

Sixth Form Induction



My Role

- Monitor academic progress
- Monitor attendance and punctuality
- Enforce high standards - Tackle underachievement and poor effort
- Rewards and sanctions
- Academic tutoring: one-to-one meetings
- Year assemblies
- Provide and monitor self and community enrichment opportunities
- Provide advice and guidance
- Help you to demonstrate the 5 R's – Responsibility, Relationships and Respect, Reflection, Resilience.

Form Tutors

12A = Miss R Akeroyd



12C = Mr S Gregson



12F = Mrs L Ogden-Bailey



12L = Mr B Saunders



12N = Mr A Ahmed



12P = Mr D Sutton



Form Tutors

- Registration and notices
- Oversee academic tutoring
- Deliver PACE programme
- Monitor community enrichment
- Monitor progress
- Monitor uniform/dress
- Monitor absence/lateness and reasons for these
- Monitor rewards and sanctions
- Initial point of contact for tutees/parents

Pastoral Support

Mr P Bryson

Head of Sixth Form



Miss F Dayton

Deputy Head of Sixth Form



Mr J Heward

Asst. Headteacher KS5



Mrs S Cooper

Sixth Form Pastoral Support



Mrs M O’Nien

Sixth Form Administration



Personal and Citizenship Education (PACE)

- Delivered by tutors.
- One morning per week.
- During morning registration.

Year 12

Driver Safety	Drugs & Alcohol	Mental Health
Personal Education	Sexual Health	Next Steps Post-Sixth Form

Year 13

Next Steps Post-Sixth Form	Revision Skills	Democracy and Voting
Money Management	Stress Management	

Guest Speakers

- Variety of topics.
- During assembly time, running into P1 in empty block.

The Samaritans	Bedfordshire University (Student Life)	CV Writing workshop
Apprenticeships	Drug Link – Drug Driving	Bedfordshire University (Open Days)
Bedfordshire University (Personal Statements)	Sir Mike Penning	Anthony Nolan Trust
Herts Young Homeless	An Introduction to Parliament	Bedfordshire University (Student Finance)
Dacorum and St Albans Well-being Service – Exam Stress	Working Options	The Future of Work & Skills
Civil Service Careers	Work Experience	

Punctuality

- On school site at 08:30.
- Registrations/assembly starts at 08:40.
- You are late at 08:40.01.

"I study better at home"

Me at home:



35k

30.4k comments 7.2k shares



- No study leave until late in Year 13.
- At school 08:30 - 3:30, 5 days per week.

Dress Code

General Principles

- Clothes should be appropriate to the school working environment and follow the requirements listed below.
- Excessive make-up and excessive jewellery are to be avoided.

Required Dress:

- Smart trousers; skirt; dress - all to be worn with a smart jacket.
- Smart jumpers can be worn under a jacket.
- Smart shoes or ankle boots.
- Boys: Shirt with a collar. Tie.
- Girls: Skirts/dresses should be mid-thigh length or longer. Smart blouse; shirt or smart top.

• Please Note:

- Shirts & blouses should be worn tucked into trousers or skirts.
- Trousers should always be below calf-length.
- The following items are not permitted: shorts; jeans/denim (of any colour); leggings; sweatshirts; hoodies; t-shirts; thin strapped tops; leather coats or jackets.
- No garments bearing a slogan.
- Only very discrete jewellery is acceptable.
- No extreme hair styles.
- No trainers or canvas shoes.

- Failure to comply with these requirements may result in students being sent home to rectify the issue.
- The final decision regarding Sixth Form dress lies with the Sixth Form Leadership Team.

A copy is available on the school website. If you are unsure on anything, ask us before you spend money on it.

