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## Welcome to the University of Buckingham's School of Education Newsletter



We won't be filling your inbox, but just twice each year we would like to let you know about all that we have been working on, whether it's a new course, being featured in the media or an addition to our team. Not interested? Don't worry, we won't be offended, just hit this **unsubscribe link** and we will remove you from the list.

## New Dean at the School of Education



Barnaby Lenon joined the School of Education in January 2019

Barnaby Lenon taught at Eton for 12 years, was the deputy head of Highgate School, head of Trinity School Croydon and head of Harrow for 12 years. He then helped establish the London Academy of Excellence in East London, one of the most successful state sixth form Academies, where he is chairman of governors. He is also chairman of the Independent Schools Council and has been a governor of 16 state and independent schools. He is a director of the New Schools Network which helps groups wishing to establish new schools under the government's free schools policy. He was a member of the board of Ofqual during the implementation of the Gove reforms to GCSEs and

A-levels and is now on their Standards Advisory Committee. He has written six books including, recently, *Much Promise* about high-achieving state schools and *Other People's Children* about the least academic 50% in England. He researches the characteristics of effective teachers in the UK and USA.

## New School of Education App

Launched in September 2018, the new School of Education app has, to date, been downloaded over 800 times. Available to the entire 2018/19 cohort and filtered for each course, the app brings together all of the platforms, tools and information that a trainee or mentor may need whilst studying with Buckingham. Following feedback from previous cohorts the app also comes with a new trainee forum that allows students to connect with each other, using peer to peer support to guide trainees through the year.

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