The Kingsway School Foxland Key Messages





Welcome Address



Welcome back to week 3 of the academic year. We've run through a full cycle of the timetable now and lessons are demonstrating your continued focus on your learning. Well done to everyone who has spoken with leaders in lessons this week especially how you've linked your learning to what has gone before - keep it up. We've made a fantastic start to achieving the culture we're aiming for on Foxland and staff and students are working brilliantly to help you achieve your very best.

You may be aware that in addition to the house points we are competing against Broadway to keep lesson changeovers swift and efficient. We're aiming for lesson changeovers to take no longer than 5 minutes - every minute counts for learning - and at times we hit 3 minutes last week. Broadway are however taking the lead for everyone in and learning currently and whilst our competition is friendly it is also fierce - make sure you're not last out on the corridor!

This week also gives us a chance to think about something important beyond the classroom: World First Aid Day. It's a day that promotes the teaching and importance of first aid skills – skills that can truly save lives. We are proud to be supporting this, and our Year 8 students will be taking part in first aid lessons in PPE this year. Remember our approaches to keeping ourselves and others safe in the event of a first aid situation.

Thank you for making such a successful start to the year. Let's make this week ahead another transformative one.

Mrs Fowler



Something to think about this week...





Key aspects of World First Aid Day:

Purpose:

To increase public knowledge of basic first aid, empower individuals with the confidence to act in emergencies, and highlight that first aid can be a crucial factor in saving lives.

Origin:

Launched by the Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies in 2000, the day has grown into a global event.

Focus:

It emphasizes the role of first aid in everyday situations and in times of crisis.



Ready-Respect-Safe Expectations: First Aid



Remember Our First Aid Protocols In our school we keep ourselves and others safe



WE HAVE QUALIFIED STAFF AND FIRST-AIDERS IN SCHOOL.



REPORT YOUR ILLNESS OR INJURY TO AN ADULT. SPEAK UP FOR YOUR FRIENDS IF THEY ARE HURT OR UNWELL.



FOR NON-URGENT FIRST AID DURING LESSON TIME, YOUR TEACHER WILL CALL FIRST AID TO YOUR LESSON.



FOR URGENT FIRST AID ONLY, REPORT TO THE 'WELFARE STATION'.



IF YOU HAVE HURT YOUR HEAD, STAY WITH YOUR FRIENDS AND REPORT IT AS SOON AS POSSIBLE



SCHOOL CAN ONLY PROVIDE MEDICATION IF WE GET PERMISSION FROM SOMEONE AT HOME.



REMINDER





SAVE THE DATE:

On 25th September, school will close at the end of Period 3, which is 12.20pm.

This is so that staff can prepare for our 'Open Evening'.



House Standings



This week, points will be awarded for:

- House with highest attendance
- House with most positive points
- House with the most points for 'good attitude'
- House with most points for Sparx Reader

Our Overall House Standings are... **ETHOS PATHOS** LOGOS 1st: 50 Points 2nd: 40 Points 3rd: 30 Points



Big Wins



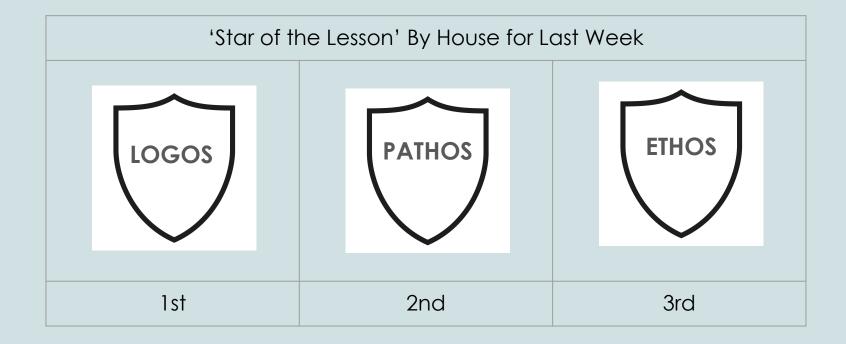
2436 positive points have been awarded to KS4 for active learning including rich discussion, deep thinking and high aspirations, which are fundamental to our curriculum principles!





Ready-Respect-Safe: Star of the Lesson







Time to choose OUR winners...





WE WILL BE JUDGING OUR HOUSE SHIELD ENTRIES OVER THE NEXT WEEK AND WINNERS WILL BE ANNOUNCED.

