



Welcome!

**New Year 7 Parents' meeting
29 June 2021**



***How will the Covid
situation affect the
start of school in
September?***

At the moment, no firm Government guidance....



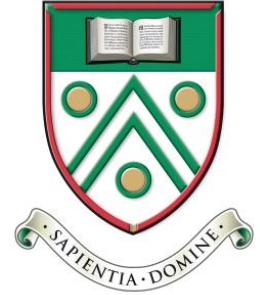
Plan A 'Normal' school operation

Plan B 'Nearly normal' operation, perhaps
with face coverings and some social
distancing

Plan C Base rooms, staggered timetable,
'bubbles' and social segregation

For the purposes of this meeting, assuming Plan A!

Transition to Year 7



- **No in-person transition** day this year.
- **Summer school** – unfortunately we cannot run a summer school due to the completion of the building works across the summer holiday.
- Transition information on **school website**
- **Additional information** will appear over next few weeks.
- **Positive** induction experience in September!

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to achieve?*

**“More than a walking set of
exam certificates.....”**



We want to support our students to become...



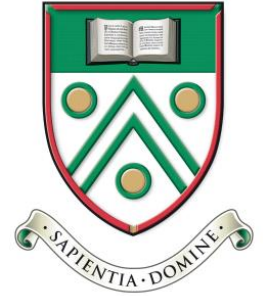
Confident
Well-rounded

Independent
Creative

Responsible
Caring



Pastoral structure - phases



Transition and Year 7

Integration and foundations



Years 8 and 9

Development, transition to GCSE



Years 10 and 11

GCSE courses



Sixth Form

A-Levels, transition to work/HE

**Senior
team**

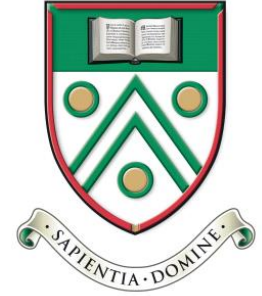


**Phase
Leaders**



**Student
support**

Forms and Houses



Six Houses

C *Clarke*

H *Harvey*

K *Kedermister*

R *Robinson*

S *Seymour*

V *Villiers*

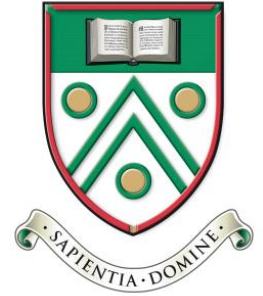
Hence 7V, 8K etc.

House competitions

- Sports, music, drama,
- Achievement and community points



Who's who?



Senior Leadership Team

Mr John Constable

Mr David Harding

Mr Ashley Johnson

Mrs Nicola Dobbs

Mr Daniel Mace

Ms Helena Makowski

Mr Gary Botha

Headteacher

Deputy Head

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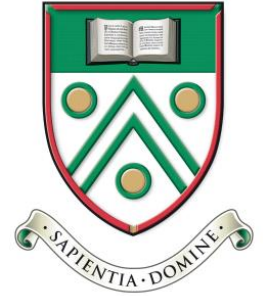
Assistant Head

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Director of 6th Form

Business Manager

Key people for Year 7



Mrs Helen Close

Phase Leader

Mrs Nadia Collins

Student Manager

Mrs Inderjit Virdi

Student Support

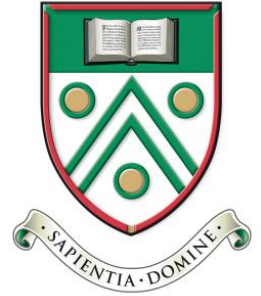
Mrs Alison Congdon

Admissions Officer

Mrs Catherine Andrews

Individual Needs

Your child's form tutor



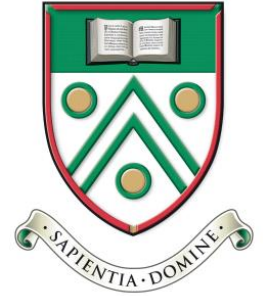
Uniform.....