Study Periods

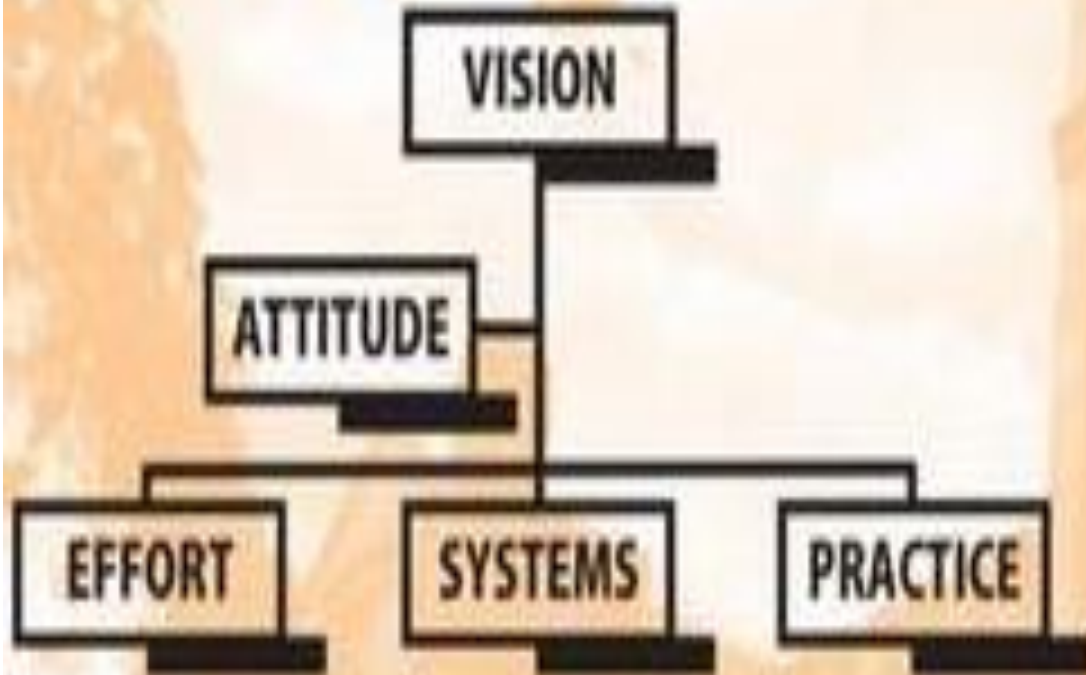
- Not “free periods”.
 - Must be studying.
 - Library, study room, empty classrooms, café.
 - Chromebooks/bring own device?
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- Requires development of skills: self-discipline, organisation, planning, working to deadlines.

Lessons

- **3 subjects = 24 hours contact time (minimum).**
- **26 hours study periods over 2 weeks (maximum).**
- 1hr in class = 1.5hr in their own time.
- At least 18 hours per week in addition to contact time in lessons.
- Some done in STUDY periods, some at home.

A Level Mindset

The A Level Mindset Coaching Model ©



The model can be explained in simple terms:

Vision How well do you know what you want to achieve?

Effort How many hours of independent work do you do?

Systems How do you organise your learning and organise your time?

Practice What kind of work do you do to practice your skills?

Attitude How do you respond to setbacks?

Study Skills

- One morning per week during AM registration in M9.
- Until February half-term.
- Year 12 only.

- Each session looks at a study skill, giving practical tips to use to improve how you work and learn as an A Level student.

Community Enrichment

- 1 hour per week.
- First two terms of the year (22 hours total).
- Compulsory.
- Will receive a form and copy of your timetable at start of year.
- Highlight on timetable when you are doing it.
- Complete form with details of when you are doing it.
- Have two weeks at start of year to return form or will be allocated your community enrichment.
- Need to get evidence that you are doing it.

- Potential teachers/doctors/vets get it organised during school holidays so you are ready.

Sixth Form Games

- One lesson per fortnight.
- Compulsory with registration each lesson.
- Range of options to select from.
- More details in September.

Golden Tickets

- Reward used in Sixth Form.
- Able to use 3 study periods as home study.

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SIXTH FORM



GOLDEN TICKET

Congratulations! This Golden Ticket entitles you to have three study periods of home study as a reward. Fill out the form below, ensuring you have read the conditions first, and return it to Mrs Cooper prior to your first chosen period of home study.

