

ARTHUR MELLOWS VILLAGE COLLEGE

Helpston Road, Glinton, Peterborough, PE6 7JX



Welcome to Sixth Form Induction

10 – 12 July 2023



Delivering Learning for Life within an Aspirational Culture



Students receive high-quality, individualised information and guidance about careers.

Students respond with enthusiasm to activities that engage and challenge them.

The behaviour of Sixth Form students is impeccable.



Students speak highly of the support they receive when preparing applications for university. A high, and growing, proportion gain places at the top universities each year, including Oxford or Cambridge.

Teachers have high expectations and expert knowledge.

Sixth Form students are keen to engage with and contribute to the broader life of the school; many run charity events, support the learning of younger students, and contribute to the work of the school council.



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Arthur Mellows Village College Sixth Form Induction

Day 1: Monday 10 July 2023

By the end of Day 2 complete your Tutor selection via the FORMS link - Go to SS1 / the Sixth Form Centre to complete.

By the end of Day 3 complete your Enrichment selection and any subject changes via the FORMS links - Go to SS1 / the Sixth Form Centre to complete.

GROUP	Period 1	Period 2	Period 3		Period 4		Period 5	Period 6
	9.00-9.50	9.50-10.40	10.40-11.30		12.05-12.55		1.30-2.20	2.20-3.10
Α		ICE	TOUR		CURRICULUM		MEET THE	SIXTH FORM
		BREAKERS	E2		SE1		TUTOR	LIFE
		Coffee Lounge	Student Led		KPR		R3	GP1
		Student Led					JSR	KCL
В		SIXTH FORM	ICE		TOUR		CURRICULUM	MEET THE
	Welcome to	LIFE	BREAKERS		E2		SE1	TUTOR
	AMVC	GP1	Coffee Lounge		Student Led		HSH	R3
		KCL	Student Led					HSH
С	MAIN HALL	MEET THE	SIXTH FORM	BREAK	ICE	LUNCH	TOUR	CURRICULUM
		TUTOR	LIFE	Coffee	BREAKERS	Coffee	E2	SE1
	KCL	R3	GP1	Lounge /	Coffee Lounge	Lounge /	Student Led	KPR
		JSR	KCL	Sixth	Student Led	Sixth		
D		CURRICULUM	MEET THE	Form	SIXTH FORM	Form	ICE	TOUR
		SE1	TUTOR	Centre	LIFE	Centre	BREAKERS	E2
		KPR	R3		GP1		Coffee Lounge	Student Led
			JSR		KCL		Student Led	
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		E2	SE1		TUTOR		LIFE	Coffee Lounge
		Student Led	KPR		R3		GP1	Student Led
					JSR		KCL	

The Sixth Form Student Leadership Team will be based in The Coffee Lounge all day if you have any questions.

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Day 2: Tuesday 11 July 2023

By the end of today (Day 2), complete your Form Tutor selection via the FORMS link - Go to SS1 / The Sixth Form Centre to complete.

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		SUBJECT	STAFF	ROOM	SUBJECT	STAFF	ROOM	SUBJECT	STAFF	ROOM		SUBJECT	STAFF	ROOM	SUBJECT	STAFF	ROOM
		Art - Fine	LMI	A5	EPQ	SAH	R5	Business Studies	LST	V5		Biology	RWA LED	S4 S7	Psychology	JWI	PY1
		Economics	LST	V5	Money Management	JSR	V2	Chemistry	JCM	S2		Geography	EVE	H1	Digital Media	BZA	MS2
		Combined English	LRE	R2	HSLA	JMF	PE1	English Literature	EDI	E6		Mathematics	ABR	M5	Business Studies	LST	V3
		English Language	MLO	R1	Mentoring	EVE	H1	Drama and Theatre	SMH	P5/6		Film Studies	EKA	R5	Biology	RWA KAI	S4 S7
		Mathematics	LMA	M10	Newsletter	LRE	R2	French	SYA	L5		History	KPR	H12	BTEC Business	CWT	V1
Assem		Physics	WCH	S12	British Sign Language	Student	E2	Further Mathematics	LMA	M10		Physical Education	JWK/JMA	E2	BTEC Sport	TNE	PE1
the M		Psychology	JWI	PY1				Geography	EVE	H1		Sociology	SAH	SE1			
		Religious Studies – Philosophy and Ethics	SAH	H4				Sociology	SAH	SE1		BTEC Sport	TNE	PE1			
		BTEC Business	JSR	V3				Digital Media	BZA	MS2							
		Applied Science	HSH	S1				Health and Social Care	CGE	IT4							
		Digital Media	BZA	MS2				IT	MRI	IT2							

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Day 3: Wednesday 11 July 2023

By the end of today (DAY 3), complete your Enrichment selection via the FORMS link - Go to SS1 / The Sixth Form Centre to complete.

