



**September 2026**

# HELSEBY HIGH SCHOOL STAFF 2026-27

*Please find below details of the staff at Helsby High School. Should you wish to contact a member of the team please email using their initial, surname and @helsbyhigh.org (e.g. [rdixon@helsbyhigh.org](mailto:rdixon@helsbyhigh.org) )*

## Senior Leadership Team

|                              |                                  |
|------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Mr M Hill (MHL)              | Headteacher                      |
| Mrs S Warburton (SWA)        | Senior Deputy Headteacher        |
| Mr I Duffell (IDU)           | Deputy Headteacher               |
| Dr A Pritchard Roberts (APR) | Deputy Headteacher               |
| Mrs V Cross (VCR)            | Director of Sixth Form           |
| Mr R Davies (RDA)            | Assistant Headteacher            |
| Mrs G Walker (GWA)           | Assistant Headteacher and SENDCo |
| Mr R Dixon (RDI)             | School Business Manager          |

## Extended Leadership Team

|                      |                                             |
|----------------------|---------------------------------------------|
| Mr J Callaghan (JCA) | Department Leader – PSHE and Careers Lead   |
| Mrs L Crammond (LCR) | Department Leader – MFL and Enrichment Lead |
| Ms W Dannan (WDA)    | Department Leader - Science                 |
| Mr T Probert (TPR)   | Department Leader – Mathematics             |
| Mrs C Taylor (CTA)   | Department Leader – English                 |

## Pastoral Leadership Team

|                       |                                                                   |
|-----------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Mr R Davies (RDA)     | Assistant Headteacher and Progress and Pastoral Leader for Year 7 |
| Miss N Kavanagh (NKA) | Progress and Pastoral Leader for Year 9                           |
| Miss N Ryan (NRY)     | Progress and Pastoral Leader for Year 10                          |
| Miss K Smith (KSM)    | Progress and Pastoral Leader for Year 11                          |
| Mr M Griffin (MGR)    | Progress and Pastoral Leader for Year 8                           |

## Pastoral Support Team

|                      |                                         |
|----------------------|-----------------------------------------|
| Mrs J Young (JYO)    | Student Support Coordinator for Year 7  |
| Mr H Parkes (HPA)    | Student Support Coordinator for Year 8  |
| Mrs A Anderson (AAN) | Student Support Coordinator for Year 9  |
| Miss E Dowling (EDW) | Student Support Coordinator for Year 10 |
| Dr R Phillips (RPH)  | Student Support Coordinator for Year 11 |
| Miss E Jones         | Behaviour Teaching Assistant            |

Miss A Brawn (ABN)  
Mrs L Nixon (LNI)  
Mrs K Lowe (KLO)

Pastoral Administrator  
Education Welfare and Attendance Officer  
Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead

## Department Leadership Team

Mrs S Ray (SRA)  
Mrs K Lindop (KLI)

Mrs N Eastwood (NEA)  
Mrs C Taylor (CTA)  
Mr A Mellors (AME)  
Mrs J Lowe (JLO)  
Mr T Probert (TPR)  
Mrs L Crammond (LCR)  
Mrs C Ratcliffe (CRA)  
Mr P Park (PPA)  
Ms W Dannan (WDA)  
Mrs P Joyce (PJO)  
Mr J Callaghan (JCA)

Department Leader for Art and Photography  
Department Leader – Business Studies, Computing & Economics  
Faculty Leader for Design Technology  
Department Leader for English and Media  
Department Leader for Geography  
Department Leader for History  
Department Leader for Maths  
Department Leader for Modern Foreign Languages  
Department Leader for Expressive Arts  
Department Leader for PE  
Department Leader for Science  
Department Leader for Social Sciences  
Department Leader for PHSE

## Learning Support Team

Mrs G Walker (GWA)  
Mr M Lawless (MLA)  
Mr M Arthur (MAR)  
Mrs S Chow (SCH)  
Mrs G Newman (GNE)  
Mrs N Bailey-Dickson (NDI)  
Mrs D Burden (DBU)  
Mrs D Jones (DJO)  
Mrs E Edwards (EED)  
Mrs R Habebe (RHA)  
Mrs A King (AKI)  
Mrs M Lucke (MLU)  
Mrs S Lukito (SLU)  
Mrs R Wilson (RWI)  
Miss R Manning (RMA)

