



## JMHS Curriculum Years 7 and 8

Subject Area	Year 7 Hours per week	Year 8 Hours per week	Points to note
<b>English</b>	4	4	Students are set by ability
<b>Mathematics</b>	4	4	Students are set by ability
<b>Science</b>	3	3	Students study biology, chemistry, physics and how science works. They are set by ability
<b>Humanities</b>	4	3	Humanities includes History, Geography, RE and Citizenship in Y7 & Y8. Students are taught in mixed ability groups.
<b>Languages</b>	2	3/4	In Y7 students study either German or French in mixed ability groups. In Y8 students are set for languages and more able linguists study both French and German.
<b>Physical Education</b>	2	2	
<b>Arts</b>	3	3	Students study an hour each of Art, Music and Drama in mixed ability groups.
<b>Technology</b>	3	3	Students study Product Design, ICT & Computing, Graphic Design and Food Technology in mixed ability groups. The emphasis is on practical work.
<b>Tutor time &amp; PSHE</b>	2	2	Taught in tutor time includes Sex & Relationships Education, British Values, Active Citizenship and Careers.

In addition to the planned curriculum above, students have a wide range of educational visits and trips, four challenge days and an extensive range of extra curricular activities.

Students who require additional support receive this through the Fresh Start Phonics and Numeracy classes and small group and one to one support with reading, spelling, literacy, maths and handwriting.