CRANMORE

INDEPENDENT DAY SCHOOL

SCHOOL STAFF ACADEMIC YEAR 2023-2024

Executive Director – Mr M Farmer BA (Hons), PGCE Headmaster – Mr B Everitt BSc, MEd, PGCE Deputy Head (Academic) – Mr J Pulford BSc (Hons), PGCE Assistant Head (Pastoral) – Ms J Schembri BA (Hons), PGCE

Academic Staff

Mr A Afana BSc (Hons), PGCE, QTS - Head of ICT & Computing Mr M Barson PGCE – Physical Education, Head of Skiing Miss M Bayley BSc (Hons), MSc (Oxon), PGCE - Head of Geography Senior School Mrs A Bowen PGCE - Lower Prep English and Science Coordinator Mrs C Buchholtz BEd – Teaching Assistant Mrs C Buckle BA, QTS - Lower Prep French Mrs S Calpin – Swimming Mrs | Carpenter BA, PGCE – Lower Prep PSHE Coordinator Mrs N Castle BA (Hons) (Dunelm) - English Mr M Chapman BA, PGCE – Acting Head of English Senior School Mrs I Chan – Nursery Assistant Mrs C Conlan BEd (Hons), MA, DipSpLD – Mathematics Mr D Cox BA (Hons), QTS - Head of PE, Head of Lower Prep Sport, Head of Football Mr R Cross BA, MA, PGCE – Head of History Mrs A Davies BA (Hons), MA (Kings College), PGCE - Head of Chemistry Senior School Mrs L Dowlman BPS RQTU MA (Distinction) Special & Inclusive Education, BA Edu, QTS – Head of Learning Support (SENCO) Mr A Down BSc (Exon), PGCE - Head of Cricket, Head of Hockey, Clubs Coordinator Mr C Doyle-Davidson BSc, PGCE – Head of Geography, CCF Coordinator Miss C Ebdy BA (Hons), PGCE, QTS – Head of Modern Foreign Languages, Duke of Edinburgh Award Coordinator Mr B Everitt BSc MEd PGCE – Reasoning Miss E Fagan BSc, HDip Education – Head of Mathematics Upper Prep School Mrs L-A Fletcher-Irving BA (Hons), CACHE Level 3 - Early Years Practitioner Miss R Freeman BA, QTS – Lower Prep Maths Coordinator Mrs C Green BA, PGCE – Assistant Head of Lower Prep, English (on maternity leave) Mrs I Green BA (Hons), MA, QTS - Latin Mrs H Hanson BA, PGCE – Head of Drama Mr R Harris BA (Hons), LGSM – Director of Music Ms F Hart MA (Oxon), PGCE – Mathematics, Assessment Tracking Coordinator Mr T Heaver BSc, MSc (Oxon), PGCE, CCRS – Religious Studies Mrs E Hobson CWDC Level 3 – Pre-Nursery Lead, Swimming Mr P Hodgson BA, MA, PGCE - Executive Director of Sport Miss L Horn BA – Music Teaching Assistant Mr S House BSc (Hons), Level 2 Rowing Coaching - Head of Rowing, Strength & Conditioning Miss I Hurl BA (Hons), PGCE, QTS – Reception Teacher Mrs J Hurst – Early Years Assistant Mr S Jakubowski BA (Hons) – RE, Chaplain Mrs C Jones BA (Hons) (Dunelm), PGCE - English Mr W Lamport BA, PGCE – English Mrs C Lebus-Smith BEd, OCR Level 5 Dip SpLD – Learning Support Miss H Loader – Early Years Practitioner Ms M Luke BA, CWDC Level 3 – Head of Nursery Miss H Marsden BSc, PGCE, OCR Level 7 Dip – Learning Support Mrs M Mauvis BA (Hons), PGCE - Mathematics Mr C McGhee BA (Hons), PGCE, QTS - Head of Design and Technology Mr S Minikin BSc, PGCE - Head of Science Miss I Moore BA, PGCE – Physical Education, Cross Country Mrs C Mort BA (Hons), PGCE, QTS, OCR Level 7 SpLD – Learning Support Mrs A Neale – Teaching Assistant Mrs R Norris BA (Hons) – Lower Prep Teacher Mrs B O'Neill BA, PGCE - Reception - Year 3 Teacher Mr F O'Neill BA (Hons), QTS – Head of Football, PSHE, Science Miss K Parsons DPP Childcare – Teaching Assistant Mr M Peach BA, QTS - Lower Prep ICT Coordinator Mr C Pierce BA (Hons) (Cantab), PGCE, QTS - Head of Religious Studies

