



Headteacher's Welcome



Dear Parents and Carers,

This academic year seems to pass us by in no time at all, it didn't seem too long ago that we were all in thick winter coats. As we reach the mid-way point of the summer term, we continue planning for next academic year and devising new opportunities for our students to enrich their learning.

We reflect on what our young people have needed this year and can foresee that there is a hunger for learning about our past and developing them into the active citizens of the future – shaping their communities and making their voices heard. I am a true believer of our Fundamental British Values, (Democracy, Rule of Law, Respect and Tolerance and Individual Liberty) and our curriculum enhancing these through enrichment opportunities. Many recent Person-Centred Annual Reviews (PCARs) have included discussions around Community engagement and awareness.

Please enjoy the half term whilst remaining vigilant to those wanting to develop friendships from unknown sources.

Graham Richards

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|  Respect & Tolerance |  Democracy |  Rule of Law |  Individual Liberty |
| Respect others beliefs and opinions | Influence way school is run via council | School rules are used to mirror societies laws and must be respected | Freedom to make choices, whilst remaining accountable for actions |
| Structured discussion of sensitive issues | Influence lessons with positive engagement | Self accountability and knowing there are consequences for actions | Entitled to opinions which do not promote extremism |

Notices

Stratus have started their exam season - congratulations and well done for their efforts so far.

Polite notice to parents dropping off and collecting students - please refrain from parking across neighbour's driveway

Whole School Trip

Chessington 29/06/2023

Designated Safeguarding Leads:

Graham Richards - Headteacher - Lead DSL
Sam Gracey - Senior Teacher - Deputy DSL
Jo Higgins - Proprietor - Overseeing Safeguarding
NSPCC: 0800 800 5000
safeguarding@blueskiesschool.co.uk

Diary Dates:

05/06/2023 - students return to school
30/06/2023 - school closed (staff inset day)
17/07 - 21/07/23 - Activity week

Birthday Wishes:

16/06/2023 - Kian
18/07/2023 - Isaac
29/07/2023 - Jo

Happy Birthday to you, from all at Blue Skies School!

Highlights Reel

Term 5

Mental Health Awareness Week 15-21 May 2023

International Day Against Homophobia, Transphobia, and Biphobia 17 May 2023

King's Coronation 6 May 2023

PE skill: cricket

Monday afternoon curriculum enrichment: Politics

Friday afternoon activity: Bowling

MidKent College: Car Mechanics

College Carousel - Mechanics



King Charles III Coronation Celebration & Activities



Egg & Spoon Race



Playing Royal Bingo



Throwing Darts



Royal tins knock down game



Dear Parents & Carers & Students

Have a lovely may half term. We look forward to seeing you back
on Monday 5th June 2023

From all of the staff at Blue Skies School