

Welcome letter from the Key Stage 3 Coordinator –2018/2019

3rd September 2018

Dear parents,

On behalf of the KS3 team at BISI, it is my pleasure to welcome you and your child/children to our community. I hope you all had a restful summer break. Whether you are a returning family or a new family, we hope that everyone is settled and looking forward to a productive school year.

This is my first year as Key Stage 3 Coordinator but my tenth year working at BISI. I will be monitoring the academic progress and social wellbeing of students in years 7, 8 and 9. Please keep in touch with us as the year progresses by contacting your child's form tutor whenever your child is ill or they have an appointment during school hours.

The **KS3 team** for 2018-2019 is as follows:

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As well as a rigorous academic programme, we have many events planned throughout the term designed to help your child progress both academically and personally. Below are some key dates for this academic year, although a more comprehensive list can be found on our website.

Key Dates for Key Stage 3 - Academic Year 2018 - 2019:

Trips week: 1st to 5th October 2018

Year 7: Köprülü Canyon National Park in Antalya.

Year 8: Oren, Pergamon, Assos, Ayvalik.

Year 9: Dalyan / Marmaris.

Other important dates

- All secondary in the forest after lunch - Friday 7th September (1st Friday)
- Secondary photos (10, 11, 12th September)
- CAT TESTING - YEAR 7: 21st September (Friday) - 9am to 11am
- Monday 22nd October – Sports Day
- Thursday 25th October (1pm to 6pm): Parent Teacher Meetings.
- 12th February (1pm to 6pm): Parent Teacher Meetings.
- 10th to 16th March: Secondary Ski Trip
- Cross Country: 11th April
- Friday 31st May – IB graduation. School finishes at 12.
- Fun Day: 21st June
- Secondary Prom: 22nd June

I look forward to working with you all to ensure your child plays a full and happy role in our school life.

If there is anything I can help you with during the course of the term and year ahead, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours faithfully,

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