



Blue Coat
Church of England School
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Year 11 Parent Information Evening

Mrs L. Henden - Associate Headteacher



Vision & Values

OUR VISION

Living life in all its fullness

OUR VISION STATEMENT

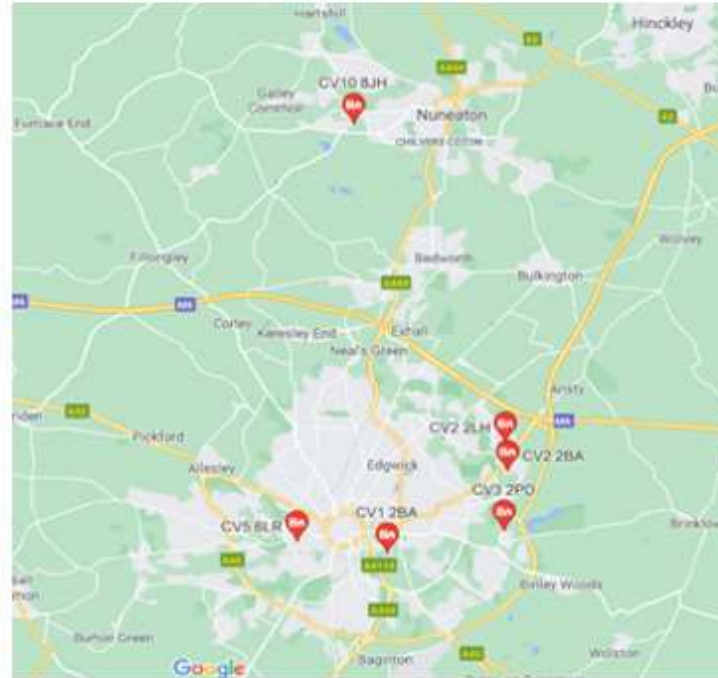
To equip our students to live life in all its fullness by providing excellent education which is distinctively Christian and inclusive of all.

At the heart of this education are the values of **Care, Hard work, Respect, Integrity, Servanthood** and **Togetherness**.

We are part of Inspire Education Trust



- Walsgrave Church of England Academy
- Clifford Bridge Academy
- Whittle Academy
- Hearsall Community Academy
- Stockingford Academy
- Blue Coat Church of England Academy



- 6 schools – 5 Primary 1 Secondary
- Mixed MAT – 2 Church of England schools
- Pupils – 3,800
- Staff – 500
- 2 Local Authorities

Working together for
the benefit of all of
our pupils and staff



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House System

Mr D. Bedford – Deputy Headteacher



Houses & Key Contacts

Cavell House

Dorsey House

Lewis House

Parks House

Wilberforce House



Head of House

Head of House

Head of House

Head of House

Head of House

Mr Mosley
Mr Skelley

Miss Dhaliwal

Mr Stacey

Mr Thind

Miss Day

Assistant Head of House

Assistant Head of House

Assistant Head of House

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Assistant Head of House

Miss Matthews

Miss J Meah &
Mr F Peacock

Mrs Gates

Mrs Harriman

Miss J Meah &
Mr F Peacock



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Behaviour, Attendance & Punctuality

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Consequence System

B4L strategies to deescalated behaviours and refocus the learning For repeat behaviour by an individual in one lesson only record the highest tariff consequence on CC Each lesson is a new start				
C1	Verbal warning by the staff member		Recorded on CC	
C2	Final verbal warning - narrating the consequences		Two points recorded in detail on CC	
C3 optional 10 minute teacher dt and RJ conversation	C3 behaviour Active support <i>Staff member scripted email or phone call home (Check Sims to check quick note about contact home first)</i>	W3 Whole school behaviour	W3 behaviour Active support <i>Tutor/pastoral/ Staff member scripted email or phone call home (Check Sims to check quick note about contact home first)</i>	Three points recorded in detail on CC
C4 Student to complete incomplete work form lesson. Or Reflection sheet Essential RJ conversation by staff setting DT	Department withdrawal/on call <i>Centralised 30 minute DT Monday – Thursday</i>	W4 Whole school behaviour	House detention <i>Centralised 30 minute DT Monday – Thursday</i>	Four points recorded in detail on CC
Appropriate sanctions Sanctions subject to investigation could range from 30 minute to an exclusion Staff members will be involved in this process RJ conversations essential				
Five late to lesson in a week trigger a 30-minute DT after school and a letter to parents – centrally collated.				

