

# Welcome

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Weekly Newsletter for Parents & Carers

Dear Parents, Carers and Guardians,  
I hope you and your family had a restful and enjoyable summer. As we begin the 2025/26 school year, I'd like to warmly welcome both our returning families and those joining our Bosworth Academy community for the first time.



We are committed to creating a school where every student can thrive - academically, personally, and socially. Our staff began the year with two inspiring Professional Capital Conference Days, including a keynote on the importance of preparing our children with the global competencies to excel in a changing world. As educators, we are

more determined than ever to help our students question, reflect, and seek truth in a complex information landscape.

Over the summer, we've made exciting improvements to our facilities. Students have returned to refreshed Laureates classrooms and newly opened Bridge and wider support areas - spaces designed to enhance learning and wellbeing for all.

We were proud to celebrate the achievements of our Year 11 and Year 13 students this summer. Nearly a third of all A-level grades achieved were at an A\*/A grade and our A-E pass rate was 100% - both far exceeding both regional and national measures. Many of our Sixth Form students are now taking up university places, where we know they will excel.

I'm delighted to introduce a further welcome from our Co-Heads of School Miss Baxter and Mr Dolinski who this week have been leading assemblies with students. Thank you for entrusting us with the education and care of your children. We look forward to a productive and joyful school year together.

**Mr Brown, Headteacher**



## Welcome from Co-Heads of School

At Bosworth Academy, our mission is to empower every student to be better than they thought they could be. This guiding principle shapes everything we do, including our assemblies. This week's focus has been on nurturing a positive, inclusive culture where high standards of conduct and mutual support are expected of both students and staff. Our community is built on shared values that celebrate individuality, promote respect, and ensure our school remains a purposeful and uplifting place to learn.

We've emphasised that a true community is formed by those who choose to grow together, and that those who don't risk only growing further apart. Students were reminded of expectations around behaviour during lessons and social times, and signposted to the support available should they need it. We're confident our students will continue to help make Bosworth Academy the best possible environment for learning, and we're sincerely grateful to parents and carers for their continued support in this shared endeavour

**Mr Dolinski and Miss Baxter, Co-Heads of School**



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## A-level Results Success

Bosworth Academy Sixth Form students have once again delivered outstanding A-level and AS-level results, making 2025 a year to remember. There was a real buzz of excitement as students collected exceptional results, reflecting their hard work and determination.

**Justin Brown** who achieved **A\*A\*AA** and is going to study **Natural Sciences at University of Cambridge**: "I'm glad that all the hard work the past few years has paid off. I'm really happy with the grades I got."



Justin's mother, **Salma Meer** added: "Justin said from a really young age he would go to a prestigious university. We thought he was kidding but he has proved us wrong. Now the joke is on us."

**Amy de Cort** who achieved **A\*A\*A\*A** and is going to study **History at the University of Oxford** said: "I'm quite surprised with today's results, I'm not going to lie. I'm glad that I got in. It is a very supportive environment here and the teachers are very supportive."



**Jacob Woodier** who achieved **A\*A\*A\*A\*** and is going on to study a **degree apprenticeship at the Smith Institute** said he was "feeling good" about the results. "I can't do better than that with no room for improvement! I have had so much support from the school."

**Enya Kanabar** who achieved **A\*A\*A** and is going to study **Accounting & Finance at the University of Warwick** said: "I'm proud of myself. A weight has been lifted with all the hard work paying off."

**Avani Geevakumar** who achieved **A\*A\*A\*A** and is going to study **Medicine at the University of Liverpool** said: "My heart rate is going so much I'm shaking."



My advice to other students is don't be scared to ask for help."

Headteacher Mr Brown said:,  
"We are absolutely thrilled to celebrate the outstanding achievements of our Sixth Form students receiving their A/AS Level results."



Many of our students have overcome personal challenges to reach these milestones, and we couldn't be prouder of their determination and success. Their achievements reflect not only their dedication but also the support of our brilliant staff and our commitment to innovative, student-focused teaching – developing their skills in global competencies.

This cohort has also made a lasting impact on our school community – mentoring younger students and leading by example, creating an environment where all can thrive. Congratulations to every one of them. We can't wait to see what they do next!" Mrs Holdback, Head of Sixth Form said:

"Congratulations to all our Sixth Form students for achieving such amazing results which will support them in their next steps, whether that be continuing to the second year of A level or moving on to university, an apprenticeship, gap year or the world of work! Once again I am incredibly impressed by their effort, commitment and resilience. We look forward to the class of 2025 becoming our alumni, and hope that they will keep in touch to update us on where their career pathway takes them to inspire future students."