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	TUTOR GROUP	ROOM	SUBJECT	STAFF	ROOM	SUBJECT	STAFF	ROOM				
	12SRB	V3	Art - Textiles	LKL	A4	EPQ	SAH	R5				
	12EHR	E5	Biology	RWA JLA	S6 S9	Money Management	JSR	V2				
 	12JWK	GP1	Computer Science	TMY	IT1	HSLA	DWI	PE1				
- Main Hall	12SAH H2 Economics AJO R4	Mentoring	EVE	H1		ASTRO FIELD		ASTRO FIELD Form Tutors				
	12ABR	M2	History	MTR	H7	Newsletter	LRE	R2		Form Tutors		Form rutors
Assembly	12TCE	IC1	Politics	PPC	H6	British Sign Language	Student	E2				
As	12KGI	M10	Psychology	JWI	PY1							
	12JSR / HSH	V2	Engineering	TCE	IC1							
	12VCM	S3	Music Performance	THA	P4							
			Tourism	RWW	H11							

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WELCOME FROM THE HEAD OF COLLEGE

Dear Sixth Form Student

Can I welcome you to our annual Sixth Form Induction.

A special welcome to those of you from other schools.

At the end of this week we hope you will:

- Feel excited by the opportunities ahead
- Realise that we care deeply about our Sixth Form students



- Understand that we will treat you differently, but more freedom brings extra responsibilities
- Realise that we will make you work hard
- Appreciate that we will provide lots of opportunities for you to develop as individuals as well as arrange a lively and varied social programme
- Be looking forward to enrolment; which will be completed electronically online following GCSE Results day
- Be prepared for your first day in September; lessons will commence following an assembly and extended registration with your tutor.

This is a key decision in your life. I hope you will feel that Arthur Mellows Village College offers you the right pathway for the next two years in order that you achieve your potential.

Yours sincerely

MR J GILLIGAN

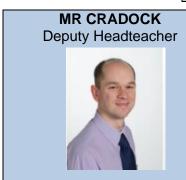
Head of College Designate (September 2023)

College Structure

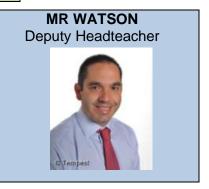
Although the Head of College is ultimately responsible for all that takes place on the College site, much of the day to day running of the College is delegated to other members of staff. Those taking additional responsibilities, apart from teaching, are as follows:

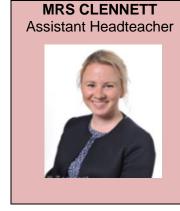
SENIOR LEADERSHIP TEAM























SIXTH FORM LEADERSHIP TEAM



MRS PRICE
Assistant Head of Sixth Form













MRS COX



FORM TUTORS

In Sixth Form we have a team of specialist Tutors who provide expert advice and guidance for our Key Stage 5 students. They are responsible to the Head of Sixth Form for the well-being of students in their Tutor Group. The Year 12 Sixth Form team for 2023/24 are as follows:

YEAR 12 - SIXTH FORM TUTOR TEAM



Mr Ahmed RE / Sociology



Mrs Brown Maths



Dr Cambridge Science



Mr Chegwidden Engineering



Mr Gilder Maths



Miss Harris Art and Film Studies



Mrs Roberts
Business / Economics



Ms Sheen / Miss Stark Science / Business



Mr Wilkinson PE

WELCOME FROM THE HEAD BOY AND HEAD GIRL



Welcome new Year 12 students, to the greatest Sixth Form in Peterborough. The upcoming two years will serve as significant milestones in your lives, propelling you forward and enabling you to explore your selves, embrace true heightened responsibility, and prepare for the exciting journey toward your future

endeavours. Although it may initially appear daunting, rest assured that the abundant freedom and independence you will acquire will alleviate any concerns. These invaluable attributes will empower you not only to pursue your required studies but also to delve even deeper into gaining a greater insight into the world around us. Furthermore, our school provides a range of enrichment opportunities to further enhance this broader curriculum such as EPQ, Duke of Edinburgh and a Sixth Form Newsletter to name a few.

