

Year 10 Information Evening

Excellent and enjoyable learning for all

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Aims of this Academic Year

- Be motivated to succeed
- Be informed regarding Post 16 and Careers
 - Be resilient
 - Access support where necessary
- Get involved in a range of opportunities
- **BE THE BEST YOU, YOU CAN BE!**



Year 10 Team

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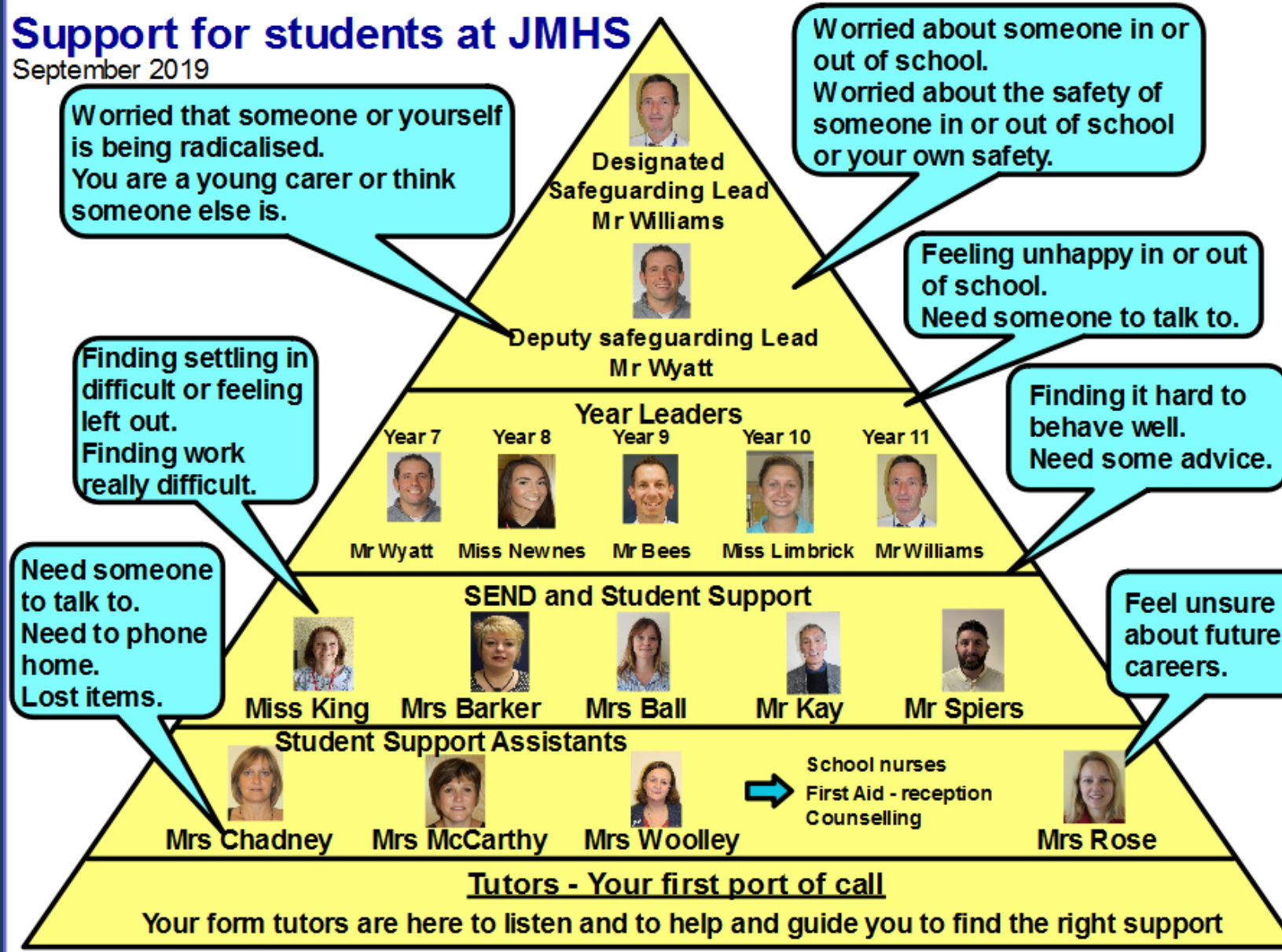
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Support @ JMHS for Year 10 Students