- Full details on school website
- Boys' and girls' uniforms are different
- Various options for girls – skirt, trousers, ankle-length skirts
- Hawkinsport stocks regulation uniform items.

Skirts and trousers can be bought from high street retailers but must match the regulation style and colour as closely as possible.

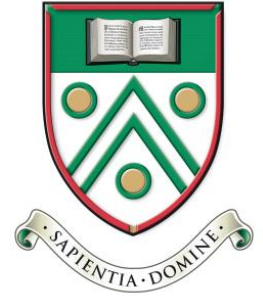


Curriculum structure



National Curriculum subject areas	Other statutory	Other curriculum features
English Maths Science Design Technology Computing/ICT PE History Geography Modern languages Art Music	Careers guidance (<i>from Year 8</i>) Sex and Relationships Education (SRE) Religious education (Philosophy & Ethics)	Drama Student personal development Focus Days Educational visits

Curriculum structure



25 hours of lessons per week

50 hours per fortnight

English	7	Geography	3
Maths	6	History	3
Science	6	RE	2
French/German	5	Music	2
ICT/Computing	4	Art	2
Technology	3	Drama	2
PE/Games	4	Tutor period	1

Form time/assembly – 30 mins each morning, 2½ hrs per week

Communication

Your son/daughter.....

- Three key apps
 - SIMS Parent App
 - ClassCharts
 - SchoolCloud

Please make sure we have accurate up to date contact details including email

General news....

- Direct email to parents via SIMS InTouch
- Newsletter ***LGS Headlines***
- Website ***www.lgs.slough.sch.uk***
- Twitter feed ***@lgs_news***