I am also proud to present our remarkable Sixth Form hub, featuring a delightful canteen offering delectable food, cosy sofas for relaxation, and computers that provide an excellent environment for independent study. Additionally, we offer a dedicated silent study room equipped with Chromebooks, facilitating more efficient and effective studying.

To give you a hand along the way, you've got the awesome and supportive Sixth Form Team who will do their best to help you out. Plus, you've got me and the rest of the Sixth Form Student Leadership Team hanging around the college, ready to lend a hand whenever you need it. So, no need to worry.

Beyond the confines of the classroom, our school presents a vibrant array of enjoyable events, including charity football matches and captivating school productions. Moreover, there are remarkable trips on offer that are highly sought-after, such as the exhilarating ski trip, the enticing adventure to Budapest.

Finally, congratulations on completing all your GCSEs and navigating through the gruelling exam season, I wish for all the best for your results. Now, kick back, and enjoy your well-deserved long summer and I will look forward to welcoming you to our Sixth Form community next year.

Head Boy - Daniel Kalish



Hello and a warm welcome to all our new Year 12s. Firstly, I want to congratulate you as you have made it into the best Sixth Form in Peterborough. It's wonderful to see returning faces and new faces at AMVC. We are such a welcoming school and are excited for the new academic year. Both Daniel and I have worked very closely with the rest of the Student Leadership Team

and Sixth Form Team to ensure that your transition runs smoothly. As a Student Leadership Team, we are involved in planning, assemblies, events, committees and much more.

Sixth Form Induction Days are very important, as they allow you to get a taster of what life is like studying at AMVC, and aids you to decide what subjects you're interested in. It also gives you chance to familiarise yourself with both the Student Leadership Team and Sixth Form Leadership Team. Sixth Form can be a very daunting step in independence which is why we have amazing pastoral support systems.

A Levels and BTECs can be demanding and require independent study time, at AMVC the Sixth Form Leadership Team ensure that we have spaces to study. We have silent studies which are timetabled supervised lessons and study spaces such as the coffee lounge, IT7 and R5. Our Sixth Form Centre is our newest addition where we have our own canteen, social space (indoor and outdoor) and study space called SS1. We are extremely lucky to have this allocated to us therefore we take responsibility to ensure it's well respected.

The best part about being a part of our Sixth Form is our charity events such as Children in Need and Hello Yellow (raising funds for the children's Mental Health charity, Young Minds) these events are overseen by our Charity Committee and are a great way for us to give back. We also organise sport events such as football and netball matches and get teachers involved too. Our aim is to make your Sixth Form experience as enjoyable as possible by organising school trips and getting you guys involved in the wider school whatever your 'thing' might be, perhaps the School Productions?

As part of Sixth Form, you complete 30 hours of volunteering and an enrichment. Once these have been completed, towards the end of Year 12 you will be issued with a Gold Card which allows you to leave school early and go out during your free periods.

We as a Student Leadership Team hope you enjoy the next couple of days looking at the different opportunities we provide. Please feel free to stop me for a chat if you see me around the College and remember to have fun, and good luck with your GCSE results!

Head Girl - Ayeisha Massouma

STUDENT - SIXTH FORM LEADERSHIP TEAM 2023/24



Head Boy: Daniel Kalish

Student Council, oversight of The Sixth Form Committee, Governor Liaison, Last Day, Open Evenings and Charity



Head Girl: Ayeisha Kone-Massouma

Student Council, oversight of The Sixth Form Committee, Governor Liaison, Prom, Open Evenings and Diversity and Culture



Deputy Head: Morgan Rosser

Yearbook / Hoody oversight and Sport and Wellbeing



Deputy Head: Bella Knight

Yearbook / Hoody oversight and Development of Media and Arts



Assistant Head: River Ablitt Yearbook / Hoody oversight, Development of Environment Issues



Assistant Head: Amelia Millen Yearbook / Hoody oversight and Development of Social Initiatives across Sixth Form

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HOW TO COMPILE YOUR TIMETABLE

There are various considerations you should think through carefully as you decide what your timetable should consist of:

- √ Progression
- √ The Timetable
- ✓ Enrichment
- ✓ Leadership
- ✓ Guidance and Review

Some elements are compulsory.

