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Meet the City Academy Staff

The Principal



Mr. Angell

Hello and welcome to City Academy. I have been the Principal here for over 5 years and love working at this school.

The move to secondary school is a fantastic opportunity for you to be the person you want to be. You will be able to make new friends, learn new skills and we will provide you with lots of opportunities. How you use them will be up to you.

Let me warn you that it will be hard work. Learning is hard and that is why one of our values is #grit. You need to stick at things, particularly those things that you find difficult.

There are lots of great staff here who will help you and guide when things are difficult and you will come out in year 11 able to choose your career and improve the world.

I look forward to meeting you in September, if not before.



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Leadership Team



Mr Tucker

Hello. My name is Mr Tucker and I am the Vice Principal at the City Academy. When you start with us, I will be starting my 20th year here and that is because I enjoy working here so much!

At the moment I am writing timetables for all of you that will include all the exciting lessons you will be having. We have excellent teachers here who will teach lessons such as English and Maths. You will learn to speak a foreign language and do experiments in our science labs. We have a new product design workshop where we will teach you some woodwork skills alongside Art, Drama and Music lessons. Our sports facilities are excellent and we have lots of teams that play other schools at lots of sports. You will have Geography, History and Religious Educations lessons as well.

I look forward to meeting you all soon.





Mrs Jefferies

Hello Year 7. My name is Mrs Jefferies and I am the Assistant Principal for School Culture at City Academy Bristol. I also teach Business Studies (a subject you can choose in Year 10). This will be my twelfth year teaching at City Academy Bristol. I really enjoy working at City Academy Bristol as I take great **Pride** in the progress that our students make during their time with us.

I work closely with the Pastoral team, we really value **Team Spirit**. Myself and the Pastoral team will support you with your pastoral care to help improve your academic progress. We will monitor your behaviour and celebrate your successes. One area that is really important is your attendance. We expect every student to have attendance of above 96%; we want to see you in school every day as this will help you make progress throughout your Academy journey .

These are very strange times at the moment with Covid-19. I am sure you have had to show a lot of **Grit** with the changes that have happened in the recent months. Please take the time to go to our website where we are constantly adding new information to support you to be ready for when you can join us at City Academy Bristol. I am really looking forward to meeting you all and welcoming you to the City Academy Bristol.

Take care and stay safe.



Miss Hickey

Welcome Year seven – I am looking forward to meeting you as soon as we can.

My job at the Academy is very important; I am in charge of making sure you are learning in all of your lessons. This means you will see me a lot. Some of you may even be in my English lessons or choose to join in my netball club.

I have been at this school for a very long time because it is one of my favourite places to be, I am sure it will be one of yours too.





Miss Thomas

Hi Year 7,

I am really looking forward to meeting you all.

I feel very privileged to serve this school community.

My job at City Academy is very serious and I have a very special responsibility. I look after Safeguarding. My role is to ensure that all of the students in school are safe and that all of their needs are met.

I am also an activist and I am often seen in the media championing various causes. #representationmatters.

You can check out my recent TEDxBristol talk here. <https://youtu.be/-X-taPvKWbY>

Miss Litchfield

Hi year 7 and welcome to City Academy.

My name is Miss Litchfield and I am responsible for Raising Attainment and making sure that you achieve the absolute best that you can. This includes reporting, assessment, mocks and GCSE exams.

Throughout your time at the City Academy you will partake in a range of Careers activities. My job is to ensure that by the time you leave at the end of year 11, you have had as many opportunities as possible to experience and learn about a range of different careers and pathways.

I am looking forward to welcoming you all personally to the Academy in the not too distant future.



Pastoral Team



Miss Leat

Hello year 6, soon to be year 7!

I am the pastoral leader for year 7 and 8. I am very excited to meet you all in September. I will be supporting you throughout your school days through to year 8.

I also teach PE in the school so I will probably see a lot of you within your PE lessons.

I love sport and being active, I hope to see you on the school sport teams!