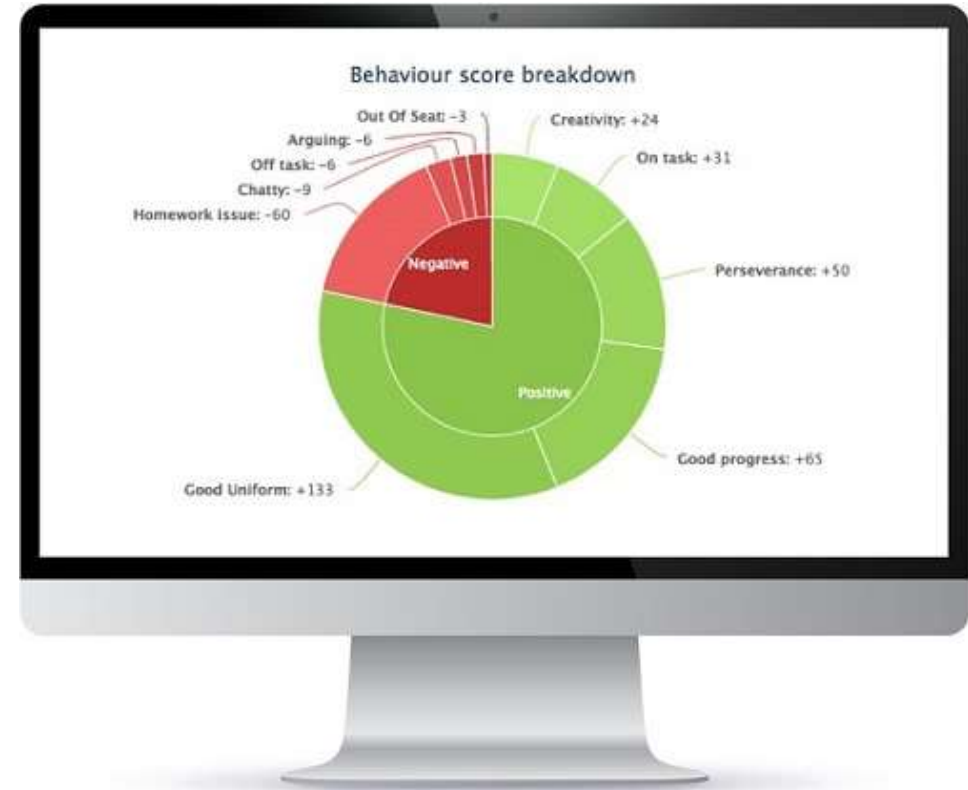
Reward System

Year 7 Achievement Badges	Year 8 Achievement Badges
 60 achievement points: Bronze merit & certificate  180 achievement points: Silver merit & certificate  350 achievement points: Gold merit & certificate	 60 achievement points: Bronze merit & certificate  180 achievement points: Silver merit & certificate  350 achievement points: Gold merit & certificate
Year 9 Achievement Badges	Year 10 Achievement Badges
 60 achievement points: Bronze merit & certificate  180 achievement points: Silver merit & certificate  350 achievement points: Gold merit & certificate	 These badges are for year 10. Rewarded to the top 10% achievers
100% Attendance Award	Tutor Award Badges
 Years 7-10 end of year attendance certificate with badge.	
School Award Badge	House Award Badge
 Nominations approved by SLT and HOH for outstanding school contribution. Presented at the Cathedral	 Outstanding House contribution, approved by HOH

