



**Ibstock Place**  
CO-EDUCATIONAL DAY SCHOOL

# GAME ON: THE FUTURE OF ESPORTS IN EDUCATION

Friday 16 May 2025

## OUR GUEST SPEAKERS:



### SIR IAN LIVINGSTONE

Fantasy Author and  
Entrepreneur Co-founder of  
the Fighting Fantasy series  
of role-playing gamebooks



### SAM COOKE

Co-Founder of UNEVN and  
Co-Founder and former  
Managing Director of Esports  
Insider



### PEDRO AGUIAR

Esports Coordinator at  
University of Roehampton

## DISCUSSION & INSIGHT



Gaming Industry



Safeguarding



Esports Pathway



Provision



Building Esports  
facilities



Q&A Session

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# Conference Schedule

9:00 – 9:15	Welcome and introduction – Jacob Southwood (Esports Coach, Ibstock)		
9:15 – 10:00	Gaming industry – <b>Sir Ian Livingstone</b>		
10:00 – 10:20	Esports provision in schools – Amy Cartwright (Director of Digital Strategy, Ibstock)		
10:20 – 10:40	Coffee break		
10:40 – 11:00	Safeguarding – Sarah Finch (Director of Safeguarding, Ibstock)		
11:00 – 11:30	Building an Esports facility – <b>Yoyotech</b>		
11:30 – 12:00	How to coach Esports – Jacob Southwood (Esports Coach, Ibstock)		
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch + Networking + Show match (12:30-13:00)		
13:00 – 13:30	Teachers Panel – James Marriott (Wilmington academy), Nik Turner (ntesports) and Phillip Saunders (Reigate Grammar)		
13:30 – 14:00 Carousel 1	Q&A with our teams (Pupils)	Esports Pathways <b>(Pedro Aguiar)</b>	Coaching Breakoff 1
14:00 – 14:15	Coffee Break		
14:15 – 14:45 Carousel 2	Q&A with our teams (Pupils)	Esports Pathways <b>(Pedro Aguiar)</b>	Coaching Breakoff 2
14:45 – 15:15 Carousel 3	Q&A with our teams (Pupils)	Esports Pathways <b>(Pedro Aguiar)</b>	Coaching Breakoff 3
15:15 – 16:00	Esports in industry – <b>Sam Cooke</b>		