Key Apps

SIMS Parent App

- Update student/parent details

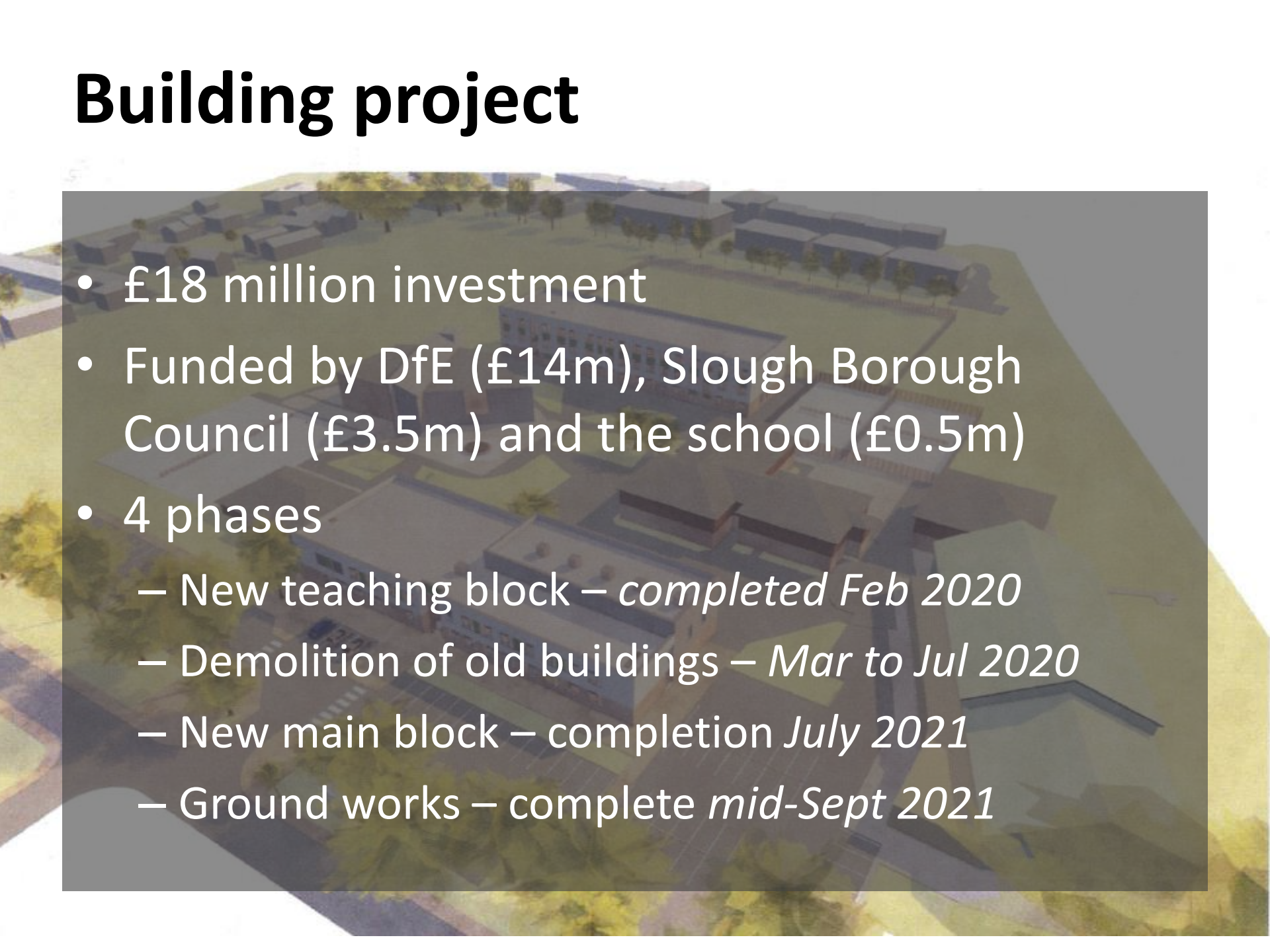
ClassCharts

- Monitors behaviour and attitude - achievement points, positive and negative comments

