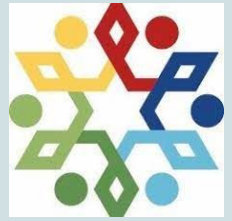


The Kingsway School Foxland Key Messages





Welcome Address

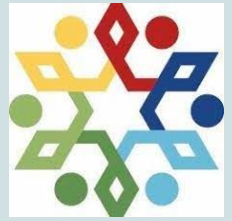


This week our year 10 students start their first practice exams under formal exam conditions. It can feel daunting at first but it is important that routines are rehearsed so that the nerves have subsided when the external examinations take place. Staff are on hand to offer support and guidance to make this as smooth as possible. Attendance is really important as these exams will provide students with feedback on where their learning gaps are and what actions need to take place to address them.

In assemblies this week we discuss the importance of learning environments. This is not just about keeping rooms tidy, it is about our behaviours in lessons; having a positive mindset and seeing challenges as opportunities rather than barriers. It is only when we step outside of our comfort zones that we begin to grow. Have a good week Ms Linnecor



Building a Positive Culture



Every week we talk about how we can build a positive culture.

One small positive action can have a huge impact.

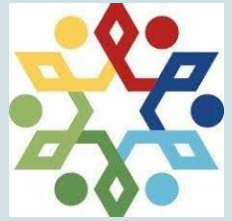
The small action to focus on this week that will have a big impact is to be on time to all your lessons. Walk with pace and purpose when you are dismissed from your lessons. Every moment in your lessons count.



**BE
ON
TIME!**

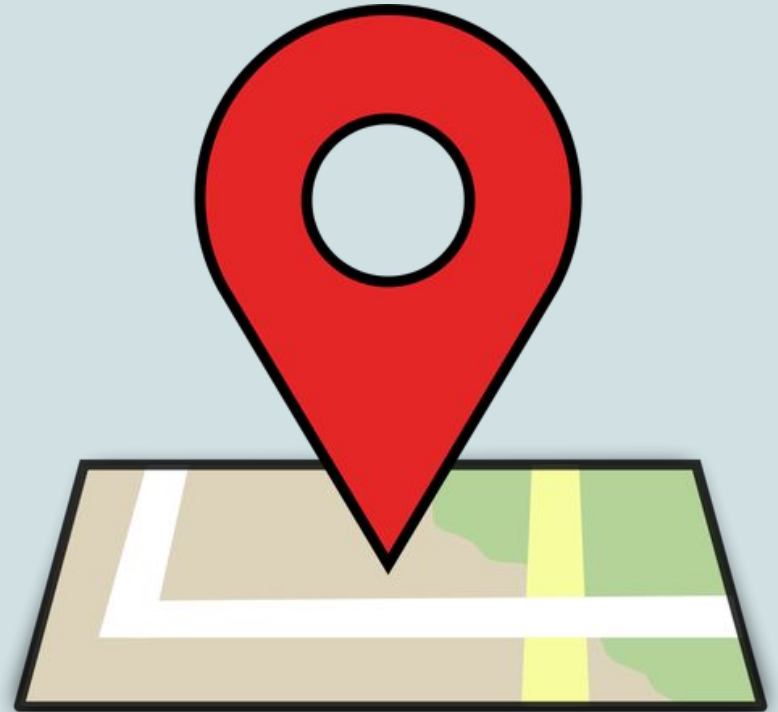


Ready, Respect, Safe Assembly: Keys to Success



To keep you safe, we need to know where you are at all times. For the majority of the time, this should be in your lessons, where you will be registered and can learn the intended curriculum.

Those students who are not in their lesson and this has not been agreed by their teacher may be asked to stay with a member of SLT so we know where they are.





Ready, Respect, Safe Assembly: Keys to Success

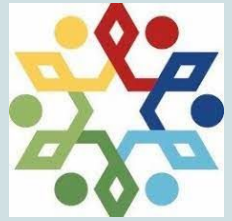


Maximise your learning by being on time to all lessons. 98% of all marks are 'on time'.

A small number of pupils can be late to lessons at times. This means that you miss out on explanations of 'Essential Knowledge' at the start of each lesson. Being on time will help you to be successful!