Conditions

- You cannot miss timetabled lessons with this ticket.
- You cannot use this on a Monday morning – you must attend all assemblies.
- Your chosen three study periods can either be on the same day or different days.
- All three periods must be taken within a two week period – they cannot be rolled-over past this point.
- Your parent/carer must sign the form to give you permission to have the home study.
- Your form must be submitted at least one day before your first chosen home study period.
- You must sign out in M9 when leaving site for your chosen home study periods.
- You must sign in in M9 if you used your Golden Ticket in the morning and arrive to school late.

Name:	Form:
Date & Period of 1 st Home Study period: Date = _____ Period = _____	
Date & Period of 2 nd Home Study period: Date = _____ Period = _____	
Date & Period of 3 rd Home Study period: Date = _____ Period = _____	
Parent/Carer Signature:	Date:

Signed by Mrs Cooper when entered on SIMS:	Date:
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This Week

<u>Day</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Activity</u>
Monday 1 st June	11:30am	Introductory Talk
	1:00pm	Chemistry session (All blocks)
	2:30 pm	Tour of the School – External Applicants only
	3:00pm	Meet Your Form Tutor - External Applicants only
Tuesday 2 nd June	11:30am	An Introduction to A Level Mindset
	1:00pm	Photography session (All blocks)
	2:30pm	Block A Sessions
Wednesday 3 rd June	11:30am	Block B Sessions
	1:00pm	Fine Art session (All blocks)
	2:30pm	Block C Sessions

This Week

Thursday 4 th June	11:30am	Block D Sessions
	1:00pm	History Taster session (All blocks)
	2:30pm	Block E Sessions
Friday 5 th June	11:30am	Q&A with existing Year 12 students
	2:30pm	Closing talk and evaluation

This Week

- Tutors/Teachers will invite to a session on Google Meet.
- Accept the invitation – this adds it to your Google Calendar.
- 5 minutes prior to start time – Go to Google Calendar entry and click the link to join the Google Meet.
- Each session will last up to one hour.
- If not done – email photo for Sixth Form security badge to Mrs Cooper (sj.cooper@hemelschool.com)

Option Blocks

<u>Block A</u>	<u>Block B</u>	<u>Block C</u>	<u>Block D</u>	<u>Block E</u>
Chemistry	Ancient History	EPQ	Biology	Art
Computer Science	Art	Finance	Business	Business
German	Biology	Further Maths	History	Chemistry
History	Geography		Maths	Dance
Photography	Maths		Music	Economics
Psychology	Sociology		Philosophy	English Literature
Sport CTEC			Photography	French
Theatre Studies			Psychology	Politics
				PE
				Physics
				Psychology

This Summer

- If you want to succeed.....
 - Reading around subjects
 - Complete transition work (access via Google Drive).
 - Printing subject specifications and familiarising
 - Buying folders, lined paper, stationery, suitable attire
 - If taking a job – 8 hours per week max in sixth form.

Results Day

- Thursday 20th August
- Minimum of 5 grades at:
 - 9-4
 - BTEC Level 2 Pass or above
- Must have Maths or English Language – ideally both –grade 4 or above
- Individual subject entry requirements
- May be a note to see us in your results
- If in doubt, come and see us on results day
- **External applicants – email in or bring in a copy of your results on results day – including any sat in previous years and outside of school.**

September

- Year 12 return = Thursday 3rd September
- Assembly in M9 (Yr 12 – 08:55am)
- Tutor time – timetables and enrolment forms – 09:40am – 10:30 am.
- Enrolment Forms – All must complete this on first day back.
- Clearing and registration in M9 (all day from 10:30).

September

- Further opportunity for course changes on Friday 4th September, 9am-11am.
- Only in school if you have options changes.

- Normal lessons start as of Monday 7th September.

Sixth Form Handbook

- Will email out later today.
- Read it.
- Familiarise yourself with its contents.
- Ask questions if unsure of anything.



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Sixth Form Handbook



Relationships, Responsibility, Respect, Reflection, Resilience

Q & A

- Q & A with existing Year 12s Friday morning.
- I need your questions to make this work.
- Email me your questions in advance – no question is too small, if you want to know it, others will too.
- I will not read out who asked the question!! You will remain anonymous.