



School Newsletter 529

Values – Care – Achievement

Thursday 10 October 2024

Headteacher's Introduction

Dear Parents and Carers,



Welcome to our newsletter for the sixth week of the Autumn Term 2024.

We have had another incredibly busy and successful week, a particular highlight for our Year 11 students has been their Information, Advice and Guidance Day (IAG), which was held on Friday 4 October. The aim of the day was to provide students with the opportunity to sample a fantastic range of taster lessons in their chosen subject areas, as well as being able to use the Sixth Form facilities. The feedback from students and staff was extremely positive and it was wonderful to see high levels of student engagement, as they actively took part in the sessions. We are looking forward to being able to further showcase our Sixth Form provision with students and their families at our Open Evening on Tuesday 19 November.

Over the past week I have had multiple opportunities to celebrate success with our Year 7 cohort. Firstly, I had the pleasure of watching the boys' football team, winning their first match of the season, this was followed by having breakfast with three of our Bright Sparks winners, where we spoke about thought provoking topics and finally I was lucky enough to award two students with their prizes for completing the English, Summer Reading Challenge. I would like to say 'Well done' to our Year 7 students, who have continued to have a fantastic start to life at Archbishops Holgate's.

I would like to conclude by thanking Year 7 parents and carers for attending our 'Meet the Form Tutor' event yesterday. We had a record-breaking attendance figure of 91%, which continues to demonstrate high levels of parental engagement and a commitment to working with the school.

With best wishes for the week ahead.

Admissions Consultation for 2026-27 Entry

In conjunction with City of York Council, we are currently consulting on our admission arrangements for 2026-27. The consultation is running from 7 October to 18 November and includes the admissions policies and planned number of places (PAN) available at each school in York for entry in September 2026. For more information and to respond to the consultation, please see the admissions page on our website or visit: <https://www.york.gov.uk/SchoolAdmissions2026To2027>.

AHS Feedback

We welcome all feedback and thank all parents for their valuable contributions. If you have a query or simply an observation about the school please complete the form online.



Upcoming Events

Mon 14 Oct	Flu Vaccinations (all years)
Mon 14 Oct	Ski Trip (Italy 2025) Information Evening
Wed 16 Oct	Restart a Heart Day
16-18 Oct	Y7 Residential Trip (Group A)
Tue 22 Oct	Flu Vaccination - catch up clinic
23-25 Oct	Y7 Residential Trip (Group B)
28 Oct-1 Nov	Half Term
Mon 4 Nov	Students return

PLEASE SHARE: If you would like to share students' achievements and events in the community, please email jssissons@ahs.pmat.academy. It's always nice to celebrate our school community.

Food for Thought

This week our Form Tutor Act of Collective Worship is entitled 'Pray' and considers how Sam Smith responded when he visited war torn Mosul, and how this inspired his song-writing. We also looked at how this might inspire us in our lives. Our daily quotes have continued this theme:

"Never forget the three powerful resources you always have available to you: love, prayer, and forgiveness."

H Jackson Brown Jr. - American author of inspirational books

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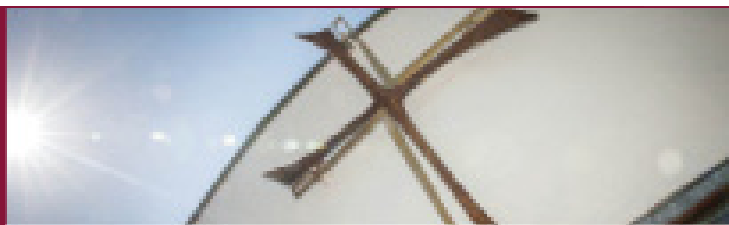
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This Week's School News



"Attendance Today, Success Tomorrow!"

Here at Archbishop Holgate's we strongly believe that school attendance is crucial, impacting both short-term academic success and long-term life outcomes.

Over the last weeks of the first half term, we will be rewarding students who have had important successes in respect to their attendance, as well as meeting with parents/carers and students whose attendance is lower than expected.

Here are three key reasons we are passionate about school attendance and have a dedicated team to support our students with attendance:

1. Academic Achievement

Consistency in Learning: Regular attendance ensures that students do not miss critical lessons. Each school day builds on the previous one and missing class can leave gaps in understanding.

Better Grades: Students who attend school regularly tend to perform better in assessment, as they are more engaged in the learning process.

