

GRACE SCOTT

HEAD PUPIL

MANIFESTO



KNOX ACADEMY
2025/26

ABOUT ME

My name is Grace Scott, and I would love to be one of Knox Academy's head pupils or deposes in 2025!

Over the past five years at Knox, I have embraced a wide range of opportunities, including being a My World of Work ambassador, a dedicated member of the Pupil Council for two years, participating in the Future Assets Competition, and helping to establish Knox's new Model United Nations club.

I am a very (veryyyyy) chatty person, I can talk to anyone, and I would consider myself approachable, a skill I think would be useful in this role as I can communicate well throughout the year groups. I am a team player and a natural leader.

WHY VOTE FOR ME?

One of my genuine passions is ensuring that everyone has the opportunity to make the most of their school experience.

I'm a big advocate for recognising that not everybody learns in the same way or values the same things in school, and I believe that no matter what someone's end goal is, they should be given the tools and opportunities to succeed – whether that is academic or not.

I am part of a volunteer panel for the Scottish Government that discusses how to boost attainment in schools, specifically for those in difficult situations – I am dedicated to education equality.

I also believe that school should be fun, it should be a space where everyone feels safe, appreciated, and cared for.

KEY POLICIES

✿ Larger student voice in every year-group

I believe students across the whole school should have an opportunity to make positive changes. I will reinstate regular pupil council meetings with representatives from every year-group and establish effective teacher connections so that what people have to say is acknowledged and implemented.

✿ Making the most of our community spirit

Community is the school value that I am most committed to upholding, both in school and the wider community. I will work closely with the house captains to create more house spirit this year. I will champion for more opportunities within the local area, while having fun, such as charity dress-down days or house spirit days. I would love to hear your ideas too!

KEY POLICIES

✿ Make the school year more fun!!

Clubs and extracurricular activities can help people build important skills, qualities, and relationships. I will work to encourage more student-led initiatives, like clubs, projects, and activities.



MOST IMPORTANT THING

If there is one thing that you take away from my manifesto it is this:

I will always actively listen to what any member of the school has to say and do my best to put it into action.