



Co-op Academy
Leeds

Academy Life

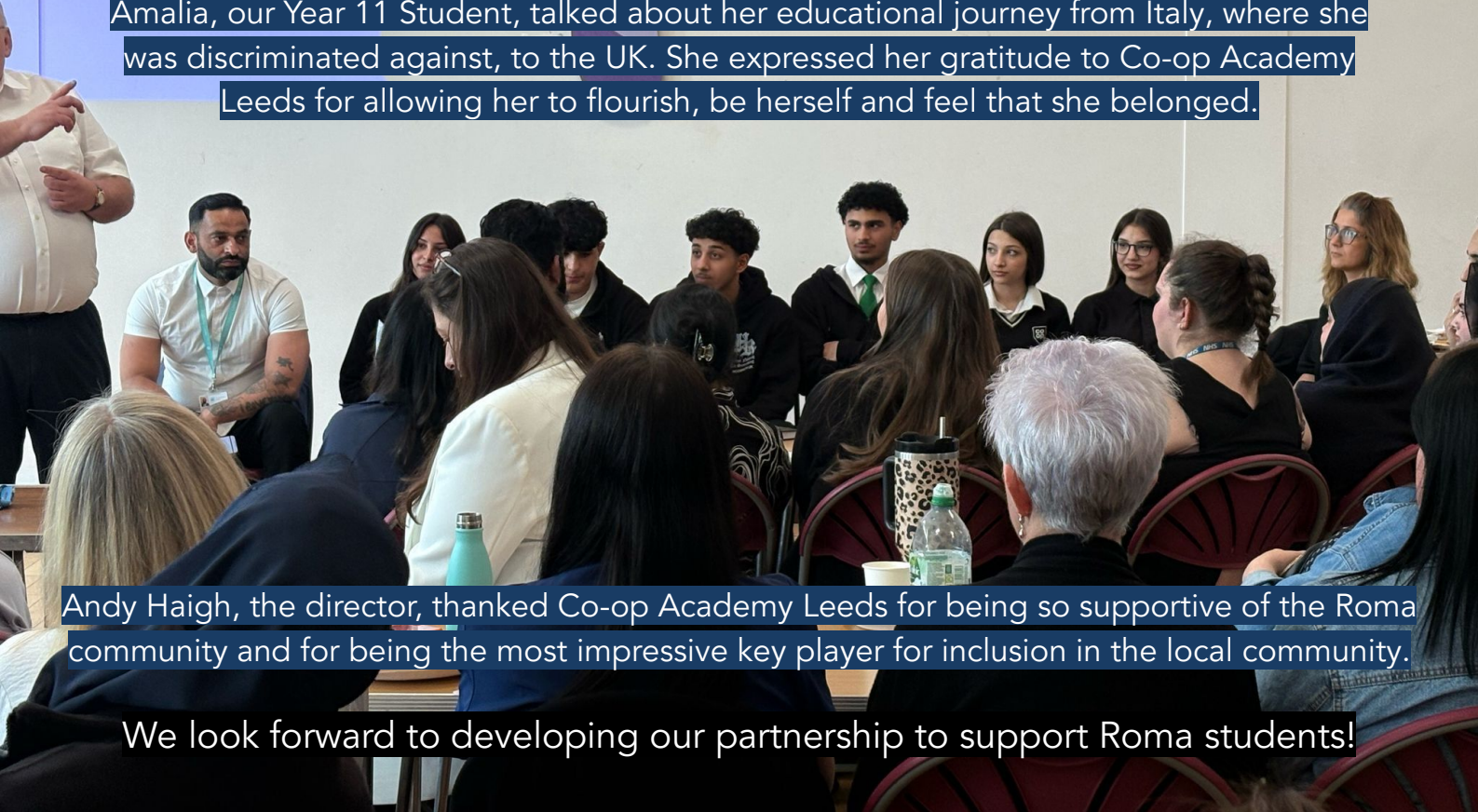
Ofsted
Good
Provider



May 2025

Our students led the Roma cultural sensitivity training with NHS workers from 12 GP practices. A watershed moment for the Roma community!

Amalia, our Year 11 Student, talked about her educational journey from Italy, where she was discriminated against, to the UK. She expressed her gratitude to Co-op Academy Leeds for allowing her to flourish, be herself and feel that she belonged.