2. Development of Essential Skills

Social Skills: Interacting with peers and teachers fosters communication, teamwork and problem-solving skills. Students learn to collaborate, resolve conflicts and build friendships.

Time Management and Responsibility: Being present in school encourages students to manage their time effectively and take responsibility for their learning.

Self-Discipline: Attending school daily helps foster a routine and sense of discipline, both of which are critical for success later in life, whether in higher education or a career.

3. Long-Term Success

Higher Pass Rates: Students who attend school regularly are more likely to pass their exams on time, which opens doors to higher education and better job prospects.

Future Earnings: Studies show that students who regularly attend school tend to earn higher incomes in adulthood because they have higher qualifications and better opportunities.

School attendance lays the foundation for academic success, social development, future employment and personal growth. Each day in school is an important step toward achieving a brighter future. Thank you for your continued support with attendance this academic year.



SEND Coffee Morning

Thank you to everyone who came to our SEND Coffee Morning on Saturday, the next one will be Saturday 15 March, 9.30am-12.00pm.

Workshop for Parents

AHS will be hosting a parent workshop on Understanding Autistic Overwhelm, Meltdown and Shutdown, on Friday 18 October, 9.30-11.30am.



The workshop will be led by 'Daisy Chain' (<https://daisychainproject.co.uk/>)

The course is open to any parent/carer, places are limited and will be on a first-come-first served basis. Please email sendco@ahs.pmat.academy to reserve your place.

Art - Work of the Week

Here are some outstanding observational studies of crushed cans by Anabelle Hudson, Year 12



MFL - Stars of the Week

Students were nominated by Language staff to receive an Effort merit, a postcard home and appear on the 'Stars Wall' for all their hard work:

KS3 French - Erin Benjamin, 7CMm
KS3 German - Freddie Scott, 7JEl and Maxon Baron, JLi

KS3 Spanish - Riley Brett, 7CSt
KS4 French - Paige Saye, 10KMD
KS4 German - Fraser Currie, 10ERs
KS4 Spanish - Ava Welsh, 11SMr
KS5 French - Olivia Barton, 13SI
KS5 German - Ada Cole, 12CWs
KS5 Spanish - Isabel Grindlay, 13GI



Below are some really strong observational pencil drawings which will support the sculptural models Year 9 students are currently making - Eve Bate, Phoebe Burgess, Rowan Sharp.



Message from Head of Year 7, Miss Powell

We have had another excellent week in Year 7. Some key highlights include our extra curricular football matches. It was fantastic to watch the boys' team win at home against York High (3-2) and a huge well done to the girls' team who travelled all the way to Ripon and stormed to a 10-0 victory. Huge congratulations to all the students who have represented the school and have lived our school journey and values by Joining In.



In assembly this week, we started looking at the Year 7 role models linked to our Journey. This started with Mo Farah. We looked at his journey from Somalia to the UK and the skills he has that can inspire us. We were reminded that our present circumstances do not define where we will go in the future. It was fantastic to hear so many insightful answers about role models from the year group.

Next week, we will be going on our first residential trip to Lakeside with students in forms MHe, MPe, CSt, JLi, Bn and MFr. A reminder that if you were unable to attend the Information Evening, a handout is available from the Reception. Key notices from the evening include:

- No mobile phones on the trip
- Lakeside is a nut free site, no nut products to be brought
- Students will need a packed lunch for the first day
- Please arrive at school for normal time and meet in the hall

Those who are not attending Lakeside will receive an alternative timetable for the week.

Finally, it was a pleasure to see so many families at our Form Tutor Evening yesterday. We are delighted with the progress Year 7 have made and their quick adaptation to our school.

If you have any concerns or need any further support, please do not hesitate to contact us via main school reception.

Message from Head of Year 8, Mr McPaul

This week has been a great week for Year 8 students. I've seen lots of positivity and spoken to dozens of students who have told me that they are really enjoying Year 8 so far and are really pleased with how they have started the term.



This week, we had guest speakers from the MIND and Wellbeing team in assembly. We discussed that everyone has mental health and we need to try our best to look after it. Strategies as simple as going outside or exercising can have a huge impact on our mental health. The MIND and Wellbeing team can work closely with your young person if they are struggling with their mental health. The team would assess the information provided to see if the young person matched with the expertise of the team. They specialise in low level issues which they aim to fix before they grow into anything more. Please email me if you feel this would be suitable for your child with a description of the issues that they are facing.

