

## OUR SENIOR PUPILS RETURN TO MEDIEVAL TIMES

We were delighted to welcome two members of the History Department from Uppingham School to Brooke House on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> November. Although Mr Murrin and Mr Birch could easily have taught a lesson on The Gunpowder Plot (and, hopefully, they may well return to do so in the future), their theme was life in Medieval Times. As such, they took our intrepid time travellers from our Senior Forms back to the 12<sup>th</sup> Century and gave them an insight into what life must have been like for the different levels of society in England. With costumes to be worn, swords to be brandished, roles to be played and menus to prepare, our pupils gained much from the experience and we are very grateful to the Headmaster of Uppingham for allowing us access to these top notch Historians who attended Christ's College, Cambridge and Durham respectively. It also came to be known that Mr Charles, who our pupils know as the Headmaster of Grosvenor Prep where I also teach, is linked with the likes of Boris Karloff and members of McFly and Busted in that all of them are Old Uppinghamians. Not many people know that.

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