EduLink – Communication



Class Charts – Conduct





Attendance & Punctuality

Attendance Ladder





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Curriculum & Target Setting

Mr A. Tomlinson – Deputy Headteacher



Curriculum Model

Year	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50
7	Sub (hours)	Maths (6)			Science (6)			English (7)			Fre/Ge/Spa (4)			PSHE	Geog (3)	History (3)	RE (3)	Sport (3)	Co (2)	Art (3)	Technology (4)	Music (3)	Drama (2)																											
	Cohort = 265	10 sets streamed Mth/Sci on 12 hours of carousel						10 sets written core skills on 21 hours on Carousel												12 sets practical skills on 17 hours of carousel																														
8	Sub (hours)	Maths (6)			Science (6)			English (7)			Fren/Germ (4)			PSHE	Geog (3)	History (3)	RE (3)	Sport (3)	Co (2)	Art (3)	Technology (4)	Music (3)	Drama (2)																											
	Cohort = 265	10 sets streamed Mth/Sci on 12 hours of carousel						10 sets written core skills on 21 hours on Carousel												12 sets practical skills on 17 hours of carousel																														
9	Sub (hours)	Maths (6)			Science (8)				English (7)			Fren/Germ (4)			PSHE	Geog (3)	History (3)	RE (3)	Sport (2)	Co (2)	Art (3)	Tech (3)	Music (3)	Drama (2)																										
	Cohort = 265	12 sets streamed Mth/Sci on 14 hours of carousel						12 sets written core skills on 21 hours on Carousel												12 sets practical skills on 15 hours of carousel																														
10	Sub (hours)	Maths (7)			Bio (3)	Phys (3)	Chem (4)	English (8)			PSHE	RE (4)	Sport (2)	Option A (6)	Option B (6)	Option C (6)																																		
	Cohort = 265	12 Sets streamed into quarters Maths/Sci can each set within a quarter of a						12 sets streamed Eng/PSHE/RE on 12 hours of carousel												12 sets	Option A (6)	Option B (6)	Option C (6)																											
11	Sub (hours)	Maths (7)			Bio (3)	Phys (4)	Chem (4)	English (8)			RE (4)	Sport (2)	Option A (6)	Option B (6)	Option C (6)																																			
	Cohort = 255	12 Sets streamed into quarters Maths/Sci can each set within a quarter of a						12 sets streamed Eng/PSHE/RE on 12 hours of carousel												12 sets	Option A (6)	Option B (6)	Option C (6)																											
12	Sub (hours)	Option A (10)					Option B (10)					Option C (10)					Option D (10)					Option E (10)																												
	Cohort = 180	Re, Sci App, Ph, So, Ch, Bi, Bu, Gr					Bi, Me, Hi, Pe, Ma					Dr, Gg, Mf, Po, Fr, Ar, So, Py, Ma					Hs Cert, Co, Pd, Pt, Py, Bu					El, En, Mu, Ge, St Cert, Ec, Ch, HS Dip																												
13	Sub (hours)	Option A (10)					Option B (10)					Option C (10)					Option D (10)					Option E (10)																												
	Cohort = 180	St Cert, Gg, Me, Co, Hs Dip, Fr, Ge, Py					En, Bu, Re, Pd, Ch, Ma, Tx					Ec, Hi, Gr, Hs Cert, Mu, Ph, Co, Bi,					AppSci, Pe, Ar, Dr, El, So, Ch, Ma, Mt					Pt, Po, Pe, Mf, So, Bs, Bi, Py, Ma																												



Key Stage 4 Curriculum – Year 10 and 11

Based around pupils studying a broad and balanced curriculum of a minimum of 8 subjects

1. English Language (set at the end of Year 10)
2. English Literature
3. Mathematics
4. Sciences – Either **Combined Science** (2) or Biology, Chemistry and Physics **seperatley**
5. Religious Education
6. **3 Optional Subjects from**
 - o 1 or 2 EBacc subjects –Computer Science, History, Geography, French, German
 - o 1 or 2 Other subject – Technology, Art, Business, PE, Drama, Photography, Music
7. Games – Practical non-examined sports
8. PSHE – non-examined



Target Setting KS4

1. Blue Coat Targets are set using national government expectations of where a child should get to based on their KS2 / Year 6 scores – this is then rounded up to the grade above
2. Any grade higher than this is deemed to be exceptional progress
3. Targets are therefore a minimum that a student should be aiming for
4. Student progress is monitored against these grades
5. Interventions are put in place for those who fail to make progress & achieve their targets



Year 11 Key Dates

1. Wednesday 9th November – Virtual Parents Evening
2. Mocks 1 - Monday 14th November for 2 weeks
3. Student Report – Week Commencing Monday 2nd January
4. Mocks 2 – Monday 30th January for 2 weeks
5. Full Report – Monday 20th March



