



Berkeley Green UTC – Weekly News

Friday 24th November 2017

Message from the Principal

Dear Parents, Carers and Students

We have two important pieces of information for you this week. Firstly, you should have received a progress report concerning your son or daughter. At this early stage, what I am most focused on is their Attitude to Learning. Where Attitude to Learning is good or outstanding then students will tend to achieve well in the long term. Where Attitude to Learning is not good, students make less progress and will sometimes disturb the learning of others. If you have any concerns or questions about the progress report, please don't hesitate to contact us.

On a different matter, I still have concerns about the behaviour of a small group of students on our buses. I have had a number of parents and students raising concerns and some students have received significant serious sanctions. I have delivered a hard-hitting assembly today about professional expectations. Every Year 10 student will be taking home a Code of Conduct for Transport, which I would like parents to read through with them and then sign and return (a copy of this is also attached for your information). As of Monday 4th December, no student will be able to ride the bus unless you and he or she have agreed to this code.

A big thank you to our fantastic ambassadors who will be supporting us in our Open Event this weekend.

Kind Regards

Paul Ramage

Principal – SGS Berkeley Green UTC



Celebrations

Our students have worked incredibly well during the last week, both during their regular lessons and during enrichment. We have had a group of year 10 engineers working very hard on a Royal Navy project that has gone well. Congratulations to Charlotte Cartwright in year 10 for finally winning student of the week, after 6 weeks of coming in second, and to Zachary Newton-Jones in year 12 for becoming student of the week for the second time. These students continually show outstanding attitude to learning in their lessons and their teachers are all very impressed with their approach to learning.