## Be Part of Our Sixth Form

Our A-Level students did brilliantly this year with every student passing their exams (above the county and national averages) whilst almost a third achieved A\*-A grades.

The subjects we offer at A-level are also the most popular amongst students nationwide according to JCQ.

We are in the top 25% of sixth form providers in England and we still have some places left on some courses at A level. Why not give us a call on 01455 822841 and see how we could help you in your next step to achieving your hopes and dreams!!!

Learn more by watching our [video](#).

Be better than you thought you could be at Bosworth Academy The Oaks Sixth Form.



## GCSE Results 2025

A wave of celebration swept through Bosworth Academy as our exceptional Year 11 students received their long-awaited GCSE results. The Class of 2025 achieved a great set of results that pave the way for exciting futures – many of which continue here, as we proudly welcome them back into our thriving Sixth Form community, The Oaks. Some individual successes:

### **Maria B – 99999887775**

Ukrainian-born Maria joined Bosworth Academy shortly after the war in Ukraine began in 2022: “I’m really surprised about the results – I’m lost for words,” said Maria.



Her mother, Tanya Barnes, said: “it’s amazing, it’s everything we could have expected. She was up at 5am studying. We are really proud of her.” Father, Paul Barnes, who is originally from Leicestershire but had been living in Ukraine for 20 years prior to the war starting, praised his daughter’s “Ukrainian mindset” of studying. “Maria has got self-drive and we didn’t have to push her. When the war broke out we came here with nothing, the school was really supportive when Maria had to learn a new language and subjects.”

### **Eladsiya M – 99999998888**

“I’m feeling good, really happy. I’m staying on to do my A-levels here as I like the teachers, they are really supportive.”



### **Tasha B – 9999998887**

“I’m really happy with my results, the support I got really helped me in pushing to achieve.”

### **Millie W – 9998777665**

“It’s better than expected. I’m really happy. Everyone pushed me. I wouldn’t have gotten the grades if they hadn’t supported me. I now want to go to a good law college.”

Sayuri P – 99999999998

“I’ve done good.”

Headteacher Mr Brown said:

“I’m incredibly proud of our Year 11 students and overjoyed to celebrate their fantastic GCSE results with their parents and families today. Today, we celebrate not just grades, but the spirit, resilience, and brilliance of every student who made this moment possible. Their drive and optimism have led to truly exceptional achievements. They’ve not only excelled



academically but embraced every opportunity with creativity, integrity, and purpose. Huge thanks to our brilliant staff and our supportive parents and carers for being part of this journey. We wish them great success in their next steps and we can’t wait to see many of them back in our thriving Sixth Form next week – ready to soar even higher!”

Mr Worn, Deputy Head of School; Key Stage 4 said:

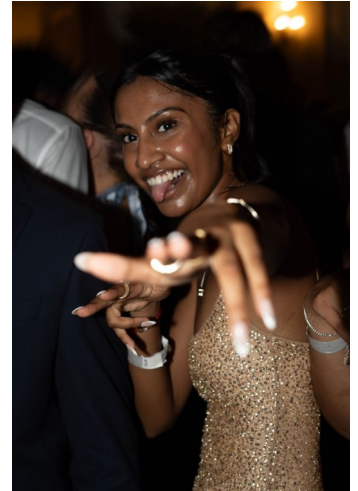
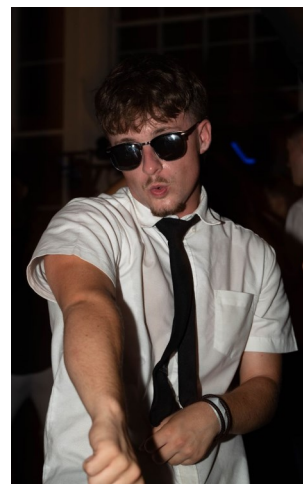
“Congratulations to all of our fantastic Year 11s for their brilliant achievements! They have demonstrated our values and expectations so well throughout their GCSEs and have achieved great outcomes as a result. We are so proud of their results but also how they have matured and grown during their time with us. They are a wonderful group of students and we look forward to seeing where their great results take them in the future. Well done Year 11!”