Progression

It is important to look beyond your Sixth Form studies and see where you can progress to. Consider whether the subjects you take now are relevant for what you would like to do later on or would other subjects be more suitable and offer a wider choice of options.

If you are still unsure of the suitability of your choices and the subsequent progression opportunities, do discuss your options with the teachers and/or careers advisors.

Timetable Structure

The timetable will operate on a 10-day cycle. Each day will consist of 6 x 50 minute periods. The school day will follow this pattern in September. Attendance to registration is compulsory.

	Start	End
Registration	8.40 am	9.00 am
Lesson 1	9.00 am	9.50 am
Lesson 2	9.50 am	10.40 am
Lesson 3	10.40 am	11.30 am
Key Stage 3 Lunch Key Stage 4/5 Break	11.30 am	12.05 pm
Lesson 4	12.05 pm	12.55 pm
Key Stage 3 Break Key Stage 4/5 Lunch	12.55 pm	1.30 pm
Lesson 5	1.30 pm	2.20 pm
Lesson 6	2.20 pm	3.10 pm

One A Level subject equals 12/60 periods (ie 12 x 50 minute periods per 10 days). Double Vocational courses occupy approximately 24/60 periods. Enrichment courses occupy 3/60 periods and there is one Personal and Professional Development lesson. *Remember:* Elements of leadership and work experience can be added (these can be included in the final total)

Enrichment

The College is anxious to promote a broader education than that specifically demanded by the traditional three A Level courses. Consequently, we have established an Enrichment Curriculum at Post-16 level. This means that we offer and encourage you to develop certain core skills and to follow certain themes, by taking subjects in addition to those offered at A Level. Some of these subjects are compulsory. The Enrichment Curriculum simply means that the Sixth Form programme will offer you opportunities to pursue certain aspects of the following:

Themes

- Economic, Industrial and Community Awareness
- Social and Political Awareness
- Careers Education and Guidance
- Issues Adult and Working Life
- Health Education
- Moral Awareness/Religious Belief
- Science and Technology
- The Arts
- Equal Opportunities
- Recreation and Physical Awareness
- Citizenship

Areas of Enrichment offered are:

- Professional Development
- Personal Development
- Leadership

All students must also select from one of the following:

- British Sign Language
- Combined Cadet Force
- Duke of Edinburgh Gold Award
- Extended Project Qualification
- Level 3 Sports Leadership Award
- Managing My Money for Young Adults
- Mentoring
- Sixth Form Student Newsletter







British Sign Language



Do you want to learn British Sign Language (BSL)?

The BSL Enrichment is new to the College from September 2023, it will be an independent course comprising of online modules with support from a Year 13 student was pivotal in launching it this year. The course itself is designed for students wanting to learn British Sign Language and is flexible so that you can fit it in around your studies across Year 12.

The resources and teaching are led by The British Sign Language Association online and set you up to have the Level One Certificate in British Sign language. You learn things such as finger spelling, the alphabet, awareness and how to have conversations.

We are also looking to run Sign Language charity events next year to raise awareness, reduce barriers that some people face and raise much needed funds for charities who support. These events started in 2022-2023 including our Wear it Purple Day, a student-led charity event raising funds for Sense.

Why should I do this?

You will learn a new language that can be used in everyday life, it is also a great skill to have for future opportunities in employment or at university. If you are looking to go into teaching or healthcare, this could be the thing that sets you apart from the rest! (You can also use sign language as your skill for Duke of Edinburgh.)

COMBINED CADET FORCE (CCF): ARMY CADETS

If you want to aim higher, feel more confident and get a head start on your future, join the Army Cadets. If you're up for a challenge, you'll go further with the Army Cadets.



What would it involve?