Homework should be a key focus for Year 8 students presently. I would encourage parents to take a look at their child's Google Classroom to do list, to ensure they are up to date on homeworks and are embedding good habits early. Students can attend the Year 8 homework club in BS1 (in the English block) straight after school Monday to Thursday. This room is supervised by a member of staff and runs every week. It's a great opportunity to get ahead and stay ahead.

If you need to get in contact with me directly, please email me at cmcpaul@ahs.pmat.academy or Mrs Robinson at jrobinson@ahs.pmat.academy.

Message from Head of Year 9, Miss Cooper

This week in assembly we had a visit from the Wellbeing in Mind Team. They are a team of mental health professionals who work in schools to support our students. They spoke about how everyone has mental health and explained that we need to look after our minds just like we look after our bodies. The Wellbeing in Mind Team are based at our school and are working with some of our students to support them when they are not feeling right.



Year 9 uniform is really good, we are so proud of the year group and how smart they all look. Just a reminder that hoodies are not allowed and students should wear their school jumper and a coat to school. Well

done to our merit leaders this week: Aleksander Kurt, Douglas Tasker, Will Nelson and David Gobl. We have also had a special shout out from Mrs Newton who said her 9c/mu4 music group were super engaged and really enthusiastic about the composing they have been doing in lesson.

Message from Head of Year 10, Miss Chambers

Year 10 continue to impress us with their hard work. BTEC students are well underway with their controlled assessments and students are working hard in lessons and for assessments across their other subjects.



We are aware that there is currently an issue with the GroFar software that it is failing to send login details to some students. Please be assured that we are working on the issue and all students will have their invites shortly. This issue will not put any student at a disadvantage. In the meantime, please continue to support your child to find a work experience placement.

Any found placements can still be logged if your child has access to the platform. For any students who don't yet have access, any found placement can be logged once they have their invite. Students should continue to get in early to do this to avoid disappointments. This week, Mr Avery led on an Assembly for Year 10 to remind them of the WEX process.

As we approach the end of Week 6, we are all understandably reaching that point in the half term of feeling rather tired. The start of Year 10 is certainly a step up in terms of expectations and lots of hard work has been taking place. As Year 10s, we know our children are desperate to be independent and in charge of their own routines, however, we also know we must act in their best interests to remind them to go to bed at a reasonable time, eat filling and healthy meals including breakfast and turn mobile phones off in the evening/for lessons. Students having hobbies and interests outside of school to 'switch off' and enjoy their passions is also really important and good for wellbeing. Your help and support in reiterating this is very much appreciated.

Over the next two weeks, we want to encourage students to be in school and lessons as much as possible through minor ailments and anxieties; encouraging healthy resilience is a key part of GCSE years and good attendance in school is vital for good outcomes. Resilience will continue to be part of our everyday discussions with students and is an important part of their AHS Journey. Equally, this has to be in balance with good mental hygiene and looking after the wellbeing of students, so please keep us in the loop if your child is having a tough time. Students are always welcome to talk through any worries twice a day with their Form tutors, as well as coming to seek pastoral or medical help before school, after school, during break and lunchtime.

If you have any queries or concerns about your child in Year 10, please contact school reception to speak to someone in the Year 10 team, or you can email reception@ahs.pmat.academy.

Message from Head of Year 11, Miss Waines

This week in Act of Collective Worship, students were introduced to the Wellbeing in Mind team who are working in school to support mental health. Students were told a bit about how the team is going to work and have been encouraged that if they have any mental health worries, to get in touch with a teacher who can put them in touch with the Wellbeing in Mind team. We are hoping this will be really beneficial to our students.



I wanted to say a big well done to all students who have taken part in BTEC exams in school this week. I know some of the days have felt long and arduous but attendance has been fantastic and conduct in the classrooms exemplary. I know these students have put themselves in good stead for their future prospects!

All students in the year group will have an IAG (post-16 next steps) meeting with a member of SLT in the coming weeks following our AHS Sixth Form taster day last week. Please do speak to your child about this and ask them how the conversations have gone.

Please can I politely remind parents that all students need a jumper with them for assembly. Please check your child has one with them every Thursday for our assembly day!

As always if you have any questions or concerns, please do get in touch.

REWARD & RECOGNITION



We still remain pleased that the extra curricular clubs are going well and many of our Year 7 students are taking part in the Super 7 Challenge. I am looking forward to receiving many completed booklets at the end of the half term.