Support for students at JMHS

September 2019



- Homework
- SEND
- Daily issues



Classroom Rules

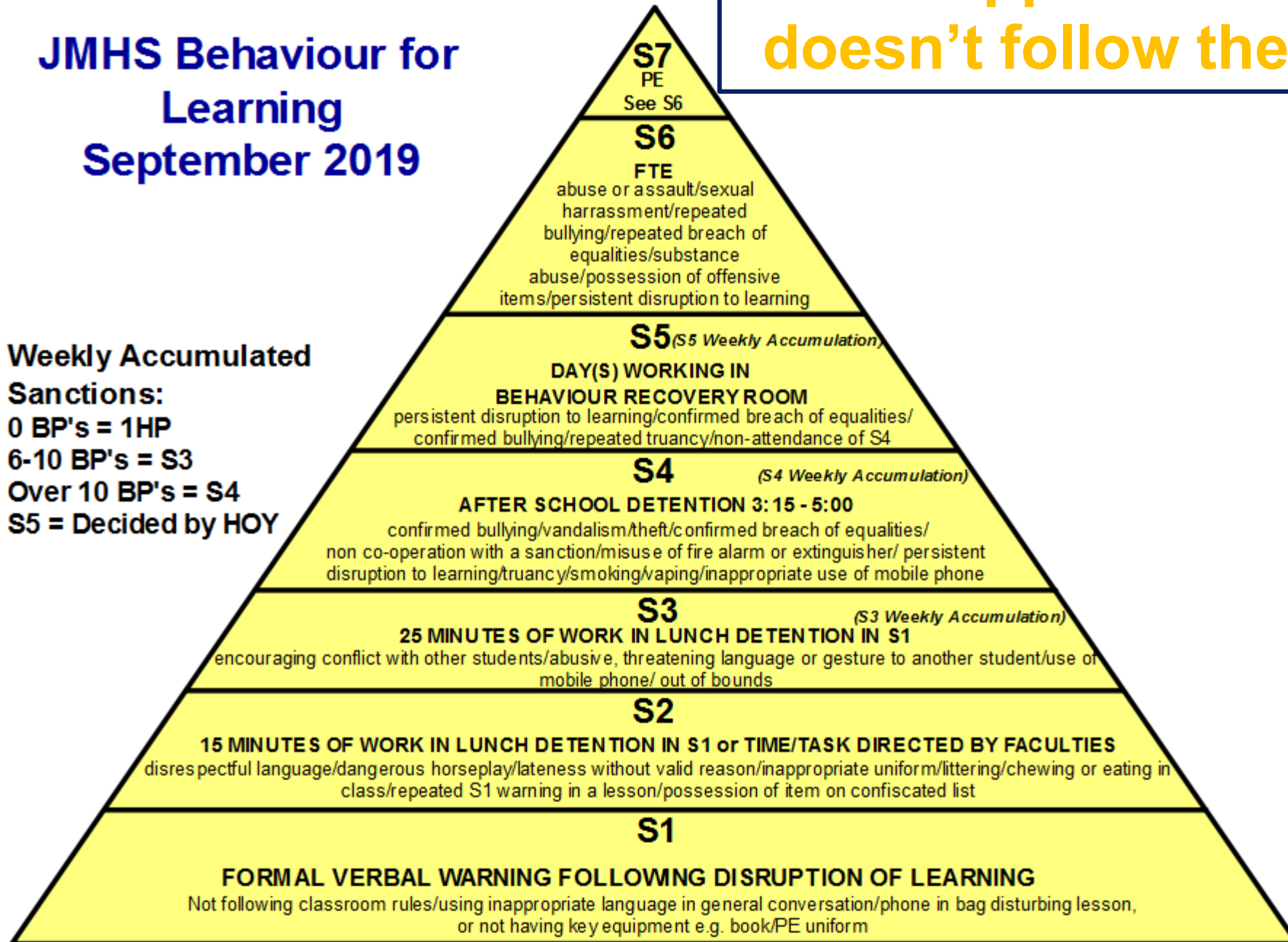
- 1. Arrive promptly and sit in designated seat**
- 2. Have all equipment ready**
- 3. Begin tasks immediately**
- 4. Follow 10 second rule**
- 5. Complete all class and homework tasks to the best of your ability**
- 6. Present and organise your work well**
- 7. Work in silence during silent work times**
- 8. Listen quietly to the teacher**
- 9. Demonstrate respect in collaborative tasks**
- 10. Support a quiet and calm end to the lesson**



What happens if a student doesn't follow the rules?