## Year 13 Prom

Year 13 Class of 2025 celebrated the end of their studies in style earlier this month at the Y13 Prom at the City Rooms in Leicester. After arriving in style the students danced the night away as their time at Bosworth came to an end. We wish everyone of our Year 13 Class of 2025 the best for the future.



## Open Evening

Be better than you thought you could be at Bosworth Academy.



Come and visit us to see what our school, our culture, and our value systems are all about. Students leave Bosworth Academy confident that they can be future leaders, ready to adapt to an ever-changing world

and transition into job sectors that don't even exist yet!

If your child is looking to start with us in Year 7 in the next two years, come and visit us on **Thursday 2 October 2025** and see how we inspire children to achieve and help them believe they can make a difference to the world in which they live.

We also welcome those of you who are looking to join us in Year 12 but we do have a dedicated Sixth Form evening on Thursday 30 October 2025 which you might find more useful to attend.

The evening on **2 October 2025 will run from 4:30PM-7:00PM**. Feel free to tour the school during this time. We recommend spending at least one hour at the school to get the most out of your visit.

Our presentations detail our story, our vision, and our values and give an insight into student life at our school.

There are three identical presentations available at the following times:

**5:00PM**

**5:45PM**

**6:30PM**

Book your presentation time slot today by going to our [Ticket Source page](#) or by scanning the QR code below.

You can view our current school prospectus by visiting our school [website](#).

You can also learn more about the innovative Real LiFE Curriculum here.

We look forward to seeing you there.



## Sixth Form Open Evening

Prepare for the future by exploring the Post 16 options available at Bosworth Academy by visiting us on **Thursday 30 October 2025**. See



how we inspire our students by helping them believe they can make a difference to the world in which they live.

We are located in Desford, Leicestershire, conveniently situated between Leicester city centre and the town of Hinckley in the west of the county.

Our students continue to outperform with A Level exam results being consistently above national and regional averages with A\*-E grades at 100% however we believe that developing character and values is as important as exam results.

Post 16 students are able to think critically in a newly designed dedicated study area and they develop their learning in a full range of facilities including the world-class full sized football 3G pitch, design workshops and IT suites to name just a few.

During the open evening we will be showcasing each department with curriculum specialists bringing subjects to life whilst current Post 16 students will give valuable insights with testimonials.

The open evening is available to anyone who is considering their options for Post 16 study including those not currently in Year 11.

The **evening will run from 4:30 PM to 7:00 pm**.

Feel free to tour the school during this time. We recommend spending at least one hour at the school to get the most out of your visit.

We will be running two identical presentations during the open evening at **5PM and 6PM** where we will share our vision and your path to success.

You can book your presentation time slot on our [Ticket Source page](#) or

by scanning the QR code to the right.

You can preview the great choices we have on offer by exploring our [website](#).

We look forward to welcoming you!





## New School Day Structure

We're excited to introduce a revised structure to the school day for the new academic year, designed to enrich students' experience both in and beyond the classroom.

This new format will provide greater access to extra-curricular activities, more opportunities for academic support, and a calmer learning environment by reducing ambient noise during lessons.

One key change is the introduction of a single, unified break and lunch period. While this means more students will be moving around the site at the same time, we've taken steps to ensure the school remains calm and purposeful. Additional food outlets have been introduced, and there will be an increased staff presence to support a smooth and safe experience for all.

We're confident that this new structure will bring a range of benefits, and we look forward to seeing students make the most of the opportunities it offers.

Mr Dolinski, Deputy Headteacher

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9	TT	P1	P2		P3		P4	P5	
10									
11									
P16									

P	Lesson
	Break - Cold food accessible to all year groups
	Hot food access

## iPay Update

I'm pleased to advise that we have received the refund data and funds from sQuid.

We have now completed all refunds due.

These should appear on your child(s) iPay account in the History section of your child's account and show as PC Revaluer, Cash.

