



BOURNE GRAMMAR SCHOOL BULLETIN

Week ending Thursday 1 April 2021
From Alastair Anderson, Headteacher

The last 4 weeks have flown by, and we find ourselves ready to take a well deserved breather. Looking at the tired faces of a number of students this morning I would suggest a break is well deserved, and as I reflect on a very complex term I hope everyone is proud of what has been achieved. Remote learning was a challenge for us all, but we fronted up as a community and made the most of an imperfect situation. Our Year 11 and Year 13 students have been fantastic in their approach to learning, assessments and uplifts and I congratulate them on their excellent attitude and substantial commitment to a public examination grades award process that is again an imperfect situation but one we have adapted to successfully. And I must also thank our parents for their patience during lockdown and their commitment to a Covid testing process that was another substantial challenge for the School. None of this, of course, would have been possible without the tremendous efforts of our hard working staff: I could not hope for a better team of people to lead. The term overall has been a triumph of dedication and teamwork from across the School community and I thank everyone for their individual and collective contribution.

On a different note, the recent reports in the media regarding sexual abuse of young people, and some of the testimonies referred to have been truly horrifying. Any form of peer-on-peer abuse, which includes sexual harassment and sexual violence, is always unacceptable and we stand by anyone who has experienced such trauma. The School has robust safeguarding procedures in place to investigate and respond to any known abuse and, in all cases, takes the necessary action alongside the appropriate authorities and agencies. A key challenge for any School is continuously nurturing and promoting a culture where any young person – or adult for that matter – feels able to share any concern, report any incident, and speak up against any wrongdoing. At Bourne Grammar School we have a long-established focus on providing the *Best Atmosphere and Best Support*, and our behaviour policy is built upon safe and respectful relationships; that said, we can never be complacent. If anyone in our School community has experienced any form of abuse and has not previously felt able to come forward, I strongly support and encourage them to do so through the pastoral support channels at School.

I wish everyone a happy holiday and I hope high quality family time can be found in this context. To all our students: rest up, eat well, sleep well, and return ready for another busy term. All great schools expect a busy approach as a minimum requirement for success!



STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

Name	Year	Staff	Subject
Zach Bojang-Brett	7	Miss Turton	Drama
Zach Bojang-Brett	7	Miss Lindley	Geography
Sohjun Champion	7	Mr Perez	Computing
Jack Cotuk	7	Mr Dougall	Design Engineering
Sebastien Louzolo	7	Ms Jasinska	Spanish
Donald McGeorge	7	Mr Andy	Mathematics
James Risebrow	7	Mrs Woolf	Science
Jessy Sayer	7	Dr Barnby	History
Hannah Simpson	7	Miss Patman	Spanish
Ned Dangerfield	7	Mr Adamson	Mathematics
Alex Stevenson	8	Miss Lindley	Geography
Ben Aldred	9	Mr Delport	Design Engineering
Emma Aldred	9	Mr Murray	Geography
Huw Ballard	9	Mrs Worrall	Spanish
Vishal Gandamaneni	9	Mr Howard	Registration
Kaitlyn Goddard	9	Miss Mafusire-Strawford	Art
Chloe Kirman	9	Mrs Greenfield	Geography
Tiffany Olivares-Alvarez	9	Ms Bowtell	PE
Jenny Baker	10	Miss Smallshaw	Registration
Miles Cade-Stewart	10	Mr Farrow	Mathematics
Archie Ward	10	Ms McVicker	English
Eloise Barber	12	Miss Watson	English Language
Toby Slocombe	12	Miss Watson	English Language
Isobel Thompson	12	Miss Sanders	Sociology

HOUSE POINT TOTALS - *House Leaders*

			
7,236	7,347	7,517	7,332

*These totals show all House Points earned minus Behaviour Points.
It includes points from all students in each house between 22/02/2021 and 01/04/2021.*

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENTS

Sport

- Sophie Gomes (Year 8) has achieved her 2nd KUP red belt in Tae Kwon Do.

STAFF VACANCY

We currently have the following vacancy:

Cover Supervisor - Grade 4

To carry out the duties of a Cover Supervisor in accordance with the daily cover requirements, to ensure that a register is taken, cover work is given to and completed by the students, and a high standard of classroom behaviour is maintained.

If not required for lesson cover, a Cover Supervisor may be directed to undertake invigilation duties.

32.5 hours per week, 38 weeks per year (plus 5 training days)

Monday - Friday, 08:30 to 16:00

To apply for this role, please visit the Vacancies section on our website to download an application form: www.bourne-grammar.lincs.sch.uk

Completed applications forms should be sent to Mrs Fiona Hill via recruitment@bourne-grammar.lincs.sch.uk before the closing date of Monday 19 April 2021

Bourne Grammar School recruits from all sectors: comprehensive, selective and independent

We are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expect all who work here to share this commitment. The successful applicant will be subject to an enhanced DBS disclosure and satisfactory references.