Ipswich Academy Maths Department – Autumn Newsletter

Welcome back!



Our Learning Sequence

The new school year has begun with energy and focus in the Maths Department. Students have been given their Scheme of Learning, helping them see the journey ahead and understand what topics they'll be mastering this term.

Maths Mastery in Action



We continue to use the Maths Mastery approach, encouraging students to develop a deep understanding of concepts using manipulatives, reasoning tasks, and problem-solving activities. This ensures every learner builds confidence step by step.

1:1 Interventions & Mentoring

To ensure every student reaches their full potential, our dedicated staff and Maths Mentors provide 1:1 interventions and after-school support sessions. These personalised sessions help students close learning gaps and build confidence in essential skills

Learning Beyond the Classroom

We're making the most of opportunities to extend learning outside lessons:



- **Google Classroom** Teachers share updates, resources, and support.
- Sparx Maths Personalised homework to practise essential skills.
- Active Learn Interactive online activities to strengthen learning.
- **UKMT Sessions** Challenging and fun maths enrichment opportunities for our most able students.



Looking Ahead

With high expectations and lots of support in place, we're excited to see our students grow in confidence, resilience, and problem-solving skills this autumn term.

Follow us <u>here</u> for updates, success stories, and celebrations from the Maths Department.