



Dear Parents/Guardians

I can hardly believe I am writing my last newsletter message of the year and what a year it has been!

We have been through so much together and as always 'Team Hillside' has shone. I would like to thank our parents and families for all your unwavering support through these most challenging of times.

As we finish for the summer we say goodbye to Mrs Scott, Mrs Devine and Miss Doran who are all leaving us after many years of dedicated service to our school. I know our current and past pupils will remember these colleagues very fondly. They have made a massive contribution to our school and we will miss them greatly. I know you will join me in wishing them the best of luck and every happiness in the future.

I would finish by wishing everyone an amazing summer holiday, where we can spend time with our families and friends. I look forward to seeing everyone when we return in September for what I know will be another exciting year.

Mrs Amanda Ryan, Principal



VACANCY

Classroom Support Assistant

HILLSIDE HIGH SCHOOL

We seek to appoint a highly motivated Classroom Assistant with experience of working with young people to join our dedicated Team.

Salary: Grade 1, £11,880 (actual pro-rata salary)

SEN Allowance £858 (actual pro-rata salary)

To start: 1st September 2021

Linked to one to one funding of named pupil - Term Time Only

28.75 hours per week

The application form and supplementary information form can be downloaded from the Recruitment page on the school website;

<https://www.wadedeacontrust.com/work-with-us/how-to-apply/>



September 2021

Start of term:

Friday 3rd September 2021

- Year 7—10.00am—2.00pm
- Year 11—8.45am—2.45pm

Monday 6th September 2021:

All pupils return at the normal time



The 'One Show'

At Hillside, our pupils are awarded 1's in their lessons for exceptional attitude to learning, behaviour, following 'The Hillside Way' and going above and beyond. At the end of every half term we like to give out prizes to pupils with the most 1's...Hillside's very own 'One Show'.

A huge WELL DONE to these fantastic Hillside pupils who are our 1 Show Winners for 2021, Patrick, Jessica, Thomas and Louise have received the most '1s' in their lessons this year!

We are so proud you and of all our pupils who have achieved so much this year despite its obstacles.

We go again next year!



Excellence in the Heart of the Community





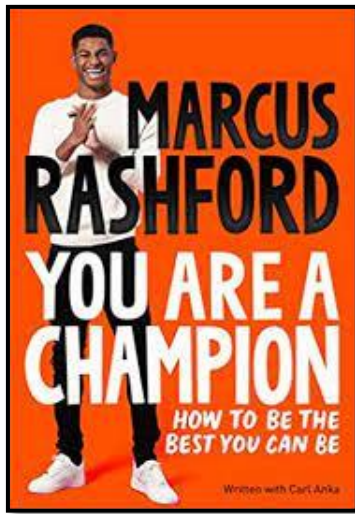
Marcus Rashford

It was lovely to be able to welcome Jane Bester to Hillside on Thursday 8th July. Jane, who is from Vision for Education is involved in a project to encourage young people to read, especially those who may not normally choose to.

A selection of pupils were nominated for a variety of reasons and were presented with Marcus Rashford's book. Although Marcus may wear the wrong "red kit" for the majority of our pupils, his book is about leadership, dreaming big and is truly inspiring.

As you are aware Marcus has done some much in his fight for free school meal vouchers during the holidays, something that many of our families have benefited from. We hope our pupils enjoy reading his book over the summer, perhaps the next Marcus Rashford will come from Hillside.

Mrs McCarthy



Excellence in the Heart of the Community





Top students for the week beginning: 5th July 2021



Mr Pattison



hegartymaths

- Jessica Harrington
- Joshua Williams
- Oluwakemi Akeredolu
- Krithika Sivanathan
- Fiona Zhen
- Freddie Ellis
- Jack Gee
- Morgan-May Southers
- Harry O'Leary
- Ruby Fleming
- Kallie Hardie



hegartymaths

- Shelby Ehigiator
- Frank Jimenez Okpara
- Ecaterina Nitoaea
- Samantha Harrington
- Abbie Readle
- Liam Cunningham
- Lacey Thomson
- Fatima Zubeir
- Lucas Davies
- Alex Langley
- Fearne Barrett
- William Myerscough



gcsepod education on demand

Top Podders are the pupils who have streamed the most pods
Questions Answered are the pupils who attempted the most questions
Diamond League - are the pupils who have answered with the most accurate knowledge, the more correct responses, the more diamonds.

GCSE Pod For KS4 TOP PODDERS
1st James W, Year 10 - 42
2nd Ashley A, Year 10 - 26
3rd Kemi A, Year 10 - 6

GCSE Pod For KS4 DIAMOND LEAGUE
1st Afia S, Year 10 - 259
2nd Kemi A, Year 10 - 247
3rd Ewelina G, Year 10 - 182

GCSE Pod For KS4 QUESTIONS ANSWERED
1st Kemi A, Year 10 - 171
1st Sam H, Year 10 - 154
3rd Afia S, Year 10 - 150

Times Tables Rockstars

A massive well done to our TT Rockstars this week, they are:

Year 7:

Shelbie Ehigiator 7RS, Joshua Williams 7THE and Joanna Gil 7THE

Year 8:

Kieran Seddon 8SO, Jessica Harrington 8NW, and Caitlin Adamson 8SDo





Safeguarding, Emotional Wellbeing and Mental Health Bulletin

Safeguarding

This has once again been an exceptional academic year and in terms of the world of safeguarding this is no exception. As we head towards the end of term this is our final safeguarding article of the academic year. We would like to once again publish some useful numbers and websites that may provide support, should the need arise, whilst school is closed for the summer holiday.

Childline 08001111
NSPCC- www.nspcc.org.uk 08448920264 (Liverpool Office)
NSPCC Helpline 08088005000
cruse.org.uk- coping with a bereavement
www.trusselltrust.org -foodbank
Liverpool Social Care- 233 3700
Sefton Social Care- 0845 140 0845
Kooth.com
Youngminds.org.uk

In addition to this may we also take this opportunity to remind students of some basics in terms of keeping themselves safe over the school holiday.

When out and about...

Don't go out alone – there is safety in numbers, always let an adult know where you are going, never go anywhere with someone you don't know, you can say 'no' if someone makes you feel uncomfortable or threatens or pressures you to do something you don't want to.



The Water Safety Code

Spot the dangers! Water may look safe, but it can be dangerous. Learn to spot and keep away from dangers. You may swim well in a warm indoor pool, but that does not mean that you will be able to swim in cold water. Take note of safety advice around any open water; special flags and notices may warn you of danger. Know what the signs mean and do what they tell you.

The dangers of water include:

- it is very cold, there may be hidden currents, it can be difficult to get out (steep slimy banks)
- it can be deep, there may be hidden rubbish, e.g. shopping trolleys, broken glass
- there are no lifeguards, it is difficult to estimate depth, it may be polluted and may make you ill

Staying safe and being a good friend on apps, sites and games

Children and young people have spent much more time on devices than ever before during lockdown, so as we approach the summer holidays, here is some information about staying safe online that you can remind your children about.

Staying Safe Online...

- 1) Private stuff needs protection (if you wouldn't want you parents or grandparents to see something, don't post it)
- 2) You can only really know someone if you know them offline (think about what 'a friend' means to you)
- 3) What you share will always be there (think before you post)
- 4) Not everyone online is who they say they are (remember that behind the screen it is easy to pretend to be someone you are not)
- 5) If something doesn't feel right, tell a trusted adult

Mrs Cross