JMHS Behaviour for Learning September 2019

Weekly Accumulated Sanctions:
0 BP's = 1HP
6-10 BP's = S3
Over 10 BP's = S4
S5 = Decided by HOY



Rewards



Students who receive no S1's in a week

1 HP = clean slate

Students who have 100% attendance each week

1 HP = 100% attendance

How can you monitor your own progress? How can you support your child?

epraise.co.uk



Overview Points Demerits Attendance Timetable Classnotes

App/Webpage

Demerits

Given by	Value	Category	Subject	Date
Mr J Storey-Scott	3	S2 Lunch Detention		24th September 2019
Mrs P Williams-Hewitt	2	S2 Classroom Rules following S1		23rd September 2019
Mrs P Williams-Hewitt	1	S1 Classroom Rules	Science	18th September 2019



**Contact your child's tutor to
check up/gather additional details!**

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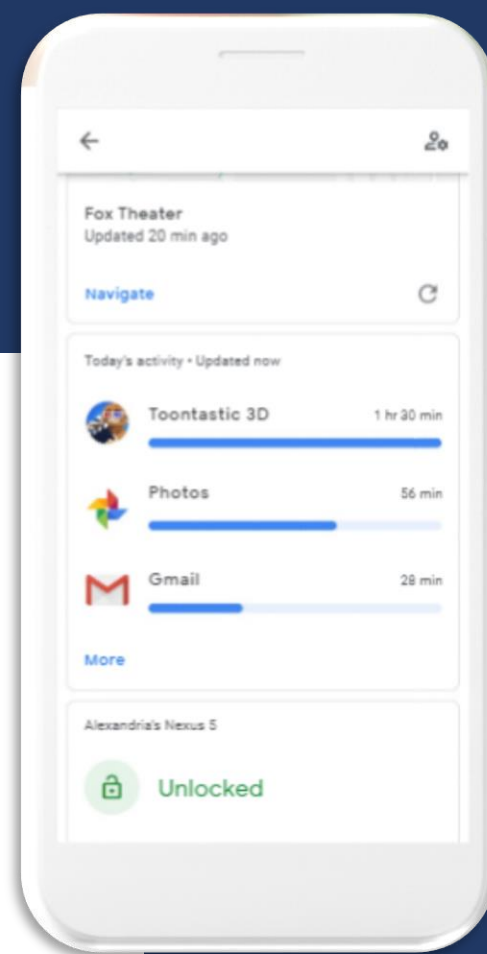


Mobile Phone / Safety



Help your family create healthy digital habits

Whether your children are younger or in their teens, the Family Link app lets you set digital ground rules to help guide them as they learn, play, and explore online.*



Time for a break

Your parent locked this device

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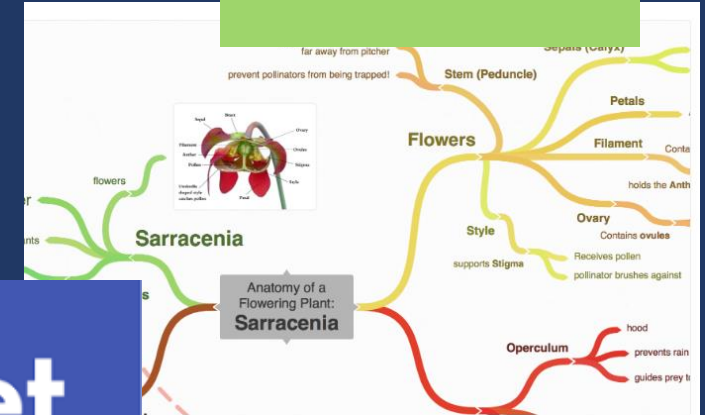
Revision Techniques

