



26<sup>th</sup> September 2023

Dear parent / carer,

**Re: Gresham College x MST**

I hope this letter finds you in good health and high spirits. It is with great pleasure that we inform you that your child has been selected to attend the upcoming Gresham College x MST Lecture Series, an exceptional academic opportunity for our Year 12 and 13 students.

Mulberry Schools Trust is delighted to collaborate with the esteemed Gresham College to offer a bespoke program of academic lectures. This partnership marks the first time that Gresham College has collaborated with an external organisation, making it an exciting and unique opportunity for MST students. The Gresham College x MST program presents an outstanding chance for our students to engage in high-quality super-curricular educational enrichment and to interact with and question leaders and innovators in their chosen fields of study.

We are thrilled to announce that the inaugural lecture of this series will be presented by Professor Leslie Thomas KC on Thursday, 28<sup>th</sup> of September at 14:00. Professor Leslie Thomas KC, the Gresham College Professor of Law and a practicing barrister, is renowned for his exceptional public speaking skills, characterized by warmth, engagement, and a profound knowledge of his subject matter. This lecture will particularly appeal to students with an interest in law, human rights, and social justice themes. The format of the lecture will consist of a 40-minute presentation followed by a Q+A session, during which students are encouraged to actively participate.

To ensure a smooth transition to the event, please note that your child will be expected to attend their lessons as normal until lunchtime at 12:40 pm. Afterward, they will be trusted to make their way independently to the event venue, Mulberry School for Girls, located at Richard St, Commercial Rd, London E1 2JP, for a 2:00 pm start on Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> September 2023.

Thank you for your continued support of your child's education, and we look forward to your child experiencing an enriching and enlightening experience at the Gresham College x MST Lecture Series.

Yours sincerely,

Warm Regards,

Ms J. Kibela-Purnell  
Assistant Principal