## The Kingsway School Broadway Key Messages



## Welcome Address

As we reach the end of yet another half term, it's time to celebrate once again. Your celebration assemblies will focus on rewarding those who embody our school's culture!

Half term also means that we half way through the school year and it's a time for reflection. What have you done to embody our school rules of ready-respect-safe? How have you shown that you are compassionate to others? What concrete actions have you performed to make our school a better place?

As the year moves on, you will continue to see opportunities for us to celebrate and acknowledge those who uphold our school's values. This maybe reward trips, rewards assemblies, star of the week or star of the lesson awards. For year 9, it may be your graduation ceremony, which you will hear more about this week.

Enjoy your week and your week off after that! Mr Sadler

## Broadway Big Wins: Week 3

- Our punctuality to school is $99 \%$. This is amazing. Keep up the good work.
- $90 \%$ of all points awarded continue to be positive with 'Good Learning' and 'active learning' being the most awarded points.
- In the next few weeks, the building work on site will be completed and all of our new classrooms will be available for use.



## Key messages: Important Reminder

School closes on Thursday 8th Feb for half term.
This means students will not be in school on Friday 9th Feb.

School Re opens on Monday 19th Feb.
Please keep yourself safe over half term.


We are still noticing a small number of pupils around the building who are unsure of where they should be.

All students should have an uptodate paper timetable in their planner. This will be part of your morning checks from after Half Term.

If you do not:

- Ask your year team to print one.
- Check online (the night before).


## Respect: Use of the Canteen

Spring Term:

- For the rest of this week, Y8 \& 9 will continue to be on first sitting.
- From after half term, we will trial all students being served on the first sitting. Please ensure you queue sensibly and wait patiently.

REMEMBER: Clean up after yourself and leave the canteen as you would wish to find it!!

Key Messages: Respect


The fields will remain closed until further notice. This is to keep them in good condition for our school sports fixtures.

When the weather improves and the ground is firmer, the fields will open again at break time.

Thanks for your cooperation.

Well done to all of the pupils who represented The Kingsway School in Netball, Rugby, Badminton, Table Tennis and Football last week!

Some excellent performances and results across all year groups!

Thank you again to the 25 pupils who volunteered to help with the indoor Athletics, the feedback was great and over 200 primary school children enjoyed a really fun and competitive event!

## PE Department

@KingswayPE

Well done to Team Kingsway who played Hazel Grove at Table Tennis and Badminton this evening! Great performances from both teams with Kingsway narrowly winning with more wins! Thank you to all the pupils involved! Special mention to Jacob B for playing his first ever fixture! 0

##  <br> PE Department <br> @KingswayPE

Another cold and wet evening of Rugby for the year 7 team last night! A great team performance again from the whole team, playing 3 games, winning 1 and drawing 2 !
Great tackling from Dan S and another excellent performance from captain Luca with 5 tries!
POTM: Jack B! 学

PE Department
@KingswayPE
A huge well done and thank you to the amazing Sports Leaders who helped over 150 Primary School pupils enjoy the Indoor Athletics finals on Tuesday afternoon! Over 25 pupils from year 7,8 and 9 volunteered to help with the event! Thank you to.@StockportSHAPES for organising! 缶


PE Department
@KingswayPE
Well done to all the Netball teams who played against Hazel Grove this evening. Great wins for year 10 and Year 8 and some excellent netball played by year 7 and 9. POM's Olivia S, Amber L.K, Abbie L and Erin B! (0) 姿



## FOLLOW US

Keep up to date with Team Kingsway's Fixtures and Results.

## X (Twitter)@KingswayPE



ONE SIMPLE RULE: RESPECT.


## Attendance Matters



Your attendance in school is extremely important if you are to reach your potential.

Each member of the form with 100\% attendance last week will receive merits

Well done to 7SMA

Each week the form with the highest attendance will receive extra merits

Who will win next week?

