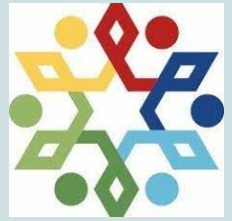


The Kingsway School Foxland Key Messages





Welcome Address



When I stood up in front of you at the start of the year, I spoke to you about both the kind of world I would like to live and about the kind of school we want to have. It has been amazing to see how many of you are able to conduct yourselves in such an exemplary way. Key cornerstones of our school's culture is that we value compassion, celebrate diversity, keep each other safe and we always strive to hold ourselves to the highest of standards.

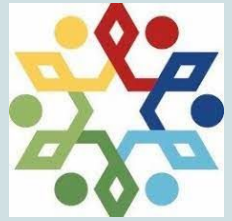
This week is anti-bullying week in the UK and the messages that will be shared with you in your main assembly and in your additional assembly could not be more in line with the culture we are trying to achieve. Our school subscribes to the 'Anti-bullying Foundation definition of bullying, which is: 'The repetitive, intentional hurting of one person or group by another person or group, where the relationship involves an imbalance of power. Bullying can be physical, verbal or psychological. It can happen face to face or online'.

This week, you will learn about new measures our school is taking to support students to report bullying if they see it. And remember... if in doubt always BE KIND!

Have a Great Week. Ms Linnecor



Foxland Big Wins: HT 2 Week 3



99% of students in year 10 and 11 were awarded merits last week. That is fantastic. Let's aim for 100% this week.

Over 3000 merits were awarded for good work and good attitude last week.



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 10MAT

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

Who will win next week?

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OPPORTUNITY
ACHIEVEMENT
RESPECT

Kingsway Active



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Monday 13th Nov

Girls Badminton (Broadway) - Miss L. Wildgoose

Tuesday 14th Nov

Year 7, 8 and 9 Rugby Practice- Boots and Trainers (Broadway)- Mr H. Duffy

FIXTURE: Year 7,8,9&10 netball matches at home v Laurus (Foxland) - Mrs S. Tavner

FIXTURE: KS4 Girls Badminton competition at CHHS - Miss E.Pike

Wednesday 15th Nov

FIXTURE: Year 11 Football vs Didsbury High School (GMSFA CUP) - Mr H Duffy

Thursday 16th Nov

All years girls Rugby club (Foxland) - Miss K. Jessop

Years 8-11 Trampoline for those who want to do a competition on 30th November - Miss E. Pike

FIXTURE: Year 8 Rugby at St Ambrose - Mr H. Duffy

Friday 17th Nov

Year 7 Girl's Trampoline (foxland) - Miss E. Pike

Boys Badminton/Table Tennis (Broadway) - Mr H. Duffy

Years 9-11 Cardio (Broadway) - Mr H. Duffy

All clubs finish between 4.15/4.30. Fixtures approx 5.30.
If you are selected for a team and cannot play, see your PE teacher ASAP!

Kingsway Active

Good luck to all pupils who are representing the school this week!

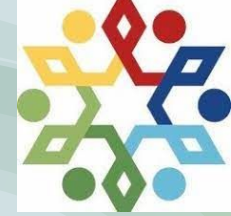
Team news can be found on the online message board.

If you are selected for a team and cannot play, you MUST let your PE teacher know ASAP.

Results:

A tough week for the year 10 Football team this week in both the County Cup and National Cup. Good luck to the team in the Stockport League and Cup.

POTM for both Games was Alfie D



Key Messages: Opportunity

Do you want to be on the student-led team who design the new house system?

The house leaders are looking for 5 motivated, hardworking young people in each year group to work alongside Meyriam, Y11 Lead Prefect, to help create our new house system.

Responsibilities:

- ✓ Choose the new house names
- ✓ Lead and shape the way the house system will operate
- ✓ Year group student leader for your house
- ✓ Help to organise inter-house events and a range of friendly competitions

How to apply: Complete the Google Form application form by 20th November:

<https://forms.gle/wc2fN4ck9wCAViSm7>



Key Messages: Opportunity

Shoe box donations deadline: Monday 27th November



Manchester Shoebox Appeal



Young Adults

These boxes will be distributed to organisations which help supported young people and care leavers.

