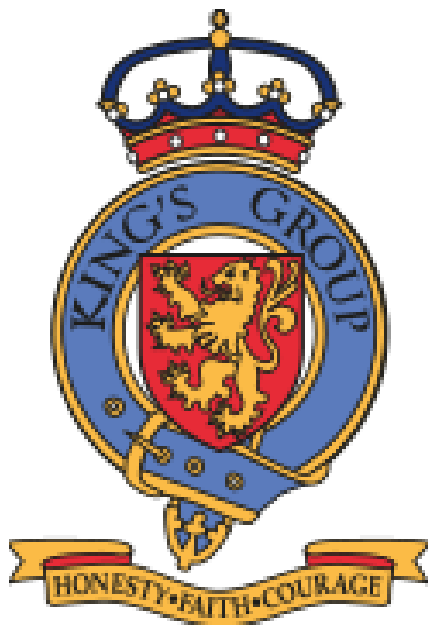


# KINGS ACADEMY BINFIELD SECONDARY NEWSLETTER

[Link to dates for the diary](#)



## MESSAGE FROM MRS MOORE

Dear Parents and Carers

Well done to all our students who have really begun to get into the rhythm of the new school year now that they have followed their timetable through for a full cycle. Students have adjusted well to the earlier start time and the new remarkable routines which are in place to ensure that all students know what is expected of them so that the school community can run smoothly.



Most of you will be aware that we made changes to the parking arrangements at the St Georges Park KAB Primary entrance this week. More information on [page 2](#). It is now no longer possible for parents/carers to drive onto the school site.

From Wednesday 18th September, only those with a Blue Badge have been permitted to access the primary parking spaces.

Unfortunately, the current volume of traffic has raised safety concerns for our students, families and staff, and we must take action to ensure everyone's safety. I would like to express my thanks to parents and carers for your support of this decision in finding alternative parking and walking in. I know that this new approach will cause other issues in the local area and we will do our best to work with you, the council and the police to continue to make improvements so that school drop off and pick up can take place as smoothly as possible.

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Thank you also to parents and carers who have already taken the time to give ideas on how we can find solutions. We are always open to hearing your views and welcome any ideas that you might have. We are holding a Parent/Carer Forum meeting on Monday 21 October, 5-7pm in KAB Secondary main hall to give everyone who wishes the opportunity to discuss this. Further details will follow.

We were pleased to welcome the parents and carers of Year 11 students to the Year 11 Information Evening on Thursday. As Year 11s begin this very important year, it was wonderful to see so many parents/carers coming to find out how to support their children as they prepare for their GCSEs. Curriculum, attendance and wellbeing were discussed as well as revision. The Year 11 revision website is [here for your reference](#) and available to students in their Google Classrooms. This will be updated throughout the year.

# KAB UPDATES



The start of Key Stage 4 is a very important time and as Year 10 students settle into their GCSE studies, there will also be an Information Evening for parents/carers of year 10 students so that you have the information you need to help them make the best start to their GCSE studies.

The Year 10 Information Evening will take place on Thursday 3rd October, 5.30–6.30pm. Mr Parker (Year 10 YPL) will send out further information in due course.

Finally, well done again to all our students and staff for a great start to the year, they really are all showing they can "DARE to be Remarkable"!

Kind regards  
Mrs Moore

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## CHANGES TO ACCESS VIA ST GEORGE'S PARK



There are important change regarding access to the school site via St George's Park. Due to the increasing number of cars and students, we have made the decision to restrict vehicle access via St George's Park to keep everyone safe.

From Wednesday 18th September, only those with a Blue Badge will be permitted to access the primary parking spaces. Unfortunately, the current volume of traffic has raised safety concerns for our students and families, and we must take action to ensure everyone's safety.

Please email the office at [admin.biprimary@kingsacademies.uk](mailto:admin.biprimary@kingsacademies.uk) if you are a Blue Badge holder and we will send you further information on accessing the primary parking.

For those who drive, we kindly ask that you use the Wood Lane car park or find alternative parking further from the school and walk in. We understand that this may cause inconvenience, but the safety of our students is our top priority.

We appreciate your understanding and cooperation as we make this necessary change. If you have any questions or require further information, please do not hesitate to contact the school office. Thank you for your continued support.

# KAB UPDATES

## YEAR 7 CURRICULUM EVENING PRESENTATION



Dear Year 7 parents/carers,

Thank you once again for joining us for the Year 7 Curriculum Evening. Please click on the link below to access the presentation slides.

[Year 7 Curriculum slides](#)

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact the team.

Yours sincerely,

Kate West  
Assistant Principal

# DATES FOR THE DIARY

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<b>Thursday 26th September</b>	KAB secondary open evening - 5pm - 8pm
<b>Friday 27th September</b>	All students arrive from 10.40am for a 10.50am tutor time
<b>Thursday 3rd October</b>	Year 10 information evening - 5.30pm - 6.30pm
<b>Thursday 10th October</b>	Year 12 information evening - 5pm - 6pm
<b>Thursday 10th October</b>	Year 13 information evening - 6.30pm - 7pm
<b>Tuesday 15th October</b>	Secondary school photos for Years 7, 9 and 11
<b>Friday 25th October</b>	End of term - 3.10pm
<b>Monday 28th Oct - Friday 1st November</b>	Half term
<b>Monday 4th November</b>	Back to school

Please note that the date for the Years 7, 9 and 11 photos has changed from Wednesday 16th October to Tuesday 15th October.

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## PARENTAL ENGAGEMENT CONFERENCE



WELLINGTON  
COLLEGE

The Bridge, which is a centre for teaching, learning and educational research at Wellington College, is running a Parental Engagement Conference on Wednesday 16 October. Booking is open [here](#).

All The Bridge events are open to our partner schools and the link to The Bridge events page is here: [Events Archive - The Bridge \(wellingtoncollege.org.uk\)](#). The WCTA 80% discount will not show on the booking pages, but it will be applied to your basket at the checkout if you have selected you are a WCTA school on the registration page.

Some of the events are not run by The Bridge so the discount won't apply but for most events it will.