How can you help? Extra curricular clubs and activities are a fabulous way to be part of the school community. Not only do students have fun and make new friends, they develop new skills and passions that they may not have had before. Check out the timetable in the newsletter, *is there a club you can encourage your child to attend?*



A reminder of rewards and recognition available throughout the year:

Daily/Weekly	Half Termly	Termly	Yearly
House Merits	Subject Certificates	AHS Accolades	Speech Night
HOY Award	Headteachers Breakfast	CEO Award	Sport Day
Positive Messages/Phone Calls	House Competitions	Awarding of House Ties/Signature Tie	Announcing the House Winners and Presentation of the House Cup.
Nominations for HOY	Celebratory ACW and Award Distribution	Whole School Celebrations (Christmas, Easter and Summer)	
House Competitions		House Competitions	
		Whole School Celebrations	

Head of Year Nominations and Award

This week we have added additional columns due to the number of students nominated for the HoY Award... this is absolutely FANTASTIC!!!!

This weeks nominees are:



KS3		KS4	
Reagan Martin	Christopher Fanning	Maisie Bone	Harvey Green
Freddie Scott	Ella He	Ellie Murphy	Thomas Bate
Maisie Cook	Selina Man	Oscar Duncan	Natalie Bowler
Wisdom Olorunfemi	Jack Bexon	Gracjan Malecki	Faith Lister
Jasper Cheung	Emily Smith	Ruby Thwaite	Neve Wilson
Lucy Taylor	Seth Yeboah	Nicola Ciachla	Ronald Hui
Gideon Gates	Maia Duggleby	Lilly Thompson	M S
Tyler Dennis	Sam Hughes	Eva Krauca	Zane Hunter
Zayed Zafar	Owen Sullivan	Lilly Thompson	Annie Wedgwood
Erin Benjamin	Shashka Fernando	Grace Day	Yasmina Boudjema
Maggie Dickinson	Isabek Sabbadin	Misty Haworth	Blain Musson
Igor Czechowski	Taryn Massam	Angus East	Ed Smith
Isaac Ripley	Nathan Taylor	Sam McBride	Anna Roberts
Alexis Cumberland	Jo Sola Farrus	Charlie Carr	Scarlett Shaw
Rylie Green	Anna Davies	Otto Kearns	Jessie King
Chenuka Adikari	Jasper Garnett	Katie Weatherall	Charlie Hallam
Arivan Farhad	Kat Whitwell	C G	Angela Hettiarachchige
Chris Eguia	Dora Escombe	Blain Wright-Smith	

Sixth Form			
Ada Cole	Oscar Bailey	Mo Boudjema	Katie Hagues
Mia Bell	Katie-Anne Varga	Ruby Allitt	Chloe Gill
Lewis Gray	Neve Bell	Anna Wells	Shanae Drake
Annabelle Hudson	Isla Parkinson	Connie Ward	Joshua Smith
George Horner	Mishi Vida	Fran Lawson	Sofia Micheli
M.T	Sarah Norman	Owen Snaith	Nicholas Pericleous
Scarlett Kelly	Harry Smith	Annie Fitch	Toby Lamb
Damilola Sosanya	Reuben Stockdale	Jorja Geesing	Ameila James-Thompson
Reuben Moore	Ben Riley	Peko Podgorski	



AHS House News

Year 7	Year 8	Year 9
Reagan Martin	Domino Lea	Nathan Taylor
Freddie Scott	Cameron Todman	Jo Sola Farrus

Year 10	Year 11	Year 12	Year 13
Maisie Bone	Angus East	Ada Cole	Ben Riley
Ellie Murphy	Sam McBride	Mia Bell	Mo Boudjema



The house competitions are well underway and we look forward to announcing the outcomes at the end of the half term.

Students can look forward to taking part in:-

- Y10-13 - Student Artist Textiles Competition
- KS3 Cross Country
- KS5 Applied Law Quizzes
- RE Prayer Competition
- Maths SPARX Competition

Students, staff and parents will be informed about house totals at the end of each half term!

AHS Personal Development Hub and Merit Mart

It's been a busy week at the Merit Mart and we are fully restocked and ready to welcome all our Merit earners to the shop.

At the Personal Development Hub, students are able to collect information about everyday life, extra-curricular activities, trips and visits and careers. There will also be a number of opportunities for students to take part in 'Pupil Voice' to give feedback on a number of 'hot topics' based on the school community.

