



VISION 2020

HALL SCHOOL
WIMBLEDON

One Joined Community with a Bright Future



Welcome

Situated close to the village, Hall School Wimbledon is the only co-educational, all-through school (5-18) in Wimbledon. It is currently undergoing a number of big and exciting changes, led by new Headmaster Robert Bannon, which will expand and enhance the already wide-ranging and modern curriculum.

It gives me great pleasure to be able to write to you as the new Headmaster of Hall School Wimbledon. I am honoured and privileged to have been appointed to lead the school and to continue to build upon the success HSW has already achieved.

I am joining HSW as its new Headmaster, having previously spent a number of years in senior management posts in a variety of schools. Prior to working in education, I worked in the performing arts industry as a professional musician and Musical Director on numerous West End, UK and international tours. I still manage to fit in some professional work as a musician when I can!

On my first visit to the school I was immediately struck by its great warmth and, as I

toured with pupils who were so natural and genuine, I knew this was the right school for me. I am in total harmony with the vision and values of HSW to deliver an outstanding all-round, inclusive, individual and inspiring education that allows every pupil to reach their full potential. As Head, I plan to cultivate an ethos where HSW continues to be a truly happy place to work and learn.

HSW is about to embark upon a new chapter in its history, one that is undoubtedly, incredibly exciting. I am sure you will agree that our '2020 Vision' will allow the school to flourish and I look forward to taking HSW to new heights of success – come and join us!

Mr Robert Bannon,
Headmaster



New Junior School

From September, Hall School Wimbledon will house all its pupils, from ages 4 to 18, on one campus located on The Downs. This expansion will be accommodated through a brand new building providing a modern facility of four light and airy classrooms or two seminar spaces. It has been constructed with flexibility in mind, with acoustic, bi-folding doors making the space highly adaptable for a number of learning styles. The attractive development has been designed using modern, ecological materials and is clad in Western Red Cedar, providing fabulous acoustics, insulation and minimal environmental impact.

The new Junior School will offer an all-round education in small class sizes for children aged 5 -11.

Being on one site means all pupils benefit from a wealth of existing resources including an IT suite, dining room, library and art room as well as specialist staff in academia, sports and the arts.





Oberon Fields

Less than a mile away is HSW's extensive sports facility, Oberon Fields. Within this nine acre site sits a splendid pavilion, originally built in 1931, which offers an elevated view over the fields and a terrace sheltered under an extended balcony. The pavilion has been restored beyond its former glory to provide an exceptional and unique facility for the whole school community. Its beautiful 1931 clock tower presides over its large playing fields which accommodate:

- **Three full size playing pitches**
- **Tennis /netball court**
- **Cricket square**
- **Athletics track**
- **Astroturf pitch**

The outdoor space will eventually provide gardens, allotments, forest school, nature trail and plenty of outdoor learning space.

A substantial investment in the pavilion restoration includes extensive new changing facilities, large fitted kitchen, sprung floors and IT wiring which will allow the school to adapt the facility for an endless stream of learning and recreational capabilities, as well as an impressive venue for all occasions. Uses will include:

- **Shower and changing rooms for girls, boys, staff and match officials**
- **Match teas**
- **Drama studio**
- **Concert hall**
- **Dance and ballet**
- **Cookery club**
- **Exam hall**
- **Social events**
- **Gala dinners**

Autumn Open Days

If you would like to find out more about what Hall School Wimbledon can offer your child in September 2020 please join us at our Autumn Open Days:

- **Thursday 24th September - 5.30-7.00pm**
- **Saturday 10th October 9.30-11.00am**

These events will include:

- **Coffee and welcome**
- **A presentation from pupils**
- **The opportunity to chat with Headmaster, staff and pupils**
- **A full school tour with pupils**

New Sixth Form

In September, HSW will launch its brand new Sixth Form delivering its vision of becoming Wimbledon's only non-selective, co-educational all-through 5 -18 school. The Sixth Form will embrace the school's philosophy of small classes and personalised learning, alongside outstanding teaching and pastoral care.



Sixth Form students will benefit from all that HSW has to offer including fully refurbished classrooms, significant investment in technology to facilitate enhanced digital learning and the full availability of the school's new and enhanced facilities.

Students will provisionally be offered a curriculum selection of 14 A levels in a broad range of subjects including: **English Literature, Maths, Art, History, Geography, Chemistry, Biology, Religious Studies, Drama, Music, French, German, Philosophy, Ethics and Politics.**

We understand that choosing A Level subjects can be a difficult and daunting task. However our outstanding tutor team and excellent pastoral care will support students and go the extra mile, helping them at every turn. Enhanced by small classes and close working relationships with teaching staff, HSW will provide a fantastic environment for fulfilling the academic potential of Years 12 & 13.



IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN THE JUNIOR SCHOOL, SENIOR SCHOOL OR SIXTH FORM

Contact : **Head of Admissions, Suzi Abensur on 020 8394 6144 or email admissions@hsw.co.uk**

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- **Independent**
- **Co-educational**
- **Inclusive**
- **Ages 5-18**



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