



29th January 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

I would like to say a huge thank you to all the families who support their children in arriving at school on time, every day. Your continued support in ensuring your child attends school every day is crucial for their future success. They will thank you for it on Results Day!

BPS University

Years 7, 8 and 9 have been working very hard on their 'BPS University KS3 Challenge'. They have been working to produce evidence of their independent study; including posters, models and flashcards. If your child wishes to take part, please encourage them to speak to Miss Dawes.

Ignite Speeches

Year 7 and 8 students very bravely stood up in front of their peers and delivered speeches on topics including education, inequality and anti-social behaviour. They have shown great courage, and have demonstrated our school value of resilience. We are enormously proud of what these students have achieved.

Medication

Students must not carry and administer their own medicine in school. If your child requires medication during the school day, please inform their Year Leader, who will make the necessary arrangements.

Phone free school

Our school is a phone free school, and all students must store their phone in their own Yondr pouch during the school day. Please encourage your child to look after their pouch, as lost or damaged pouches must be replaced at a cost to parents/carers of £25.



Upcoming Events

- Thursday 13th February 2025 Year 8 Parents' Evening
- Thursday 27th February 2025 Year 7 Parents' Evening
- Thursday 13th March 2025 Year 11 Parents' Information Evening
- Monday 17th March 2025 Year 9 Options Evening

Year 11 Mock examinations w/c Monday 10th February 2025

- Year 11 students have received their mock examination timetables, and will receive their mock results on Friday 28th February 2025. We have high hopes for this hardworking year group; a school trip is being planned in anticipation of their improved grades - further details to follow.
- Teachers have provided revision materials to their Year 11 students. To maximise the benefits of these resources, we strongly encourage students to actively engage with the material through the creation of revision cards and mind maps, in line with the BPS revision strategies.
- As parents/carers, your involvement and encouragement plays a crucial role in supporting your child's academic progress. If you have any questions regarding the revision materials, or would like additional guidance on supporting your child with revision, please contact their Year Leader, Mrs Galer, in the first instance. Her email address is aga@birkenheadparkschool.com.

Kind regards,

Mrs N McNamee
Head of School