

Food Bank Drive!

Over the last half term, year 9 students have been collecting items to be donated to a food bank to support struggling families this Christmas. As a year group, we managed to collect over 350 items to be donated. We are so proud as a school at the generosity and kind nature of all our students and families, who act to support those in the community who need it.

Congratulations to Holly-Ann and James B who contributed all of the items shown above right, and to Mrs Antonio's form, 9NEW1 who contributed the most across the year group!



Christmas concert

This week (15/12/21) was our Christmas concert, where all our performing arts students were able to showcase their talents across dance, drama and music. It was wonderful for students to finally perform to a live crowd, their parents, grandparents and friends again. Covid has had a huge impact on the performing arts sector nationally, so it was wonderful to have this opportunity, and share their

talents with the local community once more. Also, I am sure you have already seen this year's Christmas music video, but if you haven't, please find it on YouTube @TelfordPrioryMusic.



Christmas door

Reminiscent of elves busily working away in Santa's work shop, our year 9 tutors have been hard at work crafting their Christmas doors in the last few weeks, and they have certainly outdone themsElves this year. See below for year 9s entries to the whole school competition this year!



MERIT LEAGUE TABLE

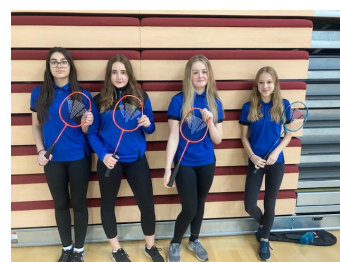
Place	Name	Merits
1st	Elisabeth I	349
2nd	Olivia L	314
3rd	Petra N	304
4th	Ellie S	302
5th	Lilly-Mae H	303
6th	Mayah H	300
7th	Mckenzie H	299
8th	Owen M	290
9th	Nancy A	288
10th	Lewis N	282

11th	Holly-Anne	280
12th	Jacklyn C	275
13th	PoppyB	273
14th	Amandeep D	271
15th	William F	271
16th	RebecaD	272
17th	Ethan P	283
18th	Junior A	261
19th	LucyF	259
20th	Pardeep S	254

SPORTS UPDATE

This half term we have had loads of sports events for year 9 students to get involved in, ranging from football to netball, handball to badminton . First of all I would like to say a huge well done to the year 9 badminton teams who competed against Telford schools, winning all of their quarter final games, beating schools like Telford Park, Telford Langley and Abraham Darby, 8-0. We even had a few students in year 9 competing against year 11 students, and winning! Unfortunately the competition in the finals proved to be too difficult, so we look forward to training hard, and winning next year.

We also had a year 9 A team football match, against HLC and a year 9 B team match against TPS year 8. We are looking forward to after Christmas where we have even more fixtures and interhouse competitions planned across numerous sports.



Start of term messages

We look forward to year 9 students returning to school on Wednesday 5th January at 8:40, meeting on the Astro turf. Please remember the following uniform/equipment expectations.

- Students must be wearing black school shoes
- Students wearing trousers should be smart in appearance
- Students wearing skirts should be our knee length pleated ones and no more than 5cm above the knee.
- Students should have a rusk sack **every day**—handbags are not permitted
- Nose studs are not permitted
- False eyelashes, coloured or long nails are not permitted
- Excessive make up is not permitted
- Students should only be in PE kit, on PE or dance days