Year 11 Exams

- Exams start Monday 15th May 2023
- Exams end Tuesday 27th June
- Exam contingency dates where Year 11s need be available to come in:
 1. Wednesday 28th June
 2. Thursday 29th June
 3. Friday 30th June



Year 11 Exams

- Equipment – Black pen, pencil, rubber, ruler & calculator where allowed
- Exam conduct:
 - Students **must not talk** in the examination room
 - Mobile **phones must be switched** off in pupil **bags**
 - **No headphones** – pupils with head coverings will need to be checked
 - All **watches** switched off and in bag or given to the invigilator
 - No labels on water bottles
 - Follow all invigilator instructions
 - No doodling on the exam paper





Year 11 Intervention – Autumn 2 onwards

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Maths-Foundation	Maths - Higher	English- Sets 4,5,6	English – Sets 1,2,3	Options/RE
Science – Higher	Science - Foundation	Hums/MFL - Higher	Hums/MFL - Foundation	
		Options/RE	Options/RE	



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Reports & Parents Evenings

Mr A. Tomlinson – Deputy Headteacher



Curriculum

1. All students study GCSEs graded 1-9
2. 9 is the top grade
3. Assessment is at the end of the course not modular
4. Exams are the default method of assessment
5. Combined Science is a double graded GCSE qualification e.g. 5-4, 5-5, 6-5...

Department for Education

GCSE Grading

New Grading Structure	Old Grading Structure
9	A*
8	
7	A
6	
5	B
4	C
3	D
2	E
1	F
	G
U	U

Standard Pass →



KS4 Reporting

Student School Overview

Attendance

Attendance (recorded until 18/10/19)	
Total AM/PM Sessions possible	63
Authorised sessions absences	0
Unauthorised sessions absences	0
Attendance percentage	100.0%

Behaviour Summary

Behaviour Points	0
Achievement Points	50
Times late to AM/PM session	0

Prior Attainment: KS2 results

Mathematics	111
Reading	105

Summary of Current Performance

Subject	Y9 Summer WAG	Y10 Autumn			End of Y11 Predicted Grade	Y11 Target
		WAG	ATL	Impact(s) on Progress		
Art	5	5+	5		6	6
Biology	5	5	4		6	6
Chemistry	4	5	5		6	6
English Lang	5	5	4		7	7
English Lit	-	See note below			-	7
German	3-	3	3	CON	5	6
History	3-	3	6		5	6
Maths	4	4	5	REV	6	7
Physics	6	6	4		7	6
Product Design	7	6	5		7	6
RE	4+	4+	4		6	6

Students will mostly focus on English Language until the year 10 summer term, when they sit their GCSE English Language Exam. After this, English Literature will be reported in the final year 10 report and throughout year 11.

1. WAG = Average current performance
2. Predicted = End of course predicted grade
3. Impact on Progress = What is preventing progress

Attitude to Learning
6 – Outstanding Learner
5 – Active Learner
4 – Passive Learner
3 – Inconsistent Learner
2 – Cause for Concern
1 – Serious Cause for Concern



KS4 Reporting

Progress Over Time

Subject	Year 9 Summer			Year 10 Autumn (Current)			Year 10 Spring Term			End of Yr11 Predicted Grade	Yr 11 Target
	Working At Grade	Attitude to Learning	Impact(s) on Progress	Working At Grade	Attitude to Learning	Impact(s) on Progress	Working At Grade	Attitude to Learning	Impact(s) on Progress		
Art	5	4		5+	5					6	6
Biology	5	5		5	4					6	6
Chemistry	4	4		5	5					6	6
English Lang	5	4		5	4					7	7
German	3-	6		3	3	CON				5	6
History	3-	5		3	6					5	6
Maths	4	4	CON	4	5	REV				6	7
Physics	6	5		6	4					7	6
Product Design	7	4		6	5					7	6
RE	4+	4		4+	4					6	6

- 1 Set of full reports which include:
 - Strengths
 - Areas for Development



Parents Evenings

1. Please ensure you keep your email up to date by contacting schooloffice@bluecoatschool.com
2. KS3 - 2 reports per year & KS4/5 3 reports per year – including one with full written comments
3. Subject Teacher Parents Evenings will continue to be virtual through School Cloud on:

