

# Stormont House School Matters



**STORMONT HOUSE SCHOOL**  
achievement for all

## Our vision

Achievement for all in a unique world-class school

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## Year 12 Celebration Event

On Friday 22 June 2018 our wonderful Year 12 students said farewell to Stormont House School in a very emotional Leavers Celebration. The celebration was attended by parents / carers, professionals who have worked with the Year 12's, as well as students from Year 7 and 8. The students were presented with their Duke of Edinburgh Bronze Awards, their class yearbooks and school reports. The well-deserved recipient of The Trailblazer Award for outstanding leadership qualities and exceeding expectations was Joshua. The audience were also treated to amazing musical performances by Joe, Tekia, Joshua, Kevin, Niccole from Year 9 and a music video created by Malik.

We are very sad to see Year 12 leave but we know that they are ready for their next step to adulthood. All the students know that although they may have left the school building, Stormont House School will continue to support them in all their future endeavours and be there for them in their times of need. Well done Year 12 and good luck!



## Ocean Maths with Year 7

On Tuesday 26th June Year 7 had their final Ocean Maths session for this year. Year 7 students and their parents/carers have had three Ocean Maths sessions this year, with the aim to provide activities and ideas for practising Maths at home. The final session was well attended by parents / carers, it was lovely to see students and parents / carers working together on telling the time. The session began by making analogue clocks, visual timetables for after school linked to the time, and finally the group played games that helped them realise how long a minute felt to pass by! It was great to see Year 7's floss for a minute – a lot of them didn't realise how long a minute really was until they were tired out from flossing for a whole minute!! Thank you to all the Year 7's and parents/carers who attended any of the 3 sessions this year – Ms Matthews and Ms Driver hope that everyone who attended the workshops feels more confident in practising Maths at home!



## Parent / Carer Workshop

On Tuesday 3 July the Educational Psychology / Mental Health and Speech and Language Therapy teams are holding a parent workshop that will incorporate activities that will help parents / carers and students to share and celebrate their successes over the last year. The team will also be providing a summer holiday countdown calendar. The professionals hosting the event are from the Speech and Language therapy team - Samia Malik, Aria May and Kerryn Burn / Michael Annan and Bisi Showunmi (Educational Psychologists) and Mendy Stevenson who is the Mental Health Clinician linked to Stormont House.



We are working hard in lessons to improve our learning using SOLO Taxonomy. Please ask your child: What new ideas did you talk about in class this week?

I have no idea

I have 1 idea

I have lots of ideas

I can apply my ideas to a piece of work

I can argue and prove my ideas

## Dates for your Diary

Year 10 France Residential	02/07/18 to 06/07/18
Year 6 Transition Day	Thursday 05/07/18
Lanya Junior High (Taiwan) Visiting Stormont House School	10/07/18 to 13/07/18
Sports Day	Tuesday 17/ 07/18
Reward Outing Day for Year 7-10	Thursday 19/07/18
Last Day of Summer Term - School closes @ 1.20pm	Friday 20/07/18