## **Sacred Heart Catholic High School**



# **Curriculum Enhancement**

# Spring 2024

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This programme shows you the range of activities in which you can take part at Sacred Heart Catholic High School.

The activities are scheduled for lunchtimes, after school and in some cases during school holidays. School visits are normally planned during term time.

If you take part, you can:

- Consolidate subject matter for exams
- Learn new skills or improve existing ones
- Take responsibility
- Represent the school
- Explore and develop your talents

It is important for you to show that in addition to good examination results you are prepared to take up your place in society. This booklet details your opportunities to become involved in a variety of activities.

If you have any further ideas for suitable activities, which are not in this programme please speak to Mrs A P Kirkup (Curriculum Enhancement) in the Learning Centre.

Make the most of your time at Sacred Heart Catholic High School and have fun!



Breakfast Revision Clubs and Lunchtime Clubs



After School Clubs

### ART

Club/Staff	Year Group	Day/Time	Location	Start Date
Art Club Mrs Pisarevic	Year 10 & 11	Monday Lunchtime	Art 1	
Study Club Mrs Pisarevic	Year 10 & 11	Monday 3.30pm-4.30pm		January 2024
Ceramics Catch up session	KS5	Monday. Week 1 & 2 3.30-4.30pm	Ceramics Studio	
Ceramics Catch up sessions Mrs Naylor	KS4 & 5	Tuesday Week 1 & 2 3.30pm – 4.30pm	Ceramics Studio	September 2023
A Level Art Study Club Miss Stocks	KS5		Art 0	September 2023
Art Club Miss Watson	Year 10	Tuesday After School 3.30pm – 4.30pm	Art 1	February 2024
Arts and Crafts Miss Douglas and Mrs Jack	Year 8	Tuesday After School 3.30pm – 4.30pm	Art 2	16 <sup>th</sup> April 2024
KS3 Art Club	Year 7 & 8	Tuesday Lunchtime	Art 1	October 2023
Miss Stocks KS4 GCSE Art Study Club	KS4	Thursday Week 1 & 2 3.30pm - 4.30pm	Art 1	September 2023

#### **COMPUTER SCIENCE**

Club/Staff	Year Group	Day/Time	Location	Start Date
Computer Science Enrichment Group Miss Burt	KS4	Monday evening 3.30pm-4.30pm	IT2	September 2023
Creative iMedia Enrichment Group Mr Stapleton/Miss Coldwell	KS4	Thursday evening 3.30pm-4.30pm	IT2	September 2023
Robotics Stem Club – Students to compete in a National VEX Robotics Competition in teams.	Year 9/10	Lunchtime and After School	Technology 1	ТВС

#### ENGLISH

#### **ENGLISH - LitSoc**

## JUNIOR LitSoc

Junior LitSoc runs each year. It is comprised of Year 11 students who have been selected by their GCSE teachers as showing a particular aptitude for the subject, which we hope will then translate into taking A Level Literature or Language. It runs every Monday lunchtime and is comprised of half hour sessions led by members of the English department (including ex-members Mrs Bath – CEO of the Bishop Bewick Trust and Mrs Howell – Headteacher of Sacred Heart High School), plus occasional guest speakers.

## SENIOR LitSoc

This invite-only club runs from the January of Year 12 to the December of Year 13. It is led by Mr Spraggon, former Head of English and all-around English whizz, whose role is to introduce and facilitate reading and debate across a range of texts from the Literary Canon, which are outside of the A Level Literature syllabus. The group meets monthly, having pre-read a text (all the texts are gifted to the students as part of being in the society), and one student is responsible for leading the session, whilst all students are pushed to debate and offer alternate viewpoints. It was established to prepare students for Oxbridge interviews but has developed over the years to just generally encourage debate and allow students to find their voices: an essential skill for any Higher Education institute.