The cadets is open to both new and existing cadets and takes place weekly after school on Tuesdays. You will work through the Army Proficiency Certificate (APC) training syllabus, which include Adventure Training, Drill and Turnout, Expeditions, Fieldcraft, First Aid, Navigation, Military Knowledge, Skill at Arms, Communication Systems and more. In additional to the after school parades, there are a number of training weekend camps and a weeklong summer camp, where the skills you are learning are tested on an army base.

What will you get out of this?

The most obvious benefit of cadets is taking part in many exciting and challenging activities. But you will also learn leadership skills, discipline, improve your self-confidence and a wide range of transferable skills such as the ability to command tasks, make decisions under pressure and work as an effective team player as well as independently. These skills will equip you for life and add an extra string to your bow.

Duke of Edinburgh (Gold Award)



Participating in the Duke of Edinburgh Gold Award in Sixth Form offers you excellent opportunities to discover new interests and talents which you may not otherwise have the opportunity to explore. It is a tool to develop essential skills for life and work and most employers and universities also recognise this achievement as it shows a high level of commitment and dedication.

Whilst in Year 12, we can offer you the opportunity to sign you up for the Gold Award. This involves 5 sections (skills, physical, volunteering, expedition and residential) for varying lengths of time. It allows you to undertake your practice expedition at the end of Year 12 and the qualifying

expedition after exams in Year 13. For the qualifying expedition we undertake a trip to the Lake District for 5 days to walk around the beautiful Cumbrian mountains and lakes.

The Award enables you to grow as an individual and realise that you can do new things, complete challenges as well as learning about commitment and being a team player. If this sounds like you come and sign up!

Extended Project Qualification - EPQ

- EPQ is a skills-based qualification, assessed at A Level, whilst equivalent in size to an AS and graded A* to E. It offers the opportunity for learners to produce an extended piece of work (5000 words) in an area in which, they have a particular interest.
- There is much flexibility about the choice of a project topic - it can support personal aspirations for higher education and/or career development; add depth or breadth to a current topic/subject; or draw connections between different subjects.
- Provides good preparation for independent learning in higher education

Student comments include:

- "It's high level and different to what we normally do in College". 0
- "We learned about subject matter in a different, more active way".
- "Increases motivation, confidence and responsibility".

Past project examples include:

- Are mobile phones affecting health?
- Was the NATO led intervention in Libya of 2011 justified?
- Cultural comparison of Japanese Manga and American superhero comics.
- o An analysis of the childhood traits of 'power-control' killers.
- Has the way we consume television been permanently changed by the rise of streaming sites?





Level 3 Sports Leader Award - HSLA

The Level 3 Sports Leadership Qualification is nationally recognised and enables successful candidates to independently lead small groups of people in sport and recreational activities. Successful completion of the Level 3 Sports Leaders course carries 16 UCAS points and 12 Credits.

The qualification teaches generic leadership skills such as organisation, planning, communication and teamwork through the medium of sport. It is a fun and practical qualification with no entrance requirements or final examinations to sit. Students need a positive attitude, need to interact well with youngsters, and to enjoy learning in a practical way. They must be prepared to spend their own time leading sports activities to a variety of participant groups. Assessment is continual, by way of observation of leadership skills in action and a substantial written evidence record, which must be completed fully.



Managing My Money for Young Adults

Managing your money really is a true skill for life. This free Open University course will give you the confidence and tools to be in control whether you are:

- Still studying at school or college
- Starting work or an apprenticeship
- Going to university

This course has been awarded the Young Money Financial Education Quality Mark.

- On successful completion, you are awarded an Open University Digital badge to download and share and this badge has recognised status with employers
- You gain the skills and tools to take control and avoid money worries in future
- You can use this course for your Duke of Edinburgh Award skills development
- You get free online tools to help you budget easily and effectively
- You get a free Statement of Participation to go with your other achievements
- You can talk about this independent learning in job interviews and on your university statement



Mentoring

Do you want to make a difference? Do you want to be a role model? Are you passionate about helping others?

If the answers to the questions are YES, then we want you for our mentoring programme!

What would it involve?

You will be matched with a student from Years 7-10 depending on your skills and for 1 lesson a week you will meet with them and provide support.

You will receive specialist training beforehand from Mrs Kamminga on how to support students and ideas for each session with them.

It's fun and there are no entry requirements, just the desire to want to support others and a positive attitude. There is no final examination to sit at the end of the year.



