



April 2026

Dear Family

Culture Day
Thursday, 23 April 2026

We are delighted to announce that Culture Day 2026 will take place on Thursday, 23 April. At the Academy, we are proud to promote and celebrate fundamental British values, and this day will provide a wonderful opportunity for both staff and students to learn from one another and from the wider community.

Activities will vary across year groups, and there will be an exciting menu inspired by student requests. During break time, refreshments will be available for 50p, alongside a range of new and engaging community and enterprise stalls. Please note that these stalls will accept cash payments only.

As part of our community focus, students are invited to attend in non-uniform in exchange for a donation to our local food bank. A clearly marked collection point will be located in the centre of the playground for donations upon arrival. Please check the website for a list of suitable items – [Donate food | Smethwick Foodbank](#)

All students are expected to dress suitably and appropriately. Acceptable attire includes tracksuits, jeans, leggings, jumpers, sweatshirts, football kits, and blouses. In celebration of our diverse cultures, students are also encouraged to wear traditional cultural clothing where appropriate.

Please note that face paint, flags, brightly coloured hair, and heeled shoes are not permitted. While this is a non-uniform day, students are expected to maintain a high standard of behaviour and conduct themselves respectfully at all times.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

Mr T Daly
Principal