Andy Haigh, the director, thanked Co-op Academy Leeds for being so supportive of the Roma community and for being the most impressive key player for inclusion in the local community.

We look forward to developing our partnership to support Roma students!



Read more about our campaign with our Roma students around NHS training needs in the local area and our participation in the Annual Citizens Meeting in Bradford on 4th April.

bit.ly/43vUs6g

Do what
matters most



Be yourself,
always



Miss Jones, Headteacher
Co-op Academy Leeds

Message from the Headteacher

Dear Families

As you can see, it has been a very exciting half term at Co-op Academy Leeds, with so much happening both inside and outside the classroom.

We are particularly proud of all of our students who have pushed themselves out of their comfort zone over the last five weeks and have challenged themselves to achieve things they didn't think they were capable of. There are so many examples of this here and I am proud of all of our students who continue to try and make the world a better place - our children are the future!

Our Year 11 students are half way through their GCSEs now and are continuing to impress us with their hard work and resilience. It is great to see their hard work paying off!

We hope everyone has a wonderful break - school reopens on Monday 2nd June and all students should be in the classroom, ready to learn, at 08:25.

Best wishes

Miss N Jones

Succeed
together



PHOENIX DANCE THEATRE

We recently partnered with Phoenix Dance to give students the opportunity to create and perform a dance for the Phoenix Spring Platform.

Led by our Community Officer, our amazing students joined hands with religious leaders and staff from different faiths to spark powerful conversations around faith, unity, and understanding.

Together we explored:

- The similarities between religions
- The shared purpose behind spiritual paths
- The meaning of life from different perspectives
- The barriers we face — and the misconceptions we can break

It was a heartwarming, thought-provoking, and uplifting experience that reminded us: there's more that unites us than divides us.

Here's to more dialogue, more connection, and more community .

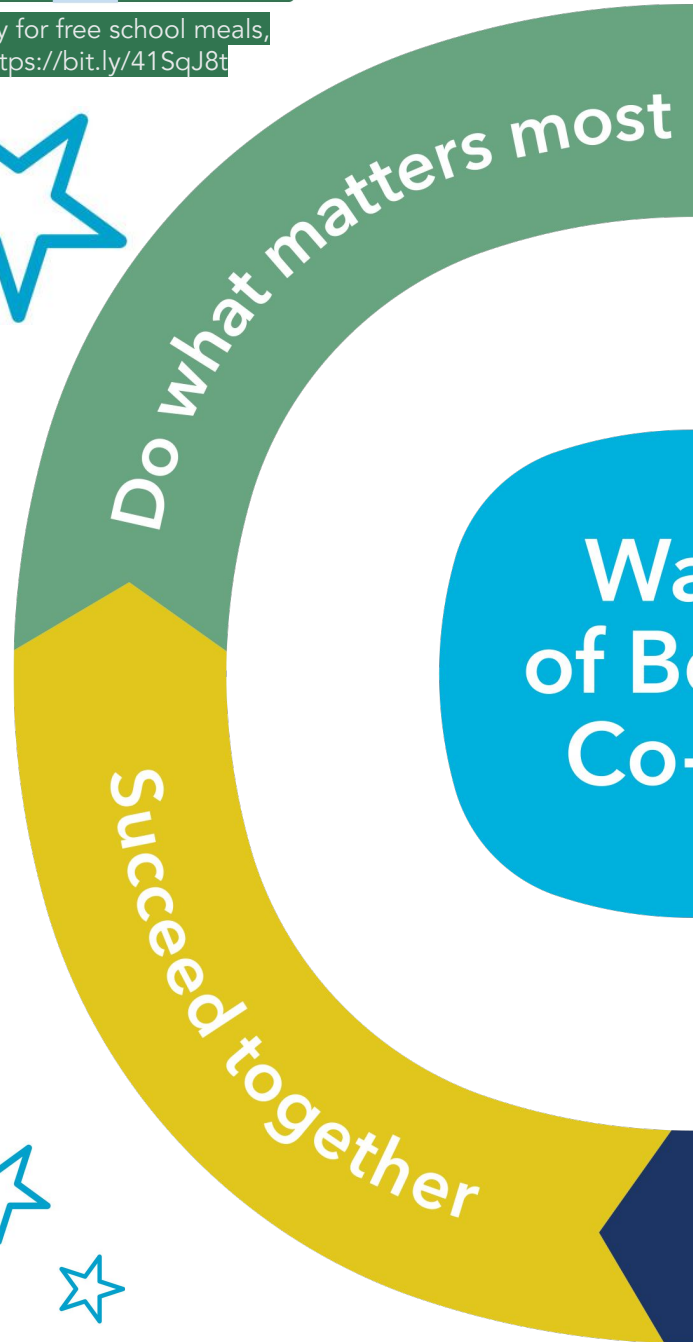
Our students have made us so proud with thought provoking discussions!



