



Issey Lincoln

Head pupil 2025

Manifesto

- *Ambition*
- *Respect*
- *Community*





A bit about me!

Hi, Im Issey, and I would love to be one of your head pupils for 2025/2026!

I first joined Knox 5 years ago and my time here has taught me a lot. I got introduced to new skills such as leadership and kindness. Knox has also helped me meet new people and provide a supportive environment for me to grow as a person both inside and outside of school.

During my many years at Knox I have been involved in so many opportunities! Some of which allowed me to have fun such as PGL and others let me give back to the community and school such as helping host the careers evening.

I am currently on my path to becoming a veterinary surgeon and achieving my goals! But this wouldn't have been possible without the support from Knox academy and now I have a chance to give back to our community!

Why me?

As head pupil I aim to be an approachable and familiar face, providing support as well as achieving the requests and ideas from peers.

I never back down and I am determined to find a solution to every problem! I will work closely with peers and teachers on your behalf to make a change by listening to your ideas and receiving feedback that will help develop our school into an even better place for everyone.

I also understand that school isn't the right place for everyone. There are amazing opportunities other than university and as head pupil I will ensure that no student feels alone when it comes to building their future.

If you vote for me I aim to provide a supportive and fun experience for every pupil!



My policies

- *Your future, our plan - AMBITION*
- *Peer support-RESPECT*
- *Entrepreneur evening- COMMUNITY*

Your future, our plan!

Sometimes we have no idea what to do in life! And that's okay. As head pupil I would like to introduce a development plan, working with s1-s3 to help support you in your path to your future. Crashing a subject is no fun!! And I aim to try to prevent this by setting our juniors on the best path for them.

I propose that the development plan starts in s1 with a light hearted workshop filled with some fun activities that relate to the practical applications of subjects and not just the academic side! This will start to give our pupils an idea of what sort of field of work they enjoy. Moving up into s2 I propose that senior students host a 'moving up message' during PSE, this will involve finding out more about each subject and experiences we have had as well as helping you pick the best subjects that will make your progression throughout the school easier!

The last step in the development plan is our s3 pupils. This will be exam based Mentoring from senior students, setting you guys up for s4, giving you the best chance in all your exams.



Peer support!

As a student myself I understand that sometimes teacher and peer relationships don't go as smoothly as we would all like, speaking to a teacher to seek support is always advised but isn't always what students want. (no one wants to be a grass)

I propose that a series of s6 and s4 ambassadors run a peer support group, where students from all year groups can speak to us privately. It will be a safe space, allowing for concerns about bullying, friendships and relationships with teachers to be spoken about without the impact of telling a teacher!

Here I aim to provide a group of friendly, approachable faces that will help students to seek advice and not feel so alone when struggling with any aspect in school. Working together and forming friendships that allow us to tackle the problem and come out the other end even stronger.

I will be working closely alongside Mr Welsh to incorporate MVP and be the face of our peer support.

Together we can build resilience and confidence when you need it most.

Entrepreneur Evening and house points!

We all know Dragons Den, the show where groups of people pitch to investors to help with their business. Well Mr Flood and the amazing business department run an s3 dragons den and I propose we open this event up and make it even better!

Owning your own business is something that many people think of achieving, but sometimes the steps to actually achieving this goal seem so unclear. By hosting an event that allows for groups to work together to come up with an idea, build a business plan and design a prototype gives you an amazing opportunity to have a shot at the first few steps of achieving this dream. The evening would work by giving each group a stand which allows for them to present their idea and prototype, parents would then be welcomed into the school and can purchase an 'investment ticket'. Once they have walked around and spoken to each group they then 'invest' in a group of their choice. The winning group will win a prize as well as awarding their house with house points!!

All purchases of investment tickets will be donated to charity.