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Dear parents and guardians

RE: Leadership Legacy Project Launch

I am excited to inform you about a new student leadership programme here at Prince William School. Through effective character education and leadership opportunities, '**The Leadership Legacy Project**' will give students the opportunity to lead others to success, create effective and meaningful change leave a lasting impact on our school and wider community. These opportunities will equip our students with the resilience and ambition needed to take on leadership opportunities in both further education and careers.

The Leadership Legacy project offers all students the chance to apply to the following four leadership boards.

- **Student Ambition Board** promotes aspiration, leadership, and student success across the school. Members act as role models, represent PWS at key events, and work closely with school leaders to help shape school improvement and student wellbeing. Students also lead a mentoring programme across all key stages, supporting younger pupils both within PWS and our feeder primary schools.
- **The Community Social Action Board**, is dedicated to making a positive difference in the local community and beyond. Students lead charitable initiatives, fundraising events, and environmental projects, while working with local organisations and the PFA to support meaningful causes and strengthen community links.
- **The Culture and Arts Board**, plays a leading role in enriching school life through creativity, events, and cultural experiences. Members help organise and promote exhibitions, performances, productions, and whole-school events, including key celebrations such as PWS Culture Day and the annual school musical. Students champion student talent and creativity while helping to create engaging experiences that bring the school community together. The board also promotes an inclusive culture where different backgrounds, perspectives, and talents are recognised, valued, and celebrated across the PWS community.
- **The Sporting Leaders Board**, promotes teamwork, resilience, and leadership through sport. Students help organise sporting events, house competitions, and extracurricular opportunities, while encouraging participation, mentoring younger pupils, and representing PWS within the wider community. This board is given opportunities to coach and understands the benefit of sportsmanship on developing character.

Students will next week receive information regarding the leadership opportunities and further information and support in applying will be offered in the coming weeks. Applications will open on 11th May (by written application), with the **final deadline for submission on Friday 22nd of May**. Students will be supported in their application with targeted form time support, drop-in sessions and coaching. Interviews will then take place **WC June 1st** with successful appointments announced shortly after. Those students successfully appointed will be part of



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the Leadership Legacy Project for the academic year 26-27, beginning with our inaugural **Leadership Legacy Conference** taking place on **October 1st**. We will be inviting parents to celebrate the appointment of those successful on the evening of the **23rd June** where students will be awarded their Leadership Legacy Project badges.

Students may apply to multiple boards but **if successful can only occupy a position on one board at any one time.**

We strongly encourage students to apply and encourage you to have conversations with your students about what this opportunity could mean for them. Being part of the project promises to be an invaluable opportunity for personal growth and leadership development.

If you have any questions or need further information, please feel free to contact me.

Thank you for your continued support.

Many Thanks

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Laura Stewart'.

Laura Stewart
Deputy Head



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