Key Messages: Ready Acceptable / Unacceptable Footwear



Acceptable Footwear is:

- Plain, flat, below the ankle
- All leather
- All black (including soles)
- Black Nike Air Force 1's are allowed without the metal tag



Unacceptable Footwear is:

- Trainers other than the above
- Any shoes with air bubbles / mesh
- Shoes with different coloured laces or any additional decoration





Key messages: Safe



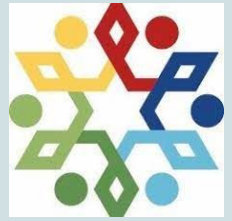
Last week we were informed that some Kingsway students were seen trespassing on railway tracks in Heald Green. Thankfully, no one was injured. However, the British transport police contacted school so that we can address this extremely dangerous behaviour and help keep you safe.

Harrison's story is an upsetting but important reminder of the consequences this can have: [Harrison's story](#)





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.

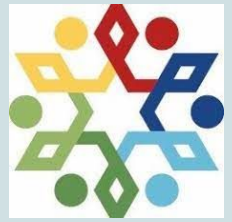


Mr G. Dorsett
Deputy Designated
Safeguarding Lead

TAKE CARE OF YOURSELF



Key messages: Safe

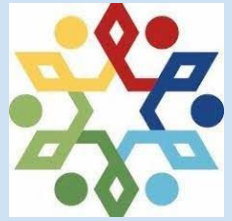


Some of you journey to and from school near our neighboring primaries. You are role models for younger children. Please remember this if you are interacting with them. Sadly, we have heard this isn't always the case.

Be someone to look up to!



Moments Matter Attendance Counts



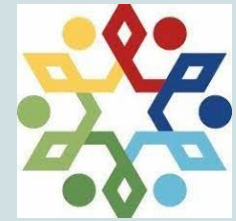
It is fine to come to school if you have a minor cough
-or common cold.

Everyone can help to prevent the spread of
colds by following these 3 simple routines.





**MOMENTS
MATTER,
ATTENDANCE
COUNTS.**



Every School Day is Important: Don't Miss Out



OPPORTUNITY
ACHIEVEMENT
RESPECT

Kingsway Active



OPPORTUNITY
ACHIEVEMENT
RESPECT

Monday 22nd April

GCSE PE Practical Moderation (Broadway)

Girls Badminton (Broadway) - Miss L Wildgoose

Tuesday 23rd April

GCSE PE Practical Moderation (Broadway)

Wednesday 24th April

Year 11 GCSE Revision (F37) - Miss Wildgoose.

Year 11 Sports Studies Coursework catch up and revision (Meet in the library) - Mr J Howarth

Thursday 25th April

Friday 26th April

Year 7 Multi Sports club- Break 2 (Broadway Sportshall)

Badminton and Table Tennis- Broadway (Mr H Duffy)

GCSE PE Moderation takes place on Monday 22nd and Tuesday 23rd April.

Athletics, Softball, Rounders and Cricket club to start next week.

Lining up/ Entrance to Broadway PE

Where you enter/ Line up for PE has changed.

- *Year 7, 8 and 9 Girls are to meet near the green gate to meet their teacher and walk over to Foxland.*

Year 7, 8 and 9 Boys are to meet at the following places:

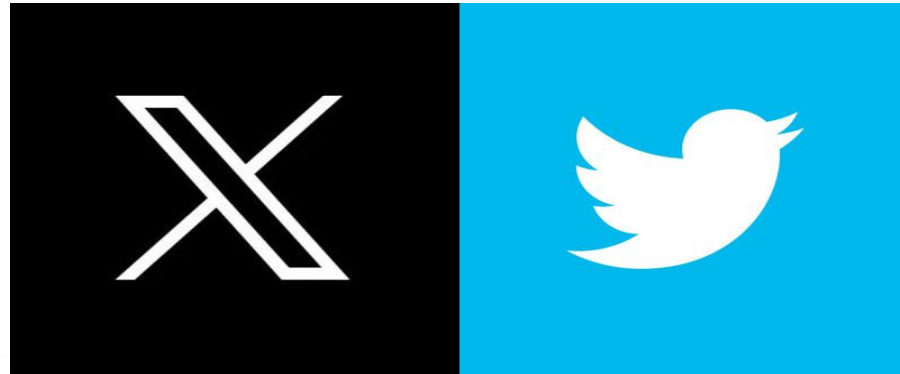
- Period 1 - Meet in the canteen (Line up quietly in your class)
- Period 2 - Meet in the canteen (Line up quietly in your class)
- Period 3 - Outside entrance next to the field (Where you used to line up)
- Period 4- Meet in the canteen (Line up quietly in your class)
- Period 5 - Outside entrance next to the field (Where you used to line up)



