



## **Letter to Families, Staff and Governors**

### **Mr Max Haimendorf receives OBE for Services to Education**

**10 October 2020**

It is with great pride that we share the news with the entire KSA community that Mr Haimendorf has received an OBE in the Queen's Birthday Honours List for Services to Education.

Mr Haimendorf was the youngest Head Teacher in the country when he was appointed as the Principal of KSA Secondary in 2008. From the beginning, he had a clear vision: to provide pupils in this community with a high quality, in depth and broad education at a standard that would enable every student to pursue university education. Max has never wavered from his vision and has worked tirelessly to create an Outstanding School.

Mr Haimendorf became All Through Principal in 2016 as well as Executive Principal of Ark Paddington Green Primary Academy, and he continues to lead the integration of the schools as well as a major building project to ensure our community has top notch facilities for the future.

Mr Haimendorf's commitment to the pupils, families and staff of KSA is apparent every day. Despite the challenges of a merger and of COVID he continues to lead our school with the well being of all in mind. Max fervently believes every pupil can achieve, no matter their circumstances. That belief permeates every aspect of KSA.

We are so proud of what Max and all of you have achieved. Congratulations, Mr Haimendorf, and thank you.

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Chair and Vice Chair of Governors  
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