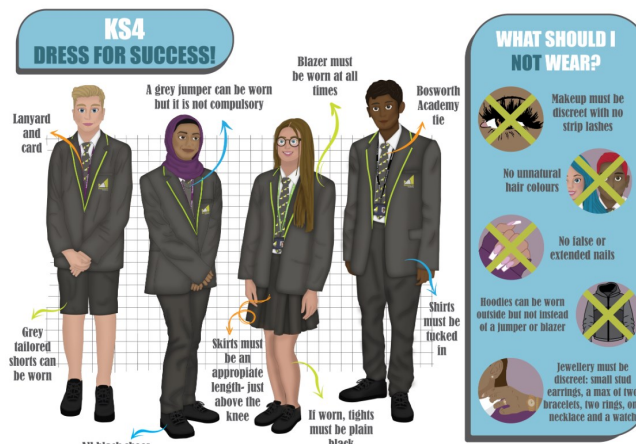
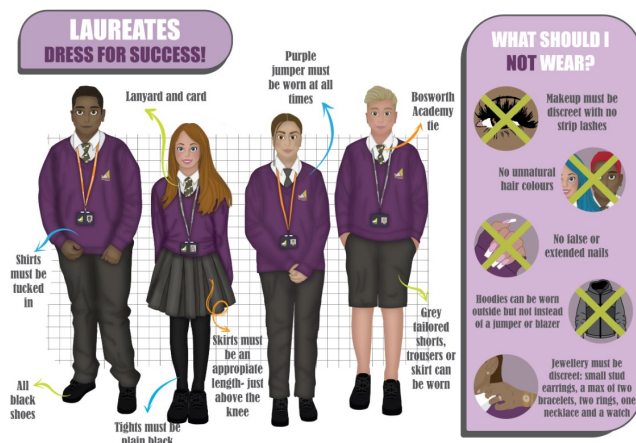
Please check your child's iPay, the refund should be dated during the half term 26th May 2025 - 30th May 2025

Should there be any issues please email [office@bosworthacademy.org.uk](mailto:office@bosworthacademy.org.uk).

## Uniform

As the new academic year begins it is important that we remind parents and students about the uniform expectations.

Please see the images below for an easy to follow guide to the uniform expectations in key stage 3 and 4. Please familiarise yourselves with the uniform requirements and in particular, rules around nails, jewellery and piercings. To avoid issues in the new year, please ensure that your child is appropriately attired going forward.



We have introduced a uniform checking station in the Compass foyer as students enter school which has already seen success with nearly every single student wearing a lanyard and ties at all times. Previously some students were forgetting an item and not always remembering to collect a spare. We will continue to do this each morning going in the new year but students who do not bring an item of uniform on three different occasions will receive a TTT detention. Please ensure students are prepared for the new year.



## Bosworth Academy PE Kit

For PE, students are able to wear a plain black T-shirt as their PE top. We are also going to allow sports T-shirts with small logos. The logo must be discreet. Students may continue to wear their black Bosworth Academy branded polo shirt next year also.



Students must wear black tracksuit bottoms, black mid-thigh length shorts or black leggings. These can also have a small, discreet, logo on them.

Students will be permitted to wear a plain black hoodie or one with a small logo. The hoodie is optional. Branded PE kit will still

be available to purchase via the school website.

## PE Footwear

The reason for requiring specialist footwear is due to having a large sum of money invested in our PE facilities and the incorrect footwear can lead to early wear and tear. 'Normal' trainers flatten the surface and reduce the lifespan and 'bladed football boots' give players too much grip on the rubber crumb surface which can lead to ripping the carpet or serious injury to the player wearing the boot.

The footwear will be required at lunch and break should students be wishing to access the Dome or 3G pitch.

These boots can be picked up for £20 from Sports Direct so please do not feel pressure to buy the latest, most expensive boots.

Trainers/'Astro' trainers are needed for indoor lessons.

Boots or trainers can be used on the field.

Recommended Footwear for Synthetic Surfaces					
Footwear Types					
3G Football Turf / Long pile Carpet	✓	✓	◆	✗	✗
	✓ Recommended		◆ Not ideal	✗ Not permitted	

## Changing for PE

We are very fortunate that we very rarely have students who are medically excused from PE lessons.

If a student is medically excused from the lesson, parents/carers need to send in a letter explaining the situation and the student is still required to bring suitable PE kit. The reason for this is so that they can undertake a relevant non-performer role within the lesson, e.g. in the form of a coach, referee, timekeeper, administrator or equipment monitor.

Students who are physically unable to get changed due to their medical condition will obviously be exempt from this.

**Miss Hall, Curriculum Lead PE**

## Arbor Parent App

The Arbor Parent Portal has been specifically designed to improve how parents and school staff communicate.

The school can send and receive information via



the Arbor app and portal and Parents can view key information relating to their child, including:

- real-time attendance data
- real-time behaviour information including rewards
- academic progress reports
- timetables
- communication channels

You can install the app on your phone:

[Apple](#) and [Android](#).