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When your attendance is good (95%+) you are more likely to achieve better grades in school.

It is never too late to improve your attendance.

Attendance is also important as it supports positive peer relationships which is good for your mental health and well being.

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 10RHU

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

Who will win next week?

Attendance Matters



Congratulations to 10SSI for the biggest improvement in attendance last week in their year group. An increase of 18.8% compared to last week.

Well done!

Attending school every day is important.

Attendance Matters



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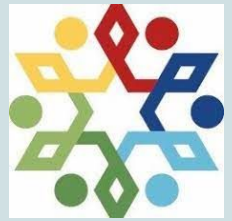
Each member of the form with 100% attendance last week will receive merits

Well done to 11NMC

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

Who will win next week?

Attendance Matters



Congratulations to 11ABO for the biggest improvement in attendance last week in their year group. An increase of 15.8% compared to last week.

Well done!

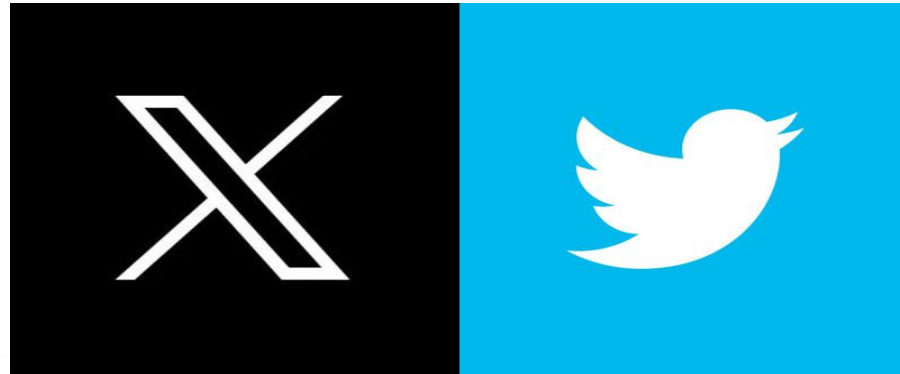
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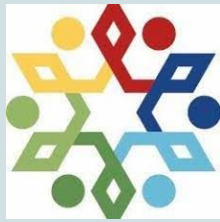
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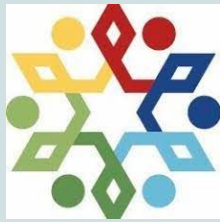
Assembly - Essential Knowledge



Due to the Year 10 PPEs - assemblies will be pre-recorded and shown in lessons this week. This week's assembly is about looking after the school and learning environment. The key learnings from this week's assembly are:

- It's not just about keeping our classrooms tidy; it's about taking responsibility for our surroundings and the impact we have on the school community
- Our school can be a beautiful place, where we can all enjoy learning
- Sometimes, we find areas that are not looked after as well as they should be
- Keeping our environment clean isn't just about aesthetics; it's about health, safety, and respect for ourselves and others
- Here are some steps we can all take: using recycling bins, reducing plastic use, eating in the canteen

Exam Preparation - Year 11

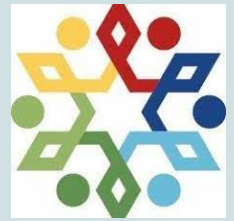


Every week in Wellbeing lessons we will be looking at how you can prepare for your exams both in school and at home.

Whilst you're waiting for your feedback, make sure you are taking advantage of each and every lesson, the period 6 offer, and revising for your GCSE Exams.

