

Congratulations to our Head Students

We are delighted to formally introduce our Head Students for the upcoming academic year: Iylah Suleman and Mickey Williams. Following a rigorous selection process, including written applications, staff consultations, and interviews both Iylah and Mickey stood out for their exceptional leadership qualities, commitment to our school values, and their clear vision for the student body.



Term 4 - Thank You

Thank you for all your support throughout this term. This is hugely and much appreciated.

Red Nose Day

We were so pleased and grateful to have supported this day. As a school we raised over £650. Thank you to all our students and staff for championing this charity.



Parent Power Session

Study Higher's collaboration with The Brilliant Club to run the Swindon Parent Power, <https://thebrilliantclub.org/parents/parent-power/> chapter is continuing and I'm pleased to be able to share the details for our next free event, which is open to families with young people in Years 6 - 13.

SWINDON PARENT POWER

Tue 21st APR | 6PM-8PM

The Baker's Community Room, 16 Emlyn Square, SN1 5BN

Sign up here or via the link on the flyer attached to secure a space:

<https://forms.office.com/e/fD4GwA4saw>

Jess Hill, Study Higher

Science Fame Lab



Two of our students got through to the final which was held in the Swindon Borough Council Chambers. They were amazing and we are so proud of them



National Schools Football Week

Kingsdown proudly took part in National Schools Football Week, a nationwide initiative promoting football and its wellbeing benefits.

All core PE lessons featured football tournaments, with excellent student participation throughout. Lunchtime and tutor-time activities included a freestyle football showcase with a Swindon Town Women's player (Tuesday), a crossbar challenge (Wednesday), a penalty shootout against a mystery goalkeeper (Thursday), and a football quiz (Friday).

It was fantastic to see so many students actively involved and enjoying the opportunities across the week.



Start of Term Arrangements

We welcome students back on Monday 13th April.

Students must attend in their full correct school uniform.

Students will be in their Tutor time for Tutor and period 1. They will also attend a start of term assembly.

Please ensure that they have everything they need to be successful - a fully stocked pencilcase, planner and charged Chromebook.

Free Tours - Amazon

We were fortunate to invite Amazon in to speak to our Year 7 students during National Careers Week. They mentioned they invite families to the warehouse for free Tours,.

Visits are at : Unit 2, Symmetry Park, Laines Way, Swindon, SN3 4DB

"Ever wondered what happens when you shop on Amazon?"

Book a free walking tour of an Amazon warehouse and see how our people and technology deliver for customers.

<https://events.amazontours.com/uk/onsite/BRS2>

Holiday Safeguarding

Kingsdown is closed for Easter, but student safety remains a priority. Our team is reachable at cp@kingsdownschool.co.uk. For immediate emergency concerns, please contact Swindon Services at 01793 464646.

Future events and important dates

- 13.04.26 - Start of Term 5
- 14.04.26 - Y8 & 9 HPV
- 21.04.26 - Y11 GCSE Art Exam
- 22.04.26 - Y11 GCSE Art Exam
- 23.04.26 - Y11 GCSE Art Exam
- 25.04.26 - DofE Training Walk - Badbury



With our continued thanks. Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions or need any further information. Please be reminded that we have a 5 day response time.

Mrs Leigh-Bennett
Headteacher



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