



Welcome to The Gilberd School



Welcome

Mr Mitchell, Headteacher



Student Life

Head Boy: Sam Starling

Head Girl: Bianca Biltac



Year 7s: Samridh Murki

Emilija Abramoviciute



Uniform



The Year 7 Team

Head of Year: Mr Banham sba@gilberd.com



Assistant Head of Year: Mrs Phillips
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Our Roles

- To support the students in reaching their potential
- To know every child
- To encourage students to fully engage in school and to undertake all the opportunities on offer to them
- To assist them on their academic journey
- To work with you to bring out the best in your child

Form groups – X Population

- 7x CWI
- 7x CMC
- 7x EWA
- 7x ABE
- 7x RMI
- 7x JCK

Studying
GERMAN

Form groups – Y Population

- 7y JLM
- 7y LYA
- 7y NSA
- 7y KQU
- 7y ARA
- 7y DSN

Studying
FRENCH

What is a form group?

- Role of the form tutor – first point of contact.
- Planner, Notes, Email or Phone Communication
 - Eg sba@gilberd.com
- Sense of belonging – a supportive network
- Form group activities
- 1-1 mentoring
- Inter House Sports
- Challenge cup activities

Form group selection

- **Lots of work has taken place.**
- Primary Visits – opportunity to meet student mentors and ask any questions
- Hobbies & similar interests identified
- Teacher recommendations – vital
- Mixture of ability
- Mixture of boys/girls
- Mixture of Primary schools

Houses



GREEN
7X CWI
7Y JLM



RED
7X CMC
7Y LYA



BLACK
7X EWA
7Y NSA



BLUE
7X ABE
7Y KQU



YELLOW
7X RMI
7Y ARA



WHITE
7X JCK
7Y DSN

Competitions in academics, sports and performance

Year 6 Induction Days

- **24th & 25th June 2025**
- MAKE A GOOD FIRST IMPRESSION
- Chance to meet other students
- Work with their form tutor
- Meet Gilberd staff
- Meet older students
- An opportunity to get involved
- Find their way around

Structure of the Induction days

- Good opportunity to practise the journey
- Arrive no later than 8.40 am. Students should be in full primary school uniform (bring trainers)
- Greeted by Pastoral Team, Mentors and Junior Prefects
- Shown to the MUGA
- Line up with form group
- Activities all day
- Packed Lunch or ParentPay for school meal
- Thumb print will be set up as part of their day's activity
- Leave at 3pm

Our shared values & expectations

Our ethos is based on what we do:

- Saying good morning/afternoon, holding doors, using please and thank you
- Present themselves well and show pride in their school work, appearance, attitude

Creativity

Resilience

Commitment

Integrity

Compassion

Ambition

A New Chapter

A New Opportunity

Possible fears:

A large year group

- More friends to make / personalities to learn from

A much larger school

- Even more facilities and opportunities to enhance development

Multiple teachers

- Qualified specialists to learn from

The Final Chapter...

Show **ambition** and **commitment**

Act with **integrity** and **compassion**

Learn with **creativity** and **resilience**

If it's out, it's gone!

Phones should be off and in the bottom of bags during the school day. If students have their phone out, it will be confiscated and a parent/carer will need to come in and pick the phone up.





Instagram



(Anti-) SOCIAL MEDIA?



Our year team's promise...

- To work in partnership with YOU and YOUR CHILD.
- To encourage in each of your children:
 - A sense of pride
 - The highest levels of achievement
 - A love of learning
 - A commitment to hard work and show ambition
 - A sense of belonging and compassion
 - Integrity, responsibility and resilience

Give it a go...

- And get involved!
- Try something new, either in school or outside of school
- Plethora of clubs, opportunities and activities available
- Students need activities for fun
 - Develop a new hobby
 - Improve an existing hobby
 - Meet new people with similar interests

The Gilbert School



**We look forward to welcoming
our new Gilbertdians in
September – class of 2030!**