## Supporting LAC & PLAC

At Bosworth Academy we are committed to supporting all our pupils to achieve their very best. As part of this, we want to ensure we are providing the right help for children who are Looked After (LAC) or who have been Previously Looked After (PLAC).

If your child is currently in care, has ever been in care, or has been adopted from care, they may be entitled to additional support in school. This includes extra pastoral support and access to additional funding (Pupil Premium Plus) which can help us provide further opportunities and resources for your child.

If this applies to your family and you have not yet shared this information with us, we would kindly ask you to let us know. Please be assured that all information will be treated with the highest level of confidentiality.

You can contact Beth Ladkin at school if you would like to discuss this further or share details. Please email her on [bethl6@bosworthacademy.org.uk](mailto:bethl6@bosworthacademy.org.uk).

Thank you for helping us to make sure we can best support your child's education and wellbeing.

Mrs Croucher, SENDCo/Assistant Headteacher



### Leicestershire Local Offer Special Educational Needs and Disabilities Roadshow



**Monday 15th September**  
**5.00pm - 7.30pm**

Leicestershire County Council, County Hall, LE3 8RF

Come along with your child / young person to have a go at activities and find out about Local SEND services and support available

The Roadshow brings together information and services which support families of children and young people with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND) all in one place. A chance to meet and chat with representatives from Leicestershire County Council and its partners.

We are inviting **children and young people** to come along to this Roadshow to have a go at some activities on offer. We can't wait to welcome you...

Please book your FREE tickets via  
[leicestershire.gov.uk/local-offer-roadshows](http://leicestershire.gov.uk/local-offer-roadshows)

Free parking available

To find out more about the SEND Local Offer in Leicestershire please visit

[www.leics.gov.uk/send](http://www.leics.gov.uk/send)



Leicestershire  
**SEND**

## Free School Meals Support

Students who receive Free School Meals can be supported in a number of ways, which may include a contribution towards the cost of uniforms, equipment and trips.

If you believe that your children may qualify for this support based on your income, you can apply by following these links:

- [Leicester \(City\)](#)
- [Leicestershire \(County\)](#)

**Pupil Premium:** We now have a dedicated Pupil Premium email address that you can contact for any queries. If you wish to get in touch please email:

[pupilpremium@bosworthacademy.org.uk](mailto:pupilpremium@bosworthacademy.org.uk)

**Pantry:** We also have a supply of food in our pantry. Please email [pantry@bosworthacademy.org.uk](mailto:pantry@bosworthacademy.org.uk) if you would like further details.

If you have further queries about Free School Meals and the support we offer, please contact the school.

## Maths Puzzle of the Week

**Last week's puzzle: Maximum Value**

In a sequence of positive integers, each term after the first two terms is the sum of the previous two terms.

The fifth term of the sequence is 2004.

What is the maximum possible value of the first term? Answer:

999

**This week's puzzle: Integer Value**

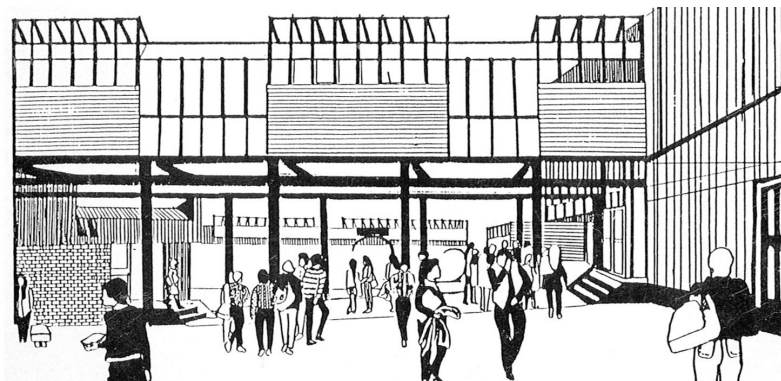
The letters  $E$ ,  $I$ ,  $N$  and  $T$  represent different positive integers.

Which integer does  $T$  represent?

$$\begin{aligned} I &= 1 \\ N + I + N + E &= 9 \\ T + E + N &= 10 \end{aligned}$$



# Alumni



TO LEARN TO ACHIEVE

## Qualified Solicitor at 23

Former Bosworth Academy Sixth Form student Gabriella Norton has become one of the youngest solicitors in the country having qualified aged 23.

[Gabriella told Love Business East Midlands](#) that

qualifying as a solicitor at 23 “feels surreal” and that “it’s the result of years of hard work, support and saying yes to every opportunity that came my way”.