Below are a few suggestions which you could include:

Young Women (17plus)

Stationery set / Diary
Hairbrush / Comb / Bath Sets / Candles
Socks / Hat / Scarf / Gloves
Chocolate / Hot Chocolate Mugs
Make-up / Wipes / Body Sprays

Young Men (17 plus)

Deodorant / Shower Gels / Comb
Socks / Hat / Scarf / Gloves
Stationery set / Diary
Chocolate / Sweets
Hot Chocolate Mugs

and anything else you can think of ... but please



NO ALCOHOL OR MONEY



Manchester Shoebox Appeal



Children 0-16yrs

Below are a few suggestions which you could include:

Babies/Toddlers (0-3 years)

Mittens / Soft Toys
Toiletries / Books

Infants (4-8 years)

Colouring Books / Crayons, Pencils
Hat & Gloves / Age Appropriate Toys



Juniors (9-12 years)

Stationery Sets / Sweets
Toiletries / Gift Sets

Teenagers (13-16 years)

Toiletry Packs / Make-up
Wipes / Socks / Chocolate



Please remember to include a Christmas card in your box.

Remember to make your boxes pretty (wrap the lid and box separately so we can add extra items to the boxes) and make sure to label the box to let those distributing the boxes know who it is intended for i.e. young Adults female or male, Dog or Elderly male or female.

Manchester Shoebox Appeal



Dogs

Below are a few suggestions which you could include:

Tinned Food Sachet Food Dry Food
Bowl Lead Toys & Treats
Fleece Blanket Collar Poo Bags



and anything else you can think of ... but please



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We'd love your child to bring in a made-up box for one of the categories above or to bring in some items that can be used to add to a box. The year group that donate the most will win a reward for the whole year group.



Key Messages: Opportunity



Year 11 - Post-16 information

Open Days

- Saturday 18th November open day at Macclesfield College 10.30-1.00pm (students need to register beforehand)
- Thursday 23rd November open day at Manchester College (all campuses) 5.00-7.00pm (students need to register beforehand)

Closing dates for application forms:

- Aquinas = 30th November (apply online)
- Loreto = 12th January 2024 (application forms with Mrs Watson)
- Xaverian = 19th January 2024 (application forms with Mrs Watson)
- Parrs Wood = 31st January 2024 (apply online)



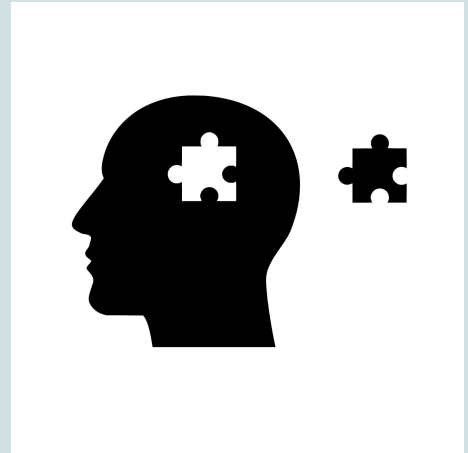
Key Messages: Achievement



A key part of learning is encountering more and remembering more knowledge. In our heads, knowledge fits together in a kind of jigsaw puzzle. Like with all jigsaws, it is harder to put together and make sense of if there are pieces missing.



Your teachers will work hard to check in lessons that you have the knowledge you need to achieve well. You can learn best when you engage in this: answer questions to the best of your ability, demonstrate what you know when given a chance and tell your teacher if you feel you don't have all the knowledge you need to be successful. Knowledge is power.



Key Messages: Achievement



Preparation for exams involves revision both in class and at home. Every lesson in year 10 and 11 is preparation for your exams. Look back at the different strategies that we discussed at the start of the year, now is the time to start using them. Don't forget Period 6 sessions take place Tue- Fri for year 11.

