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Year 6 Welcome Booklet

YEAR 6 OFFER DAY MARCH 2024



Welcome to Ernest Bevin Academy, a place with a tremendous amount to offer, rich experiences inside and out of the classroom and a place where your son can achieve and flourish.

We offer a broad and challenging curriculum that will ensure your son can find his passion and energy to achieve to his highest potential. Our boys achieve progress scores above the national average for boys.

We are proud of their success and we expect every boy to take pride in his work and be the very best that he can be. We have high expectations in both our academic and pastoral responsibilities to our students. We are fully committed to ensuring that the students get the best experience from what EBA can offer. This starts first and foremost in the classroom where we strive for excellence in our day-to-day teaching and learning. As a result, we share our students' pride in their examination success and the opportunities they are given through strong qualifications. Furthermore, each member of staff has a responsibility for the well-being and safeguarding of all our students; we will continue to support young people to uphold our values.

We aim to be a school that nurtures an aspirational attitude in our students, providing success for all through academic, creative, vocational and sporting endeavour. We value the individual, as well as the community as a whole, and we strive for a welcoming and inclusive environment, helping our students to grow into compassionate and conscientious global citizens.

Your son is truly special to us and we will take good care of him on the next stage of his learning.

Tracy Dohel,
Principal



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Key transition dates*:

Year 6 Offer Evening – Thursday 7th March 2024 5.30-6.30 pm

Saturday Summer Community Events at EBA – Starting from April 2024

Year 6 Interviews at EBA – Starting in June 2024

SEND Induction Morning at EBA – June & July 2024

Year 6 Induction Day at EBA – July 2024

Year 7 Parents' information Evening – July 2024

Year 7 Induction Day – September 2024

Year 7 Learning Showcase – October 2024

(*we wil notify parents of specific dates)

Key Staff:

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| Ms Dohel | Principal |
| Ms Dorcely | Director of Learning Year 7 & 8 |
| Miss Williams | SENCO |
| Mr Bedward & Ms Lamptey | Pastoral Support |
| Ms Cochrane | Admissions e: admissions@ernestbevinacademy.or.g.uk t: 0208 672 8582 |
| Ms Lozano | Mental Health Counsellor and Wellbeing support |
| Miss Ngombo | Healthcare Assistant |
| Miss Sweeny | Attendance and Welfare Officer |



Ms Dohel



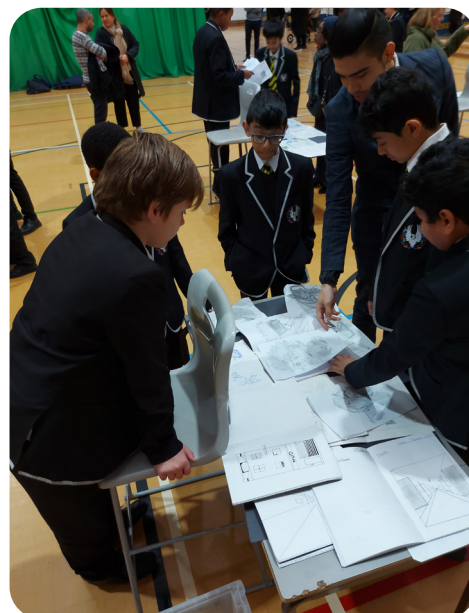
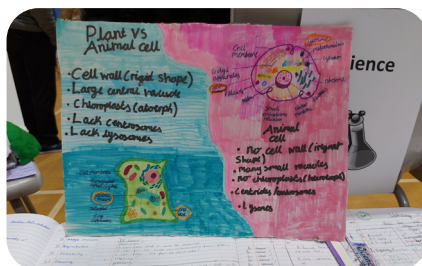
Ms Dorcely



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Year 7 Showcase:

The Year 7 Showcase is an important event in the Year 7 calendar. Parents and carers are invited to come and see the progress their boys have made in their first term at Ernest Bevin Academy.



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Why chose a boys' school:

- **A focused learning environment:**

Without the presence of girls, boys may experience fewer distractions, enabling them to concentrate better on their studies. This can lead to improved academic performance and the development of strong study habits.

- **Tailored teaching methods:**

Catering specifically to the needs and learning styles of male students. Employing teaching techniques that promote active learning, hands-on activities, and competition, which can engage boys more effectively.

- **A wide range of extracurricular activities and sports programmes:**

This fosters a sense of camaraderie and healthy competition, encouraging boys to develop their talents and leadership skills.

- **A nurturing environment:**

Boys can freely express themselves, explore their interests, and develop their individuality without fear of judgment or stereotypes.

While the decision depends on personal preferences and educational goals, the unique advantages offered by a boys' school can contribute to a well-rounded education and personal growth for boys.



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Success:

We are extremely proud of the academic achievements of all our students.

We have a strong Sixth Form, with a minimum of 75% of our students continuing to study with EBA.

Our sixth form is co-educational and every year continues to produce high performing students.

In 2023 our students secured places at prestigious institutions including Russell Group universities, the University of London, the University of Bath, Brunel University, Kingston University and the University of the West of England, among others. They will be pursuing a wide array of subjects including Physics and Astronomy, Mechanical Engineering, Mathematics, History, Computer Science, English and Creative Writing, Accountancy and Finance, as well as Sport and Exercise Psychology. In the past we have had students study medicine at Cambridge University.

For our 2023 GCSE results many of our boys have exceeded their expected outcomes.

Congratulations to our students



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Trips:

We are proud to be one of the few secondary schools to offer a wide variety of school trips as part of our integrated curriculum. Trips are organised for career exploration, sporting events, rewards, and as part of curriculum coursework.

Over the last year, our trips have ranged from a Year 7 PGL trip to 10 Downing Street and the US Embassy. Additionally, our Sixth Form also enjoys a range of trips, from UCAS conventions to careers trips to Emanuel School, with whom we are involved in their community partnerships and outreach programme.



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Clubs:

All students are encouraged to take advantage of the many extra-curricular activities on offer. There is a wide range of social, academic and sporting activities before school, at lunchtime and after school.

Clubs range from Sculpture Club, Cricket, Football, Debate, DT Club, Drama Club, to STEM activities, Swimming and Table Tennis, with many more. There is also the opportunity to join the Royal Marines Combined Cadet Force from Year 9.

Students at Ernest Bevin Academy regularly comment on how much they enjoy the extra-curricular offer.



Our CCF cadets with the Mayor of Wandsworth during their Pass Out parade



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School day:

Breakfast Club

Registration and Assembly

Lesson 1

Lesson 2

Break

Lesson 3

Lesson 4

Lunch

Lesson 5

Extra-Curricular



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Enrichment Week:



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