2024-2025

EATON BANK
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ACADEMY

Year 9
Curriculum Evening

Tonight's Aims

- To familiarise yourself with the Y9 team.

- To provide an insight into what students can expect this year.

Y9 Team

- **Mr Dytiche (Head of Year)**

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Y9 Team

- **Mr Margolan (DMA)**

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- **Mrs Travis**

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- ***Mrs Leese***

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New tutors for 'ZMO'

Now PLE

School Day

- Core time: 8:35 - 9:00
- Period 1: 9:00 – 10:00
- Period 2: 10:00 – 11:00
- Break: 11:00 – 11:20
- Period 3: 11:20 – 12:20
- Period 4: 12:20 – 13:20
- Lunch: 13:20 – 14:05
- Period 5: 14:05 – 15:10

Effort & Behaviour Scale

- Pupils will be given either a 1, 2, 3 or 4 on Talaxy for their effort and behaviour in lessons.

- 1 is for **exceptional** behaviour and effort.
- 2 is for **good** behaviour and effort.
- 3 is for **poor** behaviour and effort.
- 4 is for **exceptionally poor** behaviour and effort.

Detention System

- **Break and Lunchtime detentions** run everyday. These are in room 30 and the detention list is updated daily.

- **Head of Year detentions** run after-school from 3:10 – 3:40. These run Tuesday – Friday.

- **SLT detentions** run every Tuesday and Friday from 3:10 – 4:10.

Mobile Phones

- Pupils are **not** allowed to use their mobile on site.
- If a pupil is seen with their mobile phone out, this will be logged on Talaxy and a **lunchtime detention** will be issued.
- The mobile phone is handed into **Mrs Hillier's office** and the pupil will be able to collect it at the end of the day.

Attendance

- All pupils at Eaton Bank Academy are ***expected*** to aim for 100% attendance.

- This is to ensure that they are **maximising** their learning potential.

- If a pupil is unable to come into school, you must inform our attendance team (Mrs Hillier; m.hillier@eatonbank.org / Miss Harvey; l.harvey@eatonbank.org)

Attendance

- 1 day of school missed = 5 hours and 25 minutes of learning lost

ATTEND TO ACHIEVE!

Attendance percentages as Number of days and lessons missed from school.
Students are required to attend school for 190 days each year.

Attendance during one school year	Equals days absent	Which Is approximately weeks absent	Which means this number of lessons missed	Absence over 5 years
95%	9 days	2 weeks	50 lessons	¼ year
90%	19 days	4 weeks	100 lessons	½ year
80%	38 days	8 weeks	200 lessons	1 year
70%	59 days	12 weeks	300 lessons	1½ years
60%	80 days	16 weeks	400 lessons	2 years
50%	100 days	20 weeks	500 lessons	2 ½ years

Government (DfE) research suggests that **16 days** absence or 92% attendance in any one year equals a **full GCSE drop** in attainment
How does your attendance compare with this target?

Is your child too unwell for school?

Cough, colds and sore throats

It's fine to send your child to school with a minor cough or common cold or a sore throat.

COVID-19

Your child is no longer required to do a COVID-19 test if they have symptoms. If your child has mild symptoms, such as a runny nose, sore throat, or slight cough, and feels well enough, they can go to school.

Vomiting and diarrhoea

Children with diarrhoea or vomiting should stay away from school until they have not been sick or had diarrhoea 48 hours.

High temperature

If your child has a high temperature, keep them off school until it goes away.

Feeling anxious or worried

It's normal for children to feel a little anxious sometimes. They may get a tummy ache or headache or have problems eating or sleeping.

Avoiding school can make a child's anxiety about going to school worse. It's good to talk about any worries they may have such as bullying, friendship problems, schoolwork or sensory problems.

Reporting Absence

If you do keep your child at home, it's important to phone the school. Let us know that your child won't be in and give the reason.

Attendance Streaks

- Students will be rewarded for every streak of 10. This means 10 days (2 weeks) present at school.
- The challenge is to see who can get the longest streak and attend school without a period of absence.

Core Time

- Core time routines:

- Each morning pupils will go through a “**SMART START**” where tutors will check equipment and uniform.

- Pupils are given a breaktime detention for **incorrect uniform** and/or **jewellery**.

- Uniform Policy (Uniform and Equipment List - Eaton Bank Academy)

Core Time

- Opportunity to improve progress and fluency across English and Maths.

