

Burscough Priory Academy

Year 7 Parents' Information Evening 2019



Endeavour Learning Trust Aims

- A world class education for all our students, regardless of ability or background, which builds resilience, confidence and drive, in an ever-changing world
- A workforce of the highest calibre, with a winning combination of teamwork, skill, experience, passion and an unwavering commitment to excellence
- A relentless focus on individual and collective improvement and personal and professional development, in an ethos of high expectations and personal ambition
- The moral imperative to ensure that no child is left behind and no individual is overlooked in their uniqueness and distinctive potential
- A nurturing environment, where everyone feels safe and valued and where we get the balance right between encouragement and support and stretch and challenge, so that all of us can aim high and work together to make those aspirations a reality
- A genuine commitment to foster partnerships, across our family of schools, with our parents, other strategic partners and our wider communities
- The expertise to efficiently and effectively deploy and maximise our resources across the Multi Academy Trust (MAT)

Introduction

- Celebrating success
- The ingredients to the success:
 - Child as the individual and team around the child
 - High expectations/ behaviour/ uniform
 - High expectations targets
 - Curriculum structure and groupings
 - High quality teaching and learning



Key Senior Staff

Mrs Gwinnett **Executive Headteacher CEO Endeavour Learning Trust**



Mr Berry Head of School



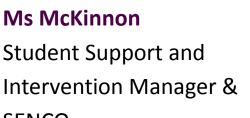
Mrs Blackhurst Assistant Head Teaching & Learning



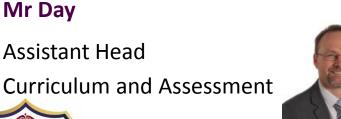
Mrs Oliver Assistant Head Progress and Intervention



Ms McKinnon Student Support and **SENCO**









Pastoral

- Personal Development Centre PDC
- Pastoral & Behaviour Manager (PBM)

Year 7 – Mrs A Harding <u>aharding@burscoughprioryacademy.org</u>

- Breakfast club 8.00am until 8.40am
- Lunchtimes

Homework club – Library - Monday - Friday

Afterschool

Homework club – Library – Monday – Thursday 3:20pm – 4.15pm

Attendance - Mrs O'Donnell 01704 893259 option 1



Standards

- Uniform and Equipment
- Behaviour policy
- Mobile Phone policy
- Punctuality
- Detentions



Houses



Attenborough House

Progress Leader:
Miss Holcroft



Turing House

Progress Leader:
Mr Collins



Frank House

Progress Leader: Miss Patton



Yousafzai House

Progress Leader: Mrs Livesley



House Progress Leaders

- Focus on academic achievement and progress
- Work with a team of Tutors
- Liaise with Heads of Faculty and Subject teachers



PSHCE

Collapsed Curriculum Days

- Outside Speakers and Organisations
- Trips out
- Statutory Elements
 - Sex and Relationships Education (inc. CSE/FGM)
 - Prevent Agenda
 - E-safety
 - Careers Education Information Advice & Guidance (CEIAG)



Curriculum

- Focus on quality first teaching
- Core Subjects
 - Computing, English, Geography, History, Maths,
 PE, PSHCE, Science, Spanish
- Carousel Subjects
 - Art, Design Technology, Drama, Food Technology,
 Music, RE



Reports

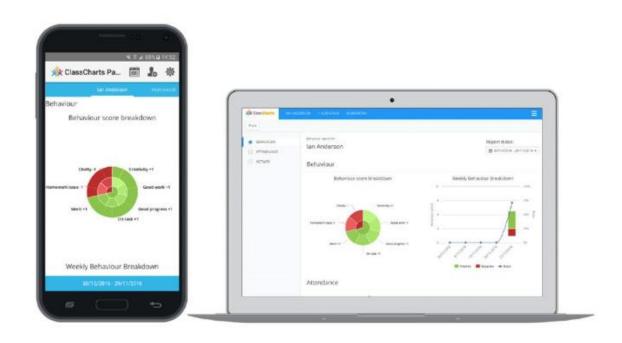
Three reports throughout the academic year which contain information on

- Engagement in Learning
 - This will be the main focus of your first report
- Progress Judgements
- Achievement & Behaviour points
- Attendance & Punctuality
- Tutor Evening Thursday 17th October
- Subject Consultation Evening Thursday 7th May



Class Charts

Our student and parent portal





Homework

- "Meaningful homework in order to reinforce learning and promote independence"
 - Purposeful and meaningful and planned as part of the flow of learning
 - Focused on developing recall, reading and research
 - Online tasks
 - Rewards and sanctions



Marking & Feedback

All students work is assessed regularly, on a lesson by lesson basis, in various forms.

This can include:

- Peer and self-marking
- Verbal feedback
- Whole class feedback
- Written feedback



School Gateway

- For all School Communications (app or online)
 - Emails, letters, texts, detentions, timetables
- Finance Payments e.g.
 - School lunches, trips, lockers etc
- Top up accounts and contact if any issues



School Canteen

- Students 'pay' for their food by having a biometric scan of their finger (this is not a fingerprint)
- Purchases of food will be itemised on your account so you can see clearly what your son/daughter have purchased
- Pre-order system available order at break pick-up at lunch
- Meal deals to be advertised
- Students entitled to Free School Meals have an allocation of £2.20 for lunch and £1.65 for breakfast
- Please be pro-active and check your account and top up on a regular basis



Contact us

- Email: enquiries@burscoughprioryacademy.org
- Phone: 01704 893259
- School Website
- Social Media for updates
- Unexpected School Closures



Final Thoughts

- School photographs Wednesday 11th Sept
- Name tags lost property
- We want it for them as much as you do, each and every one
- We can't fix it if we don't know it is broken
- Year 11 will be here in a heartbeat make every day count