Mr. Pearce

Hello Year 7, My name is Mr. Pearce and I am the Pastoral Lead for KS4. You will all get to know me I'm sure and I can't wait to meet all of you.

My job is to make sure students are safe and happy at the Academy so that they are able to reach their potential.

I hope you are excited to be joining City Academy!

As well as Pastoral Lead, I am a PE teacher, so you will see me around the building all the time. You will hear me when I am teaching as some people say I have a loud voice.

You will all have the best time at City Academy, that I am sure of!



Miss Jackson - HEAD OF YEAR 7



Hello Year 7, Welcome to the best year group in City Academy...YOURS!

I am Miss Jackson. I am the head of year 7, and so you will be seeing a lot of me around the school!

I am really looking forward to meeting you all, and supporting you throughout your time at City Academy.

I am based in the Haven, and I am always there to make sure all year sevens are happy, safe, supported, and listened to.



Hello Year 7's.

My Name is Miss Bailey and I am Head of Year 8 .

I have worked at City Academy for just over 5 years now. I was also a student here and I am so excited to be a part of your journey here at CAB.

My job is to ensure that you are looked after during your time here. I am here to support you and to ensure you are happy and safe. I also deal with any issues arising throughout the day.

I am based in the Haven alongside the other HOY/PSW's who are always happy to help.

See you all very soon!

Miss Bailey



Mr Clarkson – Head of Year 9



Hello Year 7!

I am Mr. Clarkson. I am the head of year 9 and I used to be a student here back in the early 2000s!

One of my favourite parts of this job is looking after the young people here and making sure they are all safe. I am always happy to help any student in school if they need support.

You can find me in the Haven with all of the other Heads of Year. See you all soon!



Mr Konsal

Hello to all you year 7s

I am Mr Konsal. I am the head of year 10 and I have been at CAB since 2009.

I love my job and I get a great sense of achievement from seeing my students develop and grow as individuals.

I am based in the Haven and I look forward to meeting you all and welcoming you to CAB.



Miss Henry

Hi Year 7!

I'm Miss Henry. As Head of Year 11 I am responsible for ensuring that all students within my year group are safe, happy and healthy.

However, being part of the Pastoral Team also means that I am on hand to support all students whenever they need help, including you!

I am looking forward to meeting you all in person soon.





Mrs Bunker

- Welcome Year 7's
- My name is Mrs Bunker and I can be found in the Haven.
- My job is to ensure you attend school regularly so that you have every opportunity to receive the best education you can during your time here at City Academy.
- I look forward to meeting you all soon.



Mrs Grice

Welcome to City Academy to all New Year 7 Students!

My role is based in the Haven, I am the Pastoral & Transition Administrator, working alongside your Head of Year 7 Miss Jackson, Pastoral Leader Key Stage 3 Miss Leat and Assistant Principal of Student Culture Mrs Jefferies supporting your transition from your Primary School to City Academy .

Very much look forward to meeting you all, see you soon!





Mrs Qazi

Hello and welcome Year 7!

I work with the Safeguarding team and deal with administration work. I am also the Online Safety officer for the school and will put together resources for you and your parents to help you keep safe online.

I am located in the Haven near the Year Heads and if you ever come in to see us you'll be greeted with a smile.

Looking forward to seeing you all.

Miss Jewson

Hello Year 7s and welcome to City Academy!

I am the academy's Safeguarding Officer and I have been working here for 4 years. I am part of the Safeguarding Team. I work with Miss Thomas, Mrs Qazi and the Heads of Year to make sure you feel safe in school and outside of school.

My office is in The Haven. We are here for you to talk about things that make you feel unsafe so that we can try to help.

I look forward to meeting you in September.



Miss Jacobs

I have worked at City Academy for the last 3 years. I love music, reading, travel and baking!

I work with students from all year groups to offer them extra support when they need it. We run 1:1 and group sessions that cover a wide range of topics. We also look after students if they are sent to the Link.