What will you get out of this?

The skills you will learn throughout the process will support you with your aspirations for higher education and/or career development. You can include your experience in your personal statement or your CV.

The mentoring sessions will provide you with a wide range of skills from listening to using empathetic language to being more organised.

Sixth Form Student Newsletter

Do you enjoy English? Are you captivated by the Media? Do you think that you have the potential to write and engage an audience? Or take pictures and report the news?

If the answer to any of these questions is yes, then the Sixth Form Newsletter is the Enrichment opportunity for you. With experience relevant for degrees and employment in English, publishing, the media or journalism we will be developing the Sixth Form newsletter even further this year by extending our online content, articles and outreach to the wider community. I am looking for a team of enthusiastic individuals with fresh and new ideas to expand and implement new initiatives. Developing written styles, tackling social media content and liaising with the local media we will make the Sixth Form Newsletter a highlight within the school. Excellent for UCAS applications as well as experience for CV building, this enrichment is a fantastic opportunity to enhance your skills and explore your contribution to wider Sixth Form life.



Leadership

Leadership is an integral element of life in Arthur Mellows Sixth Form, which offers both a chance for students to develop personal skills in organisation, leadership and team work as well as providing an opportunity to demonstrate these abilities to take on responsibilities beyond their academic commitments.

This could range from running a Sixth Form Newsletter, raising money for charity, whole school productions and Duke of Edinburgh. All ideas are welcome.

Within School

Leadership assistance is welcomed in all subject areas:

Maths, English, Vocational, Modern Languages, Art, Library and Resource Centre, Science, Music, Drama, Physical Education, Special Educational Needs, ICT and many others.

Out of School

Playgroups, Primary School Assistants, Hospital Volunteers (physiotherapy, plaster room, helping older adults...), Shopmobility (assisting less mobile around Queensgate), Wildfowl Trust, Nene Valley Railway.

Professional Development in the Sixth Form

All students will receive Careers information and guidance, along with RSHE sessions.

The aim is to ensure you are fully informed about options available to you after your examination courses finish and to help you make the transfer to non-school life as smooth as possible.

The Careers Team will be available to see you at any time while you are in the Sixth Form for guidance about your future.

Guidance and Review

You will review with your Form Tutor on an individual basis your timetable and progress in order to help formulate plans for the future. You may find it necessary to add to or alter your timetable in the light of advice received. You will obviously have a good deal of contact with your Form Tutor and they will normally be the person you turn to for advice on curriculum matters. Your Form Tutor is trained and aware of the demands of the 16+ curriculum and therefore you should utilise your Form Tutor's skills, viewing them as the "first port of call" to discuss matters. Review and guidance will be an ongoing process throughout your Sixth Form career and your Form Tutor will monitor your progress and, in most cases, will be responsible for compiling information for references.

Qualities I need to make a success of my Sixth Form studies

- ✓ Commitment to serious study
- ✓ Full-time attendance and punctuality
- ✓ Thorough preparation and revision for assessment and exams
- ✓ Well-organised private study
- ✓ Meeting all assignment deadlines
- ✓ Ability to review work and seek advice

Sixth Form Access to IT Facilities

Sixth Form students will have access to the following facilities during study periods.

- PCs and Chrome Books in Sixth Form study areas.
- Broadband Internet access is available on <u>all</u> networked PCs throughout the day. Please note
 that 'Hotmail' and similar web-based email accounts will not be permitted. All Sixth Form
 students will have College email accounts.
- The College Intranet, containing material specific to the College is accessible from all networked PCs.
- Support for Sixth Form users will be provided by the IT staff.

Further details on IT resources, Internet access and e-mail will be available in September.

Personal Property

The College accepts no responsibility for any personal property brought onto the College site; this includes mobile phones, tablets and any other electronic devices. All users should be discouraged from bringing valuable items into the College. If this is unavoidable, special arrangements should be made in advance for temporary safe keeping.

If students cycle to school, they should lock their bicycle in the designated cycle compound and keep their helmet in their locker/bag. The College accepts no responsibility for bicycles brought onto the College site.

Students are able to purchase a locker for the 2 year period for a small non-refundable fee for storage of personal property.

Should personal property go missing whilst on College premises, even whilst in a student locker, the College accepts no responsibility.