Online mind mapping tool: www.coggle.it

Online tool for creating flash cards:
www.quizlet.com/en-gb

Online revision quizzes: www.kahoot.com

Revise a range of subjects:
www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize



Key Dates

20th November	JMHS Careers Fair 5pm-7pm
9th December	Year 10 Progress Check
16th January	Year 10 Parents Evening
14th February	Year 10 Progress Check
8-19th June	Year 10 Exams
13th July	Year 10 Reports





Careers at John Masefield



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PSHE

As part of our PSHE provision across the school, students will be given Careers guidance in afternoon registration sessions. This will involve:

- Using the Start website
- Careers Week activities
- Employability skills
- Interviews and preparation

What is Start?



Start is a really useful website to help guide students in finding out about their future career options.

- About me
- Modules
- Where to Study?
- Where to Work?

If you are interested in working with your child to use Start, please collect a Parents Guide from the back of the theatre. This will give you step-by-step guidance on how to log on to Start with your child.



Andrew Elliott

🎓 Teacher

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Profile Progress

📝 **My Activities**

Complete activities so that you're better prepared to make your education and career-related choices.

Completed Activities

1

👤 **About Me**

My Activities



OPENING YOUR EYES

Which jobs suit my interests and work preferences?

Personalise your profile by rating skills, qualities, work preferences and interests to generate some job suggestions.

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Project Man...



Graphic Desi...



Production ...



Nurse



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Kickstart your career into racing



Want to work with horses or the exciting world of sport? Then check out career opportunities in the equestrian industry.



Careers Guidance

We have a careers advisor come in once a week on a Tuesday to talk to our students. Currently Mrs Rose is focussed on our year 11 students, however in the summer term once year 11 have left for study leave and exams, she focusses on year 10.

Mrs Rose is an expert in Careers guidance and has helped hundreds of our students to better understand what they want to do and how they can get there.

If your child is in any doubt about their future or has not made any decisions yet, please feel free to get in touch towards the end of the year and we can potentially set up a one-on-one interview.

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Work Experience

- Will be taking place in June
- One week placements
- Student responsibility
- Can be anything!
- Work Experience Booklet
- Sort it out as soon as possible!
- Other work experience options

Post-16 Options

Now is the time to start making up your mind!
Will their decision fall under:

- Sixth Form
- College
- Apprenticeship
- Other Career Options

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JMHS Careers Fair

The John Masefield Careers Fair is a good place to get started with looking at future career options. It takes place on **Wednesday 20th November** from 17:00 – 19:00. The following groups have so far agreed to attend:

Hereford College

Hoople

Worcester Sixth Form College

Wyevale Nurseries

Hereford College of Arts

Radfield Home Care

Worcester University

Ledbury Poetry Festival

Construction Training Group

NHS

Hereford and Ludlow College

HWGTA

JMHS Sixth Form

University of Gloucestershire

Eastnor Pottery

Kinetic 6

Hazelwoods

Masefield Solicitors

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Year 10 Curriculum

English	GCSE	4 hours
Maths	GCSE	4 hours
Science	GCSE	5 or 6 hours
Options x 4	GCSE/BTEC	2/3 hours each
PE	Core	2 hours



Qualifications

- **GCSE** – written examinations at the end of Year 11 with some controlled assessments.
- **BTEC or OCR nationals** - equivalent to 1 GCSE – some examined modules.



Grading system for GCSE

1 = GCSE grade F/G

2 = GCSE grade E

3 = GCSE grade D

4 = GCSE grade C

5 = GCSE grade C+ or B-

6 = GCSE grade B

7 = GCSE grade A

8 = GCSE grade A*

9 = Exceptional standard above GCSE A*



English GCSE “Language”

- every student sits the same exams – no tiered papers

- **Paper 1 Creative Reading & Writing**

Reading questions which mainly require extended answers, testing students’ ability to comment on writers’ use of language & structural devices and to give a personal response to a text.

Creative writing task.

- **Paper 2 Writers’ Viewpoints & Perspectives**

Reading questions which mainly require extended answers, testing students’ ability to comment on writers’ use of language, compare two writers’ attitudes towards a topic and write a summary.

Non-fiction writing task.