Free school meals can support your child to stay healthy so that they can grow, learn and play!

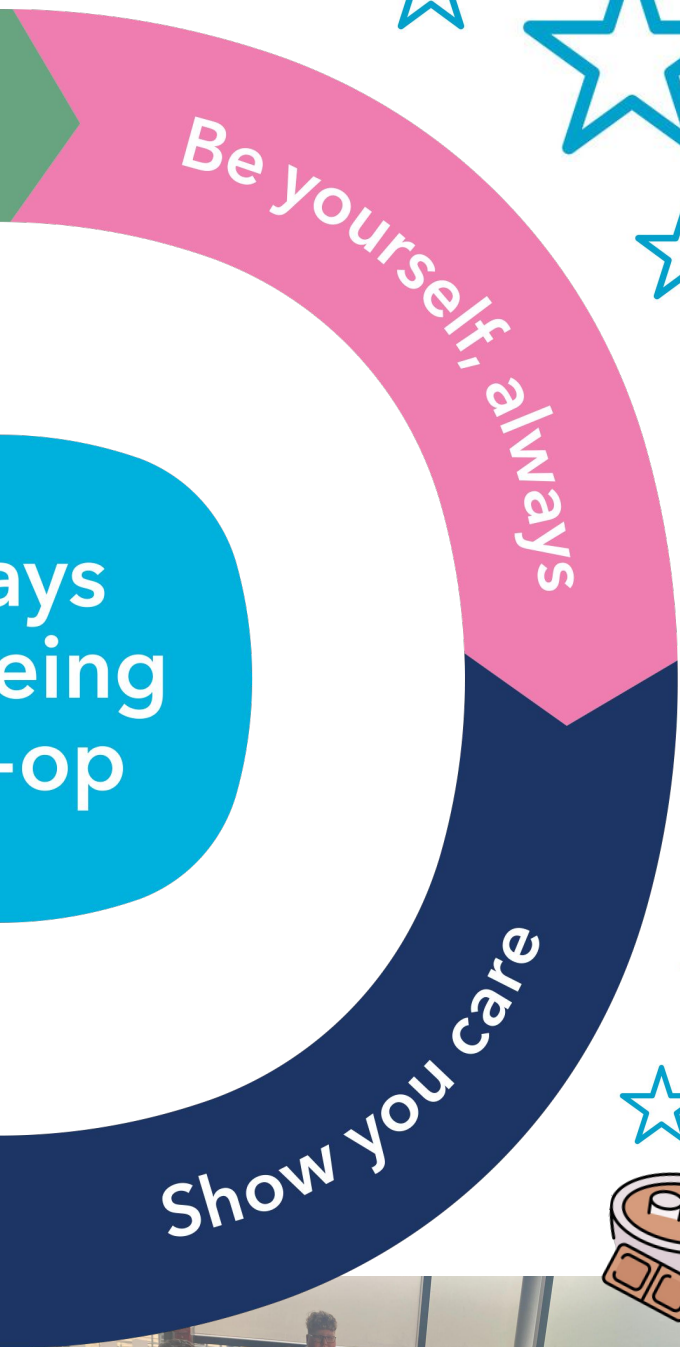
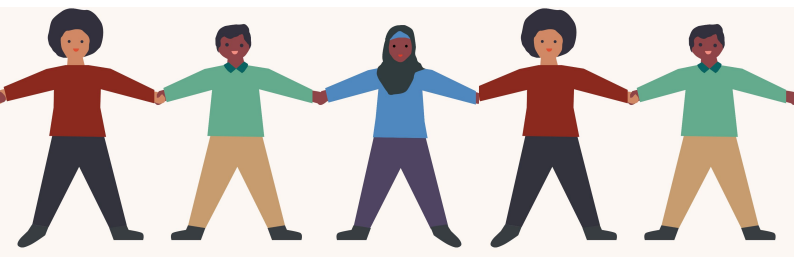
Every day we make sure they provide the right balance of nutrients so children are ready to learn in the classroom.