Year Group	Virtual Parents Evening
7	Wednesday 8th February 2023 3.25-6.15pm
8	Tuesday 7th March 2023 3.25-6.15pm
9	Wednesday 3rd May 2023 3.25-6.15pm
10	Tuesday 17th January 2023 3.25-6.15pm
11	Wednesday 9th November 2022 3.25-6.15pm





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SEND & The Hub

Mr A. Tomlinson – Deputy Headteacher



SEND & the Hub

- Mainstream lessons – best place for students to make progress
- Emphasis on meeting the needs of all students in class
- Some students require additional support through interventions
- Safe space during social times
- Key adults assigned to mentor students on the SEND register
- New systems are in place this year to track and monitor support for students – Provision Map
- Resources and investment into the fabric of the physical space
- Staff training and key focus on delivering high quality education that meets the needs of all learners – the 4 For All

send@bluecoatschool.com



SEND & the Hub

Pupil Passport - Blue Coat Church of England School and Music College

Date: 13/8/2021
Teacher: Mr Neil Phipps

About the Student

Scooby Doo is a likeable dog who is always eager to get involved. Sometimes his enthusiasm for getting involved makes him quick to make mistakes and rush work.

Scooby has a diagnosis of ADHD and dyspraxia. This means that he is full of energy which can be utilised by the classroom teacher, but he is also very clumsy and disorganised. He has also had speech and language support as English is not his first language and his vocabulary is limited.

He is a popular character who works well in a team and has a strong attachment to his best friend.

Key Classroom Strategies

Allocate him a **job or role** in class to help with his movement, such as giving out resources. Be aware however that his clumsy nature means he should not have dangerous equipment near him.

Offer him **rewards** and **encouragement** at every opportunity - he loves snacks.

Seat him near a positive role model - sitting him **next to his friend** will keep him focused.

Chunk work into manageable steps one at a time, and provide clear **timings** which you remind him of regularly.

Provide opportunities to develop **spoken language** but ask simple questions.

Strengths and Interests

Scooby is a loyal friend who enjoys getting stuck into activities.

He is a keen murder mystery fan, enjoying puzzles.

He also loves getting dressed up and regularly goes on fancy dress expeditions with his friends.

Other information which may help

Scooby has had intervention with speech and language and specialist behavioural teachers at primary school.

He is currently participating in Flash Academy intervention program to develop his English skills.

In the Student's Own Words...

Scooby Dooby Doo!



4 For All



The 4 For All are elements which are expected to be emphasised in lessons and should be evident to learners. These techniques benefit all students but particularly those with SEND.



KEY WORDS



- Present key words at the **start of a Unit** and get students to stick them in.
- Ask students to make a **glossary** at the back of their books and write key words and definitions as they appear.
- Have key words **on display through each lesson** so they can be easily referred to by staff and students.
- Use settlers to **pre-teach** and **over-teach** key vocabulary.
- Ask students to **use key words in sentences** as part of a plenary or exit ticket exercise.
- Explicitly **talk about key words** and reward students for using them.



TIME



- Use a **classroom timer** to ensure that all activities are paced appropriately.
- Use a timer **at the start of the lesson** so students know as they enter how long they have to complete the settler.
- Explicitly **talk about the clock in the room** so students don't need to have to work it out themselves.
- Give students with notional or official access arrangements **extra time** – ask all students to change pen colour at the end of normal time.
- Write **start and end time** for assessments/work onto the board.
- Ensure that the **time you say is the time you give**, and provide regular reminders of how long is left.
- Ensure activities in the lesson are **varied** so pace is kept high.



CHUNK AND CHECK



- Give no more than **two instructions at a time** and check these are done before moving onto the next ones.
- Provide information about the **lesson journey** or 'now and next' so students know where they are in the lesson.
- Keep **pace high** and activities moving.
- Group key information and lesson elements together and be **explicit about what is happening**.
- **Check in** with students at the start of a task and then midway through to ensure understanding.
- Ask a student to **repeat the instructions** to the class before starting, and then ask individuals to tell you what they are doing.



VISUAL CUES



- Use **simple icons** consistently to represent the type of activity.
- Display an **image of the resource** students need to refer to.
- Use **body language** cues to emphasise instructions, eg fingers on lips.
- Increase use of **images with text** for EAL students and those with low literacy.
- Use **pictures to engage** students, add information or illustrate a point.