The Merit Mart is our students' happy place, where they can enquire about their merits and spend them on various items in the shop. Items include:

- Stationery
- Key Rings
- Board Games
- Books
- Water Bottles
- Vouchers

The opportunity to enter termly raffles

Students will be able to access the Personal Development Hub in line with the Merit Mart opening times - weekdays 1.20-1.50pm.

And much, much, more!



This is your captain speaking

Announcement coming soon...

Please keep a lookout on ClassCharts for our House Captains and Vice Captains announcements. Year 7 students will be able to apply soon, as soon as they are awarded with their 'Welcoming to your house' bookmarks.

Careers Corner

YEAR 11 TASTER DAYS

TUESDAY 14TH JANUARY 2025

THURSDAY 16TH JANUARY 2025

8.45AM - 4.15PM

UNSURE WHAT TO STUDY AFTER YEAR 11?

Join us on one of our Taster Days and experience some of the exciting subjects we offer.

Book your place at www.yorkcollege.ac.uk or scan the QR code.

Bookings close Wednesday 27th November 2024

Places are allocated on a first-come, first-served basis.

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This Week's Sixth Form News



Message from Mrs De Lashley, Assistant Head: Director of Sixth Form

Open Evening

Our Sixth Form Opening Evening will be held on Tuesday 19 November and we look forward to welcoming our Year 11 students alongside students from across the city. We are so proud of our Sixth Form and this is an opportunity to share with families why we love what we do here. The event will be held between 6.00-8.00pm with formal invites shared this week.

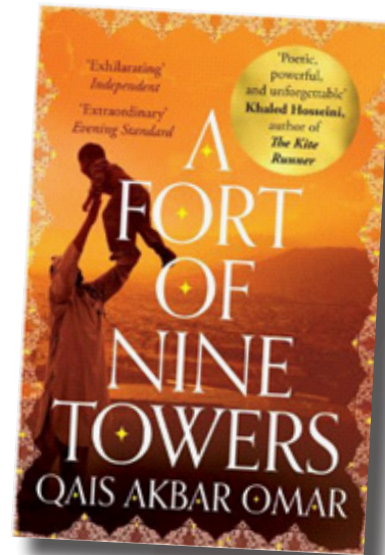
Book Recommendation of the Week



A reminder that each week we share a recommendation from the post-16 reading list that we hope students will engage with. This reading list is one of many that can be found online, but one that we think is broad, challenging and accessible. A copy of all the listed books can be found in the Resource Centre.

A Fort of Nine Towers by Qais Akbar Omar

A stunning tale of one family's escape from the Taliban in 2000s Afghanistan and survival in a nomadic and cave-dwelling life. This novel explores themes of family, faith and the repetition and inevitability of history and politics. It's a compelling read and one that's ideal to discuss in book clubs.



Restart a Heart Week

Next week is Restart a Heart Week in school. We will be teaching students CPR in their PE lessons. The survival rate for out of hospital cardiac arrests is only 1 in 10 in the UK, but the more people that are trained in CPR, the better the chance of increasing this statistic. It is international Restart a Heart Day on Wednesday 16 October and we have some fantastic volunteers coming into school from the medical profession to help the PE department deliver the training and raise awareness.

If you would like to learn this lifesaving skill, go to the BHF website and complete the 15-minute **RevivR training** (<https://www.bhf.org.uk/how-you-can-help/how-to-save-a-life/how-to-o-cpr/learn-cpr-in-15-minutes>)



Physical Education Department

"Equipping students with the knowledge, skills and motivation to live active, healthy lives."



Extra-Curricular Club Spotlight

This week we are focusing on badminton. We run a recreational badminton club on a Tuesday after school. Many students feel that they just want to be active and have fun rather than be too competitive, so this is a relaxed atmosphere where students can play with their friends, or make some new ones. Attendance has been fantastic with students from all year groups attending.



Swimming

Harry Parkinson, Year 8, completed the September sponsored swim for his swimming club, Pocklington Dolphins. He reached his target swim if 11,500 metres over the month. What a brilliant achievement. Well done, Harry.