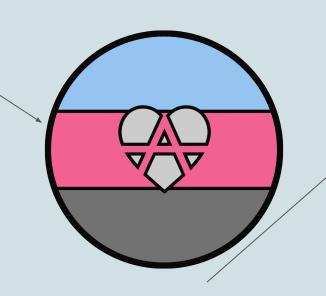
THE WINNERS WILL BE TURNING THEIR SHIELD INTO OUR OFFICIAL HOUSE SHIELDS.



Cornerstone Curriculum: Respecting others



In our Cornerstone curriculum we have been learning about "Virtue Ethics" which philosophers such as Aristotle attributed to the development of a person's character.

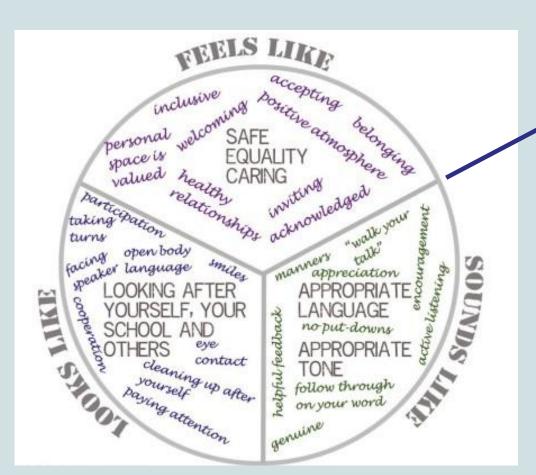




It is no surprise that we have built a "House" system central to core philosophical thinking.
In your Cornerstone session this week you will be asked to consider how you can respect others in our TKS community.



Respect: It starts with you



These are
examples
generated from
students in other
year groups. Can
you add to it?



"Respect is how to treat everyone, not just those you want to impress."

Richard Branson

Richard Branson (Founder of the Virgin Group) is one of the richest people in the UK.

What do you think he meant when he said this?



Ready-Respect-Safe Attendance



Attendance By House for Last Week			
1st	2nd	3rd	



Kingsway Active



Monday 15th September

Years 7, 8 and 9 Flag Football (Broadway Field) - Mr Wilson/ Mrs Moss

Tuesday 16th September

Year 7 and 8 Rugby practice (Broadway Field) - Mr Duffy
Year 10 and 11 Football practice (Foxland Field) - Mr Howarth
All years Netball (Foxland courts) - Miss Newbold / Mrs Tavner

Wednesday 17th September

All years Girls Football (Broadway Field) - Miss Jessop

All years Girls Badminton (Broadway Sports hall) - Mrs Tavner

Year 9 Football (Broadway Field) - Mr Duffy

Year 8 Football (Broadway) - Mr Duffy

Thursday 18th September

Year 7 Football (Broadway Field) - Mr Howarth

Year 9 and 10 Rugby (Broadway Field) - Mr Duffy

Friday 19th September

All years Cross Country (Broadway) - Mr Duffy

Badminton club (Broadway) - Mrs Taylor

If you are selected to play for a team and can no longer attend you must let your PE teacher know ASAP.

Clubs will take place from 3-4.15 (approx)

This week's Kingsway Active

To attend an extracurricular club you will need to have the correct kit. We will not lend out PE kit for after school clubs or fixtures.

Studded boots are needed for Boys PE lessons when taking part in Football and Rugby.

All after school clubs will start around 3.10pm and finish approximately 4.15-4.30.

Year 7 Netball - Meet Miss Newbold near the traffic lights to cross over to Foxland.

Year 8 Football - For this week year 8 Football training is on Wednesday with Mr Duffy.

<u>Half Term 1 - Kingsway Active</u>

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Year 7, 8 and 9 (Boys and Girls) Flag Football (Mrs Moss/ Mr Wilson)	Year 7 and 8 Rugby - Broadway Field (Mr H Duffy) Year 10 and 11 Football training - Foxland Field (Mr Howarth) All years Netball practice and fixtures - Foxland (Miss Newbold / Mrs Tavner)	All years Rugby Fixtures. Year 9 Football training - Broadway Field (Mr H Duffy) Girls Badminton - Broadway Sportshall Girls Football - Broadway (Miss Jessop) Year 8 Football training - Broadway Field (Mr Duffy)	Year 9 + 10 Rugby training - Broadway (Mr H Duffy) Year 7 Football training - Broadway (Mr J Howarth)	All years (Boys and Girls) Cross country - Broadway Field (Mr H Duffy) All years Badminton- Broadway Sports hall- (Mrs Taylor)

All clubs take place from 3pm - approx 4.15pm / Return time from fixtures will vary.