To apply for free school meals, visit: <https://bit.ly/41SqJ8t>



LET'S GO
ZERO
2030

Schools working together to be zero carbon



We celebrated our students, rewarding them for their amazing effort, attitude and attendance by enjoying together hot chocolate treats.



A team of staff students and parents met with Tim Taylor and Helen Ellerton who lead on Transport Services and policy at WYCA to discuss the issue of bus fares and temporary accommodation.

They committed to working with us to find a way to link bus passes to individuals, not addresses - so families don't have to choose between educating and feeding their children.



May Half-Term Y11 Revision Sessions

Tuesday 27th May

Maths	10:00 - 13:00	Whole Cohort	BF17 / BF15
-------	---------------	--------------	-------------



May Half-Term Y11 Revision Sessions

Wednesday 28th May

Urdu	10:00 - 12:00	Whole Cohort	
French	10:00 - 12:00	Whole Cohort	



May Half-Term Y11 Revision Sessions

Thursday 29th May

Science	10:00 - 12:00	Whole Cohort	
Geography	12:00 - 14:00	Whole Cohort	
Maths	12:00 - 14:00	Whole Cohort	BF15, BF11, BF12

SPORTS NEWS

All the latest sports news from Co-op Academy Leeds

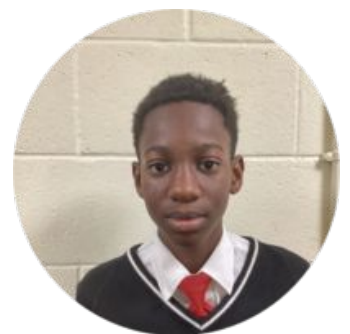
We are immensely proud of our Year 7 boys' basketball team for their excellent representation of the Academy at the Leeds School Basketball finals this evening. Congratulations to all team members!



Extra Curricular Clubs-

*Please note that you will need full PE kit to attend extra curricular clubs

	After school (3:05-4:15)	
Monday	BTEC Sport/Sport studies support (Y10/11) Mr Rayner/Mr Pitts Rounders (Y7-11) Miss Bluck	  
Tuesday	Sports Leaders programme (Y10) Mr Pitts	
Wednesday	Gym/Fitness (Y9-11, 25 student maximum) Miss Bluck Softball (Y7-11) Mr Pitts	 
Thursday	Changemakers (Y7-11) Mrs Skelton/J. Driscol (LUFC)	
Friday	Athletics (Y7-11) Mrs Skelton/Mr Rayner Boys Football- Leeds United Foundation (Y10/11) J. Driscol (LUFC) Gym/Fitness (Y9-11, 25 student maximum) Miss Bluck	  



Our Year 7 students have been hard at work in athletics this term. Our brilliant student, Claudio, set a new Year 7 school record for the high jump. Well done!





Co-op Academy
Leeds

leeds.coopacademies.co.uk

@CoopLeeds

Co-opAcademyLeeds



Ex Students,
We'd love to hear from you!



Scan me

bit.ly/41G8Ypu



Dash has been supporting Year 11 students during their exams and, in his spare time, he has been enjoying the lovely sunshine we've had this half-term.



Co-op Academy
Leeds

in the community

Every Friday

8:30AM - 10AM

Food & Clothing Bank

Academic Support
and Advice

Pastoral Support

Debt Advice



Co-op Academy Leeds

Stoney Rock Lane
LS9 7HD

leeds@coopacademies.co.uk



Calling all budding journalists, please contact Miss Jones if you have any article suggestions or would like to be involved in co-creating the newsletter?



At Co-op Academy Leeds we are ambitious for ourselves and our diverse communities - we will endeavour to make the world a better place through our actions.

We will be determined to succeed and show respect, kindness and integrity to everyone, everyday.

United by our co-operative values.

Co-op Academy Leeds, Stoney Rock Lane, Leeds, LS9 7HD | 0113 380 7940



We're working towards Artsmark Awarded by Arts Council England



PROUD TO BE A MUSIC MARK SCHOOL



LGBO+ INCLUSION IN EDUCATION AWARD

Do what matters most

Be yourself, always

Show you care

Succeed together