MONDAY

AFTER SCHOOL (3.20-4.10pm)

- All Years Netball (Courts)
- All Years Beginners Swimming (Pool)

TUESDAY

AFTER SCHOOL (3.20-4.10pm)

- Y10-11 Fitness (Fitness Suite)
- All Years Badminton (Sports Hall)
- Y7-8 Boys' Football (Back Field)
- All Years Boxing (Gym)
- Y7-8 Beginners Swimming (Pool)

WEDNESDAY

LUNCHTIME (1.15pm)

- Y12-13 Netball (Courts)
- Y7-8 Netball (Sports Hall)

THURSDAY

LUNCHTIME (1.15pm)

- Y9 Boys' Football (Sports Hall)
- AFTER SCHOOL (3.20-4.10pm)
- All Years Girls' Football (Back Field)

FRIDAY

LUNCHTIME (1.15pm)

- Y10-13 Exam Catch Up (PE1/IT4)
- AFTER SCHOOL (3.15-4.15pm)
- Y7 Rookie Lifeguard - invite only (Pool)

Football Fixtures Update Girls' Football



Wednesday: Year 7 girls had their debut representing AHS at a York-wide tournament. They showed brilliant team work and scored some really good goals, ending second place overall! Well done girls, plenty more to come!

Thursday: Year 7 & 8 represented AHS at a York-wide tournament on Thursday after school. They played really well together and showed great sportsmanship.

Monday: Year 7 & 8 girls were drawn away to Outwood Academy Ripon in the first round of the County Cup and had a fantastic 10-0 win. On to the next round!

Boys' Football



Monday: The Year 11 boys had a very exciting game against Manor which finished in a 3-3 draw. Callum Miller scored a fabulous hat trick.

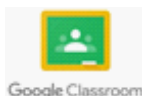
The boys have a busy week of fixtures with Year 7, 9 & 10 all playing matches this week.

School PE Kit

If any student has borrowed school PE kit, please may it be returned to a member of the PE department. School PE kit is usually labelled "AHS". Should a student forget any item of their PE kit, they will be issued a 20-minute lunchtime detention, in line with the school behaviour policy. Additionally, if you do have any unwanted school PE kit, we would be extremely grateful for any donations.

Google Classroom

Please make sure that your child has joined the PE Google Classroom for their year group. Please accept the link to find out all information related to PE and Sport. On the classroom students can access general PE information, their Programme of Study, the Extra-Curricular Programme, Community Links and a curriculum map outlining what students study each year.



Extra-curricular PE

Our new extra-curricular programme for this half term is out. Remember that our clubs are a relaxed environment with a focus on participation and enjoyment and students don't have to be selected in teams to be involved. Students do not need to sign up to PE clubs, just need to show up on the day with the correct PE kit for the activity. Fixtures are also back on, so if you would like to be a part of a team then make sure you attend training to be eligible for selection.



Lunchtime Clubs



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Chapel Chill Out 13:15 - 13:45 The Chapel Miss Turvey	Y7 YOYO CLUB 13:15 - 13:50 The Chapel York Schools Trust	KS4 and 5 Chess Club 13:15 - 13:50 SC3 Mr Tilbrook	Y8 and 9 YOYO CLUB 13:15 - 13:50 The Chapel York Schools Trust	Y7 MFL Film Club 13:20 - 13:50 ML4 Miss Leplatre Bring your packed lunch
KS3 Chess Club 13:15 - 13:50 SC3 Mr Tilbrook	Folk Band 13:15 - 13:50 L40 Mr Clements	Y10 YOYO CLUB 13:15 - 13:50 The Chapel York Schools Trust	Y9 Boys Football 13:15 - 13:50 Sports Hall Mr Goldsmith	DT Club 13:20 - 13:50 TE3 DT TEAM
British Sign Language Club 13:20 - 13:50 GG4 Miss Isherwood First come first served basis		KS3 Maths Club 13:15 - 13:50 MA4 Dr King	Jazz Band 13:15 - 13:50 L37 Mrs Morrison	Y10 - 13 Sport Exam Catch up 13:15 - 13:50 IT4/PE1 Mr Goldsmith
String Ensemble 13:15 - 13:50 L37 Mrs Morrison		Werewolf Card Game Club 13:20 - 13:50 Hi1 Miss Field		
Music TECH Club 13:15 - 13:50 L40 Mr Clements		6th Form Netball 13:15 - 13:50 Netball Courts Miss Gavin		
		Y7 and 8 Netball 13:15 - 13:50 Netball Courts Miss Amos		
		6th Form Only Lawyers Who Lunch 13:15 - 13:50 L33 Miss Brown		

Come along and 'Join in', it might open up lots of 'opportunities' and allow you to 'understand yourself and others'. Clubs help build 'responsibility and resilience', they may help you decide on your 'next steps', and make you 'examples to follow'. It's exciting what 'your future' may hold!