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Procedure for Enrolment

All students are required to formally accept their place at AMVC Sixth Form. Enrolment will take place electronically via the College website; we will send you a link to this nearer the time.

This is a simple procedure to confirm your place and subject choices. The system is live between Thursday 24 August 2023 and midnight Tuesday 29 August 2023.

RESULTS DAY - THURSDAY 24 AUGUST 2023



What happens if you do not get the results you were expecting?



DO NOT PANIC! For a start we offer a range of courses and will be as flexible as possible in accommodating your new situation. Remember there will be a course for you somewhere, it's not the end of the world.

SURGERY DAY – FRIDAY 25 AUGUST 2023 (9.00 AM TO 3.00 PM)

BY APPOINTMENT ONLY.

If you do have concerns about your future and desperately need advice then contact the College on results day to arrange an appointment to discuss your options with a member of the Sixth Form Team.

If you wish to change the course(s) you want to study then you must see one of the Sixth Form team once you have received your results.

Reminder Term Commences on Tuesday 5 September 2023

On the first day of term please remember to bring with you to registration:

- ✓ A copy of your GCSE results
- ✓ Any documents missing from your enrolment pack (eg Birth Certificate, proof of address etc)

Sixth Form Dress Code for Years 12 and 13 Our Ethos

Students should dress appropriately for the formality of attending the College, acting as good role models to other students. As a traditional Sixth Form preparing students to work in a professional environment, the code reflects the calibre of the students we have, and promotes a sense of pride and belonging. It is designed to allow a choice of outfits within the boundaries outlined.

Code	Guidance
Hair/Makeup	No Extreme hairstyles or unnatural colours
	Makeup should be subtle and in line with professional appearance
Clothing	The following must be worn:
_	 Tailored jacket / blazer
	 Tailored trousers – skirt / dress (appropriate in length; skirts and
	dresses must not be too short)
	 Blouse / collared shirt (plain in design)
	 School issued lanyard
	Optional:
	 Tailored waistcoat
	 Tie or bow tie
Footwear	Formal shoes or boots
Overclothes	Overcoats are not to be worn as a substitute for a jacket / blazer and are to
	be removed once in the College building
Jewellery/Piercings	Jewellery should be discreet and safe

The following are NOT appropriate for Sixth Form:

Trousers Jeans, leggings, shorts or trousers which are too tight

fitting

Tops Heavy knit woolly jumpers and cardigans

Hoodies

Leisure style / t-shirt material or strappy tops

Footwear Non formal boots, trainers, canvas shoes, flip flops or any

other casual footwear

Other Clothing with bold branding or slogans

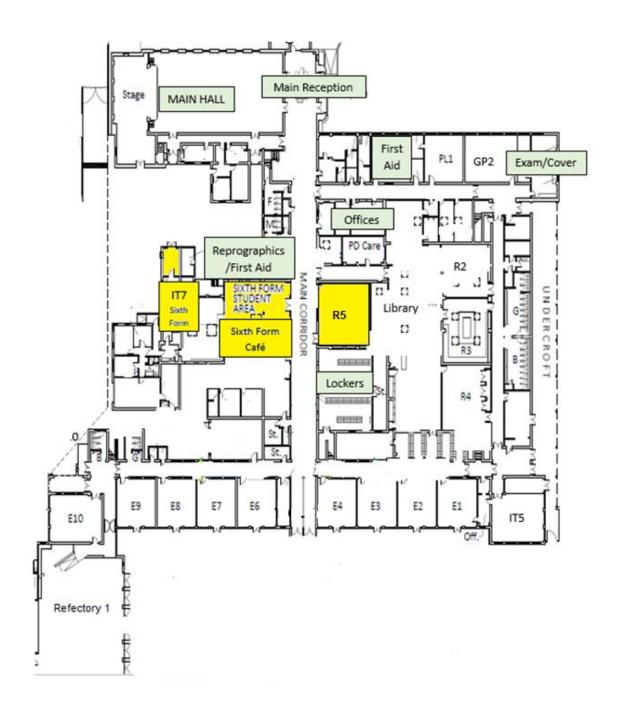
Leather or denim items of clothing Clothing that is too revealing



