

Year 10 Settling in Evening Thursday 25th September 2025

Our School Prayer



We bless you our most high God and Lord of mercy.

We pray that you would bless each one of us this day.

Give us inquiring minds and discerning hearts.

Give us courage to persevere in all we undertake.

Give us the gift of joy and wonder in all things.

Give us laughter and love to share with others.

Give us **protection and safety** in all that we do.

And give us sure and certain knowledge of your unfailing love.

Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit both now and forever and to the ages of ages.

Amen.

Our Biblical Quote



"Be kind to one **another**, forgiving one another, as God forgave you."

Ephesians 4:32

Aims of Tonight

To revisit our procedures & expectations as we work in partnership

To offer support with any IT issues that you may be having.

To outline the key information required from core subjects and Heads of Departments

To give you the opportunity to ask questions / clarify misconceptions

A positive start to the year







High Expectations



- Attendance & Punctuality
- Behaviour for Learning
- Uniform and Equipment



Reasons to get it right



Available Rewards:

- Praise Points daily
- Star of the Week weekly
- Head of Year Award half termly
- Head of Department Award half termly
- Deputy Head Teacher Award half termly
- Tea with the Head Teacher half termly
- Presentation Events Annually



Consequences



- Same day 30-minute detentions Bromcom notifications (Late to school, removed from lesson)
- Next day 60-minute detentions Bromcom notifications (Fail to attend a detention, poor conduct in detention)
- Where students continue to get things wrong, you can expect to be invited in so that we can work together to provide the best support possible.
- We are a partnership and only in working together can we secure the success of our children.





Form time schedule



Monday: KS4 Maths revision

Tuesday: Assembly

Wednesday: KS4 Science Revision

Thursday: Attendance Tracker and Rewards

Friday: Daily News Article

Key Dates for 24/25



Date	Event
March 2025	Written Reports Issued
Monday 22 April 2025	Year 10 Summer Exams
Thursday 12 June	Year 10 Parents Evening
June 2025	End of Year 10 reports
Thursday 9 May 2026	597 days until your child's first public GCSE Exam

Marginal Gains





- Improvement in mattresses
- Tiny changes in diets
- Small massages after every day
- Motivational Podcasts
- Review the track each day before sleep

Marginal Gains



"Making small improvements that add up to a large significant improvements overall"

Listening in Class



- The most important thing students can do in lessons is listen to their teacher
- Listening to can be difficult and it we need to work hard to do this.

<u>BUT</u>

 There are things students can do each lesson to make sure we are actively listening.....ASAP

Active Listening: ASAP



ASAP is our way of making sure we maximise every learning opportunity so we can <u>all</u> succeed.



ATTENTION TO THE SPEAKER

Our attention is always on the person speaking

S

SIT UP STRAIGHT

We sit up straight in our chairs and do not slouch

A

ARMS ON THE TABLE

Our arms are always on the table where our teachers can see them

P

PENS DOWN

We make sure our pens are not in our hands unless we are told otherwise

Why does this matter?



- Better Learning in lessons
- Fewer distractions
- They can understand what is happening next in the lesson
- They will get higher grades
- They're then more likely to take the best A-levels
- They're then more likely go to the best Universities
- They're then more likely to get the best jobs