Speaking about her time in education Gabriella said:

““At school, I was torn between English, where I enjoyed interpreting and constructing arguments, and more creative subjects like art, where I could think outside of the box and express ideas visually.

“When it came to choosing my degree, I was split between law and fashion marketing. Visiting university open days helped me realise that law would allow me to exercise the skills I had developed in English while still offering room for creativity.

“In the end I chose law because I felt it would keep me intellectually stimulated, allow me to make a meaningful difference and enable me to work with a variety of people across a number of different sectors.”

Gabriella has now joined Shakespeare Martineau’s commercial services team, focusing on energy-related legal matters – one of the fastest-growing sectors and most dynamic sectors in the Midlands.

We wish Gabriella all the best in her career.



## Fifth World Cup for Emily

Former Bosworth Academy student, Emily Scarratt, made history last Friday as she became the first England player, male or female, to make an appearance in five rugby world cups.

Emily, Women’s Rugby World Cup winner in 2014, came on as a second half replacement in [England’s 69-7 victory over the USA](#) in front of the home crowd to open this year’s tournament. Ranked number one in the world, England go into the tournament as favourites. The competition is being held in England and will run between 22 August and 27 September.

Emily will be looking to make another appearance this weekend as England play Samoa on Saturday 30 August at 5pm live on BBC Two.



## Ruebyn Refs Friendly

Bosworth Academy alumni and student mentor Ruebyn Ricardo had a day to remember earlier this month when he refereed Leicester

City’s preseason friendly against Fiorentina at the King Power Stadium.

The game ended 2-0 to Leicester City and was great preparation for the season ahead for Ruebyn who has gone on to officiate two League One games since.

We hope Ruebyn has a great season officiating in the English Football League.





# 10 Top Tips for Parents and Educators SUPPORTING CHILDREN GOING BACK TO SCHOOL

Returning to school after the summer holidays can be both exciting and daunting for children of all ages. Different routines, classes, schools, and academic pressures can cause anxiety or uncertainty. Parents play a vital role in easing this transition. This guide will help you support your child emotionally, mentally, and practically as they return to school.

## 1 RE-ESTABLISH ROUTINES

Gradually shift back to school-time routines a week or two before term starts. Regular bedtimes, wake-up times, and mealtimes can help children feel more secure and reduce the shock of change when school begins. Having a routine creates predictability and stability, helping to reduce anxiety while improving sleep and concentration.

## 2 TALK ABOUT FEELINGS

Encourage open conversations with children about their feelings. Ask them how they feel about returning to school, such as what they're looking forward to and anything they might be feeling unsure or worried about. Validating their emotions can help reduce anxiety and show them it's okay to talk about their emotional wellbeing.

## 3 SUPPORT WITH SLEEP

Children need adequate sleep for concentration, brain function, memory, and emotional regulation. Establish a wind-down routine without screens at least an hour before bed, and encourage relaxing activities like reading or listening to calming music.

## 4 LOOK OUT FOR SIGNS

Some children hide their anxiety. Watch for changes in their behaviour, such as withdrawal, stomach aches, and irritability. If worries persist, speak with their teacher or the pastoral team early to ensure your child receives support.

## 5 REFRESH SOCIAL CONNECTIONS

Help children reconnect with school friends by arranging playdates or video chats in the week before school starts. Familiar faces and social interactions help the transition and provide emotional comfort on that first day back.

## 6 CREATE A CALM MORNING

Mornings set the tone for the day. Plan ahead with a consistent morning routine that allows time for breakfast, getting dressed, and talking calmly about the day. Avoid last-minute rushing to reduce stress for everyone.

## 7 FOCUS ON POSITIVES

Talk about the fun and interesting parts of school - seeing friends, favourite subjects, or exciting activities. One simple but powerful change parents can make is swapping "How's your day been?" for "What's been good about your day?" This invites more of a positive, open response. Focusing on positives can help shift children's anxious thoughts and reframe school as a safe and engaging place.

## 8 VISIT OR VISUALISE SCHOOL

If possible, encourage visits to the school grounds before the first day, especially if it's a new school. Walking the route or even looking at photos of classrooms and teachers can make the environment feel familiar. The school website is always a great go-to place for this. This is particularly helpful for younger children or those with additional needs.

## 9 PLAN AHEAD TOGETHER

Involve children in preparing for school - buying supplies, packing their bag, or choosing lunch options. This gives them a sense of control and builds excitement. Use checklists or calendars to prepare together, helping reduce last-minute stress.

