



# BCA Parent Newsletter

## BCA VALUES



# Discovering, caring and growing together

Learning is underpinned by the acquisition and understanding of personal values such as respect, wellbeing and mindfulness. These values are presented in our BCA assemblies, and they are introduced into lessons and discussed regularly. Children's values are recognised and rewarded to encourage their development.

The acquisition of values is key to establishing a calm, purposeful atmosphere in the school and to create positive relationships throughout the school community. The same values are modelled by the staff who establish warm relationships with the children.

BCA has in place a set of core values that underpin the vision of the school. We believe that values education is an integral part of our school and as such needs to be clearly reflected in school policies. These core values are the cornerstone on which we build our vision and underpin all that we do.

At BCA we have a commitment to provide a safe, caring and supportive environment that focuses on the needs and emotional well being of all students.







# CYGNETS

## To be creative and inventive

Creative  
Artistic  
Imaginative  
Original  
Innovative  
Ingenuous  
Inspired





# PENGUINS



## To be creative and inventive



*Alphabet in nature  
Outdoor learning  
Natural elements*







OWLS

To be kind  
and helpful



Generous  
Giving  
Warmhearted  
Soft  
Helpful  
Nice  
Good  
Brotherly

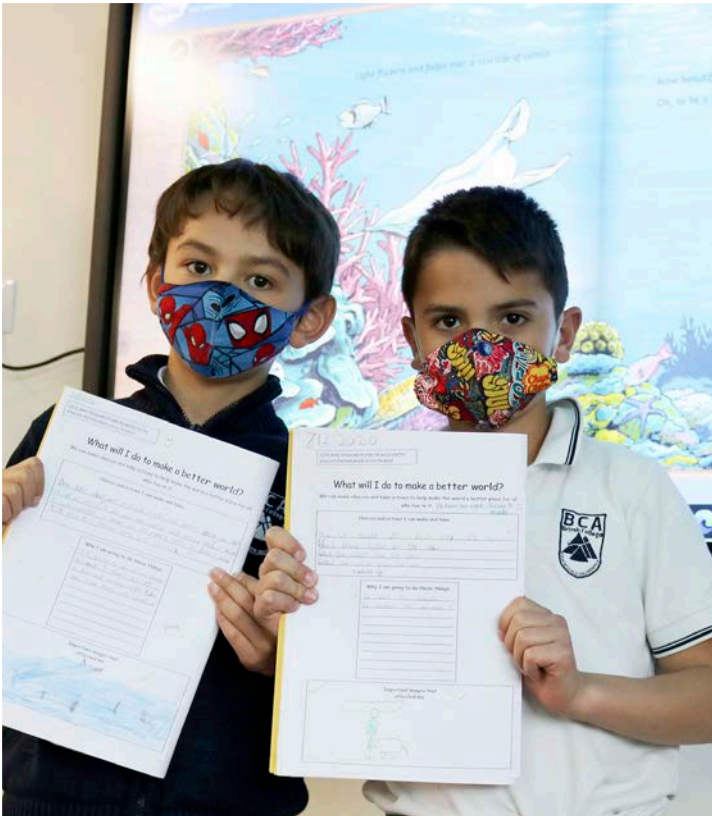




# EAGLES



## To be a global citizen who contributes



No more plastic in  
the oceans  
No litter in the sea  
Protect animals  
\*Recycling

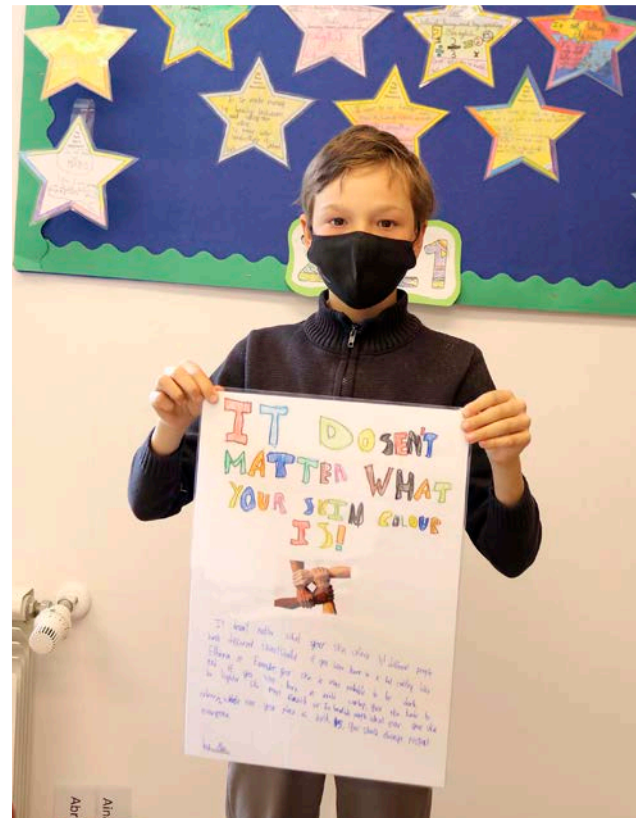






# HAWKS

## To be a global citizen who contributes



Respect Others  
Love and not hate  
No matter what  
your skin colour  
Protect our world







