

Staff List 2023/24

Senior Leadership Team	
Mr Ed Balfour BA (Hons), PGCE, QTS	Head
Mrs Gillian Dippenaar CIS (South Africa)	Bursar and Clerk to the Governors
Miss Jo Leighton BSc (Hons), PGCE	Senior Deputy Head (Academic)
Mrs Marion Wright BEng (Hons) PGCE	Deputy Head (Pastoral)
Mrs Emma Balfour MA, BA (Hons), PGCE	Assistant Head (Junior)
Mrs Kate McManus	Interim Assistant Head (Middle)
Mr Brian McManus BSA Professional Practice Certificate Part 1	Assistant Head (Co-Curricular)
Mr Ian Kay BSc (Hons), QTS	Assistant Head (Digital Development)
Mr Richard Stanley BA/Ed (South Africa)	Assistant Head (Staff Development)
Mrs Pippa Hopkins BA (Hons)	Director of Marketing and Admissions
Junior Department	
Mrs Emma Balfour MA, BA (Hons), PGCE	Assistant Head (Junior)
Mrs Lisa Aldridge NVQ Level 3 Certificate in Children's Care, Learning and Development	Learning Assistant (Year 1)
Miss Carla-Anne Booth NVQ Level 3 Certificate in Children's Care, Learning and Development	Learning Assistant (Reception)
Miss Tracy Bridgman NVQ Level 3 Early Years Care and Education	Learning Assistant (Reception)



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Class Teacher (Nursery)
Forest School Leader
Class Teacher (Year 2)
Class Teacher (Reception)
Head of EYFS and Class Teacher (Nursery)
Learning Assistant (Year 1)
Learning Assistant (Year 2)
Class Teacher (Year 2)
Class Teacher (Year 2)
Class Teacher (Reception)
Class Teacher (Year 1)
Learning Assistant
Class Teacher (Reception)
Learning Assistant (Nursery)
Learning Assistant (Year 2)
Class Teacher (Year 1)



Miss Christina Western NVQ Level 3 Certificate in Children's Care, Learning and Development	Learning Assistant (Nursery)
Miss Leigh-Ann Williams CACHE Level 2	Learning Assistant (Nursery)
Mrs Claire Woolnough NVQ Level 3 Diploma in Specialist Support for Teaching and Learning in Schools, NVQ Level 2 Diploma in Speech and Language Support for 5-11's	Learning Assistant (Year 2)
Ms Lynn Wright Foundation Degree in Learning Support	Learning Assistant (Reception)
Mrs Alice Wynne BA(Hons), QTS	Class Teacher (Year 1)
Mrs Tasleem Yacub BA (Hons), TQUK Level 4 Certificate Higher Level Teaching Assistant (RQF)	Learning Assistant (Year 1)
Middle and Senior Department	
Mrs Kate McManus	Assistant Head (Middle) - Interim
Mr Tom Aitchison BEd Health & PE, QTS	Director of Sport
Mrs Jane Broadis MA Hons (Cantab), PGCE (Oxon)	Head of English
Mrs Karen Cox NCQ Level 4 Dyslexia and Literacy	Learning Assistant
Mr Julian Craxton MA (Cantab)	Maths Teacher
Miss Jessica Day BSc (Hons) Psychology, PGCE, QTS	Class Teacher (Year 3)
Mrs Alex Dean MA, BSc, PGCE, QTS	Head of Science
Mr Robert Dippenaar SARFU - SA Rugby Coaching Diploma	Sports Coach
Mrs Mim Doughty Forest Schools Level 3 Practitioner	Forest School Leader
Mr Dan Evans	Director of Music



	
BA Music, QTS	
Miss Katharine Evans BA (Hons), MA Advanced Educational Practice, PGCE, QTS	Games Teacher
Mrs Sarah Futerill PGCE, QTS	TPR Humanities (Maternity Cover)
Mrs Samantha Green NVQ Level 3 Certificate in Supporting Teaching and Learning in Schools	Learning Assistant
Ms Laura Harkin BA (Hons), PGCE, QTS	Head of Art
Miss Nicola Hughes BA (Hons)	Learning Assistant
Mrs Savita Jagpal BSc (Hons) Biological and Biomechanical Science with Industrial Experience	Science Technician
Miss Alys James BA (Hons), QTS, PGCE	Class Teacher (Year 3)
Mr Ian Kay BSc (Hons), QTS	Assistant Head (Digital Development) and IT Teacher
Mrs Elena Laneri BSc (Hons), PGCE Early Years and Primary, QTS, NPQML	Head of Modern Foreign Languages
Miss Sophie Lewis BA (Hons), PGCE, QTS	Class Teacher (Year 3)
Mr Marco Maranzana MSc Business Systems Analysis & Design, PGCE, QTS	Class Teacher (Year 4), Co-Head of Houses and Head of Charities
Mrs Alison Massey BSc Computer Science, PGCE Primary Education, QTS	Class Teacher (Year 4)
Mr Brian McManus BSA Professional Practice Certificate Part 1	Assistant Head (Co-Curricular) and Games Teacher
Mrs Eimear Morris BA (Hons), PGCE	Learning Assistant
Mrs Rachel Nichols BA (Hons), PGCE, QTS, NPQML	RS Teacher
Miss Sandy Ni'Man	Head of Design Technology