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Safeguarding

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Safeguarding Team



OUR DESIGNATED SAFEGUARDING LEAD IS

MS K ARNOLD

LOCATED IN THE BARDSLEY ADMIN CORRIDOR



MISS J DAVOILE—DDSL
LOCATED IN POST 16



MRS V SHELLEY—DDSL
LOCATED ABOVE RECEPTION



MISS K ROUTLEY—DDSL
LOCATED BEHIND RECEPTION



MRS L TURNER—DDSL
LOCATED IN DORSEY OFFICE



Safeguarding

- Our safeguarding team are committed to promoting a duty of care to all students, staff and visitors.
- We recognise that safeguarding and child protection is an essential part of our duty of care to all students and all staff have a responsibility to provide a safe environment in which children can learn. We understand that safeguarding, child protection and promoting the welfare of all children is everyone's responsibility and everyone has a role to play in protecting children. We recognise that our school is part of a wider safeguarding system for children and work closely with other agencies to promote the welfare of children. We maintain an attitude of 'it could happen here' and will consider the wishes of, and at all times, what is in the best interests of each child.
- You may also wish to read our Child Protection, Safeguarding and Peer or Peer Abuse Policy which can be located on our website.
- Peer on Peer Abuse is an area that we take very seriously and deal with promptly.



Safeguarding

- Please be reassured that all concerns about your child or another child will be looked into and dealt with appropriately. If you are concerned about your identity being shared, the safeguarding team are very discreet and would not take any action that would put you or your child in a difficult position.
- Referrals can be made anonymously if needed. You can call the main school telephone number of 02476223542 and ask to speak to a member of the safeguarding team or alternatively email the team at the address shown below:
- safeguarding@bluecoatschool.com
- If you are concerned that a child may be at risk of serious harm, you can contact Social Care (MASH – Multi Agency Support Hub) direct on 02476788555 or the Police.



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Careers Advisor

Mrs M. Cheshire – Careers Advisor



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Year 11 - P16 Application Process

Miss J. Davoile – Head of Sixth Form



Post 16 – Our Sixth Form

Only Sixth Form in the city to remain in the top three for 4 years running at A*-B

High proportion of students attended Russell group universities in 2022 (including Cambridge and Oxford)

Cambridge (Law & Medicine)

Oxford (Medicine & Music)

Largest Sixth Form in the City

Russell Group Universities

- [University of Birmingham](#)
- [University of Bristol](#)
- [University of Cambridge](#)
- [Cardiff University](#)
- [Durham University](#)
- [University of Edinburgh](#)
- [University of Exeter](#)
- [University of Glasgow](#)
- [Imperial College London](#)
- [King's College London](#)
- [University of Leeds](#)
- [University of Liverpool](#)
- [London School of Economics](#)
- [University of Manchester](#)
- [Newcastle University](#)
- [University of Nottingham](#)
- [University of Oxford](#)
- [Queen Mary, University of London](#)
- [Queen's University Belfast](#)
- [University of Sheffield](#)
- [University of Southampton](#)
- [University College London](#)
- [University of Warwick](#)
- [University of York](#)



Picking the right A-Levels & BTECs

Good GCSEs & A levels are the foundation for a future pathway

Pick A levels that you enjoy & help you get onto the right course for you

Visit
WWW.UCAS.COM

Take part in work experience and school enrichment activities

Ask our head team for support



Key Dates

- Open Evening 12th October 6.00-8.00pm (Year 11 will be emailed next week)
- Application deadline for Sixth Form 5th December 3pm
- Please note information on are entry criteria can be found under the Sixth Form area under 'entry criteria'
- <https://bluecoatschool.com/sixth-form/admissions>



What to do now

1. Speak to your teachers regarding suitable A level choices
2. Attend the Sixth Form Open Evening
3. Please review the grade criteria, this will be used to secure a place – this can be found in the prospectus
4. Review the prospectus (available during the Open Evening)
5. 4 A level offers will be reserved for pupils with exceptional predicted grades only
6. Students to study 3 A levels over two years
7. EPQ and Core Maths are options available to students
8. Instead of choosing from option blocks we will write the timetable around your choices
9. Students who are predicted to meet the entry criteria and with excellent pastoral records will be considered
10. You will be contacted in January and February
11. The sixth form team will review students data, attendance and behaviour once applications have been received
12. Applications to apply will be available at the end of September on the school website – under the sixth form area

