



## CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES – Academic Year 2025/2026



*See separate calendars for all Music opportunities, Sporting activities and House events.*

| MONDAY  |              |             |                  |                                    |   |
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| Activity  | Time         | Room/Venue  | For              | Staff                              | Activity Description  |
| Library – Reading/HW club   | 8:00-8:30    | New Library | All Years        | Mrs Mahony                         | Any help required? Come and study in a quiet and supportive environment.  |
| Islamic Society   | 12.25 – 1.00 | Old Library | All Years        | Haider A & committee               | Weekly ISOC event. Guest speakers, Mentoring, Prayer, Discussion  |
| Law Society   | 12:30-1:10   | C6          | All years        | Student Leader<br>Aryan A          | “Passionate about ideas? Law Society builds critical thinking and public speaking skills while tackling today’s most pressing legal questions   |
| Warhammer   | 12:20-1:00   | S17         | All years        | Prefect<br>supervision (CU)        | Enter the worlds of Warhammer! In this club, you’ll build and paint miniatures, learn the rules of epic tabletop battles, and test your strategies against other players. Whether you’re a hobbyist, a tactician, or just curious, there’s a place for you at the table.  |
| Maths Prefects Support club   | 12:20-1:00   | M2          | All Years        | Mr Cummins (and<br>Maths prefects) | For educational development or purely for the Love of Maths let the 6 <sup>th</sup> Form Maths prefects help you flourish.  |
| Chess Club  | 12.30 – 1.00 | N8          | All years        | Dr Sully & Chess<br>Prefects       | Chess training and practice supports the development of higher-order thinking skills—like problem solving, decision making, critical thinking, planning, and even creative thinking.  |
| Improve your Physics  | 12:25 – 1:05 | PC5         | All years        | Physics Prefects                   | Love your Physics? A dynamic club aiding students to develop excellent analytical thinking and problem-solving skills whilst learning how to think as a researcher.   |
| Art – Open Studio   | 12.20-1.00   | A2          | All years        | Miss Lee                           | An opportunity for students to use the art room for independent creative work.<br>House Competitions – exact dates TBC.   |
| History Quiz  | 12:30-13:00  | C2          | KS3              | Mrs Maguire                        | Key Stage 3 History Quiz - different topic every week - Individuals or teams (3 max in each team).  |
| Bananagrams Club  | 12.20-1.00   | New Library | All years        | Mrs Weil                           | Come and play Bananagrams. Everyone welcome, no prior experience necessary.   |
| eSports Club  | 12:20-1:00   | S9          | Year 8           | CU                                 | eSports society. 24 pupils MAX on a daily 1 <sup>st</sup> come 1 <sup>st</sup> served basis. (Heavily over-subscribed)  |
| Chinese Society & Mahjong<br>Game Club                              | 12:30-1:10   | C18         | All years        | Mrs. Ding                          | Join us to play Mahjong on a regular basis. Mahjong is a classic Chinese board game which has a long history of thousands of years. We will also organise other activities to help you get to know Chinese culture and meet new friends. Typical activities include Chinese calligraphy, card games, talks and debate, Chinese films. All welcome.  |
| ESU Public Speaking<br>Exact days TBC based on<br>competition dates | 12:20-1:00   | E3          | Year 10-13       | Ms Billington                      | Competitive public speaking - team of three with a chair, a speaker and a questioner. Preparation for the ESU Mace Debating Competition. We got through to the final at Cambridge in 2024/5.  |
| Spanish Speaking Club   | 12:20-1pm    | C12 & C14   | Yr 11, 12 and 13 | Mrs Wallwork &<br>Ms Mattison      | Improve your Spanish speaking.  |
| Debating Society  | 12:20-1:00   | E1          | All years        | Mr Mohammad                        | Passionate about ideas? Debate Club is a lively space where students come together to argue, challenge, and explore different perspectives on the big questions of our time. From current affairs to ethical dilemmas, we encourage pupils to think critically, listen carefully, and speak with confidence. Whether you’re an aspiring lawyer, a future leader, or just someone who loves a good argument, Debate Club helps you sharpen your voice, broaden your thinking, and learn how to persuade others - all while having fun. |
| Homework Help Days  | 12:20-1:10   | New Library | All Years        | 6 <sup>th</sup> Form Prefect       | Any help required? Come and study in a quiet and supportive environment.  |

