





## Welcome

Mr Brook Headteacher



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## What will high school life be like?

Mrs G Lloyd Davies Deputy Headteacher



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#### Transfer Day

- We will be visiting students next week at both middle schools. They will be told their tutor groups and houses and given a Transfer Day Invitation. A lot of work goes into ensuring that the tutor groups are fair/even. Please support us in reassuring your child that this is not the only class that they will be in during the school day.
- Students are asked to make their way to DSHS on Monday 1<sup>st</sup> July, no later than 8.40am. They will be signposted to the Sports Hall.
- They will meet their tutors and have several, "taster" lessons, as well as an assembly with Mr Brook.
- We will feed everyone for free! Cheese and Tomato Calzone and a drink is on offer. If your child would prefer to bring a packed lunch, they are welcome to do so.
- Students will be dismissed at 2.45pm.



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#### The school day - AY 2024.2025

08:45	Morning Registration
09:00	Lesson 1
10:00	Lesson 2
11:00	Break
11:20	Lesson 3
12:20	Lesson 4
13:20	Lunch
13:50	Tutor Time/Assembly
14:15	Lesson 5
15:15	End of School Day



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#### **ARRIVING AT SCHOOL**









#### **BEFORE SCHOOL**





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#### AM TUTOR TIME

🟠 Home   🛣 Impersonate Student 🛛 🕅	Tutor Group Dashb	oard 🖳 Shopl	keeper []] Ho	ouse Competitions	𝖞 House Cup
Select a tutor group					
Ro8PJA E5	Student	Attendance	Streak	Praise Points	Negatives
Tutor Group Attendance		93%	15	39	52
89.4%		91.8%	48	110	36
Total Praise Points		95.4%	102	149	79
3521		91.8%	11	128	36
		99.4%	120	267	2
		90.9%	2	193	22
		100%	164	134	101
		61%	0	82	204



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#### BREAK





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#### LESSONS 3 - 4





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## LUNCH







### LUNCH









#### **TUTOR TIME**



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#### **PERIOD 5**









#### abla House Cup × Impersonate Student 💮 Tutor Group Dashboard 🔛 Shopkeeper House Competitions Home Bulman D'Oliveira Parks Rowling Winslow 100 200 300 400 500 600 700 0 Rowling Bulman D'Oliveira Parks Instapoints + Instapoint I MILIMI Total 661 688 718 658 Mrs E Hall Mrs M **Commendation Points** 88 93 108 104 122 15/05/2024 Dancing for the quiz! 1 (Bulman) Truman Instapoints 108 108 103 112 117 Mr J Phillips Mrs M D'Oliveira Week: 15/05/2024 Dancing for the quiz! (Bulman) Truman **Cricket Precision** 10 0 6 8 4 Mr A Hook Challenge Mrs M 15/05/2024 Dancing for the quiz! D'Oliveira Week: Quiz (Winslow) 5 0 2 3 4 D'Oliveira Week: Miss K 6 10 8 0 4 Mrs M Design



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#### Uniform

- School Colours Direct for blazer house colours
- Delivery to DSHS to save on postage costs
- Ace Essentials High Street
- Pre-loved uniform from DSHS
- Appointments welcome if you would like to try items of uniform for sizing.

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# What will lessons look like at high school?

Mrs C Moss Deputy Headteacher



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William Shakespeare





#### Core subjects: English, Maths, Science





Subject	Number of lessons a fortnight
English	8
Maths	6
Science	7



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#### Humanities: History, Geography, Religious studies







Subject	Number of lessons a fortnight
History	3
Geography	2
Religious studies	2





#### Languages: French or Spanish



Subject	Number of lessons a fortnight
French	5
Spanish	5







#### Options: Art, Computer Science, Design & Technology, Food & Nutrition, Music, PE













Subject	Number of lessons a fortnight
Art	2
Computer science	3
D&T	2
Food	2
Music	2
PE	4

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#### **Teaching & Learning**

- Engaging and memorable.
- Design activities to facilitate learning and enable progress to be made.
- Have clear learning objectives and outcomes.
- Assertive seating plans.
- Prompt and purposeful.



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- Develop and model strategies that support literacy centred on reading, oracy, and writing.
- Develop and model explicitly numeracy strategies.
- Be explicit about key words by displaying and highlighting subject specific terminology.
- Prompt start to the lesson and the explicit teaching of learning behaviours.
- Purposeful homework offering opportunities for practise and consolidation.



#### BASIC EQUIPMENT



What are the seven basic pieces of

**PEN** AND A SPARE



PENCIL AND A SPARE RUBBER RULER CALCULATOR SCHOOL BAG



You can buy spare

0 1 2 3 9 5 6 7 8 9



#### Basic equipment & resources





#### Digital learning platforms

#### Learning & reference sites



Microsoft Teams - homework

Welcome to Science



Year 8 Science



Years 9-11 Science

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#### BBG Bitesize





#### Ways to support learning by encouraging positive study habits

- Discuss their school day with them.
- Be reassuring and encourage them to embrace failure.
- Encourage the completion of homework and reading of fiction and non-fiction.
- Support with organisation of materials and resources needed.
- Avoid distractions during homework.
- Find them a quiet study area.
- Encourage the use of online platforms
- Direct them to their teachers when they have questions or are struggling.



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### **SEND Information**

Mr D Hall SENDCo



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#### • Coordinating support and education plans for students with SEND.

- Advising fellow teachers on best practice and strategies for students with SEND.
- Liaising with other providers, outside agencies, educational psychologists and external agencies to support students with complex needs.
- Managing teaching assistants and support staff.





#### • Mrs Harris

- Mrs Pugh
- Mrs Wilkinson
- Mrs Hunter
- Mrs Smith
- Miss Gwilliam
- Mr Cox

- Miss Bray
- Miss Gillen
- Ms. Johnson
- Mrs Clarke
- Mrs Hall
- Mrs Hughes
- Mrs Taylor





#### SEND transition.

- Every child on the SEND register has been the subject of an extensive discussion between DSHS our colleagues at the middle school.
- All students on the SEND register have been given the opportunity to visit us next week. Witton will be visiting on 24/6 and Westacre on 26/6.
- Should you have any concerns about your child, please contact Mandi Harris who will make an appointment for you to speak to a member of the SEND team.









