



# **Welcome to Year 7 Induction Evening**

## **01.07.24**

# STRATEGIC GOALS



- 1. Excellent Academic Outcomes**
- 2. Work Ready Students**
- 3. Global Citizens**



**What can you expect from us?**



## From us:

- High Standards in everything we do
- A safe and nurturing environment
- An excellent education which goes beyond the classroom
- Lots of trips and visits
- Leadership opportunities for every child



# From you:

- Google Classrooms transition work now
- Encourage your child to use the E-library
- Encourage your child to join a club / go on a trip abroad
- Read the Family Handbook
- Trust

**THE SCHOOL CHARTER**



**US**

**YOU**

**YOUR CHILDREN**

# Communication



- The School Website
- The Weekly Newsletter
- Instagram and Twitter / X
- 48 hours
- Personalised letters and emails
- Google Forms
- The School Calendar
- Parent and Tutor Evenings
- Your Child

# DATES FOR YOUR DIARY



Wednesday 4th September - Y7 First Day of Term

Wednesday 18th September - Parent Tutor Evening

Wednesday 8th May 2025 - Parents Evening



# E-FORMS



ACCEPTABLE USE AGREEMENT

CHROMEBOOK AGREEMENT

SCHOOL CHARTER

PARENT PAY - LUNCHESES & TRIPS

# HOW WILL YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL DAY LOOK?

7.45am-8.15am	<i>Breakfast club</i>
8.15am – 8.30am	School opens to all students
8.30am-8.50am	Tutor time
8.50-9.45am	Lesson 1
9.45am - 10.40am	Lesson 2
10.40am - 11.00am	Break
11.00am - 11.55am	Lesson 3
11.55am - 12.50pm	Lesson 4
12.50pm - 1.40pm	Lunch
1.40pm - 2.35pm	Lesson 5
2.35pm - 3.30pm	Lesson 6
3.45 - 4.45pm	Enrichment



**HOE VALLEY ENRICHMENT TIMETABLE  
SPRING TERM 2023**

<b>Monday 3:30pm-4:30m</b>	<b>Tuesday 3:30pm-4:30pm</b>	<b>Wednesday 3:30pm-4:30pm</b>	<b>Thursday 3:30pm-4:30pm</b>	<b>Friday 3:30pm-4:30pm</b>
Prep Club Dining Hall	Prep Club Dining Hall	Prep Club Dining Hall	Prep Club Dining Hall	No after school clubs on Friday
Invitational Athletic Development JP West Surrey Athletics Sports Hall	Year 9 and 10 Netball Mugas Miss Riches	Year 7 and 8 Boys and Girls Basketball Sports Hall Mr Kesse	Year 9, 10 and 11 Boys and Girls Basketball Sports Hall Mr Robinson	
Year 7 and 8 Netball Mugas Miss Still	Year 9, 10 and 11 Boys and Girls Football 3G's Mr Finch/Mr Kesse	Year 8 Boys and Girls Football 3G's Mr Finch/Miss Riches	GCSE PE Progress Club 101 Miss Still	
KS5 Business Languages from October - Room tbc FLAs	Tech Crew (stage sound, light & multimedia) 117 (or Warton Hall) Mr Inglis	KS4 Spanish Revision Mixed Room to be confirmed as I don't have a classroom yet Miss Lopes	Year 7 Boys and Girls Football 3G's Mr Kesse	
Key Stage 4 English Support 136 English department	Jewelry Making Room to be confirmed as I don't have a classroom yet Miss Lopes	KS4 German Revision (Higher) Tbc Mrs Boniface	Maths Revision and Support Room 207 Maths Department	

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<p>Grease Rehearsals Worton MVR/EBE</p>	<p>KS4 German Revision (Foundation) Tbc Mrs Boniface / FLA</p>	<p>KS3/ KS4/ KS5 Warhammer, Wargaming and Miniature Painting Club. Fortnightly Room 107 Mr Hockley</p>	<p>Year 7 Boys and Girl Rugby Field Mr Kelly and Mr Robinson</p>	
	<p>KS4 and KS5 DT, Product Design and Design Engineering Catch Up Room 038 Miss Martin</p>	<p>Grease Band Rehearsals Music Miss Rixon</p>	<p>KS4 and KS5 DT, Product Design and Design Engineering Catch Up Room 038 Miss Martin</p>	
	<p>KS3/ KS4 Eco Club Fortnightly Room 003/ 224 Mrs Sweryt/ Ms English</p>	<p>Grease Rehearsals Worton MVR/EBE</p>	<p>Grease Rehearsals Worton MVR/EBE</p>	
	<p>Grease Rehearsals Worton MVR/EBE</p>		<p>Year 7 - 11 International Club Room tbc Mrs Boniface</p>	