Head of Prep – Mr T Heaver BSc, MSc (Oxon), PGCE, CCRS Head of Lower Prep – Miss S Gallop BA (Hons), PGCE Director of Finance – Mrs C Minikin BA, ACA

Mrs D Porcel Martin BA (Hons) CAP – Head of Spanish Mrs L Prothero BA (Hons), QTS - Head of Early Years Mr | Pulford BSc (Hons), PGCE - Mathematics Mr M Rahman BSc (Hons), MSc (Hons), PGCE, QTS - Head of Biology Mrs S Remke HigherCert (Education) - Teaching Assistant Mr P Roberts BA (Hons), PGCE, QTS - Music Mrs R Roberts BSc (Hons), MBA, QTS, OCR Level 5 Dip SpLD Learning Support Mr D Roberts BA (Hons), PGCE - Assistant Head of MFL, French and Spanish Mrs C Rossi CWDC Level 3 – Early Years Practitioner Miss O Ruddock MA - Teaching Assistant Mrs F Sanders BA (Hons) PGCE - Head of Art Mrs E Sanderson CACHE Level 3 - Early Years Practitioner Mr C Savvides BA (Hons), PGCE (Oxon), QTS – Head of Mathematics Senior School Ms J Schembri BA (Hons), PGCE, QTS - French Mrs A Sherazee NVQ Level 3 - Teaching Assistant Ms C Sinclair BEd (Hons) – Lower Prep RE & Assessment Coordinator Mrs H Smith – Teaching Assistant Mrs R Spooner BA, QTS – French Mrs N Stefano DE Primary Education, HDE Junior Primary Education Cape Town, QTS – Lower Prep Teacher Mrs A Stevens BA – Teaching Assistant Mrs J Thornton BMus, DipABRSM, PGCert, LTCL, ATCL, PGCE - Music (on maternity leave) Mrs H Tindale MA (Cantab), QTS - Geography Mrs R Varney BA (Hons), PGCE - History Dr A Verny White BEng, PhD, PGCE - Head of Prep Science Mrs S Watkinson BA (Dunelm) – Librarian Mrs A Watts CACHE Level 3 Dip - Early Years Practitioner Mrs D Whiting BA (Hons) – Nursery Lead Mr S Williams BSc (Hons), PGCE, QTS – Physical Education Miss S Yeates Level 5, ELSA - Learning Support School Nurses: Mrs K Berry RGN, Mrs P Smith RGN School Counsellor: Ms N Kennesion (Valley Trust Counselling Service)

Admissions and Marketing

Mrs A Charles – Director of Admissions Mrs N Menzies – Director of Marketing & Communications/ PA to the Executive Director Mrs R Cope BSc, MSc – Admissions Officer Mrs G Snowden – Admissions Assistant Miss K Gresham – Marketing Apprentice Mr M Bradford – Videographer Administration

Mrs S Kang BSc, ACTA – Headmaster's PA Miss L McCambridge – Operations and HR Assistant Mrs S Codd – School Secretary Mrs A Glover BA (Hons) – School Secretary Mr G Allen – iSAMS Administrator Mr D Hennegan – IT Support Manager **Finance**

Mrs C Minikin BA, ACA – Director of Finance

Mrs D Hayward BA, ACA – Accountant

Mrs C Norris BTS, AAT, ACCA – Fees Ledger Controller

Mrs S Kimble – Senior Finance Assistant

Mrs J de Voil NVQ Level 2, Laser Learning Award (Spld) Level 3

– Finance Assistant

Mrs B Krige BSc, PGCE, Bookkeeping Certification – Finance Assistant

Mrs S Morrison – Finance Assistant

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Maintenance

Mr M Mellstrom NDA – Facilities and Grounds Supervisor Mr R Clayton – Assistant Facilities and Grounds Supervisor, Health and Safety Mr A Smith – Head Groundsman Mr R Kimble – Maintenance Assistant Mr A Saggese Lanzone Turchi MSc – Caretaker