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<u>Fixtures</u>

DATE	YEAR/TEAM	OPPONENT	VENUE
Tuesday 23rd September	Y7 football	St Annes (cup)	St Annes
Wednesday 24th September	Year 8 Netball	Comp	St James
Wednesday 24 September	Year 7 Cross Country	Comp	Harrytown
Wednesday 24th September	U13 Girls football	Cheadle Hulme	Kingsway (BWY)
Wednesday 24th September	U15 Girls football	Cheadle Hulme	Kingsway (BWY)
Tuesday 30th September	Yr 9 Football	Marple Hall	Kingsway (BWY)
Tuesday 30th September	Y7 Boys Football	Marple Hall	Kingsway (FOX)
Tuesday 30th September	Netball vs St James	St James	St James
Wednesday 1st October	Y11 Football	Marple Hall	Kingsway (BWY)
Wednesday 1st October	Yr 7-11 Cross Country	Comp	Hazel Grove High School
Monday 6th October	PRIMARY TAG RUGBY	SPORTS LEADERS	Kingsway (BWY)

U13 & U15 Girls Football Matches

Wednesday 24th September

Game is at home on Broadway.

Training first so should be finished at 5pm.

Please come along and support!

Let Miss Jessop know if you can't play asap...

U13 - 9 a side

Iracelma G Sapphire O Ella O'C

Abby T

Emily T Ivy N

Marisa H

Erin O'C

Amelia Du

Sophia C

Lucy K

Tabitha P

Molly C

Amelie G

<u> U15 - 11 a side</u>

I Cartledge

E Johnson

C Gray

I Dews

S Gill

I Adair

E Chow

A King

A Robinson

T Lengdon

H Gibbons

H Escott

I Royle-Moore



FOLLOW US!

Keep up to date with Team Kingsway's Fixtures and

Results by following us on 'X'

X (Twitter) @KingswayPE



Or by clicking on the link to see the Fixtures Calendar: Kingsway Active

Opportunity





LONDON ACADEMY of MUSICAL DRAMATIC This is a prestigious and highly established exam

board which offers qualifications in public Speaking, acting, devising and so much more.

Mondays

3:15 -

What is LAMDA?

LAMDA exams are accredited by the

government and are worth credits but are also worth UCAS points, useful for University and college entrance, in grades



What does it consist of?

An amazing drama group that has fun and learns a combination of transferable skills as well, such as public speaking, voice projection, characterisation and interview techniques. You will learn either a Monologue and Duologue and be externally moderated receiving a qualification at the end.

Excellent Exam Results?

Out of 76 exams over the past 2 vears I have a 96% Pass Rate

37 Distinctions

34 Merits

2 Pass'

See Mrs Pilkington for more information There are 20 places available

Why chose LAMDA?

- Improving confidence and self-belief
- Improve your ability to communicate effectively
- Improve your listening skills and conversational skills
- Be awarded a accredited exam that is worth UCAS points and is equivalent to a grade 6+
- Previous record of excellent exam results!

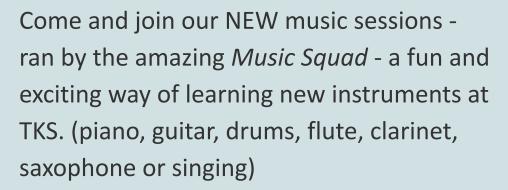


Kingsway Creatives





New and existing musicians



All lessons are 20 minutes during the school day!

See Mrs Pilkington for more information.









Opportunity-Year 11





Edofe:

A reminder - You now need to be submitting your evidence and assessor reports for approval for your skill, physical and volunteering. Huge well done to high number of you who now have most sections completed.

You cannot complete the award until this is done. Your expedition assessor reports are written.

PHOTOGRAPHS from the expedition - do you have a group photo or scenery picture from the expeditions that you are willing to share? If so, please pop and see me in F8!

If you have any login issues email dofe@kingsway.stockport.sch.uk

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Login issues, assessor reports - any other questions - I will be there for these then.



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If you have decided you no longer want to participate in the Duke of Edinburgh, please get someone from home to confirm this and email: dofe@kingsway.stockport.sch.uk



BOARD GAMES CLUB

FOR KS3 AND KS4 STUDENTS



AT 15:05PM IN ROOM B10





DEUTSCHKLUB

GERMAN BOARD GAMES AND QUIZZES





MONDAY 3:05PM (FTA CLASSROOM) FOXLAND FOR YEAR 10



LGBTQ+ CLUB





WEDNESDAYS
AT 13:20
BLUE WEEK (KS3)-B0
RED WEEK (KS4) FX48



Student Leadership



The first KS4 Foxland Leadership Team meeting will be this **Wednesday** break 2 in F32a at 13:40.

All the students below are required to attend:

Head Students: Ayesha K. and Simeon H.

Deputy Head Students: Jack C. and Arslan C.