**GOOD EVENING ALL**

# THE YEAR 7 TEAM

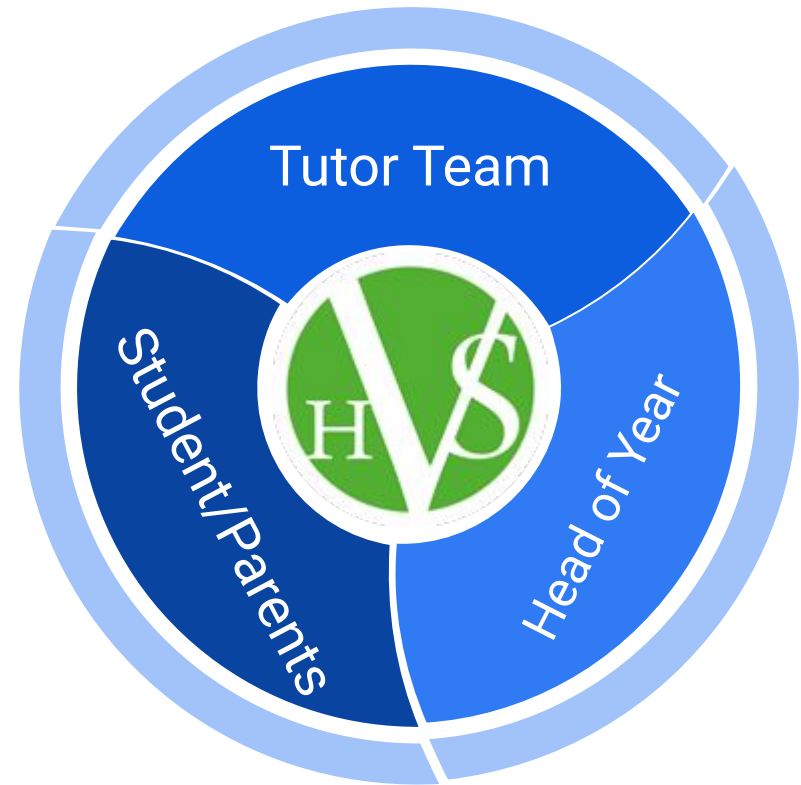


- Ms Davies, Mr Kelly and the SLT team (virtual 1:1 meetings)
- KS3 Pastoral Lead - Mrs Edwards
- Head of Year 7 - Miss Still
- Tutor team
- SENCO - Mrs Bunce
- Inclusion Manager - Ms O'Keefe
- Mrs Walshe - Attendance Officer
- Teaching staff
- Support staff

## The role of the form tutor:



- Meet and greet students each morning
  - Register students and track attendance
    - Carry out CURE checks
- First point of contact for parents / carers
- Monitor attainment and refer where necessary
  - Ensure behaviour meets our CIRCLE values
- Encourage students to attend Enrichment clubs





# TUTOR TIME & CURE CHECKS



## What is a CURE check?

C - Chromebook is charged

U - Uniform is correct

R - Reading book (e-library access)

E - Equipment

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
7 Ms Still	Reading/Numeracy Ninjas  CURE Check	PHSE and Citizenship lesson  CURE Check	Reading/Numeracy Ninjas  CURE Check	PHSE and Citizenship lesson  CURE Check	Assembly (HoY)  (Worton Hall)



# UNIFORM EXPECTATION



As an ambassador for Hoe Valley School all students are required to wear:

- HVS tie at the correct length
- White shirt with fastened top button
- HVS blazer
- Boys - Black school trousers
- Girls - Black school trousers or HVS skirt
- Black socks
- Black school shoes (not trainer style)
- PE kit



[Uniform list 2021](#)

# PE KIT EXPECTATION



- HVS polo
- HVS ¼ Zip
- Plain black short (5 inch or longer)
- Plain black leggings or tracksuit bottoms (no logos)
- White socks and long black football socks
- Non marking trainers (NO PLIMSOLLS)
- Hair tied up, all jewellery off



# STUDENTS PRESENTATION



## Hair Cuts

- Sides of hair cannot be lower than a Grade 2.
- Dyed hair of an unnatural colour is not allowed.
- Hair extensions, carvings or styles with dramatic variations in length are not appropriate.