| TUESDAY   |              |                            |                              |  |  |
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| Library – Reading/HW club   | 8:00-8:30    | New Library                | All Years                    | Mrs Mahony   | Any help required? Come and study in a quiet and supportive environment.   |
| Improve your Physics  | 12:25 – 1:05 | PC5                        | All years                    | Physics Prefects   | Love your Physics? A dynamic club aiding students to develop excellent analytical thinking and problem-solving skills whilst learning how to think as a researcher.  |
| MUN   | 12.25 – 1.10 | E7                         | Yr 10, 11, 12 & 13           | Ahmed S & SB   | Model United Nations (MUN) is a simulation activity where students take on the roles of diplomats representing different countries, engaging in debates and discussions to address global issues, just like in the real United Nations. Through MUN, participants develop diplomacy, negotiation, and public speaking skills while tackling pressing international challenges.   |
| Anti-Racism Ambassadors (TARA)  | 12:20-1:10   | S3                         | Anti Racism Ambassadors only | Student committee & Ms Bridge, Mrs Chapman, Mrs Jolly & Mr Whiting | Discussions and plans around celebrating racial diversity in school and making students aware of our responsibilities as members of an anti-racist school.   |
| Japanese Language Club & Society  | 12:30-1:05   | C1                         | All years                    | Shun YH (student leadership)                                       | Come and have fun learning how to speak Japanese. No previous knowledge of Japanese is needed though a keen interest in language learning is essential.  |
| House Oracy competitions (Public speaking and Debating)                             | 12:25-1:05   | New Library                | All years                    | Mrs Mahony   | House Public Speaking & Debating competitions for more details – please see the House Events Calendar.   |
| International Cinema Club   | 12:20-1:00   | C13                        | Year 7-9                     | Mrs Blakeley   | Watch films from a wide range of countries and cultures.   |
| F24 Greenpower Challenge  | 12:20-1:00   | T3                         | Year 8&9                     | Mrs Lightowler   | Pupils design and build sustainable electric race cars, gaining hands-on engineering experience while promoting innovation and environmental awareness through national competitions.  |
| eSports Club  | 12:20-1:00   | S9                         | Year 9                       | CU   | eSports society. 24 pupils MAX on a daily 1 <sup>st</sup> come 1 <sup>st</sup> served basis. (Heavily over-subscribed)   |
| Hindu/Sikh/Jain society (HSJS)  | 12.30 – 1.00 | Old Library                | All Years                    | Arjun R & committee  | HSJS is a great place for pupils to explore their own cultural identity or to learn something new, about the Dharmic traditions in Hinduism, Sikhism and Jainism. We host fun interactive sessions, such as quizzes, debates and role plays, with a focus on building a strong community across the different year groups, while also giving students the opportunity to organise and get involved in some fantastic events (including performances, games, dances and volunteering ). |
| Homework Help Days  | 12:20 - 1:10 | New Library                | All Years                    | 6 <sup>th</sup> Form Prefect                                       | Any help required? Come and study in a quiet and supportive environment.   |
| Physics Concepts Society. (This will evolve into Eureka Olympiad for some students) | 12:25-1:10   | PC4                        | All Years                    | 6th Form Physics Prefects  | Created for student with a curiosity and hunger for knowledge Physics Concept Society explores ideas across all of physics - from deep space to the quantum world. The topics covered during sessions reach beyond the school curriculum and offer passionate students an opportunity to expand their scientific horizons and challenge their abilities.   |
| ISOC Daily Prayer   | 12.30 – 1.15 | D5                         | All Years                    | Haider A & committee   | Daily prayer (Tue-Thurs) in: D5<br>- KS3 12:20-12:40, (Thursday 12:30-12:50)<br>- KS4 12:40-13:00, (Thursday 12:50-13:10)<br>- KS5 13:00-13:15, (Thursday 13:10-13:30)   |
| Musical Theatre Society (MTS)   | 3.30 – 4.30  | Music Dept or Coleman Hall | All Years                    | MM, RH, JT,  | Rehearsals for whole school productions and musical theatre showcases.   |