## Attendance Matters

Congratulations to 7NAB for the biggest improvement in attendance last week in their year group. An increase of $6 \%$ compared to last week.
Well done!
Attending school every day is important.

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Well done to 8LSL
Each week the form with the highest attendance will receive extra merits

Who will win next week?

## Attendance Matters



Congratulations to 8LEA for the biggest improvement in attendance last week in their year group. An increase of $10.9 \%$ compared to last week.
Well done!
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Well done to 9CWI
Each week the form with the highest attendance will receive extra merits

Who will win next week?

## Attendance Matters



Congratulations to 9JNI for the biggest improvement in attendance last week in their year group. An increase of $4.3 \%$ compared to last week.
Well done!
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## Key Messages: Opportunity

Year 9 Options
During the Spring Term Year 9 students will be making important choices regarding the opportunities for further study at Key Stage 4 (Years 10 \& 11).

## Key Dates: -

- Options forms issued to students - Monday 5th February.
- Year 9 Parents' Evening - Thursday 8th February.
- Completed Options forms must be submitted to Form Tutors by Monday 19th February.


## You will be told about your Key Stage 3 Graduation criteria THIS WEEK!

## Key messages: Opportunity

- Aims to inspire and encourage the next generation of writers.


## BBC Young Writers' Award is now open!



- Gives 14-18 year-olds the opportunity to submit short stories of up to 1000 words.
- No theme, no subject, as long as it's a story and it's all your own work you can submit it.
- Shortlisted writers will have their stories narrated by an actor and published in an anthology.
- Deadline is $25^{\text {th }}$ March 2024 so get scribbling!
- Search BBC Young Writers' Award for more details or contact C. Wild for the link!


## Key messages: Opportunity

## BATTTLE

 BOOKS
## Wednesday $6^{\text {th }}$ March

- Enter our annual Battle of the Books competition!
- Persuade the judges that your book choice is the best.
- Present individually, in pairs or groups of up to four.
- Wednesday $7^{\text {th }}$ February: writing workshop (bring your first drafts)
- Wednesday $21^{\text {st }}$ February: performance workshop
- Wednesday $28^{\text {th }}$ February: pre-final performances
- Wednesday $6^{\text {th }}$ March: BOB Final 5:30pm - 6:30pm


## Student Leadership

The first Junior Leadership Team (JLT) meetings will take place this week and will be led by two members of the Year 11 Senior Student team whilst being supervised by the HOY/PHOY. All form captains and House Leaders are expected to attend in their designated area at 8.35 am after getting their mark in registration.

These meetings will play a crucial role in students driving the school forward.
These meetings will take place every Blue week at the same time and location unless stated otherwise.

Details of the first meeting are on the next slide.

## Student Leadership

## This week's agenda is: <br> 1. LGBT+ History Month 2. House Names for the House System

Year 7<br>Meeting Day: Blue Wednesday Meeting Time: 8:35am Meeting Room: B51<br>Year 8<br>Meeting Day: Blue Wednesday Meeting Time: 8:35am<br>Meeting Room: B52<br>Year 9<br>Meeting Day: Blue Tuesday Meeting Time: 8:35am<br>Meeting Room: B51



## Key Messages: Achievement Sparks Reader: Update



Your NEXT reading homework deadline is: WEDNESDAY 7TH FEBRUARY 2024.

## YOU MUST COMPLETE 30 MINUTES OF 'CAREFUL READING’.

USE YOUR SPARX MATHS LOG IN TO COMPLETE YOUR SPARX READING HOMEWORK.

Since January, you have collectively read $\mathbf{1 1 3}$ BOOKS! Well done keep on reading!

Your students have completed

## 979 hours

of careful reading this year in Sparx Reader.
Great effort!

## Key Messages: Achievement

 Sparks Reader: Update
## Top Reading Forms:

Year 7: 7JDI

Year 8: 8EPE
Year 9: 9JTY


## Key messages: Safe

This week is children's mental health week. On the next slide, there are 10 things children across the country have said schools should do to help children's mental health.