## Ear piercings

- Only one stud in each ear lobe.
- No other piercings are permitted

## Additional:

- No make up in KS3, nail varnish, fake nails or false eyelashes.

# WHAT EQUIPMENT IS NEEDED?



- Blue or black pen for writing in lessons
- Pencil for writing or sketching
- Green pen for corrections and feedback
- Calculator for Maths & Science
- Reading book for tutor and break times
- Chromebook charged for online learning
- Headphones
- Locker key (replacement: £5)

# ATTENDANCE AND PUNCTUALITY



## What is the impact of arriving late?

5 mins late = 3 days lost each year  
10 mins late = 6.5 days lost each year  
15 mins late = 10 days lost each year  
20 mins late = 13 days lost each year  
30 mins late = 19 days lost each year

% Attendance	= Days missed	= Approx. GCSE grades dropped
100	0	0
90	19	1
80	38	1-2
70	57	2-3
60	76	3-4
50	95	4-5

# BEHAVIOUR FOR LEARNING



We expect the students to engage in the learning and behave appropriately in lessons so that all students can make progress.

We will ensure that students are rewarded for their efforts.

We have high aspirations of each and every one of our students and will always aim to support before sanctions are required. However, sanctions are at times necessary and follow a staggered approach:

15 minute lunchtime detention or 30 minutes after school with class teacher.

1 hour detention (after school) with HOY or HOF.

1.5 hour Senior Leadership Team Detention (after school with SLT).

Failure to attend an Senior Leadership Team Detention to Learn will result in 1 day in Inclusion until 4:30pm.

# REWARDS AND RECOGNITION



Outstanding attendance, achievements, efforts and attainment are celebrated in our termly celebration assemblies.

We also celebrate and congratulate success through:

- House Points
- Postcards home
- Positive phone calls home
- Reward incentives such as termly trips/on-site events

Some previous reward incentives we have offered:

- *Afternoon tea party*
- *Chessington theme park trip*
- *Pizza lunch*
- *Golden ticket days (worth ten house points)*
- *On-site cinema rewards*
- *Assembly lucky dip for a voucher e.g. JD Sport*

# INFORMATION ON PROGRESS



## Parent portal

Please can you ensure that you have registered for the parent portal. This is where you will access student reports and other information when required.

If you have not yet registered then please send an email to the following address:

[office@hoevalleyschool.org](mailto:office@hoevalleyschool.org)

- At the front you will find a tracker sheet.
- This will show your child's grade in each of their assessments.
- Normally assessments are carried out once each term.
  - More frequently in core subjects.
  - Less frequently in subjects they only study once a week or less.
- These assessments will have detailed feedback to help your child learn from their mistakes and improve.
- The tracker will also contain their target for improvement. Get them to explain what this means and what they have done or need to do next.





Course	Percentage	Classwork Effort	Prep Effort
Art	56%	B	N/A
English	52%	B	B
French	76%	B	B
German	56%	B	B
History	68%	A	A
Maths	58%	B	A
Music	72%	B	N/A
Physical Education	68%	B	N/A

You will receive information about your child's attainment, three times a year.

You will also receive a 'Classwork Effort' grade and most subjects will have a grade for 'Prep Effort'.

Their recent assessment results will be shown in the form of a percentage.

You will also find a section on PSHE. All students are required to attend this and it is delivered during tutor time.

# EFFORT DESCRIPTORS



<b>Classwork effort descriptors for KS3 and KS4</b>	
A	Excellent classwork, never off task and work done to their full potential. Regularly seeks extension work and able to work independently for extended periods.
B	Good effort on most tasks and work done to their full potential. Extension work is sometimes completed.
C	Inconsistent effort in lessons, including working below their best. Content to complete classwork without attempting extension tasks.
D	Inadequate effort unless closely supervised with little evidence of work.

