

MESSAGE FROM OUR CEO



Dear Families

As you know, Mr Dey will be taking up the post of substantive Headteacher of Beckfoot Upper Heaton at the end of May. We are all looking forward to working with our permanent Headteacher. I cannot thank families enough for your support during this period of change. We have been truly grateful to Mr Mohammed for supporting us during this transition period. I am very proud of the staff and students who have responded so well during what has been an unsettling time for us all.

Mr Mohammed and Mr Dey have been working well on the handover and it will be business as usual at the start of the final half term of the academic year. Mr Dey will be continuing with the same school improvement priorities and strategies that we have been working on this year;

- Drive up attendance

- Further develop a curriculum of high ambition for all

- Further embed a model of excellence for pedagogy (teaching)

- Fully embed a behaviour curriculum

There will be an opportunity to meet Mr Dey and the senior team on **Wednesday, 19th July from 4pm to 5pm**. Further details will be sent nearer the time.

As CEO, I will continue to keep close oversight of Beckfoot Upper Heaton during the final half term of the academic year. From September, Mr Dey and the senior team will also be supported by an Executive Headteacher so that I can divide my time up between all 10 Beckfoot Trust schools.

Student success in school and in life is supported by our school sentence;

‘The school taught students to act with integrity and kindness and to go on to demonstrate excellence in their chosen field; it was a place where all belonged.’

And our 3 values;

Excellence: we work hard. We strive to be better tomorrow than today.

Integrity: we are honest. We do the right thing because it is the right thing to do.

Kindness: We work as a team. We care about others.

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All of our rules are based on 5 simple learning habits which all students are supported so that they can achieve 100% of the time, the first time, every time.

- 1) Perfect uniform
- 2) Equipment for learning
- 3) Punctuality and attendance
- 4) On task
- 5) Polite response

We greatly benefit from your support in us securing the highest possible standards in our learning habits. Our students deserve nothing less.

Yours sincerely



Mrs S Watson – CEO, Beckfoot Trust

Need advice or support?



Tell somebody
It is important to talk to someone that you trust. This could be a family member or a friend. If you can't do this you can also find support at any of these sources. Never keep it to yourself!



Childline -
www.childline.org.uk
Phone: 0800 1111

YOUNG Mi MINDS

Young Minds -
www.youngminds.org.uk



Kooth-
www.kooth.com

You can also email: safeguarding@beckfootupperheaton.org

excellence integrity kindness

YEAR 11 EXAM ARRANGEMENTS

Dear families

Year 11 Exam Arrangements Monday 5 June – Friday 9 June

We would like to say how proud we are of our Year 11 students who have demonstrated excellence and resilience over the last two weeks of this examination period. They will have an opportunity to recharge during the half term but must also continue with their revision.

After the May half term holidays, as the frequency of examinations reduces, students will be required to attend the academy for revision sessions and exams only.

Day	Start time	End time
Monday 5 June	8.15 am	12.45 pm French students will leave at 2.15pm
Tuesday 6 June	8.15 am	10.30am
Wednesday 7 June	8.15 am	12.45 pm History students will leave at 3.10pm
Thursday 8 June	8.15 am	11.55am
Friday 9 June	8.15 am Students not doing Geography will start at 11.00am through the reception doors	2.15pm

Students on free school meals will be provided with a packed lunch to take home if they leave before lunchtime. Students must continue wearing their school uniform.

We will write to you after half term to let you know the schedule for Monday 12 June – Friday 16 June.

Thank you in advance, as always, for your support in ensuring our students make the most of their final time with the school and attend all sessions.

Raouf Mohammed
Associate Headteacher

WHAT'S BEEN HAPPENING IN SCHOOL?

NEXT GEN LITTER LIFTERS

The Next Gen team went to the regional celebration event where they showcased their Litter Lifters project. Our students (particularly Abigail and Kainaat) were brilliant in explaining their project to the judges and other schools. The judges included management from huge companies like Asda and Arla.

Our project won the 'Life on Land' award due to the sustainable changes we are making to the local community.

Abigail also won the individual award for regional change maker in recognition of her commitment and hard work.

The changemakers, Abigail, Areesha, Kainaat and Mikail have been really dedicated to this by giving up their break and lunch to make this happen.



YR7 HISTORY & ART TRIP TO CARTWRIGHT HALL

On 2nd March, two groups of Year 7 students had the opportunity to visit Cartwright Hall, and participate in a joint History and Art event focusing on the story of Bradford's immigration past. The students represented the school fabulously by upholding all of our values, and really enjoyed learning outside of the classroom about the History of Bradford.

A huge well done to all students!