After School Clubs



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Backstage Club (Starts 16th Sept) 15:15 - 16:15 (Main Hall) Mr Gladstone and Mr Clements	QUILT BAGS 15:15 - 16:00 (RE1) Mr Everdell, Miss Brown and Dr King		All Years Girls Football 15:20 - 16:20 (Back Field) Miss Wheeler	AHS Unity Choir 15:15 - 16:00 L40
All Years Netball 15:20 - 16:10 (Netball Courts) Miss Amos and Mrs Beard	Y10 and 11 Fitness 15:20 - 16:10 (Fitness Suite) Mr Skelton		ALL YEARS Needlecraft Club 15:15 - 16:00 (RE6) Mrs Robertson	Y7 Rookie Lifeguard (Invitation Only) 15:15 - 16:20 - Swimming Pool
	Badminton All Years 15:20 - 16:20 (Sports Hall) Mrs Beard			Board and Computer Games 15:15 - 16:15 - L16 Mr Mountford
	Y7 and 8 Boys Football 15:20 - 16:20 (Back Field) Mr Goldsmith			
	KS3 Creative Writing 15:15 - 16:15 (EN7) Miss Rogerson			
	Dead Poets Society 15:25 - 16:25 (EN8) Miss Dearlove			
	Debate Club 15:20 - 16:00 (EN6) Mr Stevens			
	Boxing Academy 15:15 - 16:15 (Gym) Paul Cashmore			
	Y7 and 8 Table Tennis 15:15 - 16:15 (Studio) Paul Farmery			
	KS4 and 5 Book Club 15:20 - 16:00 (EN3) Miss Collins			

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Extra- Curricular MUSIC 2024-25

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Lunch	String Ensemble All years (L37) Mo 		AHS Brass All years (L40) Mo 	GCSE and A-Level Composition Support ZNs/Ne (L40) 	GCSE and A-Level Composition Support Ne (L40) 
	Music Tech Club All years (L40) DCI 	Folk band All years (L40) DCI 	Flute Choir All years (L37) 	Jazz band All years (L37) Mo 	AHS Academy Choir All years (L37) ZNs 
After School		Junior (Y7-9) & Senior (10-13) Soul Band (L40) Mo 	Band rehearsals (by appointment only) Studio 	Orchestra All years (L37) Mo 	AHS Unity Choir (by invitation only) (L40) Ne/ZNs 

Menu w/c 14 October

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Mains Mediterranean Chicken Vegetable Casserole (V)	Mains Beef Bolognese Veggie Bolognese (V)	Mains Roast Joint of Beef Covent Garden Crumble (V)	Mains Chicken Korma Vegetable Tikka Masala	Mains Freshly Battered Fish Vegetarian Quiche (V)
On the side Potato Wedges	On the side Spagetti Garlic Bread	On the side Roast Potatoes Yorkshire pudding	On the side Steamed Rice Garlic & Coriander Naan Bread	On the side Chips
Vegetables Selection of seasonal vegetables served every day	Vegetables Selection of seasonal vegetables served every day	Vegetables Selection of seasonal vegetables served every day	Vegetables Selection of seasonal vegetables served every day	Vegetables Selection of seasonal vegetables served every day
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Family Favourites Apple Crumble & Custard A selection of Traybakes/muffin, cookies, yoghurt and fruit	Family Favourites Steamed Syrup Sponge & Custard A selection of Traybakes/muffin, Cookies, Yoghurt and Fruit	Family Favourites Lemon Drizzle Cake & Cream A selection of Traybakes/muffin, Cookies, Yoghurt and Fruit	Family Favourites Jam Roly-Poly & Custard A selection of Traybakes/muffin, Cookies, Yoghurt and Fruit	Family Favourites Chocolate Sponge & Chocolate Sauce A selection of Traybakes/muffin, Cookies, Yoghurt and Fruit

York's mental health drop in for 14-21 year olds

(up to 25 years SEND)



drop in

Not sure what support is available in York?

On a waiting list and would like a chat?

or need a non-judgemental mental
health safe space?

Monday and Thursday Evenings



Find out more:



@ChatChitPodcast

'EXPRESSIVE MINDS' GROUP SUPPORT

A 6 week early intervention project to support young people age 11-18 yrs, particularly young males aged 13-16ys, who are experiencing mental health challenges.

The group is designed to develop: confidence, communication skills, self-esteem and self-expression and offers an opportunity to connect with others.

