

27th September 2024

Dear parents, carers and families

It has been an enormously busy, productive and positive start to the new academic year – thank you so much for everything you have done to support all our amazing young people.

Amazing exam success!

Each year over the course of September and October, summer exam results' data is processed and compared regionally and nationally. Liskeard School students have achieved record-breaking results! GCSE results now indicate for the first time that Liskeard students make better than national average progress across the whole range of their subjects. This means that students attending Liskeard School do better on average than students of the same age and ability across the country. This is a huge achievement and is testament to the immense hard work of our students and so many across the school community.

Welcome to new starters

It has been lovely to meet so many new and prospective parents at our Year 7 tutor evening and our Open Evening. We are already looking forward to welcoming next year's Year 7 students! We are highly likely to be oversubscribed in Year 7 for the academic year 25/26 so please make sure you get your applications in by the deadline. There is more information about how Cornwall Council manage admissions [here](#). Please do get in touch if you have any questions or queries.

We have shared lots of important information with students and parents about how to access school online platforms. Please refer to specific letters sent out about this and contact your child's Head of Year if you need more help. Their email addresses are on the school website's contact page.

Working to keep everyone safe

We have been running a series of assembly workshops in partnership with Devon and Cornwall Police to educate and inform students about keeping safe in school and in the community. We have been sharing very clear messages that any bullying is not tolerated in school or in the community. This includes physical bullying or assaults, cyberbullying, prejudice-based and discriminatory bullying of any type. We will respond very robustly to any reports of this type so please encourage your child to 'see something, say something' or use the bullying report form on our website to report concerns.

I look forward to seeing as many of you as possible at one of our future parent events. Please note, our next Parent Information Evening is on 8th October at 18:00.

Yours faithfully



Dan Wendon
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