| WEDNESDAY  |              |             |            |                                 |   |
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| Library – Reading/HW club  | 8:00-8:30    | New Library | All Years  | Mrs Mahony                      | Any help required? Come and study in a quiet and supportive environment.  |
| History and Politics Society   | 12:30-1:00   | C6          | All years  | Mr Nero                         | Student-led and guest-led presentations on a wide range of historical and political topics.   |
| KS3 Science Club – IRIS Project  | 12:30-1:10   | N4          | Year 7 & 8 | Ms Blaize<br>(6thform prefects) | Join our Science Club and get stuck into real biology research! As part of the national IRIS science project, you'll work like a scientist – investigating, testing ideas, and sharing discoveries. It's a chance to explore beyond the classroom, be creative with experiments, and even enter competitions. If you're curious about the world around you and like solving problems, this club is for you! |
| Philosophy Society<br>(1 <sup>st</sup> Wednesday each month)                           | 12:20-1:10   | S4          | Year 9-13  | Mr Sampson                      | Philosophy Society is a space for students in Years 9 to 13 to explore big questions about life, knowledge, and morality. We discuss topics ranging from ethics and justice to the mind, existence, and the universe, encouraging curiosity, critical thinking, and open-minded debate.   |
| Maths Prefects Support club  | 12:20-1:00   | M2          | All Years  | Mr Cummins (and Maths prefects) | For educational development or purely for the Love of Maths let the 6 <sup>th</sup> Form Maths prefects help you flourish.  |
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| Art – Open Studio  | 12.20-1.00   | A1          | All years  | Miss Cooke                      | An opportunity for students to use the art room for independent creative work.  |
| Christian Union  | 12:30-1:10   | S16         | All Years  | Philbert P & Steven O           | Presentations, debates or even just chats. A warm, welcoming groups for people to share and reflect on their personal beliefs. Everyone welcome, not just Christians.   |
| STEM Society   | 12:30-1:00   | N2          | Years 7-11 | David C (student leadership)    | This club is all about presenting current and past STEM topics ranging from car engines to new medicine advancements. Aiming to diversify stem knowledge of our younger years to allow new interests and career paths.  |
| Chess Club   | 12.30 – 1.00 | N8          | All years  | Dr Sully                        | Chess training and practice supports the development of higher-order thinking skills—like problem solving, decision making, critical thinking, planning, and even creative thinking.  |
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| Creative Writing Club  | 12:20-1:00   | E5          | Year 7     | Mrs Haines                      | Bring along your imagination (and your lunch) for some creative writing challenges!   |
| eSports Club   | 12:20-1:00   | S9          | Year 10    | CU                              | eSports society. 24 pupils MAX on a daily 1 <sup>st</sup> come 1 <sup>st</sup> served basis. (Heavily over-subscribed)  |
| Dungeons and Dragons   | 12:20-13:10  | S20         | Year 9     | Mr Smith                        | Play the worlds favourite tabletop RPG with a group of friends. Take on the role of a fantasy character to share stories, explore mysterious lands and fight epic monsters.   |
| Improve your Physics   | 12:25 – 1:05 | PC5         | All years  | Physics Prefects                | Love your Physics? A dynamic club aiding students to develop excellent analytical thinking and problem-solving skills whilst learning how to think as a researcher.   |
| Physics Olympiad Club  | 12.25 – 1.05 | PC4         | Year 10-13 | Mr Suthard/Reeder               | The International Physics Olympiad is an annual competition for high school students. A gold medal is awarded to the top 8%. A silver medal is awarded to the top 25% and a bronze medal or to the top 50%.   |
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| THURSDAY                       |              |                                |                      |  |   |
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| Library – Reading/HW club      | 8:00-8:30    | New Library                    | All Years            | Mrs Mahony                               | Any help required? Come and study in a quiet and supportive environment.  |
| Publications Committee         | 8.30 – 9.00  | M4                             | Y7 to Y13            | Tosin A & Digital Publications committee | Develop your journalistic, editorial and photography skills by helping to produce an official school annual review publication.   |
| Creative Coding                | 12:20-1:10   | S10                            | All years            | Mr Timmins                               | Creative coding society focuses on harbouring talent and enthusiasm for unique coding problems. Whether you are a seasoned expert, or someone interested in learning the ropes, we foster a vibrant community giving everyone a place to grow and improve.  |
| Engineering Society            | 12:25-1:10   | S13 or Old Library             | All Years            | Yuraj S & Aashish M                      | A society for budding engineers to foster design thinking, innovation and creativity while learning technical skills required to make your ideas a reality. Design competitions, mini-projects, informative sessions, software workshops and much more to come this year.   |
| eSports Club                   | 12:20-1:00   | S9                             | Year 11              | CU                                       | eSports society. 24 pupils MAX on a daily 1 <sup>st</sup> come 1 <sup>st</sup> served basis. (Heavily over-subscribed)  |
| History Quiz                   | 12:20-1:00   | C2                             | Year 7&8             | Mrs Maguire                              | House History quiz - will be Kahoot format. First Thursday of every month.  |
| Medicine and Dentistry Society | 12.30 - 1.00 | N12                            | 6 <sup>th</sup> Form | Dr Thomas                                | A student led organisation discussing current issues within both Medical and Dental Sciences. One of its key activities is to also help prepare students for University applications for both of these oversubscribed courses.  |