- Monday: Spellings
- Tuesday: Literacy Legends
- Wednesday: Maths Squad
- Thursday: Topical Talk / PSHE
- Friday: Assembly

PSHE (Personal Development)

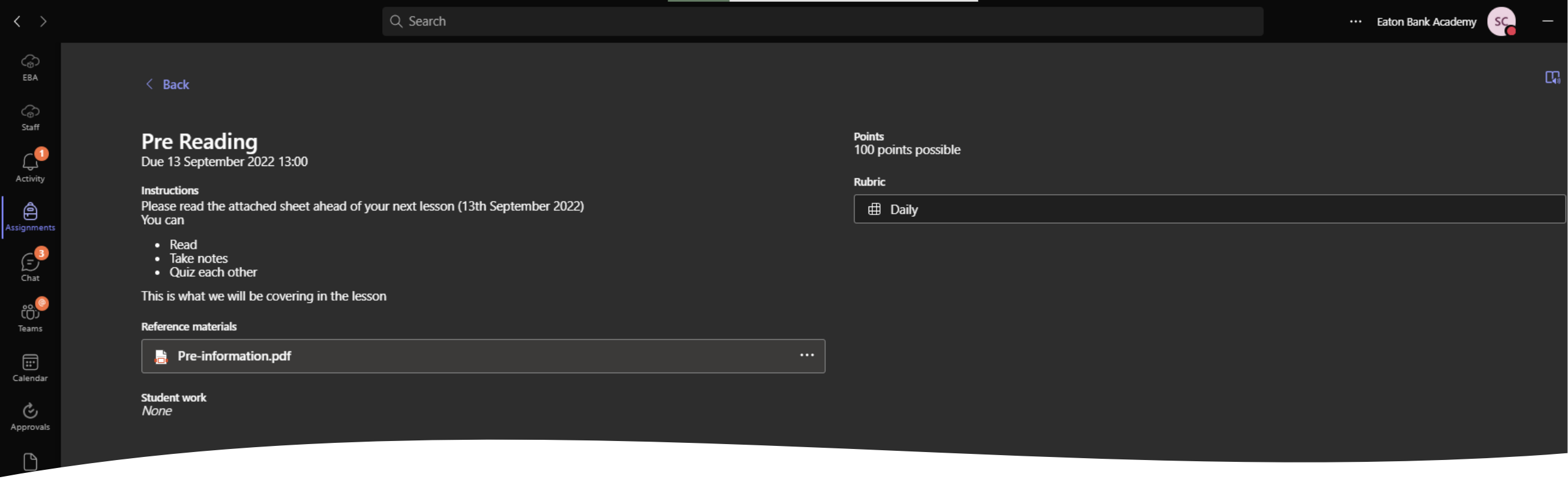
- PSHE continues to be in the curriculum, and is timetabled every two weeks.

- Year 9 have 3 units:
- Unit 1: Health & Wellbeing (peer pressure, mental health)
- Unit 2: Relationships & Sex Education (STIs, sexting)
- Unit 3: Living in the Wider World (British values,

- All information can be found on our website (PHSE (Personal, Health & Social Education) - Eaton Bank Academy).

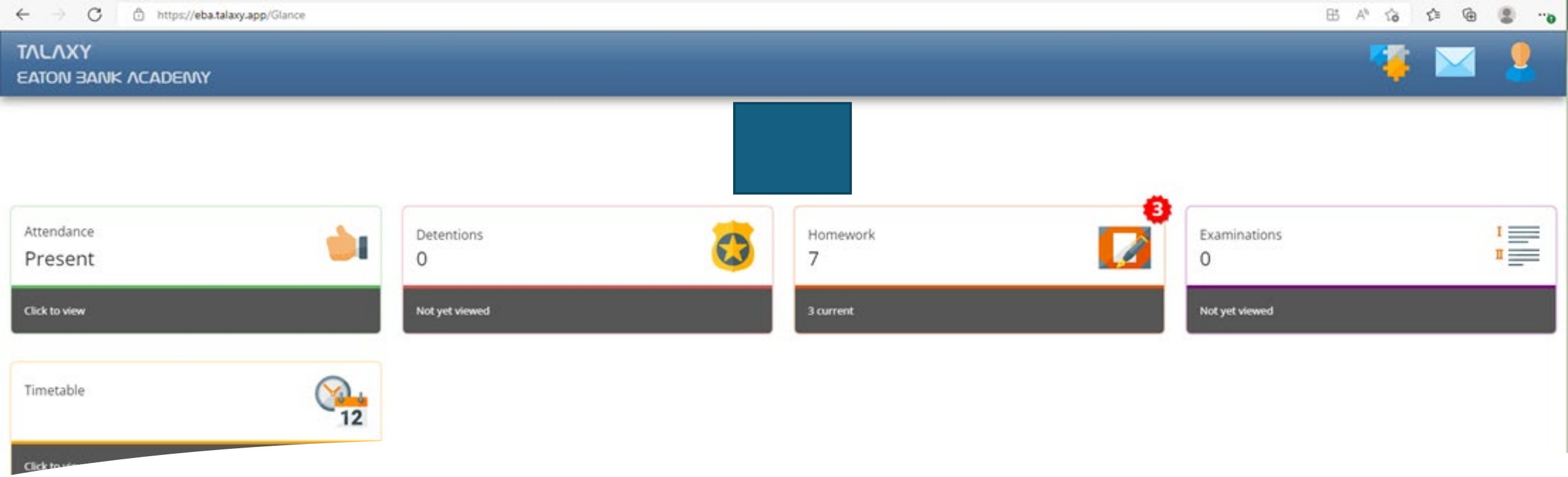
Homework

- All homework is set on Teams.
- All homework can be seen by parents using Talaxy.
- All homework can be seen by pupils using Talaxy & Teams.



