

In Memory of Dave Forbes



An art teacher and Head of Art during the 80s and 90s, Dave was a great believer in art education as a practical skill and a historical subject for all pupils to enhance and broaden their education. He believed in the ability to draw to allow a practical form of expression for pupils. Dave instigated a number of art trips to show pupils and staff the art available to see such as the Y7 Laing Art Gallery trip (which many of the current pupils parents could possibly have attended!) Dave was a straight talking, fair and kind man who cared for both pupils and colleagues in equal measure. He is still sorely missed by many and this award is designed to recognise a pupil who has used both their creativity and dedication to produce work which reflects the attributes that Dave not only possessed but encouraged in others.

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