BA (Hons), PGCE, QTS	
Miss Caitlin O'Sullivan BA (Hons), PGCE, QTS	Latin Teacher, Head of PSHE and Head of Ignite
Miss Amy Rose BSc, PGCE	PE and Games Teacher
Mr James Russell BSc (Hons), PGCE, QTS	Class Teacher (Year 5)
Miss Justine Saville BA (Hons) Musical Theatre, PGCE, QTS	Director of Drama
Mrs Priti Senghani BSC (Hons) Sports Studies 2:2, QTS	Cover Supervisor
Miss Jess Senior BSc Psychology, QTS	English Teacher and Head of Diploma
Ms Giuditta Toniolo Higher Diploma French as Foreign Language, MA (SA)	French Teacher
Miss Amy Turner BA (Hons) Furniture and Product Design	Class Teacher (Year 4)
Mr Thomas Wallis BSc (Hons), PGCE, QTS	PE and Games Teacher
Mrs Gabby Wroe BA (Hons), QTS	Head of Maths
Learning Support	
Mrs Leanne Simmonds BA (Hons), PGCE, QTS, National Award for SEND Coordination	Head of Learning Support
Mr Harry Bissix BA (Hons), PGCE, QTS, CELTA, TEFL	EAL
Mr Simbarashe Mika PGCE Secondary (Computer Science), Graduate Certificate in Primary Education - Level 6	Learning Support Teacher
Mrs Melissa Millen HND	Learning Support Assistant
Mrs Jackie Smith	Learning Support Assistant



Diploma in Fashion and Art	
Administrative Staff	
Mrs Gillian Dippenaar CIS (South Africa)	Bursar and Clerk to the Governors
Mr Samuel Coleman Diploma IT, Microsoft Technology Associate MTA	IT Manager
Miss Emma Davies	Bursar's Assistant
Mrs Alison Dawson Diploma in Law and Legal Practice, CPP in Personnel Practice	Executive Assistant to the Head
Mrs Paula Elborough CACHE Level 2	Receptionist
Mr Devendrakuma Gaglini BTEC Computer Studies, ACSP	IT Technician
Mrs Stephanie Hanna BSc (Hons)	Marketing Manager
Mrs Pippa Hopkins BA (Hons)	Director of Marketing and Admissions
Mrs Lisa Hoy CIPD Foundation Diploma in HR Management	HR Advisor
Ms Kiren Gill	Admissions Assistant
Ms Emma Kruis MICB	Finance Manager
Mrs Karen Rodriguez	Finance Officer
Mrs Verity Scozzafava	Receptionist
Mrs Bijal Spaul BA Design & Media Management, HND Business & Finance	Junior Department Administrator
Mrs Marianna Volioti MA Screen Studies, MCLIP, QTS	Librarian
Mrs Heather Wood HNC Business & Finance	PA Co-Curricular



Mrs Anna Thomas	PA to the Deputy Heads and Office Supervisor
Medical Staff	
Mrs Mary Dootson Bsc (Hons), Registered Nurse, Registered Health Visitor	School Nurse
Miss Helena Hebbs BA (Hons), MSc, Registered Nurse	School Nurse
Pastoral Staff	
Mrs Pia Bruno	Break and Lunch Supervisor
Mrs Maria Goncalves da Silva	Domestic Assistant
Miss Nicky Ramsay	Lunch and Break Supervisor and Domestic Assistant
Miss Sandy Redhead	Break and Lunch Supervisor
Mrs Janice Salisbury	Break and Lunch Supervisor and Domestic Assistant
Miss Lauren Staples	Domestic Assistant
Miss Joanne Wildman	Break and Lunch Supervisor and Domestic Assistant
Facilities and Estates Staff	
Mr Martin King	Estates Manager
Mr Peter Hassell	Facilities Assistant and Minibus Driver
Mr Graham Paddick	Assistant Gardener
Mr Doug Saunders	Caretaker
Mr Daniel Sheppard	Maintenance Assistant
Mr Simon Thomas	Minibus Driver
Mr Martin Wakefield	Facilities Assistant and Minibus Driver
Mr David Whitehead	Head Groundsman



Clerk to the Governors
Interim Chair of Governors
Finance Committee
Education Committee, Junior Department and EYFS Governor
Deputy Chair of Governors, Health & Safety Governor and Chair of Staff Personnel Committee
Finance Committee
Chair of the Finance Committee
Estates Committee
Parent Governor
Education Committee and Safeguarding Governor
Chair of the Estates Committee
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Finance Committee