

Trent View College

Newsletter



Mobile Phones



At Trent View, we are always looking for ways to best prepare our young people for life after college. Whether they are heading into paid employment, like our interns at Scunthorpe General Hospital, or moving toward greater independence in the community, learning how to manage technology is a vital life skill.

Preparing for the Workplace

In the world of work, knowing when to put the phone away is just as important as knowing how to use it. To help our students develop these "professional muscles," we are updating our mobile phone expectations in line with new government guidance.

How it Works

In the Classroom: To ensure everyone is "Ready to Learn," classrooms are now Phone-Free Zones. Students will be asked to keep their phones in their bags or lockers during all lessons and vocational sessions.

During Breaks & Lunch: Students can use their phones freely during social times. This is a great time for them to check messages, relax, and practice being safe and respectful online.

On Transport: We know many students rely on their phones for safety while traveling to and from college. Students are absolutely encouraged to keep their phones with them for their commute.

Supporting Our Students

We understand that for some of our students, a phone is more than just a device—it might be a medical monitor for Diabetes or a vital Communication Aid. Rest assured, any student who requires their phone for medical or accessibility reasons will continue to have full access to it.

Dates for your diary.

Easter Break

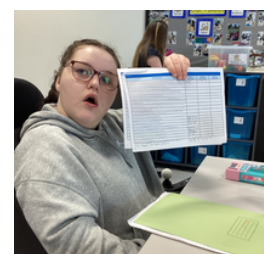
Friday 3rd April - Friday 17th April

Students return - Monday 20th
April

Polite reminder: College does not open for students until 9am. From the 20th April, students will not be permitted to enter into the college building until 9am.

Don't forget, you can visit our cafe from 10-2pm. You can also buy our very own blend of coffee (beans or ground) either in reception or on our website

We also have our community larder which is stocked with heavily discounted fresh, chilled and frozen food. Pop in between the hours of 10am - 2pm and have a browse!



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From Abu Dhabi to the Big Stage: Our Students Shine in 'Aladdin: The Evil Abanazar'

The magic of the Middle East arrived in Scunthorpe this term as our talented students took to the stage for our spectacular pantomime, *Aladdin: The Evil Abanazar*!

Drawing inspiration from our recent life-changing international trip to Abu Dhabi, the production was a vibrant celebration of culture, costume, and incredible character work. From the bustling "souks" created by our vocational art team to the high-stakes drama of the desert, the students brought their first-hand experiences of the UAE to every single scene.

Watching our young people tackle the villainous Abanazar with such confidence was a true highlight of the year. Whether they were performing under the spotlight, managing the technical "backstage" roles, or designing the incredible props, every student showed immense growth and "Readiness for the Stage!"

A huge thank you to all the families who came to support us. It was a magic carpet ride we won't soon forget!



Freshly Brewed Success: The Trent Brew Coffee Takeover!

From Bean to Cup: Our Students Lead the Way in Social Enterprise

The aroma of freshly roasted beans filled the air this term as our students launched the latest Trent Brew coffee stall!

This wasn't just any coffee—this was our very own signature blend, curated and sold by our incredible student team. Our young baristas demonstrated world-class customer service and "Readiness for Work."

More Than Just a Drink:

Running the Trent Brew stall allows our students to practice vital vocational skills in a real-world setting:

Maths in Action: Calculating change and managing the float.

Communication Skills: Taking complex orders and engaging with the public.

Food Safety: Maintaining the highest standards of hygiene and "Professional Standards."



If you missed out on this stall date, don't panic! We will be back at Scunthorpe Market on the 31st April.

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