## To be friendly and honest



Do not lie  
Help each other  
Be nice and be kind  
Take care of people  
Listen  
Give  
Share  
Be there for others







# FALCONS

## To be thankful and reflective



*Accept help  
Be grateful  
Value what you  
have got  
Say thank you  
Respect others  
Empathise  
Think about the  
feelings of other  
people*



# OSPREYS

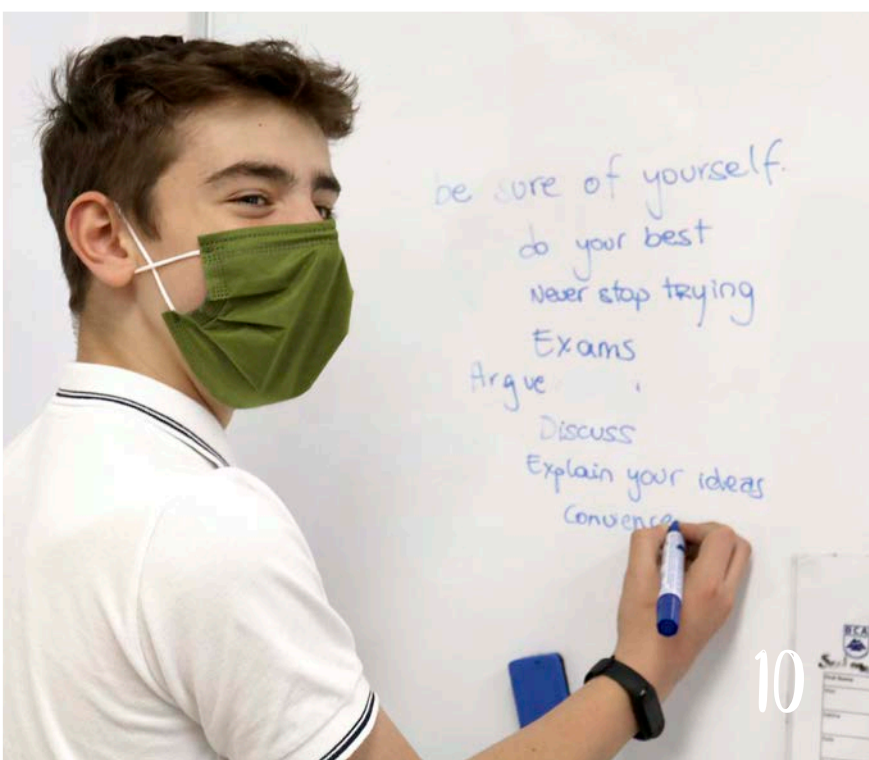


## To be confident and determined



Be sure of yourself  
Face difficulties and  
challenges, such as  
public speaking or  
exams

Do your best  
Never stop trying  
Explain your  
thoughts and ideas  
Express yourself







### What do you like most about working at BCA?

First of all, the school location, having lunch with a view of Carroi is priceless. Also, having access to the valley of Madriu directly from the school door. Bringing nature into the classrooms so children can have a close up of the natural world and also bringing sports to the outdoors. I appreciate the working atmosphere in BCA and I learn new things every day from my colleagues.

Everybody is very helpful and makes things easier.

Finally, I really appreciate this opportunity to grow professionally in BCA.

### What do you like most about living and working in Andorra?

As I said before, being surrounded by nature, the sight of mountains. But also living safely in a small, quiet and charming country. I have lived here since my childhood and it feels like home.

### What are your hobbies?

Sports is not only a hobby but a lifestyle and it's what made me grow as a person; it's what I studied, it's my job, it's what makes my bad days better. Spending most of my time doing sports makes me really happy.

Travelling is also very important to me, discovering new places and different cultures fascinates me.

### Can you name a favourite film or book?

My favourite movies are Below Zero, The Intouchables, and Barcelona Summer Night and my favourite book is 48 Braçades, by Miquel Sunyer.

### What is your favourite city in the world?

I don't usually travel to cities but rather to destinations surrounded by nature, free of smoke buildings and traffic like Lillehammer in Norway or Saas Fee in Switzerland.





### What do you enjoy most about working at BCA?

Creating a culture so work feels like family

### What do you like about living and working in Andorra?

I am pleased to live in Andorra, I feel I can raise my children in a safe place.

### What are your hobbies?

My hobbies are writing and handicrafts.

### Can you name a favourite film or book?

The Lion King, without doubt, my favourite!

### Which is your favourite city in the world?

My favourite city is Lisbon in Portugal, probably because it's my hometown but also because of its historical and cultural heritage.



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