

Headteacher's Corner

High Grange

It has been a fantastic start to the Summer Term. With the arrival of the warmer weather, pupils and students have returned positively, settling quickly back into routines and engaging well with their learning. High expectations are clearly in place, and it has been great to see our ACE ethos, adaptive thinking, communication, and emotional wellbeing flowing so naturally across the school.

Across all phases, there has been a strong focus on pupil and student success. In Key Stage 3, the introduction of Shakespeare into the curriculum has been particularly exciting, with pupils approaching the texts with curiosity and enthusiasm. Lower School have also been fully engaged in their enrichment focus on monarchies, bringing learning to life through creative activities and discussion, supported further by a recent trip to the theatre.

It has also been wonderful to see continued engagement from families. Our recent parent training session was very well attended, with another strong turnout and valuable discussions taking place around PDA strategies.

Looking ahead, our next Parent Coffee Morning will take place on Wednesday 7th May. We look forward to welcoming families for another opportunity to connect and share. In addition, we will be sharing further information over the coming weeks regarding the release of timetables and class groups for the next academic year.

A brilliant start to the term, well done to all pupils and students for the positive attitude and effort shown this week. I will leave you with a lovely photo from Lower 1, captured during one of their play-based learning activities, alongside some fun pictures King Gavin and King Alex used for Lower School's enrichment.