I am a THRIVE practitioner which means that I am trained to support students based on their individual needs . I also carry out THRIVE assessments which we can use at school to make sure we give everybody the kind of help that they need to be successful.

I'm excited to meet and get to know all of you!





Miss Minott

Welcome to City Academy Year 7, I'm Miss Minott, a pastoral support worker (PSW).

I support students, who may have had a few hiccups on their journeys throughout school, so I give them extra support in those areas. I also help run the link, which I know none of you will be going there so no need to go into detail.

I hope the next 5 years of your life here with us at CAB will be some of the best years in your life. I wish you the most success and all the best on your new journey.

I look forward to meeting you all .

Mr. Adrian Culea

Hello Year 7. Welcome to City Academy .

I'm Adrian Culea, currently working as a pastoral support worker.

If you are having a great day, come to share the joy with us!

If you are struggling for any reason , don't forget , there's always a solution for any problem and we'll find it together.

I'm very excited to meet you and to guide you through your City Academy journey!



Ms Wilde

Hello

I am part of the Pastoral team. I help students who are finding school tricky.

I used to be an actor and I still work as a theatre director so sometimes we do lots of drama in my sessions.

When I am not at school I love hanging out with Fluffy, my pet Boa Constrictor.



Faculty Leaders



Miss Rodgers

Hello,

I am the Head of English and EAL (English as an Additional Language). It's my job to make sure that you are as successful as possible with your reading, writing and speaking and listening.

I know that some of you will love reading and writing whilst some of you will think that it's a little tricky. However you feel, my team and I are ready to help you. We want you to enjoy English and see the power that language has and appreciate the journey that a story can take you on.





I am the Head of Maths.

I have sent you all some questions in the post,
but here's one to try:

Think of a number

Double it

Add 20

Subtract 4

Half it

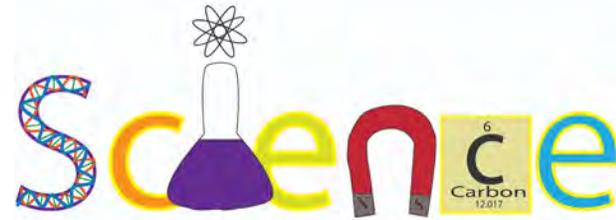
Subtract 8

What happens?

Mr McGuinness



Hello & Welcome!



My name is **Miss Malik** and I am **Head of Science** here at City Academy Bristol.

All students at City absolutely love getting involved in science experiments and I can't wait for you to join them!

Until we meet, you can start thinking like real scientists by considering the reasons for the following:

- Why is the Eiffel tower **15cm taller** in the summer?
- You are 'star dust' - the material you are made of originated from **exploding stars** in space.
- By the end of today you will have blinked around 12,000 times.



Mr Murphy

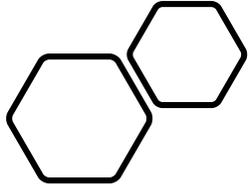
Hello to our new Year 7's.

I am the Faculty lead for Humanities and Languages.

I look after the teachers of Geography, History, RE, Computing and Spanish.

I also teach Spanish so am looking forward to starting your journey with you to your Spanish GCSE.





Mrs Pugh

Head of Expressive Arts

A big hello to you all! I'm looking forward to meeting you soon and introducing you to the 'new' subjects that you'll be taught here at CAB.

I teach music and my other role is looking after the teachers of Art, Drama, Design & Technology, Drama, Music and PE.

We all can't wait for you to get involved in our classroom lessons and the other extra-curricular activities we organise for you.



Miss Hobson

Hi everyone. I'm the SENDCO at City Academy – it's my job to ensure that students who have Special Educational Needs or Disabilities can enjoy school and make good progress.

I share information with teachers about students' needs, which can include Dyslexia, ADHD, struggling with friendships, managing feelings and medical or health issues.

I meet with students and their families to check on their progress and wellbeing.

I'm looking forward to seeing you all and will be in touch with some of you to get to know you better before we return to school.

