



University  
Academy  
Keighley

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## An Update from the Principal



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### Are you...



#### Pen/pencil

- Pen for written work.
- Pencil for diagrams and graphs.

#### Ruler

- Use a ruler for tables, labels and graphs.

#### Oops

- If you make a mistake draw a single line through it.

#### Underline

- Underline titles and dates.

#### Date

- Give your work a date.

of your work?

## Memorial for Mr Dawkins

It was with deep sadness and shock that we learned of the sudden death of Mr Gareth Dawkins.



Mr Dawkins was known to many in the local Keighley community, first as the Deputy Headteacher at Greenhead High School, and more recently as the Executive Principal at University Academy Keighley. Mr Dawkins was a man of great integrity and was committed to raising educational standards in Keighley.

Nadira Mirza, Chair of Governors, stated that "He was a well known, wise and valued colleague who would be sorely missed by governors, staff, students and families in Keighley."

A Memorial Service for Mr Dawkins will be held on Wednesday, 30th November 2016 from 3.30pm at Bradford Cathedral, all are welcome to attend.

To allow staff, students, their families and members of the community to attend this Memorial Service, the Academy will be closing at 12.10pm on Wednesday 30th November as a mark of respect for Mr Dawkins. For more details, please see our website.

Bernie Addison.  
Principal.

## Homework = Independent Learning = Success!

We have introduced some new initiatives here at UAK to help students produce the best work that they can in order to achieve the highest grades.

*PROUD* helps students understand the importance of presentation and organisation so that students can easily revise from their work.

















We have also been doing a lot of work around 'Show My Homework'. Just as a reminder students can access Show My Homework from the 'Pupil' or 'Parent' menus on the Academy's website [www.uak.org.uk](http://www.uak.org.uk). In addition you can access it through a search for [www.showmyhomework.co.uk](http://www.showmyhomework.co.uk). Following the login instructions, selecting the **Google+** symbol will make it much easier to login next time.



Parents can login into the system too. You can see what homework students are expected to be working on and what has been set by their teachers. If you have attended any of our Parents' Evenings you will have been given a login but please do not hesitate to contact us if you have not received yours.

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## Welcome to Our New Staff!

Miss Akhtar. Cover Supervisor.		Miss Chadha. Teacher of History.	
Miss Cooper. BSU Manager, Teaching & Learning Assistant.		Mrs Corbishley. Teacher of English.	
Mr Corbishley. Teaching & Learning Assistant.		Mrs Graham. Family & Community Worker.	
Miss Hammond. Receptionist & Administrative Assistant.		Mr Harvey-Hill. Operations Manager.	
Mrs Lynam. Teaching & Learning Assistant.		Mr Nadeem. Teacher of Geography.	
Mr Narayn-Lee. Teaching & Learning Assistant.		Miss Onitiri. Teacher of Art.	
Mr Qadir. Maths Intervention Worker.		Mr Scholes. Teacher of Mathematics.	
Miss Sheriff. Kitchen Assistant.		Miss Tutton. Teacher of Mathematics.	
Miss Zeb. Administration Assistant (Finance).			

## Coming Up.

The Academy is closed for the Christmas break from 2.55pm Friday, 16th December and re-opens on Tuesday, 3rd January 2017.

We have lots of news and stories to share with you and to find out more you can visit our website [www.uak.org.uk](http://www.uak.org.uk), here you can download the latest Newsletters and see our archived stories as well as our current stories.

- \* Children in Need, Charity Party.
- \* Memorial for Mr Dawkins.
- \* The Madrid Trip Gallery.
- \* Progression Module Graduation for Year 13.

You can also follow us on our Twitter page @UAK1



Year 7 enjoy road safety on a Truck & Cycle Day



Taking in the view on our Madrid Trip



Exploring the world via Google Expeditions

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