

Vocational

Pastoral Support



RUNSHAW COLLEGE

Progress Mentors

The role of the Progress Mentor is a combined one, covering that of a Learning Mentor and a Personal Tutor. They are dedicated to tutorial responsibilities and pastoral support and guidance, playing a key part in supporting students. Progress Mentors deliver the personal tutorial curriculum and conduct regular one-to-one reviews.



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Liaison with other College Services

The Progress Mentor Team work closely with other colleagues including Student Services, The Wellbeing Hub, Additional Learning Support, the Library and Study Zones to ensure that there is a coordinated approach to the care and support we provide for our students.

Enrichment

We also work closely with the Enrichment Team whom manage the college's extra-curriculum enrichment programme. We strongly advise students to participate in these. They range from fun activities like 5-a-side football to the very prestigious Duke of Edinburgh's Awards.

We also encourage students to participate in the enrichment activities organised by their subjects, e.g. trips, talks, clubs. As well as enhancing their time at Runshaw, they provide the experiences and help develop the personal skills valued by higher education and employers.



Our Parent and Carers handbook can be found on our website:

<https://www.runshaw.ac.uk/wp-content/uploads/2024/07/CR-5241-Parent-Carers-Guardians-Handbook-July-2024.pdf>

Deputy & Assistant Principals



Martin Rigby
Deputy Principal



Matt Barr
Assistant Principal

Head of Studies

A Head of Studies is the 'student champion'; they manage the student experience at college in a wide variety of ways working collaboratively with support services, Heads of School and their teams.



Kelly Jones
Pre-Advanced Head of Studies



Paula Gardner
Advanced Head of Studies



Wendy Gaskin
Advanced Head of Studies

The Heads of Studies lead pastoral support and the tutorial curriculum and are the team responsible for our formal disciplinary procedures.

All Heads of Studies are responsible for quality and can be contacted directly if you have any concerns about your son/daughter/wards' progress on their course.



The **Progress Hub** is located in the Mardale Building, Room M008

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