

11<sup>th</sup> September 2023

Dear Parent/Carer

On Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> September, we are celebrating the 8<sup>th</sup> birthday of The Victory Academy. During the day, students will take part in activities celebrating Arts, Naval and Thinking.

Some students will have the opportunity to work in the Performing Arts Department, creating performances for the showcase in the evening. Students will be expected to attend school in full school uniform. All students will have the opportunity to take part in active sessions and students are encouraged to bring in Academy PE kit they can change into. There will also be a small tuck shop available. Students can bring into school a small amount of change (less than £2) if they wish to purchase items.

## Workshops

Year 7 – working with the English and Art departments with a children's' book illustrator to create their own books and illustrations

Year 8 – working with the Humanities and MFL departments taking part in an exciting project exploring the Battle of Trafalgar

Year 9 – working with the Maths and Design Technology departments in creative workshops learning about the design and manufacture of packaging

Year 10 – some students will be undertaking work experience placements this day. If students have not returned their forms, please can they do this as soon as possible. Those students in school will be exploring different practical techniques used in Science.

Years 11, 12 and 13 — working with outside providers and our own staff focussing on careers, aspirations, revision skills, wellbeing and debating.

At 4.30pm on 21<sup>st</sup> September, parents, carers and students are invited to the Academy. During the evening, we will showcase the students' work from the day, including watching the performances, and celebrate together with a meal in The Galley.

If you would like to attend the evening, tickets are £3.50 each or £12 for a family ticket (2 adults and 2 children). Included in the price is the meal in The Galley. Tickets are available with cash from reception, or can be purchase online via your PlusPay account. If you purchase online please then collect your ticket from reception.

Yours sincerely

Mrs M Smith **Principal** 















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