



Mr Wilson's Weekly Message



As Principal of our school, this has been a week filled with proud moments. I have watched our Key Stage 3 pupils come to the end of their assessments, waved Year 7 off on their first residential trip and I have marvelled at the new Year 10 Prefects and the excellent interview candidates for Head Girl and Head Boy. With so many wonderful examples of success around the academy and such fantastic role models in our school, I expect all pupils to try their best and make the most of the opportunities we

have coming up over the next couple of weeks. I truly believe that school is not just about developing the academic, but also the skills we will require to be successful in the workplace. Prefect duties are just one way of developing leadership opportunities. Over the next couple of weeks I encourage pupils to look at all the events we have arranged and think carefully about how they can use these opportunities to develop themselves. On Monday we welcome 14 Taiwanese pupils to our school on a 3 week exchange programme. I am so excited for them to become immersed in our fantastic community, and I would like to say a massive thank you to those pupils who have already volunteered to help support the pupils during their exchange.

Art Exhibition

On Wednesday we had our annual art exhibition at the Sands End Art Centre. It was so lovely to be able to celebrate the hard work that our GCSE artists have put in over the last few years as well as some of the fabulous work from pupils lower down the school. The talent our pupils show for the creative subjects never fails to amaze. Well done to all pupils who displayed work, and a big thank you to Mme Sullivan, Mme Capes and Mme Rogers for all their hard work in putting together the evening.



Summer concert



We would like to remind all members of our community about our upcoming summer concert. The concert will take place on **Thursday 6th July from 5pm**. Tickets are available at reception.

We look forward to seeing many of you there, to celebrate the talented musicians we have here at The Hurlingham Academy.

Music Makes Me

On Tuesday Mme Stephenson took our school choir rehearse for the Music Makes Me performance with other schools at the with the in the local community. We are very excited for the final performance next Tuesday at the Royal Albert Hall and wish all pupils the best of luck.



National Strike Action

As you will have seen in the news, there will be further strike action on **Wednesday 5th and Friday 7th July**. We are currently in the process of planning which year groups the school will be open to on these days.

More information regarding this will be emailed shortly.



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Mr Wilson's Commendations

Congratulations this week go to the following pupils, who made it to the top of our maths and science leader boards:

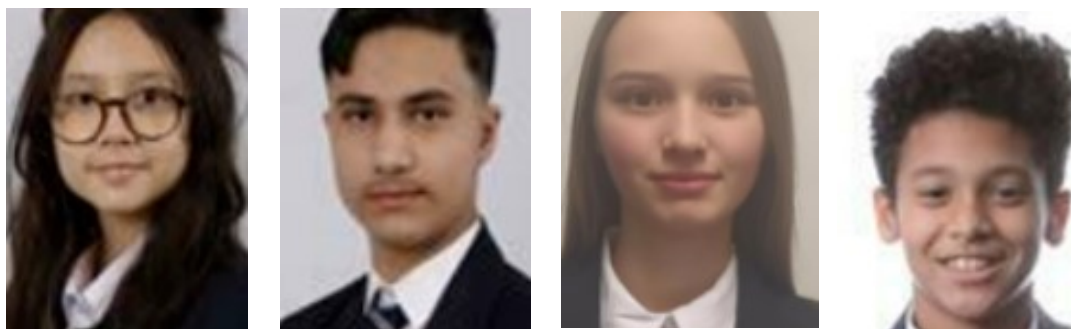
Top of the leader board for Sparx in maths this week are:

Year 7: Ashtian

Year 8: Sofia

Year 9: Irfan

Year 10: Evelina



Top of the leader board for Educake Science this week are:

Year 7: Maya

Year 8: Poppy

Year 9: Misha

Year 10: Jathneil



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Key dates for weeks beginning 26th June and 3rd July

Description	Date	Time
Whole school assembly	Monday 26 th June	8:30-9:00
KS3 history trip	Monday 26 th June	All day
The Royal Albert Hall choir performance	Tuesday 27 th June	12:00-19:00
Go Ape!	Wednesday 28 th June	All day
Year 7 Ibstock Place visit	Thursday 29 th June	All day
Year 6 induction day	Friday 30 th June	8:30-15:00
Year 11 Prom	Friday 30 th June	18:00-23:30
Year 9 Graduation	Monday 3 rd July	13:00-15:00
UL music festival	Monday 3 rd July	17:00:19:30
8H Golden Hinde trip	Tuesday 4 th July	9:00-12:30
Sparx reward trip	Tuesday 4 th July	13:00-14:30
Year 9 theatre trip	Tuesday 4 th July	16:30-22:30
Law firm trip	Wednesday 5 th July	10:00-15:00
Jamie's city farm trip	Wednesday 5 th July	12:00-16:00
Year 10 work experience visits	Wednesday 5 th July	13:00-15:30
National teaching strike	Wednesday 5 th July	All day
Summer concert	Thursday 6 th July	17:00-18:30
Sports day	Friday 7 th July	8:25-15:30
National teaching strike	Friday 7 th July	All day