### **HEALTH & SOCIAL CARE**

Club/Staff	Year Group	Day/Time	Location	Start Date
Catch up/Support Mrs Woodhams	KS4 & KS5	Monday & Thursday Evening 3.30pm - 4.30pm	Sixth Form	October 2023
Revision for exams in May	Year 12 HSC	Thursday & Friday morning 8.00am – 8.30am	Sixth Form	October 2023
	Year 12 CPLD	Monday & Tuesday morning 8.00am – 8.30am		

#### HISTORY

Club/Staff	Year Group	Day/Time	Location	Start Date
GCSE History Revision Miss Carpenter Mr Lee A Level History Revision (Russia) Mr Whittingham	Year 11 Year 13 only	Tuesday Evening 3.30pm – 4.30pm	History 3 History 2	January 2024
GCSE History Revision Miss Carpenter Mr Lee A Level History Revision (Tudors) Mrs Hills	Year 11 Year 13 only	Thursday Evening 3.30pm – 4.30pm	History 3 History 1	January 2024

### LANGUAGES

Club/Staff	Year Group	Day/Time	Location	Start Date
Languages Café Miss Wood	KS3	Every Friday lunchtime 12.45pm-1.15pm	LN1	May 2024

#### **LEARNING CENTRE**

Club/Staff	Year Group	Day/Time	Location	Start Date
Culture Club Mrs Waffi, Miss Heads	All Welcome	Monday Lunchtime 12.50pm – 1.15pm	Learning Centre	September 2023
Girl Talk Miss Peacock	Year 7	Tuesday (Before School) 8.40am – 9.00am)	Learning Centre	September 2023
Film Club Miss Gill	All welcome	Tuesday Lunchtime 12.50pm - 1.15pm		
Girl Talk Miss Heads	Year 8	Wednesday (Before School) 8.40am – 9.00 am	Learning Centre	September 2023
Film Club Miss Gill	All welcome	Thursday Lunchtime 12.50pm – 1.15pm	Learning Centre	September 2023
Craft Club Mrs Ganguly	All welcome	Friday Lunchtime 12.50pm – 1.15 pm	Learning Centre	September 2023

#### **PERFORMING ARTS**

Club/Staff	Year Group	Day/Time	Location	Start Date
Junior Choir Ms Bloomfield, Mr Oates & Miss Ogunyemi	Year 7 & 8	Monday Lunchtime 12.45pm - 1.15pm	Auditorium	September 2023
Drama Club	Year 9	Monday Lunchtime	Drama Studio	September 2023
Mrs Burgess		12.45pm - 1.15pm		
Year 7 & 8 Dance Club	Year 7 & 8	Monday After School	Dance Studio	September 2023
Mr White, Mrs Palmer		3.40pm - 4.30pm		
Dance Exam Support	Year 11 & 13	Monday After School	Auditorium	September 2023
Miss Baldwin, Mrs Palmer		3.40pm - 4.30pm		
Drama Theory Club/Rehearsal	Years 10-13	Monday After School	Drama Studio	September 2023
Support		3.40pm - 4.30pm		
Mrs Burges				
Drama Club	Year 8	Tuesday Lunchtime	Auditorium	September 2023
Mrs Richardson		12.45pm - 1.15pm		
Senior Choir	Years 9-13	Tuesday After School	MU2/Auditorium	September 2023
Miss Purvis		3.30pm - 4.30pm		
Year 9 Dance Company	Year 9	Tuesday After School	Dance Studio	September 2023
Mr White, Miss Baldwin		3.30pm - 4.30pm		
LAMDA Classes	Year 7 & 8	Tuesday throughout the	Please check	September 2023
Ms Evans		day	timetable	
		9.00am – 3.00pm		
Sign-Language Choir	All Welcome	Wednesday Lunchtime	MU2	September 2023
Alana Philip (Year 13)		12.45pm - 1.15pm		
Senior Rock School	Years 9-13	Wednesday After School	Recording	September 2023
Miss Purvis		3.30pm - 5.00pm	Studio/MU1/MU2	
PA Open Space	Years 9-13	Wednesday After School	Drama Studio	September 2023
Mrs Curry		3.30pm - 4.30pm		
Drama Club	Year 7	Thursday Lunchtime	Auditorium	September 2023
Ms Palma		12.45pm - 1.15pm		
Senior Orchestra	All Year Groups	Thursday After School	MU2	September 2023
Mr Oates	Grade 3+	3.30pm - 4.30pm		
Junior Rock School	Year 7 & 8	Thursday After School	MU1/Recording	September 2023
Mr Jones		3.30pm -4.30pm	Studio Practice	
			Room 1 & 2	
Drama Rehearsal Support	Years 10-13	Thursday/Friday Ater	Drama Studio	September 2023
Mrs Richardson/Ms Palma		School		
		3.30pm - 5.00pm		