Key Messages: Respect Anti bullying week



Whisper



This anonymous reporting tool will 'go live' this week in recognition of anti-bullying week.

- Look out for posters with a number you can text and an email address you can use.
- Report your concerns about bullying.
- Report things you may see as a bystander.
- You can report anonymously but give details that will help us help you.

Key Messages: Respect - Anti-bullying week

This Anti-Bullying Week we want to Make A Noise to our MPs about bullying!

Research shows that 30% of children have been bullied in the last year alone – with approximately one child in every classroom experiencing bullying each day. Bullying has a significant impact on a child's life, and this can last well into adulthood with adults who were bullied as children being more likely to leave school with no qualifications, be unemployed and experience a range of mental health issues.

This is why we need your help to call for change! Please join us in promoting our following asks:

- **Schools should be required to have an anti-bullying lead** responsible for coordinating an anti-bullying strategy.
- **Initial teacher training should include anti-bullying training:** Currently, teachers are not required to even know what bullying is as part of their initial teacher training.
- There should be a **duty to record bullying in schools** in England as there currently is for schools in Northern Ireland.

We have a template email set up for you to use to contact your MP – so it couldn't be easier.

Your form group can follow this link to contact your MP:
<https://anti-bullyingalliance.eaction.org.uk/makeanoiseaboutbullying>

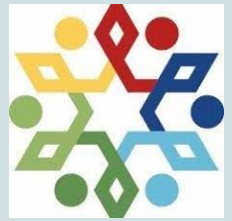


Year 11 Pre-Public Exams



Day/Date	Morning	Afternoon
Mon 04 Dec	Business (1hr 45)	Maths P1 Non Calculator (1hr 30)
Tues 05 Dec	English Language P1 (1hr 45)	Trilogy Physics (1hr 15) Separates Physics (1hr 45)
Wed 06 Dec	English Language P2 (1hr 45)	Trilogy Biology (1hr 15) Separates Biology (1hr 45)
Thurs 07 Dec	Engineering (1hr) Dance (1hr) German Listening (35 or 45 mins) & German Reading (45 mins or 1hr)	Geography (1hr 30)
Fri 08 Dec	Maths P2 Calculator (1hr 30)	History (1hr 45)
Mon 11 Dec	English Literature (1hr 45)	Maths P3 Calculator (1hr 30)
Tues 12 Dec	Computer Science Paper 1 (1hr) Drama (1hr)	Trilogy Chemistry (1hr 15) Separates Chemistry (1hr 45)
Wed 13 Dec	French Listening (35/45 Mins) & Reading (45 mins/1hr)	PE (1hr 30) Sports Studies (1hr 15)
Thurs 14 Dec	MFL Writing (1hr/1hr 15)	Film Studies (1hr 30)
Fri 15 Dec	Computer Science Paper 2 (1hr) Health & Social Care (1hr)	RE (1hr 45) Spanish Listening (35 or 45 mins) & Spanish Reading (45 mins or 1hr)

Essential Knowledge from Assembly



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You should already be familiar with our school definition of bullying that was shared with you at the start of the year and if in your planner.



Year Team Stars of the Week

Year 10






	Student	Reason
	Kim S	Most Teachers stars of the week
	Jack M-H	Mot outstanding work/learning of the week
	Eve B	For fantastic uniform every morning and being ready to learn.



Year Team Stars of the Week

Year 11



	Student	Reason
	Maya A	Highest number of Teacher Star of lessons awarded last week
	Max S	Significant improvement in the number of positive actions logged
	Kieran R	Most merits last week for uniform and being Ready to Learn



Challenge of the Week



5 Days of Kindness Challenge:

For everyday of anti-bullying week, try to DO something kind or SAY something kind. Being kind makes our world and our school a better place. Some ideas below:

- Take part in our Shoe Box Appeal
- Start a conversation with someone new
- Tell someone they are doing a good job
- Hold a door open
- Ask someone if they are okay

