

## The T.R.i.B.E prefects deliver their first assembly



One of the many wonderful things about being part of the Gateways community is how involved our pupils are around school. As part of the Sixth Form prefect team, Avani, Hanaa and Safiyyah put themselves forward for the role of T.R.i.B.E prefects – this acronym stands for taking responsibility in building equality.

As part of their roles, the girls take on work around the school aimed at making our community an inclusive place for everyone. One of their first projects for the autumn half-term was to deliver an assembly to High School. Their presentation spoke about the inspirational Malala Yousafzai, an activist who won the Noble Peace Prize for her efforts in promoting education.

This T.R.i.B.E assembly centred the story of Malala to bring focus to the struggles faced by women and girls around the globe when trying to access education. Education has been referred to as “the great equaliser”, allowing individuals to reach their potential, change the world around them and give back to their communities.

Malala’s message is a simple one - education is a human right, for everyone. During the assembly, our T.R.i.B.E prefects asked pupils to reflect on the value of their own education, acknowledge the power of their voices and challenged them to think how they too can go out into the world and make it a more equal place, just like Malala.

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