## **PHYSICAL EDUCATION**

Club/Staff	Year Group	Day/Time	Location	Start Date
Netball Miss Beardsley Trampolining Miss Ridley/SCITT	Year 10/Seniors KS3	Monday After School	PE Department	September 2023
Netball Miss Bould Trampolining	Year 9		PE Department	
Miss Adams Football Miss Billingham	KS4 All Years	Tuesday After School	Sports Hall PE Department/Field	September 2023
Basketball Chris (Newcastle Eagles) Indoor Cricket Ellie (Cricket Coach)	All Year Groups KS3	Wednesday	PE Department	September 2023
Revision Miss Adams	A Level PE	Wednesday Lunchtime		
Netball Miss Adams, Miss Ridley Badminton Miss Evans GCSE PE and Cambridge	Year 7/8 All Year Groups KS4	Thursday Period 6	PE Department	September 2023
Nationals Miss Beardsley Sports Club	Year 11	Lunchtime 12.40-1.10pm		
KS4 GCSE PE and Cambridge Nationals		Period 6	PE Department	September 2023

#### POLITICS

Club/Staff	Year Group	Day/Time	Location	Start Date
Bondfield/Bell Society Mr Kerr It will focus on social and political issues at home and abroad, plus current affairs. Guest speakers may be brought in.	Year 10-13	Tuesday Week 1 3.30pm-4.30pm	RE6	October/November 2023

#### **RELIGIOUS STUDIES**

Club/Staff	Year Group	Day/Time	Location	Start Date
Religious Studies A Level Revision Club Miss Close	Sixth Form	Week 1 Monday evening 3.30pm – 4.30pm	RE1	February 2024
Religious Studies GCSE Revision Club Mr Mulhearn Miss Close	Year 11	Week 1 and 2 Monday and Thursday evening 3.30pm – 4.30pm	RE2	February 2024
Religious Studies GCSE Revision Club – Judaism Content Mrs Caisley-Britton	Year 10	Week 1 and 2 Monday evening 3.30pm – 4.30pm	RE4	February 2024

## **SCIENCE**

Club/Staff	Year Group	Day/Time	Location	Start Date
Mr Bell's STEM Society is	All KS3 welcome	Week 2 (only)	GS4	Thursday
back by popular demand:		Fortnightly on Thursday		28th September
		3.30pm - 4.30pm		2023
Sacred Heart STEM Society				
Mr Bell, Miss Knox and		Numbers will be limited to		
older student mentors		about 25 students, so be		
		quick to apply!		
Winner of best STEM Club				
in regional category of the				
Big Bang Science Fair				

#### **SIXTH FORM**

Club/Staff	Year Group	Day/Time	Location	Start Date
After School Fitness Club	Sixth Form	Monday – Thursday	Fitness	September 2023
		evenings	Room	

### **STUDY CLUB**

Club/Staff	Year Group	Day/Time	Location	Start Date
<b>Study Club</b> 1:1 help with any topic a student is stuck on from teachers! This is an excellent place to complete your homework or to get help on a particular problem.	Prioritised for KS4 students but open to all	Monday – Friday 3.30pm – 5pm	Library	October 2023

## TECHNOLOGY

Club/Staff	Year Group	Day/Time	Location	Start Date
After School Design Workshops	Year 10/11/12	Tuesday, Thursday and Friday	Textiles 1	September 2023
Focus: Developing practical skills and knowledge (Pattern Cutting/Stand Modelling/Garment Construction				
<ul><li>Homework Club</li><li>Study Club</li></ul>	Year 7	Every lunchtime	Textiles 1	September 2023
• Young Designer (After January 2024)				After January 2024
<ul> <li>V &amp; A – Design Challenge</li> <li>This is Creative Enterprise (Only 15 places)</li> </ul>	Year 9	Friday lunchtime	Textiles 1	September 2023
• Young Designer Award (After January 2023)				After January 2024
Food Preparation and Nutrition/Hospitality & Catering 1:1 Support and Exam Practice		Tuesday evening 3.30pm – 4.30pm	Food Room	From October 2023 – all year
Food Club Miss King	KS3	Tuesday evening 3.30pm – 4.30pm	Food Room	May/June/July 2024
Robotics Stem Club – Students to compete in a National VEX Robotics Competition in teams.	Year 9/10	Lunchtimes and After School	Technology 1	September 2023