## 10 STAY POSITIVE AND PRESENT

Children pick up on your outlook. Stay calm, positive, and present, especially during drop-offs. Avoid lingering goodbyes, and let them know you'll be there at pick-up. A consistent, reassuring presence builds their confidence and resilience.

## Meet Our Expert

This guide was created by Jo Morton-Brown, an Emotional Health Practitioner with nearly 15 years' experience supporting children and young people's mental health. She produces uplifting YouTube content for pupils and trains adults to better support young people's wellbeing, with a mission to help every child feel valued and understand their emotions.



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The end of summer can bring a rollercoaster of feelings for children – and for adults too! Whether children are starting school for the first time or just moving into a new class, a little support can make all the difference. This week's #WakeUpWednesday guide shares ten top tips to help children feel calmer and more prepared for going back to school. From practical routines to emotional support, it's a must-read for easing those first-day nerves!







# The Compass

## Welcome to The Compass!

Welcome to the new school year in our library at Bosworth Academy!  
Here are some useful information about our school library:

- Open throughout the school day (8.00am to 3.10pm), including tutor time, breaktimes and lunchtimes, for quiet reading, study and book issuing/returning
- Librarian, Mrs Griffiths, is available to help students with their reading choices and research skills
- Our Library contains a very well stocked and maintained collection of over 9000 resources, including a wide range of fiction and non-fiction books, reference and careers materials
- Our online library catalogue, Accessit, is available for students to keep track of their current and past loans, reserve books and write book reviews
- All books taken out of the Library must be issued in student's name by the Librarian and all book returns need to be handed back to the Librarian, NOT put back on the shelf by students
- Students normally have two books out at any one time for a period of two weeks, but more books can be issued if required
- Return date is always stamped in the front of the book
- Books needed for longer period need to be brought in and reissued for another two weeks period
- Recommended reading lists are produced regularly and various book awards are promoted throughout the school year
- Library inductions are provided at the beginning of each school year and teaching staff are supported throughout the year in developing students' research skills and independent learning
- We have fortnightly library lessons for KS3 students - timetable will be displayed on the Library door, our sixth form students are able to use the 'top level' of our library at all times, including during KS3 library lessons, for silent

study and research; when no classes present in the Library, sixth form students can use all areas, as required

- Computers and printer available
- Library is a **QUIET** place to read or work and no food or drink (apart from water) is permitted; no mobile phones; and outdoor coats must be taken off
- Any questions, about any aspect of the Library, can be sent to Mrs Griffiths, [hgriffiths@bosworthacademy.org.uk](mailto:hgriffiths@bosworthacademy.org.uk)

Mrs Griffiths, School Librarian



## Book Recommendations

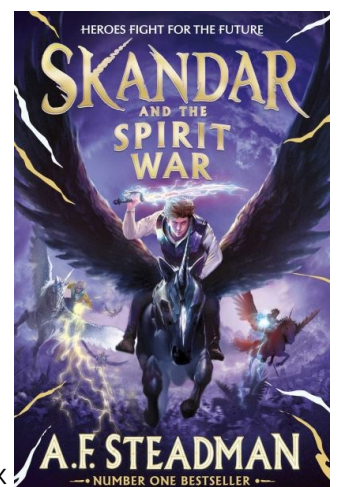
Coming to our library very soon!

### Key Stage Three

BLOODTHIRSTY UNICORNS. UNLIKELY HEROES. A MORTAL ENEMY.

Don't miss this epic final adventure in the number 1 bestselling SKANDAR series, for readers ages 9 to 99 and fans of Harry Potter, Percy Jackson, Eragon and Impossible Creatures.

Skandar is in hiding after the Chaos Cup where Rex Manning revealed a game



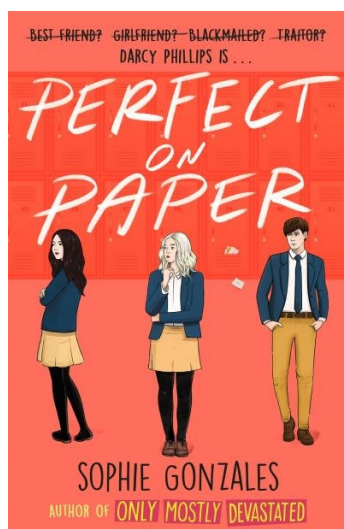


-changing secret. But as Rex prepares to invade the Mainland, the Islanders are not sure who to trust.