Mrs. Middleton, Mrs. Rodgers and Mrs. Bone



CAREERS



Students have been using the online careers platform Unifrog to explore careers. They have completed the interests quiz and found careers linked to these. This is also an online portal for students to record their achievements, extracurricular activities and achievements. Students can log in and populate this at home by visiting

www.unifrog.org



Year 11 enjoyed their interactive English booster before their exams!

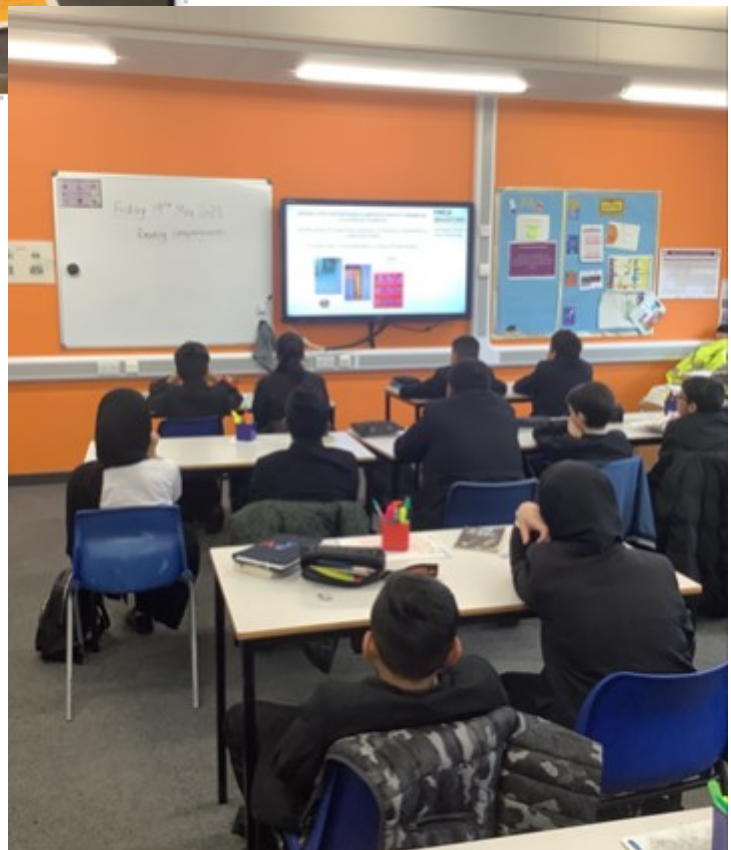
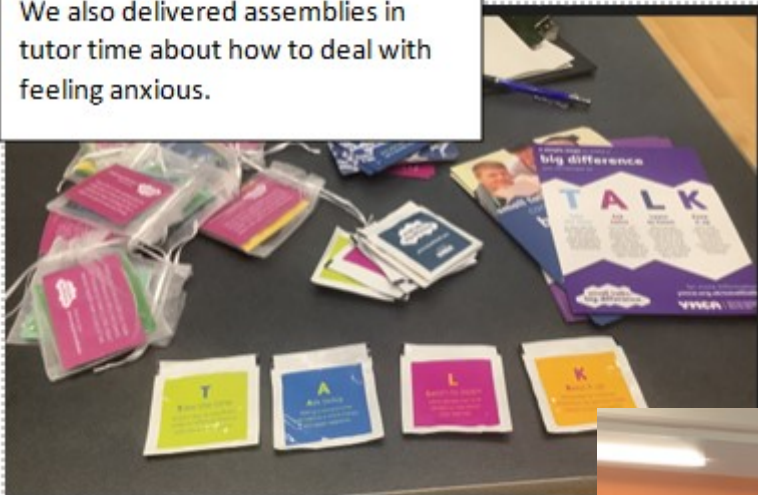
They have demonstrated exceptional talent and we are so proud of them.



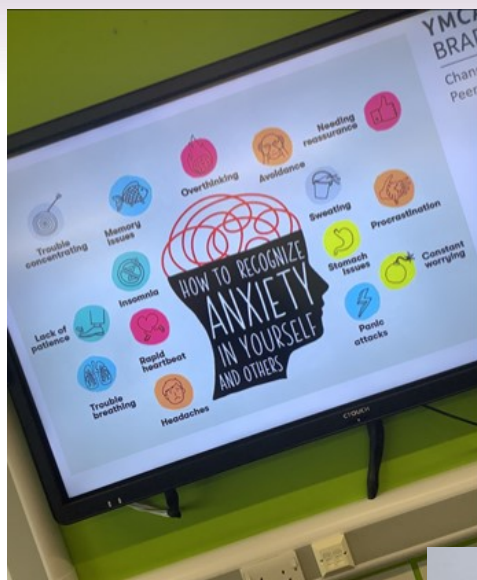
PSHCE—MENTAL HEALTH WEEK

This year's Mental Health Week focuses on anxiety. We had the YMCA in taking part in our new peer mentoring programme at lunch time, where we discussed the importance of checking in on each other to ensure we are all OK!

