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# Headteacher Update 22/09/23



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# Values Launch



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- A defined set of values to state the moral and academic expectations of our school community
- They are used to declare what we strive to achieve for all students who attend
- Creates expectations of conduct and strengthens our behaviour policy
- The values that are taught and modelled throughout the school will help to shape the students and support the development of the 'whole child' throughout their education, providing a moral framework and compass which will last a lifetime



## Aspiration

- Aspiration is the strong desire to achieve or become something great.
- It's about setting ambitious goals and working hard to attain them.
- Aspiration acts as a driving force that pushes you beyond your limits and fuels your motivation.

**Curie**

First woman to win Nobel Prize and first person to win two!!

Faced lots of challenges due to her gender and background

**Aspirational**

Became one of the most important Person in her fields

Aspired to greatness and studied in her spare time to achieve

# Performing Arts Extra-Curricular



- Performing Arts are as busy with our extra-curricular activities as we are in our lessons, with activities taking place every day.
- Activities range from Choir to Samba Band, from Drama club to school production rehearsals and the spaces are always busy with students rehearsing for their Music and Drama performances.

MUSIC AND DRAMA CLUBS (ALL YEARS) Day	Time	Group	Level	Room
Monday	8-8:25	KS3 Drama Club	Years 7 & 8	D1
Tuesday	8-8:25	Brass Band	All years	D3
 Tuesday	8-8:25	String Group	All years	D4
Tuesday	3-3:45	Senior Band	Grade 3 +	D4
Wednesday	8-8:25	The Actor's Studio	Year 9 and above	D8
Wednesday	3-3:45	Woodwind Group	All years	D2
Thursday	3-3:45	Choir	All years	D4
Friday	8-8:25	Junior Band	Years 7 & 8	D4

# Parking and Dropping Off/Picking Up Students Near School



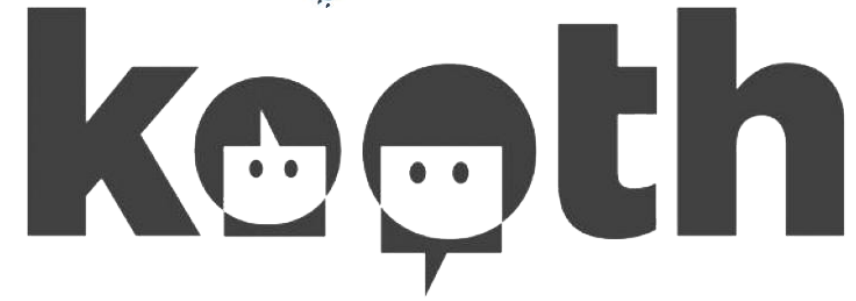
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- Please can we kindly remind you that, due to safeguarding reasons, parents are not permitted onsite unless attending an appointment at the school. This includes the dropping off and picking up of students.
- When dropping off/picking up your child from school that you are considerate of our neighbours and the local community by avoiding; blocking driveways, parking on kerbs and holding up traffic to let children in/out of the car
- We encourage students to walk or cycle to school where feasible to do so
- I would be grateful for your support with this matter, not just for the sake of the local community, but also to ensure the safety of our students

# Online Mental Health and Wellbeing Support for Young People



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- Kooth is free emotional health support for young people, all students have previously been spoken to about this in assemblies 
- Kooth provide a safe, secure means of accessing online emotional health support from a professional team of qualified counsellors and emotional wellbeing practitioners for ages 11-18.
- <http://www.kooth.com/>

# Cycle to School Week

## 25-29 September



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Join us for Cycle to School Week from Monday 25 – Friday 29 September and help us encourage the nation's children to use pedal power to get to school.

- Visit [www.bikeability.org.uk/cycletoschoolweek](http://www.bikeability.org.uk/cycletoschoolweek) to find out more.
- Please remind your children of the importance of cycle safety.
  - Look out for pedestrians everywhere, at all times.
  - Protect Your Head Wear a helmet.
  - Obey traffic signs and signals – Bicycles must follow the rules of the road like other vehicles.
  - Never ride against traffic.





# Uniform Reminder

- Now the summer weather has left us, we are back in full uniform.
- This means that all students should have blazers (not jumpers instead of blazers), ties and black polishable shoes. 
- If you are unable to buy uniform for your child, we have some uniform to lend students. Please contact your Head of Year.
- We appreciate your support in maintaining our high standards with regards to uniform at our school.



# Website!



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## UPCOMING EVENTS



FRIDAY 06 OCTOBER 2023

Trust Higher and Further Education ...

All Day

ALL EVENTS

## LATEST NEWS

Sixth Form Open Evening – Thursday 05 October  
from 7:00pm until 8:30pm

Friday 22 September

ALL NEWS





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# GREAT START

