

Blaise High School Station Road Henbury Bristol BS10 7QH

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Dear Blaise Families

I wanted to write to everyone to thank you for your feedback and support of Blaise High School. It is in large part, due to the community's work and support with the school that we now have: a school that is 'good' in every Ofsted category for the first time in many years, exam results that are in line with the national average, a pioneering and joined up pastoral provision and a site that offers more for children than it has done previously. We will also be welcoming a record number of students in year 7 next year as we grow in popularity and become the first choice education provider for many families.

We are aware of some concerning social media posts that were brought to our attention over the weekend. Although we are concerned by the content and nature of a number of these posts, as I am sure everyone in the community is, we do not recognise the content as being accurate.

As we continue to work together in taking the school into the top 1% of all schools in the country we ask that everyone continues to use the methods of communication that have served us well thus far. We can be contacted in the following ways:

- A phone call to the office. The right member of staff will always endeavour to get back to you within 48 hours.
- Completing the feedback form at the end of every newsletter
- A direct email to the school.
- Attending a Headteacher's surgery event.
- Speaking to us at the gate and then arranging an appointment to follow this up.

We won't respond directly to social media posts, that wouldn't be a productive platform for a constructive conversation.

If you would like to speak with myself, or one of the senior team, regarding anything related to the school please do contact Jade Bristow on bristowj@blaisehighschool.co.uk

The next Headteacher's surgery will be on the 9th May between 11:45 and 13:00. Parents can attend and will be able to have a fifteen minute meeting slot. These won't be 'bookable' so it may involve some waiting. We will write to you over the remainder of the year reminding you of the open line ups, enrichment showcases and ARDs that were sent out at the beginning of the year.

I look forward to speaking with you all at some point soon.

Yours faithfully

Mr N Nabarro Headteacher

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