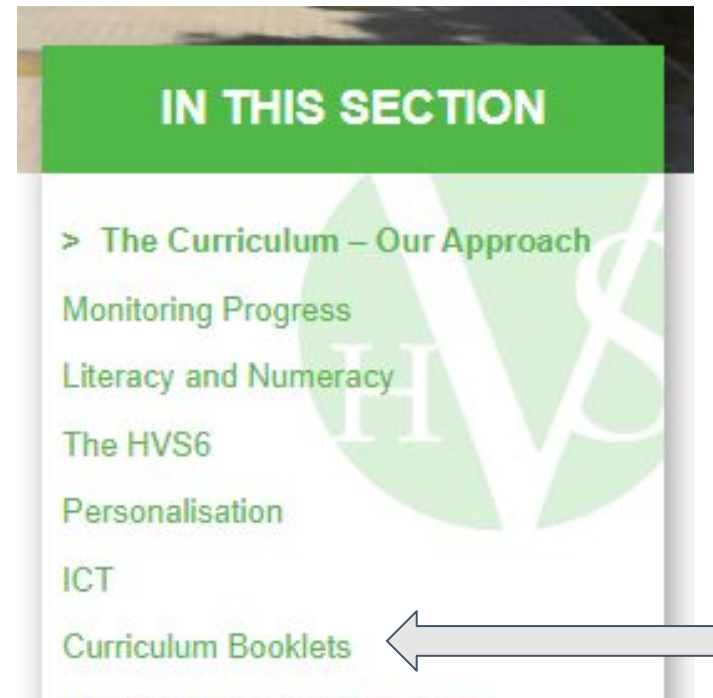
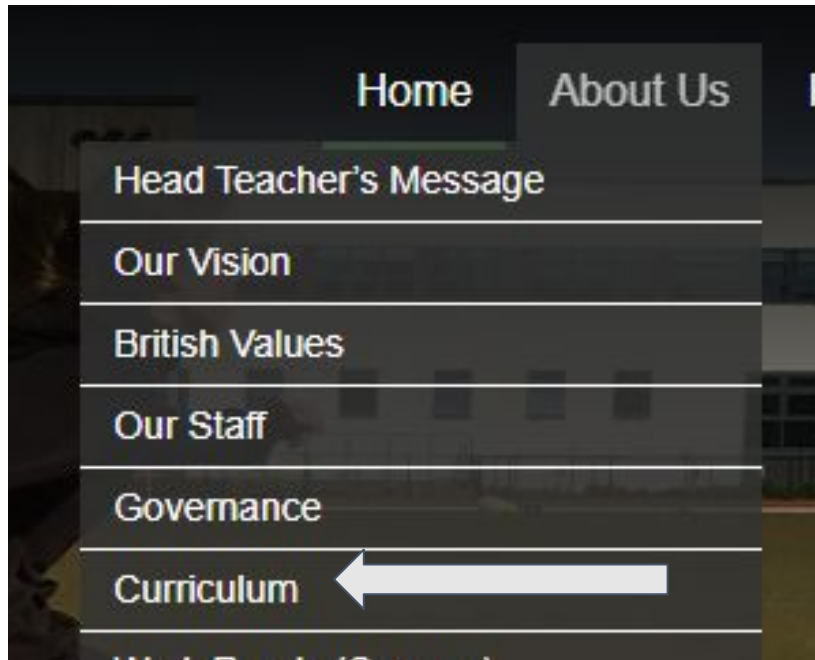
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<b>Prep effort descriptors for KS3 and KS4</b>	
A	Always completes Prep on time to their full potential. Completes additional tasks at home to extend learning on a regular basis.
B	Usually completes prep on time fulfilling most of the tasks well. Extension work is sometimes completed.
C	Inconsistent effort in prep with mixed quality of work. Whilst it is always completed, it is not always on time.
D	Prep rarely completed at all.



# OUR CURRICULUM



EXCITING, RELEVANT, CHALLENGING AND  
PERSONALISED



Everything we do as a team at Hoe Valley School links to six core circle values. We believe they are crucial for developing:

1. Excellent academic outcomes
2. Well-rounded individuals
3. Work ready students

These values apply to: Staff, Students,  
Parents/Carers



## REMINDER OF THE SIX CIRCLE VALUES



## REMINDER OF OUR WORK READY SKILLS

- Adaptability
- Creativity
- Time Management
- Persuasive Communication
- Teamwork
- Digital Skills

# REMINDERS FOR TRANSITION



- Students to arrive at 9AM at reception in Primary PE Kit
- Sun cream/Hat
- Water Bottle
- Students will take part in team building exercises, a PE lesson, Core Subject and/or Humanities.
- Students will be placed into groups which may or may not be their tutor group for September.

SATs results are July 11th and all tutor groups are mixed ability. We therefore can't finalise tutor groups until a later date.



**Thank you for coming this evening.**

**Reminder - Year 7 start on Wednesday 4th  
September at 8:30 am.**

They will be spending the day with their tutor and  
will be given their chromebooks and time tables.