| Gardening Club                 | 12:20-1:10   | Eco Garden (C7 in bad weather) | All years            | Mrs Jackson & Mrs R Chapman              | Learn how to grow your own vegetables, fruit & flowers, develop the eco friendly areas of the garden & help create a beautiful relaxing space for the whole school to enjoy.  |
| Improve your Physics           | 12:25 – 1:05 | PC5                            | All years            | Physics Prefects                         | Love your Physics? A dynamic club aiding students to develop excellent analytical thinking and problem-solving skills whilst learning how to think as a researcher.   |
| Economics Society              | 12:20-1:00   | S20                            | Years 10-13          | Mr Smith                                 | Do you have a passion for economics? Come and learn from our sixth form students as they present on a wide range of topics outside of what you would normally cover in the classroom. From football to micro transactions to crime, we've discussed them all, and more.   |
| Homework Help Days             | 12:20-1:10   | New Library                    | All Years            | 6 <sup>th</sup> Form Prefect             | Any help required? Come and study in a quiet and supportive environment.  |
| Year 7 Games Club              | 12:20-1:00   | M3                             | Year 7               | Miss Morgan                              | Board games club.   |
| LGBTQ+ Society                 | 12:30-1:15   | E8                             | All Years            | CO OF EE FN & Students                   | A welcoming and supportive group of students and teachers who meet to discuss matters relating to the LGBTQ+ community. We look to make positive change in school. All are welcome, students and staff who do attend have varied or no previous connection to the LGBTQ+ community but are looking to be part of a positive inclusive school. |
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| FRIDAY  |                         |                  |            |                              |   |
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| Library – Reading/HW club                           | 8:00-8:30               | New Library      | All Years  | Mrs Mahony                   | Any help required? Come and study in a quiet and supportive environment.  |
| Go Club   | 12:20 – 1:20            | N2               | All Years  | Mr Murray                    | A chance to learn and play Go in a friendly environment. Go, is a strategy board game originating from China. Also known as "weiqi" in Chinese and "baduk" in Korean.   |
| Jewish Society                                      | 12.20 – 1.15            | TBC              | All Years  |                              | TBC   |
| Homework Help Days                                  | 12:20-1:10              | New Library      | All Years  | 6 <sup>th</sup> Form Prefect | Any help required? Come and study in a quiet and supportive environment.  |
| Chemistry Club (Week A)                             | 12:30-1:00              | N10              | Year 9-11  | Dr Eyers                     | Chemistry Club aims to demystify chemistry and showcase the breadth and depth of the subject in a fun, engaging and practical way. Lots of fun experiments.   |
| Dungeons and Dragons                                | 12:20-13:10             | S20              | Year 9     | Mr Smith                     | Come and play the worlds most popular tabletop role playing game. Join up with your friends to explore fantasy worlds, solve fiendish puzzles and fight epic monsters.  |
| eSports Club  | 12:20-1:00              | S9               | Year 11    | CU                           | eSports society. 24 pupils MAX on a daily 1 <sup>st</sup> come 1 <sup>st</sup> served basis. (Heavily over-subscribed)  |
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| Duke of Edinburgh                                   | 12:20-1:00              | S13              | Year 9 up  | Mr Carr                      | Pupils complete logbook work and take part in expedition training, including map skills, first aid, route planning, and camp craft.   |
| The Geography Quiz!<br>Last Wednesday of each Month | 12:20-1:00              | New Library      | Year 7-11  | WL/BM/JK/SW                  | House Kahoot Quiz – May the best team win! Take part in the Geography Quiz to win house points for your house in this great Geographical competition.   |
| Happy Puzzles Club                                  | 12:20-1:00              | M1               | Year 7 & 8 | Mr W Baker                   | A stimulating club which challenges and entertains our boys through interactive games and puzzles. Who wouldn't feel happy when competing with their friends to win games?  |
| Wildlife Club                                       | 12:20-1:00              | N15              | All years  | Mr Ward                      | Come along to discuss and study all things wildlife. Wildlife walks, habitat creation, help look after our beloved fish and "shrimpy", share interests in all thing's wildlife. Create improvements to biodiversity within the school site and more....   |
| Sixth Form Book Club (with AGGS/SGS/StA)            | Half Termly<br>– 4.30pm | Rotating Schools | Y12 – Y13  | Mr Davies                    | Book clubs create communities of readers, encouraging lively informal book chat and debate. Outside of the classroom environment children can enjoy reading that is not directly connected to the curriculum and can be exposed to a wider range of authors and genres than they might otherwise come across. |

#### **Competitive Chess**

Chess Club also participate in a national online (lichess) chess competition that takes place on Friday evenings 6-7pm. If you are interested in playing speak to us in a chess club session.

#### **ENGLISH EXTRA-CURRICULAR OFFER**

- ESU Performing Shakespeare National Competition - HL
- ESU Public Speaking National Competition – CP
- ESU Mace Debating National Competition - BG
- Agora school newspaper – HL
- Y7 Creative Writing - HL
- Y7 inter-school book club (AGSB-AGGS-NCS) – CM-DV-Martha-CS
- 6th Form inter-school book club (AGSB-AGGS- Sale GS-Ambrose) - DV
- AGBS Oracy competitions / Library events and activities - CM-CS-BE
- 6th Form Debating Society - weekly - MH