The next couple of slides will remind you of some effective revision strategies.

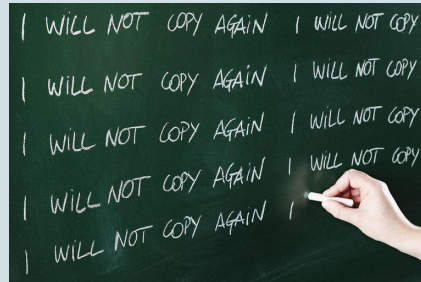
Exam Preparation – Bad Habits



Re-reading



Read, Cover, Review



Re-writing notes

Summarising



Highlighting

Not productive – students will focus in on just that fact and not the wider context/information

Highlighting texts feels good. You can draw attention of people to a word or perhaps even to a whole sentence that spans across multiple lines in such a way that hyper-nation etc. are not affected.

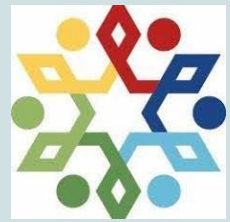


Cramming



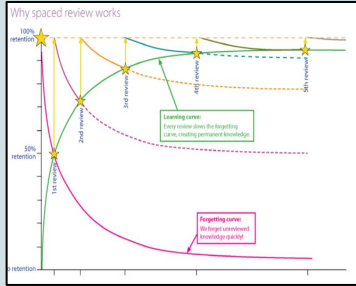


Exam Preparation – Good Habits



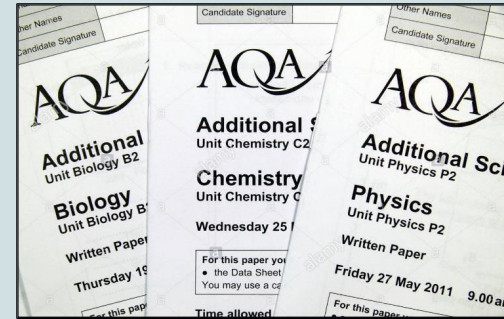
Retrieve Knowledge

Exam Practice



Spaced Learning

S – Space
T – Transform
E – Elaborate
E – Examine
R – Retrieve



Transform Knowledge

Elaborate on Knowledge



Good Habits: Examine your learning



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3 Questions: Last lesson

1 Question: Last week

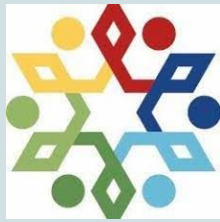
1 Question: Last year

Commit everything to the
 long-term memory over
time

Don't practise recognition
 - practise retrieval
 (need to detail!)

What is it?	Why does it work?	What can I do?
<p>This is one of the most effective ways to improve memory!</p> <p>Anything that makes you retrieve a memory E.g. answering a question, writing down everything you can remember on a topic</p>	<p>It has consistently been shown to help students improve retention and recall (and subsequently exam performance)</p> <p>It improves anxiety especially at exam time</p> <p>It reduces exam nerves</p> <p>Helps identify what you don't know</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complete Past Papers from memory – then check your answers • Write down everything you can remember on a topic from memory without notes – then check your knowledge using your notes • Make short quizzes with friends and test each other • Make up your own questions from memory with answers – then check your knowledge • Get someone at home to ask you questions from your revision notes or flashcards • Teach the topic to someone else from memory

Student Leadership



Form and House Captains should meet in their JLTs this week.
The Library will be setting up for PPEs so please use F44.

Year 10

Junior Leadership Team Agenda

Meeting Day: Blue Wednesday

Meeting Time: 8:35am

Meeting Room: Library

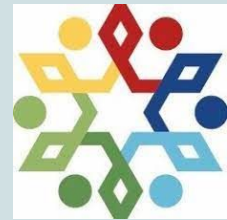
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Junior Leadership Team Agenda

Meeting Day: Blue Tuesday

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Meeting Room: Library



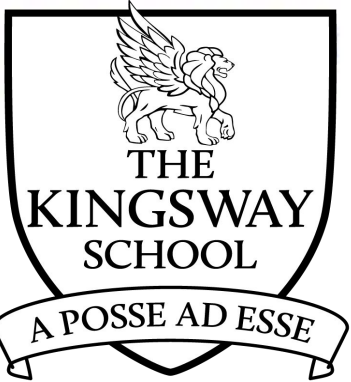
The House System

During this week's Wellbeing lessons you will have the opportunity to have your say on what the Houses will be for next year. Each group of Houses will be presented during the the sessions and will culminate in you voting for your favourite House group.

