



• The House System embodies the values and ethos of the school, giving opportunities to develop character.



## How will it work?

All students and staff will be placed into one of 4 houses

There will be approximately 315 students in each House.

Points won for each house through a range of activities

At the end of the academic year, a house is awarded with the House Cup

Each House is led by the Student Leadership Team and a Head of House, who will organise the sign up lists and promote activities within the House





RESILIENCE





### ATTENBOROUGH

Sir David Attenborough English broadcaster and naturalist noted for his innovative educational television programs. Attenborough oversaw the first ever-colour TV broadcasts in Europe. As the world's most famous and greatest naturalist, Sir David Attenborough has brought amazing wildlife to television screens for over 50 years. From series such as Life on Earth to Frozen Planet, his documentaries have inspired generations to learn more about the natural World. The work made him one of the leading voices to defend the natural world and urge action on climate change.



#### **CURIE**

Marie Curie was a Polish-born physicist and chemist and one of the most famous scientists of her time. Curie was the first woman to be she awarded the Nobel Prize in 1903, and she went on to win another in 1911. Curie's research was crucial in the development of x-rays in surgery. During World War One Curie helped to equip ambulances with x-ray equipment, which she herself drove to the front lines. Curie has regularly topped polls for being amongst the most influential women to have changed the world.



#### PARKS

**Rosa Parks** - American civil rights activist who helped initiate the civil rights movement in the United States when she refused to give up her seat to a white man on an Alabama bus in 1955. Parks became a globally recognised symbol of dignity and strength in the struggle to end entrenched racial segregation. She spent her life promoting civil rights and helping those suffering from discrimination and injustice





#### TURING

Alan Turing was a British mathematician who made major contributions to mathematics, philosophy, computer science and artificial intelligence and artificial life. His ideas led to early versions of modern computing and helped win World War II. He is famous for his role in the breaking of the German Enigma code during the Second World War. Turing is the first LGBT+ figure to appear on an English banknote (£50).



# What does being in a 'house' mean?

- Opportunity for you to lead / manage / organise events
- Create pride and passion for your house
- Show your team spirit and play your part
- Way to support others
- Contribute and achieve!
- Sense of belonging
- Support your house charity
- House Trophy awarded to the winning house!







- Each House will have 2 House Leaders from each year
- All houses will have House captains and Vice-captains chosen from Years 10/11.
- In total, we are offering 40 leadership roles (10 in each house)





### Student Leadership

The House leadership responsibilities are to:

- Represent the views of the House in each year
- Sit on the school council
- Encourage students to compete in events and keep control of the sign up lists
- Each house is led by 10 student representatives, Captain/Vice Captain from Years 11 & 10, and house leaders from Year 7 8 and 9.