SENDCo  
Assistant SENDCo  
Teacher  
Higher Level Teaching Assistant  
Higher Level Teaching Assistant  
Higher Level Teaching Assistant  
Lead Teaching Assistant  
Lead Teaching Assistant  
Teaching Assistant  
Teaching Assistant  
Teaching Assistant  
Teaching Assistant  
Teaching Assistant  
Teaching Assistant  
SEND Administrator

## Departments

### Art & Photography

Mrs S Ray (SRA)  
Miss H Adams (HAD)  
Mrs V Cross (VCR)  
Miss N R Garside (NGA)  
Mrs J Mallinson (JMN)

Department Leader  
  
Director of Sixth Form

## **Business Studies, Computing & Economics (BCE)**

|                       |                                      |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Mrs K Lindop (KLI)    | Department Leader – BCE              |
| Mr M Davies (MDA)     | Deputy Department Leader - Computing |
| Mrs N Turner (NTU)    |                                      |
| Mr M Griffin (MGR)    | Progress and Pastoral Leader         |
| Miss N Kavanagh (NKA) | Progress and Pastoral Leader         |

## **Design Technology**

|                      |                       |
|----------------------|-----------------------|
| Mrs N Eastwood (NEA) | Faculty Leader        |
| Mr A Kelly (AKE)     | Deputy Faculty Leader |
| Mrs C Cross (CCR)    |                       |
| Mrs S Gilbert (SGI)  |                       |
| Mrs K Owen (KOW)     |                       |

## **English**

|                            |                                |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Mrs C Taylor (CTA)         | Department Leader              |
| Dr M Matthews (MMS)        | Deputy Department Leader       |
| Mrs R McGovern (RMC)       | Subject Leader – Media Studies |
| Mrs J Middlemiss (JMI)     | Assistant Department Leader    |
| Miss A Barlow (ABA)        |                                |
| Mrs E Dunn (EDU)           |                                |
| Miss K Edwards (KED)       |                                |
| Mrs K Foulder (KFO)        |                                |
| Miss L Harrison (LHA)      |                                |
| Miss L Middleton (LMI/LMN) |                                |

## **Geography**

|                    |                              |
|--------------------|------------------------------|
| Mr A Mellors (AME) | Department Leader            |
| Miss E Gawne (EGA) |                              |
| Mr P D Howe (PHO)  |                              |
| Miss K Smith (KSM) | Progress and Pastoral Leader |

## **History**

|                     |                   |
|---------------------|-------------------|
| Mrs J Lowe (JLO)    | Department Leader |
| Ms L Barnes (LBA)   |                   |
| Mrs H Barnett (HBA) |                   |
| Miss B Kay (BKA)    |                   |

## **Mathematics**

|                         |                             |
|-------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Mr T Probert (TPR)      | Department Leader           |
| Mrs N Ramage (NRA)      | Deputy Department Leader    |
| Miss D Whitby (DWH)     | Assistant Department Leader |
| Miss L Henshall (LHL)   |                             |
| Mrs A Hughes (AHU)      |                             |
| Mrs R Jackson (RJA)     |                             |
| Mrs N Newsham (NNE)     |                             |
| Miss L Roughsedge (LRE) |                             |
| Miss N Stamper (NST)    |                             |

## Modern Foreign Languages

|                                 |                          |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Mrs L Crammond (LCR)            | Department Leader        |
| Ms K Snowden (KSN)              | Deputy Department Leader |
| Mr I Duffell (IDU)              | Deputy Headteacher       |
| Mrs K Farrell (KFA)             |                          |
| Mrs C Garratt (CGA)             |                          |
| Mrs R Tessier-Lemoyne (RTE/RTL) |                          |