Heads of House: Sakina K., Zaynab K., Grace K.

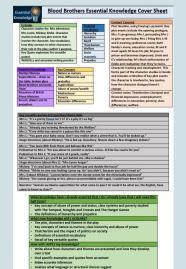
House Deputies: Alison L., Isobel C., Emily H.

Last year's Broadway Head and Deputy Head Students: Archie H., Akshara P., Abbie L., Penny B., Mitchell S., Ralph W.

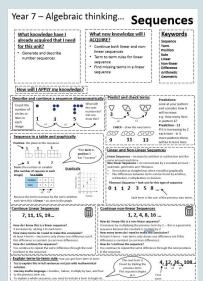


Achievement





Make specific and relevant links to the context



'Essential Knowledge Sheets'

In every subject area, you will be given an 'essential knowledge sheet' at the start of each unit of work. You'll recognise it as they are all on purple paper.

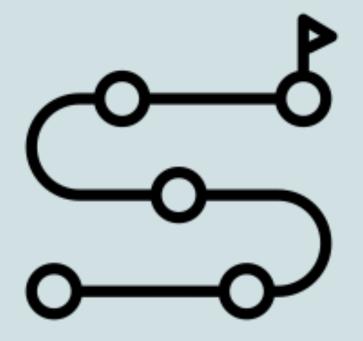
These sheets are REALLY important as they tell you all the essential knowledge you will ACQUIRE and APPLY in each subject this HT.

As the unit of work develops, you will be asked to reflect on what 'essential knowledge you have learned and what you will have to go back and look at again.



Achievement





At TKS, you will often hear your teachers talk about your 'learning journey' and the key bits of 'essential knowledge' you will learn as you move through school.

When the moment comes for your teacher to stop more formally check what you have learned, we call these 'Assessment Milestones'. They help you and your teacher to know that your learning is progressing in the right direction.

Moving forward, you will be reminded when these are coming up in these messages.



Achievement: Year 10 Upcoming 'Milestone Assessments'



Subject	Topic	Dates & Details
Science	P3 Physics: Particle Model of Matter	Week commencing 20th October
English	Language Paper 1 Q1, 2 and 3 Language Paper 1 Q1, 2, 3 and 4	Week commencing 23/9 Week commencing 20/10
Art	A3 pencil animal drawing	Week commencing 20th October
Photography	Camera Techniques - Shutter speed and depth of field	Week commencing 20th October
Geography	FAR Question on earthquakes and volcanoes in New Zealand	Week commencing 22/09 (depending on class)
History	1000-1485 assessment	w/c 13/10 or 20/10
Languages	French/Spanish: Unit 1 conversation questions	From week commencing 29/09



Achievement: Year 11 Upcoming 'Milestone Assessments'



Subject	Topic	Dates & Details
Science	B7 Biology: Ecology C7 Chemistry: Organic Chemistry	Week commencing 15th September Week commencing 29th September
English	Essay on 'Macbeth'	Week commencing 20/10
Art	Buildings drawings	Week commencing 20th October
Photography	Slinkachu research and photoshoot	Week commencing 20th October
Geography	Fairtrade FAR question	Week commencing 06/10
History	KQ1- 1945-54 assessment	w/c 22/09 or 29/09
Languages	Fr/Ge/Sp: First unit conversation questions	From week commencing 29/09



Respect: UNCRC Article of the week



The International Day of Peace is observed around the world each year on 21st September. This is a day devoted to 'commemorating and strengthening the ideals of peace both within and among all nations and peoples.' Peace Day provides a globally shared date for all humanity to commit to peace above all differences and to contribute to building a culture of peace.

Discuss: What does peace mean to you?





Compassion



Watch this video 'Poems for Peace'.

While you watch, pick out a line or a phrase that evokes compassion.





Year Team Stars of the Week Year 10



	Student	Reason
*	Annabelle R.	Most merits (48!)
*	Sri Shishir K.	Active learning in English and Maths
*	Nylah E.	Most teacher's star of the lesson awards (5!)



Year Team Stars of the Week Year 11



	Student	Reason
*	Joe T.	Highest achievement points for Kindness! Legend!
*	Louis C.	Highest achievement points for being perfectly punctual! Legend!
*	Leo J.	Highest achievement points for perseverance! Legend!







The Kingsway School's Parent Teacher Association ask for donations from parents to raise funds to support the school curriculum and enhance the opportunities for all of the students.



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Once a term, the TKA meet with members of the school leadership team to review bids and agree how funds are spent.

Everyone is welcome to get involved, to find out more come along to our next meeting at 6pm on Monday 20th October 2025 on Broadway campus.