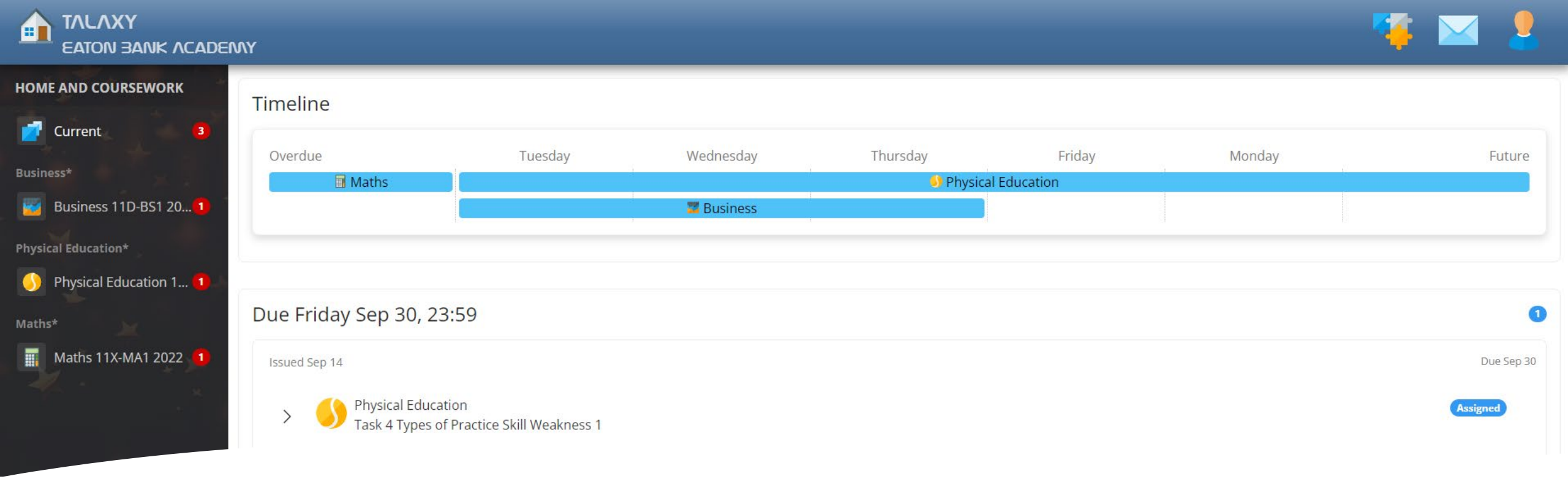
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Rewards

- Pupils will receive a 1 on Talaxy for **exceptional** behaviour and attitude in lessons.
- 1’s generate Golden Tickets and House Points.
- Tutor Stars
- Enrichment days

Extra-Curricular

24-25 Extra Curricular Activities Autumn 1

Dept	Staff Lead	Activity	Year groups	Week	Day	Time	Room
Mathematics	AHA	SPARX homework club	Y7 - 10	both	Thursday	15:10 - 16:10	24
DANCE	VSH/ Sophie Moores	RAMBERT GRADES	Yr7-9	both	FRIDAY	3.15-4.15pm	STUDIO 1
Performing Arts	VSH	Musical rehearsals	All	both	Tues-Thursday	3.15 - 5pm	Hall
Performing Arts	VSH	Musical audition workshop	All	11/09/2024	Weds	3.15-4.30pm	Hall
PE	LWI/KBO	Netball Club	All	Both	Tuesday	3:10-4:15	Courts
PE	DMO	Table Tennis Club	All	Both	Tuesday	3:10-4:15	Gym
af	BDY	Badminton	All	Both	Tuesday	3:10-4:15	SPORTS HALL
PE	Simon Jones	Rugby Club	All Years (Boys and Girls)	BOTH	Wednesday	3.15-4.15PM	Field
PE	LWI/KBO	Netball Fixtures	All Years	BOTH	Wednesday	TBC	TBC
PE	JAN	Girls Football Club	All Years	Both	Thursday	3.15-4.15PM	3G/MUGA
PE	MMc/DMA	Year 8 and 9 Football Club	All Years	BOTH	Thursday	3.15-4.15PM	3G
DRAMA	ECO	Year 9 drama club	9	1	Wednesday	3:15-4:15	studio 2
Drama	ECO	Year 9 drama club	9	2	Wednesday	3:15-4:15	STUDIO 2
MFL	JPN	Tabletop Games Club (D&D, Warhammer, Board	KS3	both	Wednesday	3:15-4:15	Room 55

Options Process

1. The options process will start in the new year with the Options Evening in February.

2. Careers information and guidance will be explored during core time later in the year.

3. Each students will have the opportunity their options with a member of staff, either their form tutor, myself or Mr Washington (Assistant Headteacher – Curriculum and standards)

SharePoint



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Important Dates

- **Y9 Parents' Evening** (Thursday 21st November)
- **Y9 Progress Exams** (Monday 2nd December – Friday 13th December)
- **Options Evening Launch** (Thursday 30th January)

Thank You!

- Thank you for your time this evening.

- Any questions?