## Performing Arts

|                       |                          |
|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| Mrs C Ratcliffe (CRA) | Department Leader        |
| Mr H Graham (HGR)     | Deputy Department Leader |
| Mr J Rowland (JRD)    | Drums Tutor              |
| Mr D Tolley (DTO)     |                          |
| Mrs G Walker (GWA)    | Assistant Headteacher    |

## Physical Education

|                     |                          |
|---------------------|--------------------------|
| Mr P Park (PPA)     | Department Leader - PE   |
| Miss R Clarke (RCL) | Deputy Department Leader |
| Mr M Bennett (MBE)  |                          |
| Miss M Kay (MKA)    |                          |
| Mr J Price (JPR)    |                          |

## Science

|                              |                               |
|------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Ms W Dannan (WDA)            | Department Leader - Science   |
| Mrs D Collier-Jones (DCO)    | Subject Leader – Physics      |
| Mr A Strowbridge (AST)       | Subject Leader - Biology      |
| Mr D Sykes (DSY)             | KS3 Science Leader            |
| Mrs E Dawson (EDA)           |                               |
| Mr G Clarke (GCL)            |                               |
| Mr C Owen (CRO)              |                               |
| Dr R Parkes (RPA)            |                               |
| Miss R Penketh (RPE)         | (Maternity Leave)             |
| Dr A Pritchard Roberts (APR) | Deputy Headteacher            |
| Mrs J Robinson (JRO)         | Deputy Director of Sixth Form |
| Mr T Shipley (TSH)           |                               |
| Mrs S Warburton (SWA)        | Senior Deputy Headteacher     |

## Social Sciences

|                     |                            |
|---------------------|----------------------------|
| Mrs P Joyce (PJO)   | Department Leader          |
| Mrs N Barrett (NBA) | Deputy Department Leader   |
| Mr M Lawless (MLA)  | Assistant SENDCo           |
| Miss F Ryan (NRY)   | Progress & Pastoral Leader |

## PHSE

|                       |                                                      |
|-----------------------|------------------------------------------------------|
| Mr J Callaghan (JCA)  | Department Leader                                    |
| Miss L Harrison (LHA) | Deputy Department Leader                             |
| Mr R Davies (RDA)     | Assistant Headteacher & Progress and Pastoral Leader |

# Support Team

Mr R Dixon (RDI)  
Mrs L Turner (LTU)

School Business Manager  
HR & Office Manager and PA to the Headteacher

## Curriculum Support & Cover

Miss S Blanchard (JCF)  
Mrs J Clayton (JCL)  
Miss N Dennard (NDE)  
Mrs J Godden (JGO)  
Mrs H Omari (HOM)

Cover Supervisor (part-time)  
Cover Supervisor  
Cover Supervisor  
Exams and Data Officer  
Curriculum Support Manager

## Finance Office

Miss D Robinson (DRO)  
Mrs H Till (HTI)

Resources Manager  
Finance Officer

## Learning Resource Centre

Miss V Pattison (VPA)

Learning Resource Centre Manager

## Maintenance Team & Mid-Day Assistants

Mr H Woodfine (HWO)  
Mr J Banks (JBA)  
Mr I Bratby (IBR)  
Mr A Donaldson (ADO)  
Mrs E Ecclestone (EEC)  
Mrs A Ireland (AIR)

Facilities Manager  
Senior Maintenance Officer  
Maintenance Officer  
Caretaker  
Mid-day assistant  
Mid-day assistant

## Reception

Mrs D Bailey (DBA)  
Mrs H Roche (HRO)

## Reprographics & ICT

Mrs K Edwards (KES)  
IT Support

Reprographics & Resources Technician  
[ictsupport@helsbyhigh.org](mailto:ictsupport@helsbyhigh.org)

## Sixth Form & Marketing and Community

Mrs A Cook (ACO)  
Mrs K Houghton (KHO)

## **Technicians**

Mr J Cole (JCO)

Mrs C Jones (CJO)

Mrs F Gibbs (FGI)

Mrs Y Owen (YOW)

Mrs K Roberts (KRO)

DT Technician

Science Technician

Senior Science Technician

Art Technician

Food Technology Technician

\*Four employees of the school have a gross salary, including pension benefits, which exceed £100,000 per annum.