The names of the Houses within the winning group will then be decided in the next Wellbeing sessions by student vote.

JLTs have been discussing groups of Houses for sometime and the final nominees are:

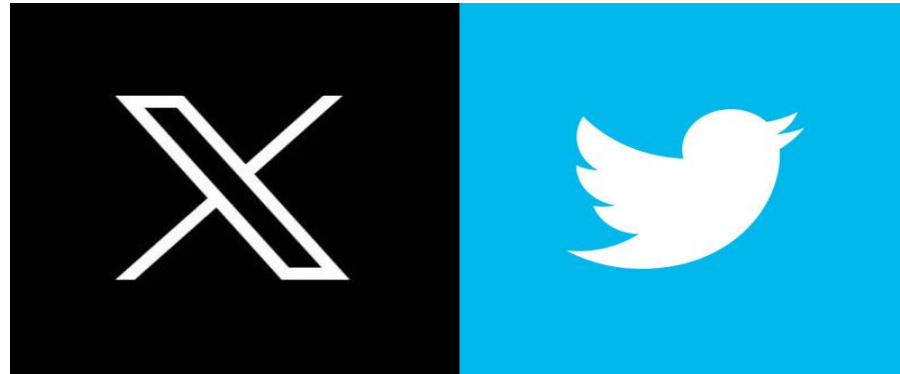
- Local parks
- Local towns/villages
- Local streets
- Famous historical figures but more diverse than the existing ones
- Precious Stones



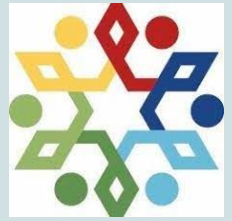
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Learning Matters: Maths Homework



Sparx Maths

The Kingsway School

HOMework CLUB

THURSDAY 3-3:45

BLUE WEEK B14

RED WEEK B19A

STARTS
THIS
WEEK

ALL
WELCOME



Roald Dahl's

Matilda

THE MUSICAL JR.

8th to 10th May 2024
Starting at 6.30pm

Book By
Dennis Kelly

THE KINGSWAY
SCHOOL
Foxland Campus Hall, SK8 4QX

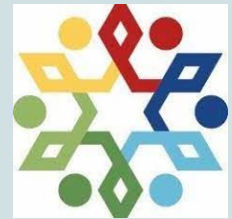
Music & Lyrics
By Tim Minchin

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Year Team Stars of the Week

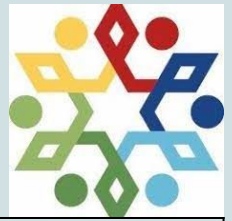
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	Student	Reason
★	Hannah F	Awarded most Teacher Star of the Lesson last week
★	Vicky C	Awarded most Outstanding Work/Learning last week
★	Freya B	Significant Improvement

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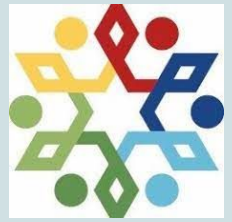
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	Student	Reason
	Hussain N	Awarded the most merits for producing outstanding work last week
	Klaudia C	Awarded for most merits for outstanding standard of homework last week
	Saffa I	Awarded the most merits for Good Attitude last week



Challenge of the Week



Building on from this week's assembly - aim to be the community champion for your year group by achieving the most classcharts points in this category. You could do this by:

- Picking up litter (even if it's not yours)
- Tidying up after yourself in the canteen
- Offering to collect stationery in at the end of the lesson
- Tucking the chairs under/putting chairs on desks at the end of the day
- Identifying areas of the school environment which need tidying/cleaning
- Reporting others who are not looking after the school environment