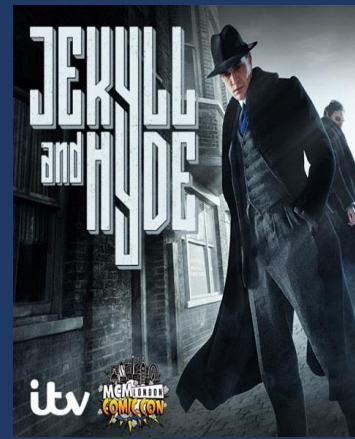
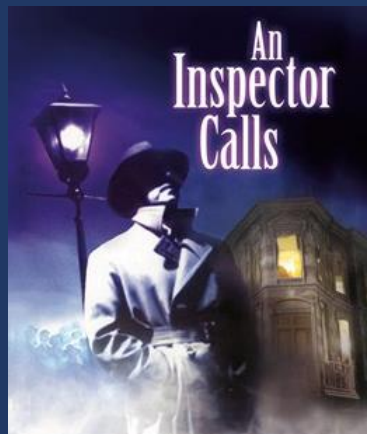
- **Separate Speaking & Listening assessment**



English Literature GCSE

2 examination papers covering:

- **1 novel** (currently 'A Christmas Carol')
- **1 play** (currently Macbeth)
- **1 modern text** (currently An Inspector Calls)
- A series of **set poems**
- **Unseen poetry**



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English Literature and English Language:

- Will be taught simultaneously over the two years.
- All students will be entered for both subjects.
- No tiers of entry.



English Exam Preparation

Students will sit a practice paper in January 2020

First full Practice exam – June 2020

Second full Practice exam – Nov 2020

Final full Practice exam – Feb 2021



GCSE Maths

Exam board : AQA (Two tiers)

Foundation (Grades 1 – 5)

Higher (Grades 4 – 9)

- **3 Papers** of equal weighting, paper 1 is non-calculator.
- All papers must be sat at the same level.
- The content covered can appear on any paper.



GCSE Maths

Students continue to study Number, Algebra, Shape Space and Measures and Data Handling. **These are applied to daily life situations and involve more problem solving, financial and scientific scenarios.**

Homework will be set every week and should be completed to the high standards we expect in class.

Maths club runs after school on a Monday where a number of teachers are available to support independent study or help with problems or questions.

Students should have their own scientific calculator to use in lessons and at home. (These are available through Parentpay £8.25).

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GCSE Maths

Students will sit end of term tests at Christmas 2019 and Easter 2020.

First full practice exam – June 2020

Second full practice exam – Nov 2020

Final full practice exam – Feb/March 2021

The November exam will aid us in deciding which tier each student will enter.



Science

Your child will be following one of these courses at KS4:

- **Combined Science:**

resulting in the award of 2 GCSE's

- **Separate Sciences:**

Resulting in the awards of GCSE's in Biology, Chemistry and Physics



Assessment for both GCSE Combined and Separate Science course:

- 6 structured exams all sat in Summer term 2021
- 2 papers for each of biology, chemistry and physics (Paper 1 and Paper 2)
- Content for Paper 1 is covered during Year 10.
- Content for Paper 2 is covered during Year 11.
- Students following the separate science pathway cover additional content compared to the combined science course.
- *Progress in Science is carefully monitored and changes can be made to the pathway if necessary.*



Prefect Applications

- For students who demonstrated that they are conscientious and considerate
- Excellent attendance, punctuality and uniform
- Excellent behavior record
- All grades good or better on progress check with an average grade of very good or higher
- Willingness to contribute through service to the school and leadership



Prefect Applications

- Written applications before the end of this term endorsed by form Tutor and Year leader
- Applications e-mailed to Mrs Sutcliffe
- Interviews with Mr Evans, Mr Collard or Mr Hawksworth
- New prefects commence role in the Summer Term
- Prefects contribute to at least one team- arts, sports, reading buddies, maths buddies or primary transition
- All prefects support major school events
- All prefects support the ethos of the school- conscientious, considerate and co-operative



Mr Evans' Top Tips for Revision & Homework

1. Revise as you go along
2. Cover all topics
3. Make notes & draw diagrams
4. Use revision cards
5. Do timed practice questions



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Thank you for attending

*We now welcome any
questions.*

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