

## Bath Hub and MNSP Editorial June 2024

At this time of year many parents are looking to find the right secondary school for their child. In Bath, you have many choices of schools - both state and private. There is also a family of secondary schools in Bath that work together so that every young person can experience an excellent education.

Beechen Cliff School, Hayesfield Girls' School and St Mark's School are all proud to be part of the Midsomer Norton Schools Partnership (MNSP), a multi-academy trust of over 30 schools with around 15,000 pupils on roll. The Trust's strength is how it celebrates each school's individual character, while offering support and challenge.

The Bath Hub enables the three schools to work closely together and share a common goal - to ensure that every child in the city has access to an excellent secondary education. The schools are now entering their fourth year of collaboration, with students from all three schools enjoying opportunities to work and enjoy extra-curricular activities together.

Behind the scenes, leaders at the schools work together to ensure all learners look forward to coming to school and achieve highly. Teachers across the three schools share high quality teaching strategies that meet the needs of all learners in all schools. This collegiate support has ensured all three school's most recent Ofsted inspections were graded a secure 'Good'. Parents are advised to read the Ofsted Reports to find out more about what makes each school unique.

Last summer, students in all schools sat GCSE and A Level examinations. Combined results for students across the three schools was significantly above the national average and we look forward to a similar set of outstanding outcomes this summer.

We are pleased to welcome Clare England, who has been appointed the new Headteacher of St Mark's School in Larkhall. You can meet Mrs England at the St Mark's Open Evening in September, where she will be pleased to also show you around the school site and share with you her vision for the future of her school. Mr Tim Markall, Headteacher at Beechen Cliff and Mr Philip White, Headteacher at Hayesfield also warmly welcome prospective parents to their Open Events. To find out more about our schools and how we work together, please come to the Open Events, as detailed in each school's website. We look forward to meeting you there.

From left to right:

Philip White, Headteacher  
at Hayesfield

Clare England, Headteacher  
at St Marks

Tim Markall, Headteacher  
At Beechen Cliff

