

## Message from the Principal



**Mrs Dinah Hawtree**  
POWIIS Principal

**Dear POWIIS Community,**

I hope you are well. With the vaccine roll out now in full swing, the MCO lifted, and all students able to return to face to face lessons from Monday, it is really starting to feel like there is light at the end of the tunnel.

Thank you to all those readers who sent me such positive feedback regarding all the changes and developments that I announced in last month's Pulse - it's reassuring to know so many people read the Pulse!

I promised last month that I would announce the new House Leaders as soon as they were finalised, and I can now confirm these as follows:

Cornwall - Ms Holly Northwood  
Durham - Mr Edwin Lim  
Glamorgan - Mr J Dean  
Kent - Mr Matt Peak  
Rutland - Ms Virginie Galy  
Somerset - Ms Geok Lan Ker

The role of the new House Leaders is quite different to the role of the current House Masters. House Leaders will work with our newly appointed Assistant Principal, Mr Hodge, on developing an exciting programme of house events and the new house point system. They will also work closely with the designated student House Captains to support all the students in their houses, and to develop house spirit.

I will continue to share news regarding our plans for next year in future issues as these plans are finalised. In the meantime, we look forward to welcoming Years 7 - 10 back to school on Monday, and to beginning the steady journey back to 'normality'.

Have a lovely weekend,

Mrs Dinah Hawtree  
Principal



New Roles for September 2021 -  
Assistant Principal (Mr Samuel Hodge)



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## News & Events

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POWIIS Primary Year 6 Transition Talk with Mrs Hawtree



Race4Good video



DEC within POWIIS curriculum



Congratulations to Tiffany Ang



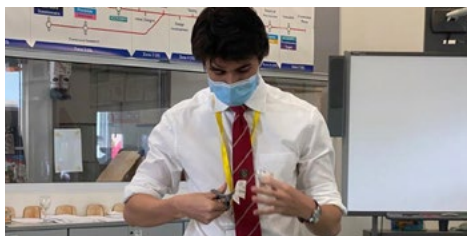
Gong Xi Fa Cai from POWIIS



Wishing everyone a Happy Lunar New Year



POWIIS is chosen as a finalist of 2020 The Star's #StandTogether for Kindness Campaign



Update from Eco committee



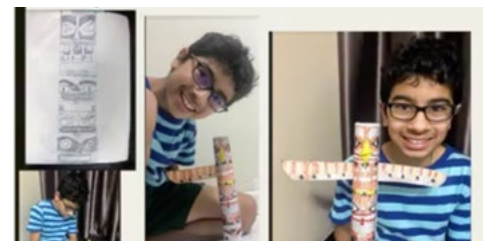
POWIIS Likes to Give Back - Thank you!



POWIIS Talks - Understanding the benefits of A Levels vs IBDP



John Hewitt - Head of Sixth Form



Year 7 students - History Online Learning



Year 11 students recording their music coursework for the ICCE



POWIIS Virtual Open Day March 2021



World Book Day

## Important Dates in March 2021

5-7	March	Malaysian National Schools Debate Championships
21	March	MIDP-POWIIS Penang Debate
22	March	Y12's Parents' Consultation Evening
25	March	POWIIS Primary Eco Team Visit (TBC)
27	March	POWIIS Ball @ G Hotel

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