



Dear Parent/Carer

I am pleased to write to introduce myself to you as your daughter's new Head of Year. I have been a Head of Year at AHS for 8 years, successfully supporting 4 cohorts throughout their time in Years 8 and 9.

Last year I taught some of Year 7 on our Technology carousel so I have been able to get to know some students. However, this year I am looking forward to teaching all of them at some point during Year 8 in their Food or Textiles lessons and am also looking forward to accompanying the girls on the Aberdovey trip early in 2026.

I am fortunate to have a fantastic team of tutors to work with this year to support your daughters:

8A – Miss Stephens

8C – Mrs Carbonaro

8H – Mrs Baker

8M – Mrs Wootton

8S – Mrs Gaunt

8W – Miss Nash

Mrs Sheed, our Pastoral Support Assistant, is the first point of call on Edulink for all attendance information.

If you would like to discuss anything with any of the team, please do not hesitate to get in contact via email.

I would also like to take this opportunity to invite you to our **Year 8 Information Evening** on **Tuesday 4th November 2025 at 5.30pm**. The form tutors will be available to meet you and your daughters from **5pm**; the talk will start at 5.30pm. We will look ahead at what Year 8 will offer, including information about the trip to Aberdovey. We look forward to meeting as many of you as possible on this date.

I am keen to get to know more about Year 8 and work with them, sharing their accomplishments and seeing them achieve their highest potential.

Kind Regards

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Head of Year 8/9 (2025/7)

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