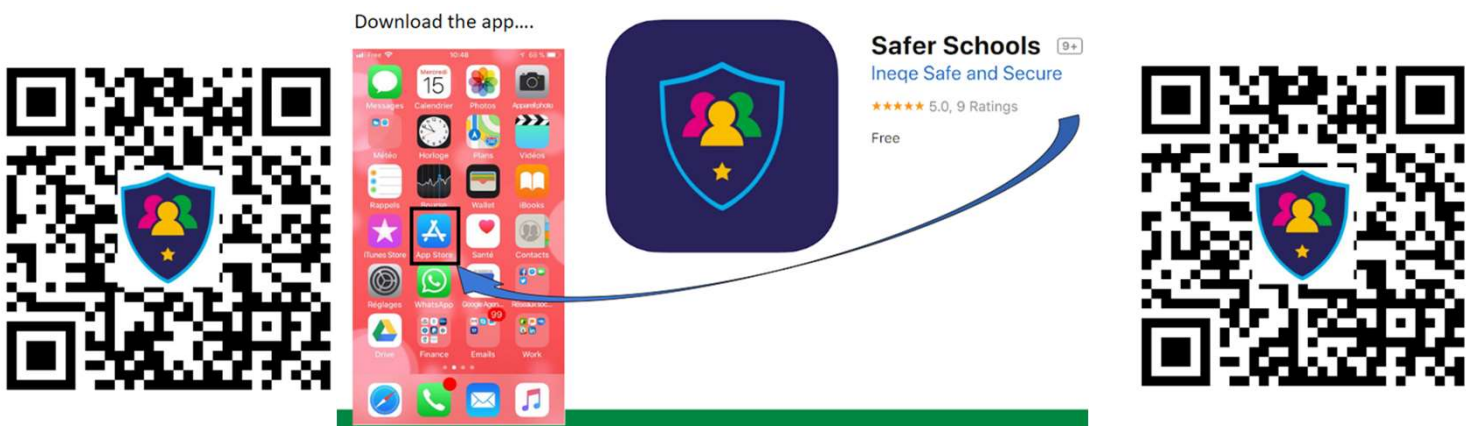
As part of OAT we have free access to the Safer Schools App. The Safer Schools App is an award-winning safeguarding resource, developed in partnership between Ineqe Safeguarding Group and Zurich Municipal, that helps entire school communities to better protect themselves in the digital world, through delivering contemporary and contextual safeguarding information to teachers, students, parents and carers.

Parents and carers have access to information on the popular social media platforms used by their children and their friends. They are also provided with an insight on critical issues such as bullying, sexting and gaming and are given easy to follow advice on how they can make their homes and the devices they give their children safer. Parents and carers can download the app and scan the QR code to the left or enter the code for our academy - 7675.

Students have access to age appropriate information, advice and guidance on keeping themselves safe online. Students can download the app and scan the QR code to the right or enter the code for our academy - 4898. If you have any questions or concerns about safeguarding please do not hesitate to contact one of the BHOA team.

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