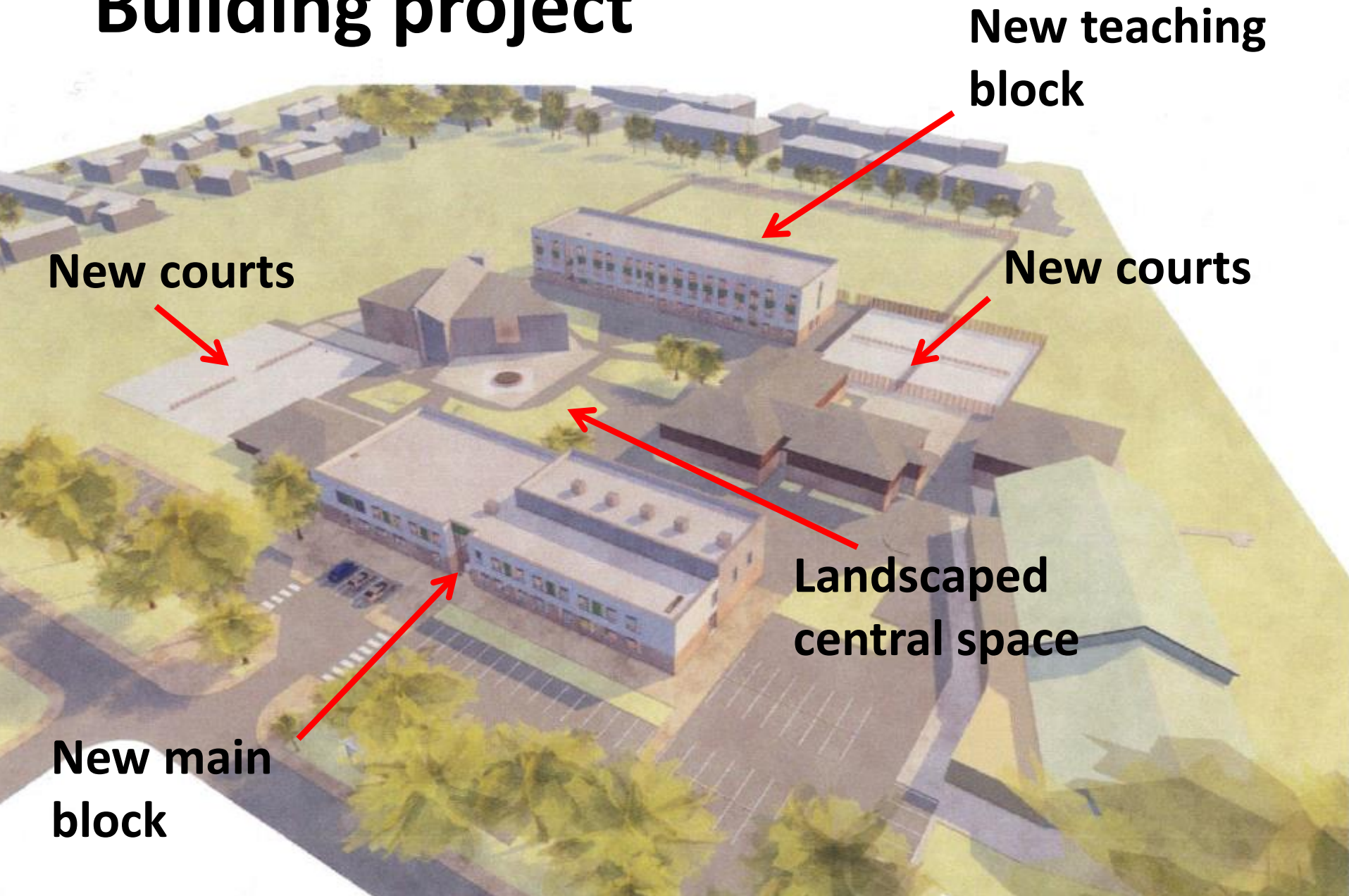
SchoolCloud

- Scheduling parent/teacher consultations and report review meetings
- Option to hold meetings via video

Building project

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- An aerial photograph of a school campus, showing several large, interconnected buildings with flat roofs. The buildings are surrounded by green lawns and some trees. A semi-transparent dark grey rectangular box is overlaid on the left and center of the image, containing a bulleted list of project details in white text.
- £18 million investment
 - Funded by DfE (£14m), Slough Borough Council (£3.5m) and the school (£0.5m)
 - 4 phases
 - New teaching block – *completed Feb 2020*
 - Demolition of old buildings – *Mar to Jul 2020*
 - New main block – completion *July 2021*
 - Ground works – complete *mid-Sept 2021*

Building project



Phase 1 – new teaching block

Ground floor

Design Technology workshop and graphics rooms
Art textiles room and 3D Art room with kiln
Three computing/ICT rooms
Small meeting rooms , offices and staff work area.

First floor

Three general art rooms, one with a photographic darkroom
Six Computing/ICT rooms
Two general classrooms
New server room and IT technicians office
Offices and staff work area

Second floor

Ten new science laboratories
Science preparation and storage area



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Phase 3 - Main block & grounds



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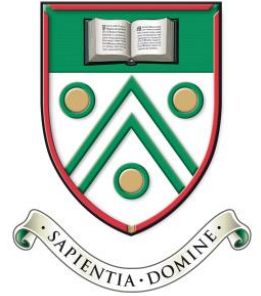
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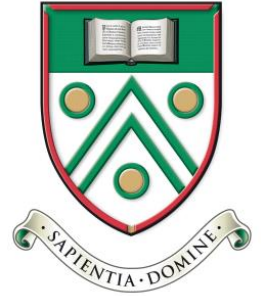


Next steps



- **Please look at the transition information on the school website**
- **Uniform**
 - Can all be bought online
- **Start of term**
 - Induction day on Thursday 2nd September
 - Further induction and lessons on Friday 3rd September
- **Year 7 Parents' meetings**
 - *Details will be confirmed at start of term (Sep and Oct/Nov)*

Questions?



Send to this email address

year7induction@lgs.slough.sch.uk

- ***General / pastoral enquiries***
 - Mrs Close, *Phase Leader*
- **Paperwork**
 - Mrs Congdon, *Admissions Officer*
- **Medical issues & individual needs/SEND**
 - Mrs Collins, *Student Manager*
 - Mrs Andrews, *Individual Needs Coordinator*