

## Secondary School

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Dear Parents,

### **Introductory Letter from the Dean of Students**

I would like to take this opportunity to introduce myself. My name is Sandra Scotland and I am sure that many of you will remember from the three years I spent as Head of PE here at BISI. I am very pleased to be returning to take over my new position. For those parents who do not know me, I am now in my 16th year of teaching and have experience of many different schools in Scotland, Kuwait and Oman as well as here in Istanbul.

I am looking forward to the year ahead with its new challenges and experiences. I have had a very warm welcome back to the school from the students and I hope that we will continue this year with as much enthusiasm and excitement as we have seen in Week 1 of the new year.

I would also like to introduce my team. We have three new positions in the school this year, Alison Bowers is now the Key Stage 3 Leader. She is responsible for the Form Teachers in years 7, 8 and 9. She will be overseeing the Pastoral Programme for those year groups and will play a major role in both the Academic and Pastoral life of the Key Stage 3 Students. Joy Bosman is the Key Stage 4 Leader (Years 10 and 11) and John Bosman is the Key Stage 5 Leader (Years 12 and 13). Joy and John have a similar role within their year groups and all three Key Stage Leaders will be writing to you in more detail in due course.

My team and I will be working very hard to ensure that school will be both safe and happy for all of our students allowing every one of them to achieve their full potential both academically and socially throughout the year.

I look forward to meeting all of you throughout the year.

Yours faithfully,

Sandra Scotland  
Dean of Students