With one of Skandar's closest friends now fighting for the enemy, Skandar must build new alliances - including an uneasy truce with Kenna. To defeat Rex, Skandar and his friends will need to look back to the origins of the Island, and harness the full power of their elemental magic. Can Skandar become the leader he needs to be - to save the Mainland and the heart of the Island itself?

Get ready for unlikely heroes, elemental magic, sky battles, ancient secrets and ferocious unicorns in this highly anticipated adventure that will keep you reading after lights out!

### Key Stage Four



Darcy Phillips: Can give you the solution to any of your relationship woes - for a fee. Uses her power for good. Most of the time. Really cannot stand the new Australian jock at school, Alexander Brougham. Has maybe not the best judgement when it comes to her best friend, Brooke...who is

in love with someone else.

Does not appreciate being blackmailed.

But when Brougham catches Darcy in the act of collecting letters from locker 89 - out of which she's been running her questionably legal, anonymous relationship advice service - that's exactly what happens. In exchange for keeping her secret, Darcy begrudgingly agrees to become his personal dating coach. The goal? To help him win his ex-girlfriend back.

Darcy has good reason to keep her identity secret. If word gets out that she's behind the locker, some things she's not proud of will come to light, and there's a good chance Brooke will never speak to her again.

Okay, so all she has to do is help an entitled, bratty, (annoyingly hot) guy win over a girl who's already fallen for him once? What could possibly go wrong?

## Dates For Your Diaries

DATES	EVENT
Wednesday 10 September	Rosliston Forestry Centre Y11 Geography
Thursday 18 September	York trip. Y11 History
Thursday 2 October	Open Evening. 4.30-7pm
Thursday 2 & Friday 3 October	Beacon Hill trip. Y8
Saturday 11 — Tuesday 14 October	Valencia trip. Y10 & 11
Monday 20 — Friday 24 October	Autumn Half Term. <b>School Closed</b>
Thursday 30 October	Sixth Form Open Evening. 4.40-7pm
Sunday 16 — Wednesday 19 November	Disneyland Paris Business trip. Y9 & P16
Friday 28 November	Disaggregated Day. <b>School Closed</b>
Friday 19 December	Last day of Autumn 2025 term
Tuesday 6 January 2026	First day of Spring 2026 term

Full term dates can be found below.

### [Term Dates 2025-26](#)



## Lunch Menu

We will now be having the lunch menu on a two-week rotation.

Please see below for next week's Week Two menu or click the links for [Week One](#) and [Week Two](#) menus.

Ms Ford, Head Cook

WHAT'S FOR LUNCH THIS WEEK?				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Beef Burger in a bun Seasoned Potato Wedges Peas Coleslaw	Beef Lasagne New Potatoes Broccoli & Cauliflower Garlic Bread Leafy Salad	Sausage & Yorkshire Pudding Mashed Potato Mixed Vegetables Gravy	Tikka Flat bread with Vegetable Rice Sweetcorn Fresh Salad	Southern Fried Chicken Breast Herby Diced Potatoes Baked Beans Coleslaw
Chicken Burger in a bun Seasoned Potato Wedges Peas Coleslaw	Hunters Chicken New Potatoes Broccoli & Cauliflower Garlic Bread Leafy Salad	Roast Chicken Fillet & Yorkshire Pudding Mashed Potato Mixed Vegetables Gravy	Beef Chilli Taco with Vegetable Rice Sweetcorn Fresh Salad	Battered Fish Herby Diced Potatoes Baked Beans Coleslaw
Vegan Burger in a bun Seasoned Potato Wedges Peas Coleslaw	Vegetable Lasagne New Potatoes Broccoli & Cauliflower Garlic Bread Leafy Salad	Vegan Sausage & Yorkshire Pudding Mashed Potato Mixed Vegetables Gravy	Vegan Chilli Taco with Vegetable Rice Sweetcorn Fresh Salad	Vegan Fish Fingers Herby Diced Potatoes Baked Beans Coleslaw
Chocolate Brownie	Lemon Muffin	Chocolate Muffin	Lemon Drizzle	Sweet Belgium Waffle



Filled Baguettes, Sandwiches, Wraps available Daily  
Bosworth Academy WEEK 2

■ if you would like information on which foods contain allergens please ask a member of the catering team who will be happy to help

## Read All About It!

Want to look up an old article?

Our most recent In the Loop newsletters are available [here](#) for you to access.

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