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CHILDREN'S MENTAL MEALTH WEEK

## Read and discuss each one.

Which do you agree with most?

Are there any you disagree with?

Watch out for top tips to support different aspects of mental health that will be shared via our social media channels every day this week.

We want mental health to be talked about more in school to remove the taboo around it- not just one-off assemblies or PSHE lessons.

## Key

messages: Safe


We want you to acknowledge our mental health - not just mention it once in assembly. Sometimes we say we're stressed with homework and it seems like all our teachers care about is the deadline, not how we're feeling.

If you're talking about mental health, make it clear that mental health isn't a bad thing.


We want to know more about specific themes on mental health - men's mental health, teenage mental health etc.

Try not to make it sound so scary.
Language like 'you have to tell someone' puts pressure on us, and can put us off even if you don't mean to.


Make our assemblies or lessons on mental health more interactive - let us ask more questions, do a quiz, role play - then we'll want to engage more.

Give us opportunities to lead lessons on mental health ourselves. We have lots of ideas, and might know more than you think - we also have lots of advice to give.


If you're planning an assembly (on mental health, or anything else!) keep it short, active, play music, involve us in it.

Stop making out like social media is responsible for all of our problems. We know there are challenges with social media, but when we use it carefully it can help us connect with friends and find advice and support when we're struggling.


If we're being bullied or having issues with friends, don't just focus on punishing the other person or fixing it. Excluding someone might punish them, but it doesn't help with the way we feel about what has happened. Make the time to talk about our feelings too, if we need to.

## Key messages: Safe

Are you concerned about a safeguarding or wellbeing issue? This might be about you or a friend. Or, perhaps you would just like to talk to an adult away from the hustle and bustle of school life.

Mr. Dorsett will be hosting drop-in sessions:
Broadway: break 2 on Tuesdays - find him at reception. Foxland: break 2 on Thursdays - find him at year offices.
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Mr G. Dorsett Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead

Learning Matters: Maths Homework

# Sparx Maths 

The Kingsway School
HOMEWORK CLUB
THURSDAY 3-3:45
BLUE WEEK B14
RED WEEK B19A

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## Essential Knowledge from Assembly

## This week's assemblies are focused on rewards.

The categories for the rewards are:
Head of Year Award - for an excellent role model for the year group
Pastoral Head of Year Award - for an excellent role model for the year group
Classcharts Award - for the student with the most classchart points without a negative Most Improved Student Award - for the student who has made significant progress
Endeavour Award - for a student who has overcome significant challenges to meet our expectations of ready, respect, safe
Form Behaviour Award - for the form with the highest behaviour ratio on classcharts Form Attendance Award - for the form with the highest attendance

## Year Team Stars of the Week Year 7

|  | Student | Reason |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Henry A | For always being ready <br> to learn and having a <br> positive attitude to <br> learning everyday! |
|  | Most merits last week in Y7 <br> - well done! |  |
|  | Most improved points <br> on Sparx Reader |  |

## Year Team Stars of the Week Year 8

|  | Student | Reason |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Salima K | For a significant improvement to <br> work ethic and a great attitude <br> towards school! |
|  | Phoebe HG | For fantastic uniform, always <br> being fully equipped, and for <br> brilliant work in lessons! |

## Year Team Stars of the Week Year 9

|  | Student | Reason |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Ava K | Highest merits earned <br> this week! |
|  | Eesa M | Fantastic effort in maths <br> lessons this week. |

## Challenge of the Week Get Involved

Display materials are now available for form tutors to collect from the staff room to start working on the LGBT+ display in your form rooms.

- Sophia Jex Blake
- Cecil Belfield Clarke
- Margaret Stacey
- Ewan Forbes
- George Ward/Cherry Valentine

Each form will receive a display pack of backing paper and border roll to get them started.

Each display will be judged by members of the leadership and year team.

Achievement points will be given to the best displays in each year group.

These displays will also be posted on our website and social media.