Deadline to Complete
Monday 5th December 2022 3pm



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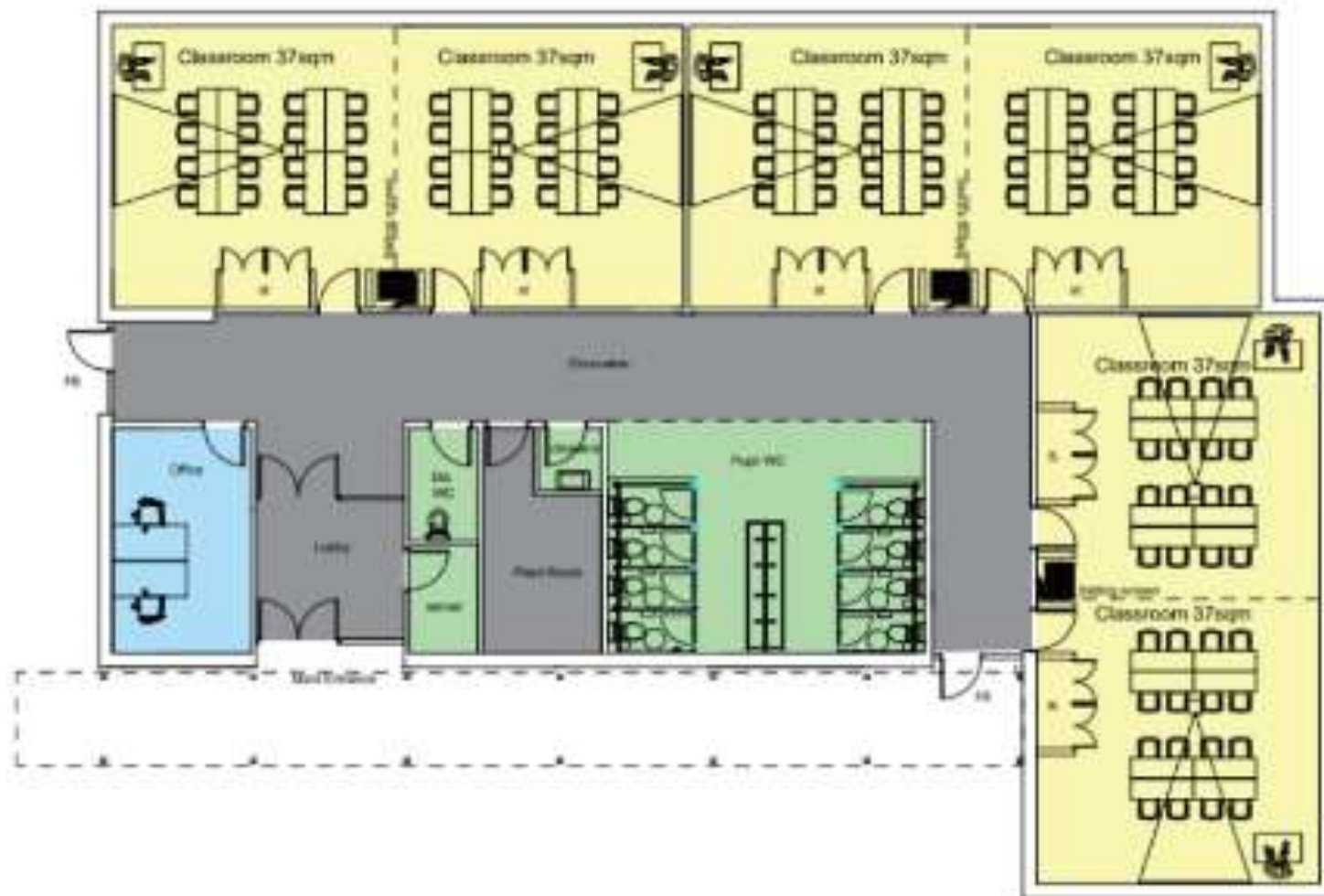




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Thank you