We also delivered assemblies in tutor time about how to deal with feeling anxious.



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STUDENTS' WORK IN THE VLC

This is just a small example of the excellent craft work the students in Vulnerable Learners' Centre have done this term.





STUDENT
PARLIAMENT

STUDENT PARLIAMENT **PRESS RELEASE**

This is the official version of our very first press release ! Student Parliament have been busy creating their very own notice board, located outside the pastoral office on the ground floor. The notice board contains members of Student Parliament's Bitmoji's, what Student Parliament have been doing for the past fortnight and lots more! Our members have also been busy working on projects such as how to incorporate diversity in classrooms and around our community. We are also are coming up with ways on to publicise ourselves more around school. We decided that we should promote ourselves by sharing our work on the School website and in our bulletin, alongside a fortnightly press release on our notice board.

We thank you for your continued support. Watch this space to find out more about what Student Parliament Get to over the next few weeks!

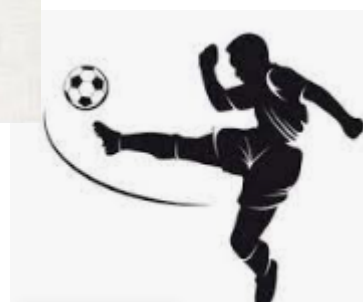
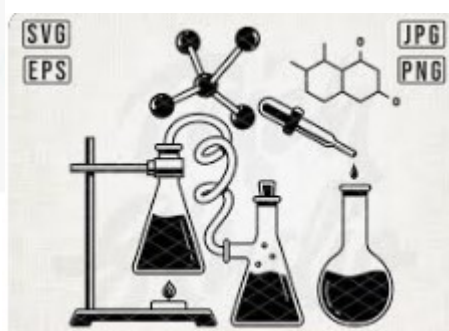
Yours,
Amaan Aslam
Student Parliament
Student Leadership Team

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AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

LET'S GET INVOLVED?!



**HOBBIES TODAY,
SUCCESS TOMORROW**



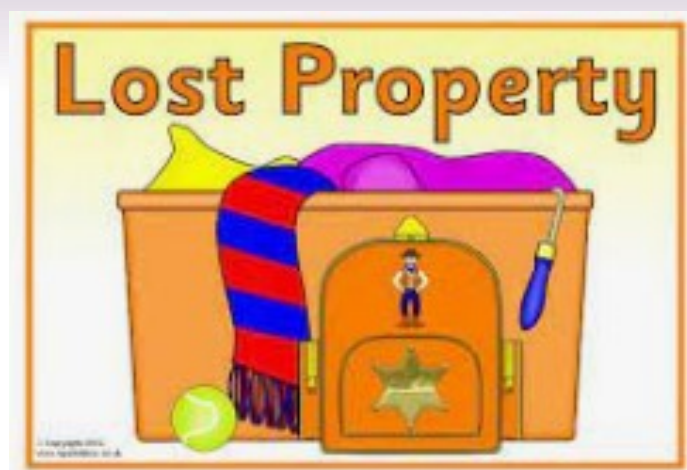
TUESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Rounders [KS3 Mixed]	Art club [All Years]	Industrial Cadets [Year 8 FULL]
Boys Intra-form Competition [Year 8]	Sports Studies [Year 10]	
	Chemistry Club [All Years]	

EXTRA CURRICULAR TIMETABLE

Lost Property

Have you lost something this half term? We have a number of items of school uniform, PE kits, bags and even coats.

Please come and collect your items before **Wednesday, 7th June**. Any items not collected by this date will be washed and donated to our School Uniform Loan Shop.



Donations

Families—has your child grown out of any item of school uniform, PE kit,, coat or shoes? If so, would you consider donating these items to the Uniform Loan Shop?

All items would be gratefully received in reception.

Thank you in advance for your generosity.



Stay Connected



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Signing up to Class Charts

1. Select [Sign up](#) from the main page and fill in the form provided. Enter your [parent](#) code into the [Access code](#) field.

Please note: Your Access Code is *not* the same as your password. The access code is only needed for the initial sign up.

2. Click on the [Sign up](#) button below the form.

3. Confirm the pupil's date of birth when prompted. Click on the [Date of Birth](#) field and use the date picker to enter the correct date.

4. A [confirmation message](#) will appear, indicating that the sign up process is complete. [Verify](#) your email address to continue.

LOG IN SIGN UP

Email address

Access code (provided by school)

Name

Password

Repeat password

SIGN UP

Date of birth confirmation

To confirm you are the parent / guardian, please enter your child's date of birth.

Date of birth

OK CANCEL

✓ You have successfully signed up.

**Have a great half term holiday
everyone!**



**School reopens for all on
Monday, 5th June**