Group 1 start date:

4th November-9th December 2024

**Mondays 4.30-6pm @ York Mind's Office
(Highcliffe House, Highcliffe Court, Clifton, York, YO30 6BP)**

Places on all of these groups will be allocated on a first come first serve basis through submitting a referral form

Young people themselves are welcome to make referrals as well as parents, carers or other professionals on their behalf.

Under 16yrs old will need written parent/carers consent.

Please make referrals by October 31st 2024 for the first group.

If you have any questions about the group, please contact
Nicola.Hainsworth@yorkmind.org.uk

**Please check www.yorkmind.org.uk
for more information**

OUR SCHOOLS ARE RECRUITING



Support Staff Vacancies

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Job	Cleaning Assistants
School	Archbishop Holgate's School
Details	Required as soon as possible. Currently £11.52 per hour Term Time only Hours of work: Mon-Fri, 3.30-7.30pm Salary paid monthly over 12 equal payments.
Closes	N/A

Job	After School Club Manager
School	Rufforth Primary School
Details	Grade 5 Level 1 Monday to Friday – 3pm – 6.15pm term time only plus 8 hours per year for training requirements. There could be flexibility regarding working hours.
Closes	N/A

Job	Learning Manager
School	Malton School
Details	Grade F, Scale Points 9-13 Full Time (37 hours per week), Term-time only (incl. training days) £25,119—£26,873 per annum Full Time Equivalent £21,061—£22,532 per annum Actual.
Closes	Friday 11th October at 9am

Job	Payroll Officer
School	Pathfinder Multi Academy Trust
Details	Grade 7- £29,230-£31,391 (currently awaiting pay award agreement) 14.8 Hours a week (0.4 FTE) Permanent, Part time, Full Year – Flexibility on days for the right candidate
Closes	Friday 25th October at Midnight



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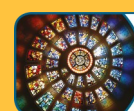
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Job	Teaching Assistant (Behaviour Support)
School	Huntington Primary Academy
Details	Grade CD SCP 3-4 (£22,737- £23,114) reduced pro rata 30 hours per week (8.40 am – 3.10pm daily). Term time only. Fixed term to 31 August 2025 (in the first instance)
Closes	Friday 18th October at Midnight

Job	After School Club Assistant
School	Heworth CE Primary School
Details	Grade 3 Level 1-4. Full time equivalent starting salary = £22,434, reduced pro-rata. (pay award pending) 9.5 hours/week. Working hours are 3:15pm to 6pm, Tuesday/ Thursday/ Friday and 3:15pm to 4:30pm Wednesday. Term time only.
Closes	Thursday 24th October at Midday

External Vacancy - Apply now	
Job	Teaching Assistant Level 2
School	Applefields School Mainsite
Details	Salary: £23,400 to £24,213 per annum pro rata Grade: City of York Grade 4 Level 2 to 4 Contract Type: Permanent Vacancy Hours: Flexible hours available – morning, afternoon, part days, full days, part time, full time
Closes	Wednesday 16th October at Midnight

External Vacancy - Apply Now	
Job	Cleaner
School	Applefields School Mainsite
Details	Salary: £23,151 per annum pro rata Grade: City of York Grade 2 Level 4 Contract Type: Permanent Vacancy Hours: 7.5 hours per week, Term Time Only (5 days per week after school)
Closes	Wednesday 16th October at Midnight



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Job	Teaching Assistant TA2—Key Stage 2
School	Badger Hill Primary School
Details	Grade 4, Level 1 – 4 £23,045 to £24,213 per annum, reduced pro rata. Pay award pending. Fixed term to 31 August 2025. Part Time: 18.75 hours per week, Term Time Only. 08:30 to 12:15 Monday-Friday
Closes	Thursday 24th October at Midday

Job	Year 3 Class Teacher—Maternity Cover
School	Hempland Primary School
Details	M1 – M6 (£30,000 – £41,333 per annum) Full Time Temporary contract to cover maternity leave
Closes	Friday 1st November at Midday

External Vacancy - Apply Now	
Job	Class Teacher (Maternity Cover)
School	Applefields School Mainsite
Details	Salary: £30,000 to £36,051 per annum FTE (Pay award pending) Grade: MPS 1 - 4 Contract Type: Temporary Maternity Cover Fixed Term Contract Duration: 1 year Vacancy Hours: Full time or Part Time available (2 days to 5 days)
Closes	Thursday 17th October at Midnight

