

FHS opens new sixth form centre

Francis Holland School, Regent's Park, welcomed award-winning portrait photographer and FHS alumna Rhiannon Adam to open its new state-of-the-art sixth form centre, Linhope House on Linhope Street, NW1.

The centre has increased FHS's dedicated sixth form space by 300% (663sqm) and offers the perfect environment for the transition from school to university.

Rhiannon, who graduated FHS in 2003 before attending both Cambridge University and Central St Martins, is a true inspiration for our current students.

She has been chosen as the only woman and to partake in a civilian trip to the moon as part of the dearMoon Crew, in recognition of her pioneering creative work which champions female empowerment.

The sixth form education offered to students at FHS combines a strong scholarly ethos (where 73% of A Level grades were A*- A in 2022) with an inclusive and supportive family environment.

Sixth formers enjoy a truly transformational education with abundant opportunities

PROMOTIONAL FEATURE

to develop responsibility, initiative and leadership skills, and are regularly offered places at Oxbridge and other top UK, US and European universities.

Headmistress Katharine Woodcock has developed a 'schooling for life' approach to our curriculum which champions creativity, collaboration and communication, enabling our pupils to develop lateral thinking, leadership and problem-solving skills, as well as the ability to apply empathy and dexterity in all that they do.

She has described how critical the pupils' final two years at school are to this: "Whilst exam results are key to opening doors, we also focus on a holistic schooling for life, educating the women of tomorrow, future leaders, young people with a strong moral compass who will be the difference in the world."

Linhope House, which has undergone a £5 million investment, has enhanced



FHS Regent's Park's new sixth form, Linhope House, was officially opened on March 15
Image: Francis Holland School



every aspect of our ability to provide an already exceptional sixth form offering.

The building combines an elegant, Georgian exterior and traditional features such as the Reading Room with a cutting-edge interior including a Think

Lab and collaborative learning and study spaces.

Student voice is key at FHS and current students had significant input into the design of the interior, where natural materials, cool colours and abundant natural light

have resulted in a calm and serene Scandinavian-style decor.

The common room features a bio-farm plant wall, known to increase wellbeing, productivity and attention spans.

If you would like to learn more about the sixth form education on offer at FHS, and to view a virtual tour of Linhope House, please scan this QR code to visit fhs-nw1.org.uk/sixth-form



FRANCIS HOLLAND SCHOOL REGENT'S PARK

LEADING INDEPENDENT SCHOOL FOR GIRLS AGED 11-18

SENIOR OPEN MORNING

THURSDAY 29TH JUNE 2023

Visit us for a guided tour including our state-of-the-art Sixth Form Centre, Linhope House, and learn about our unique "schooling for life" approach to the curriculum:



Scholarships and Bursaries up to 100% available

"The school's active promotion of kindness and care for others is apparent in the warm and considerate relationships observed amongst pupils."

ISI Inspection Report, March 2022

