## NDA NEWSLETTER



## **FBM FRESHERS**

January 2024 Week 18

Some of our Year 7 students took part in a competition with FBM Freshers to plan, design and present a tour plan and group name for the winners of The Voice 'Jen and Liv.'

Students had to come up with a band name, an exhibition space, a promotional campaign and presentation.

Students performed amazingly well, and the winners were awarded lifestyle vouchers



# MOMENTS MATTER ATTENDANCE COUNTS

From the first day of term to the last, the small moments in a school day make a real difference to your child. #AttendanceCounts

### "THIS MORNING, SHE WAS WORRIED ABOUT SCHOOL... BUT LOOK AT HER NOW!"



Head to the Education Hub to find out more.





Reed someone to talk to?

Mrs Menear DSL

## **BEING SAFE**

#### **SMASHED PROJECT**

This week our year 8 students met with the Smashed Project Team. A team of 3 came into the academy to perform for year 8.

An interactive way of learning to educate young people on the impact and risks that come with alcohol.

Smashed is a powerful and realistic story of young people and alcohol. The goal is to encourage and voice a positive change with students.

The year 8 cohort responded in such a positive way to this change in learning style. They were very mature during the performance and displayed a clear understanding of how they could potentially avoid situations such as peer pressure to drink alcohol should they find themselves in this situation.

If you would like any support or further information around this topic, please do get in touch.

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SMASHED

ALCOHOL EDUCATION TO EMPOWER A GENERATION



JUST WANT TO

SMASHED

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