

Newsletter Summer Term 2023

Message from Mrs Thrower



What an interesting term we have had this summer with what seems like some sad goodbyes with more to come but also various amazing celebrations together with some welcome backs and hello's to new staff.

Mrs Blake, our resident German and careers teacher, left us after Easter to pursue a role in a charity who work with students for their future careers in STEM areas. She stated when she left, that the school had given her the opportunity because she had the careers responsibility in our school. The timing of her departure tied in with Mrs Sounni returning from maternity who is now teaching the German, her joint first subject, with RE. We also welcomed Miss Zots, from Ukraine, who was the lead teacher for careers in Odessa and has now taken up the role of careers lead here. We are so lucky to have excellent staff.

Sadly we have to say goodbye to some long standing staff this term. Mrs Arnold has decided that now her children are all in work that she would like some 'me' time and we are extremely jealous. Ms Hines who has been with us for several years is going to train as a primary teacher and Mrs Shah is going to work in the Business Faculty at Hertford University with the HR team. We wish them all the best in their futures and hope that they come back and see us to let us know how they are getting on. We also said goodbye to Mrs Ward from the office who is now working for an accountant and hopes to take her exams in accountancy. Such success!

Talking of success, we have also said goodbye to our post 16 and year 11s. Some are staying on but what a difference from year 7 to now.

Well done everyone, we are sorry to see you all go but we know that you will do so well in your chosen courses. We wish you all the best.



Have a lovely summer everyone, enjoy the sun!

A small selection of thank you cards and gifts of appreciation from the Yr11s for the Knightsfield staff. Thank you very much! **Upcoming Events:**

Reading Festival Whole school trip to Southend / Sealife Centre Bletchley Park workshops in school



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A message from the Head & Deputy Head Girl

This year we have attended school council meetings with the Form Reps to discuss problems and ideas. We have showed visitors around the school and had some interviews with the people who came for a job at Knightsfield. As Head girl, I have done a questions and answers presentation at the Christmas show in December 2022. We have loved serving our school community with pride and we hope that the next people to take over our roles will continue serving the school community with endless pride. Thank you for your endless support towards Knightsfield school and we wish the next people the very best when they take over our roles. Kasia + Iyanu

Visit by Knightsfield's Reading Patron!



Author Megan Rix visited the school along with her dogs Bella and Freya.

A Summer of Sport!

National Deaf athletics Championships. We came 2nd out of 5 schools!



National Deaf Football Championships at St George's Park (where the England squad train!) Our Senior team came third and the junior team came fourth.



Our Year 11 pupils with their Form Tutor, Mrs Sylvester and Mr Burton (cleaner extraordinaire!)