Transport/Cleaning

Mr S Lewis – Cleaning and Minibus Supervisor

Catering

Mr G Harvey (Catering Manager, Harrisons), Mr J Henson (Area Manager, Harrisons)

Laboratory Technician

Mrs A Stewart BSc (Hons), MSc by Research in Biological Sciences

Peripatetic Music Staff

Mrs T Affonso BMus, MMus – Piano Mrs S Barnes BMus, PGC, RSAMD, PGCE – Cello/Double Bass Mrs K Brewster GRSM, LRAM – Oboe Mr T Caister GRSM, ARCM – French Hom Ms N Daly ARCM, GRSM – Recorder Miss L Dubery BMus, TCM, TCM (Adv) – Bassoon Mrs S Geddes BA, LGSM – Piano Mrs N Haysted BA – Saxophone/Clarinet Miss B Hull BMus (Hons) – Violin/Viola Mrs J Mallin MA, ATCL – Piano Mrs E Millar BA – Flute Mrs D Morley BMus – Singing Mr R Price ARCM – Brass Mr P Rayner BMus (Hons) – Drums Mr D Smith AGSM Dip – Guitar Mrs S Weston BMus, GRSM, ARMCM, PGCE – Piano

THE CRANMORE CURRICULUM 2023-2024

At Cranmore we are passionate about rounded education. We offer a wide curriculum focusing on the development of children in the whole, promoting personal development, academic excellence and fostering individual talents.

Pupils at Cranmore enjoy an impressive range of extracurricular activities in outstanding facilities. The list is long and varied and continually reviewed to reflect current trends. From Year I pupils may have individual music tuition with expert peripatetic teachers. Before and after school care is available for families who require extended care.

PREP CURRICULUM

Reception to Year 3 Curriculum

Our aim is to build an excellent foundation and foster a positive attitude towards learning for all pupils. Core subjects are taught by class teachers with opportunities for more challenging or guided work to ensure that all pupils achieve their potential. Science and humanities are taught through varied and engaging topic based learning looking at local communities and global ones, past and present. ICT is integral to the curriculum with a dedicated ICT suite for Prep pupils. Tablets and virtual reality headsets are also available in class to enhance understanding.

Children benefit from immersed experiences through external trips and visiting experts. Specialist staff teach Sport, Music and French providing children with the best opportunity to learn from professionals in these subjects. All year groups enjoy the great outdoors when they visit our Forest School.

Years 4 to 6 Curriculum

Subject specialists are predominantly used to teach from Year 4. In Science, the subjects of Biology, Chemistry and Physics are taught separately from Year 6.

YEAR 4

Art, Design Technology, Drama, English, French, Geography, History, Mathematics, Music, PE, PSHE, Religious Studies, Science

YEARS 5 & 6

Art, Computing, Design Technology, Drama, English, French, Geography, History, Mathematics, Music, PE, PSHE, Reasoning, Religious Studies, Science

SENIOR CURRICULUM

In addition to the below, opportunities exist for study beyond the standard curriculum through lectures, extension activities and the Renaissance Project for the most able pupils in Year 7.

YEARS 7, 8 & 9

Art, Computing, Design Technology, Drama, English, French, Geography, History, Latin, Mathematics, Music, PE, PSHE, Religious Studies, Science, Spanish

YEARS 10 & 11

Full details of the GCSE curriculum can be found in the GCSE Course Guide (www.cranmore.org/senior/gcse-subjects/).

All students follow a compulsory curriculum of core GCSE examination subjects and non-examination subjects, together with three options.

CORE GCSE EXAMINATION SUBJECTS

- English Language
- English Literature
- Mathematics
 - Dual Award Science
 - A Modern Foreign Language (French or Spanish)
 - Religious Studies

Options are chosen from a list of twelve further subjects:

Art & Design – Fine Art, Computer Science, Design and Technology, Drama, French, Geography, History, Latin, Music, Physical Education, Spanish, Triple Science (Biology, Chemistry, Physics as discrete subjects)