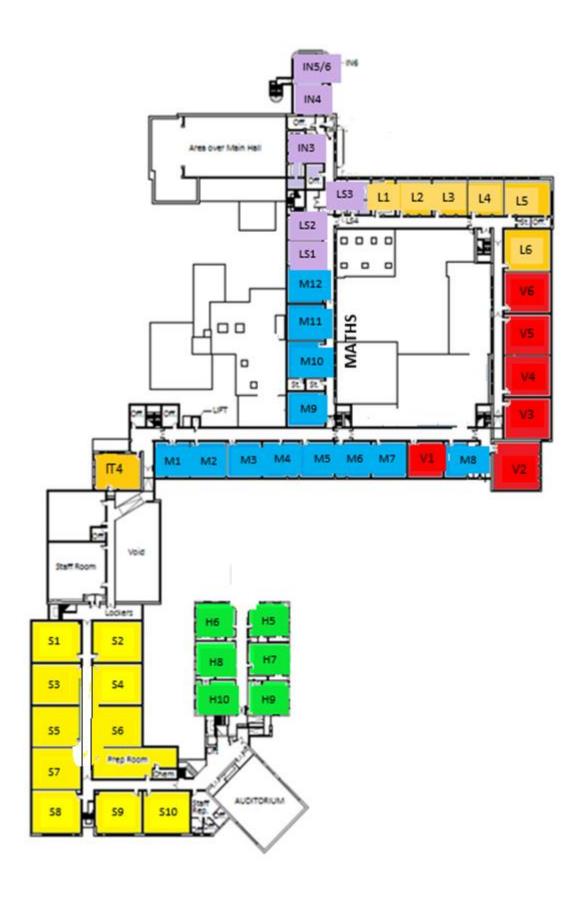
Enforcement:

- 1. Spoken to by Sixth Form Tutor and SIMS point logged. Where possible, item to be removed for the remainder of the day.
- 2. Spoken to by Sixth Form Tutor and SIMS email sent / phone call to parents / carers. Where possible, item to be removed for the remainder of the day.
- 3. Spoken to by Sixth Form Leadership Team, Gold or Silver card privileges removed. Contact parents / carers. Where possible, item to be removed for the remainder of the day.
- 4. If the student continues to flout the uniform rules which are part of the College expectations, student will be formally asked to leave the College.

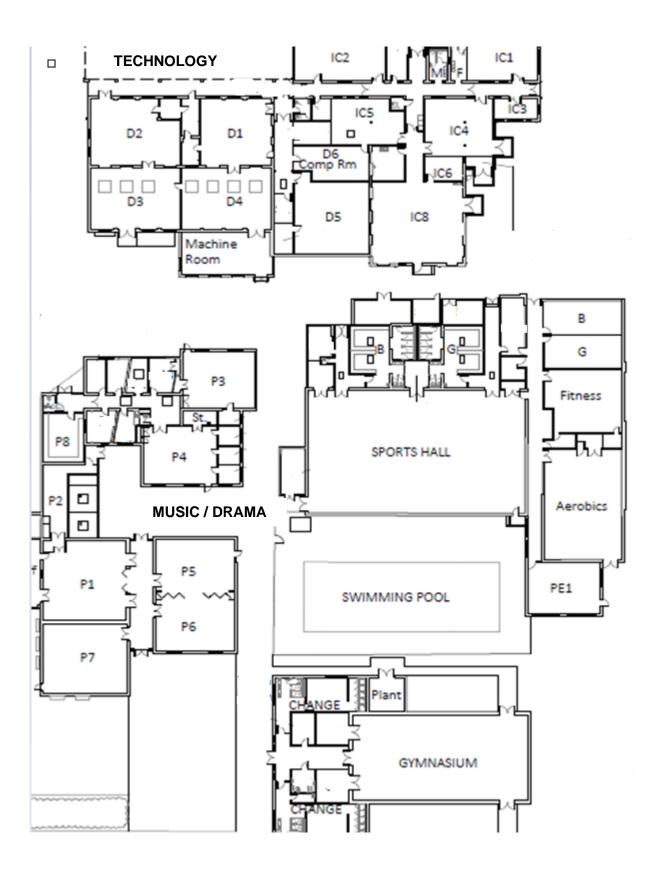
SITE MAP 1 – GROUND FLOOR MAIN BLOCK



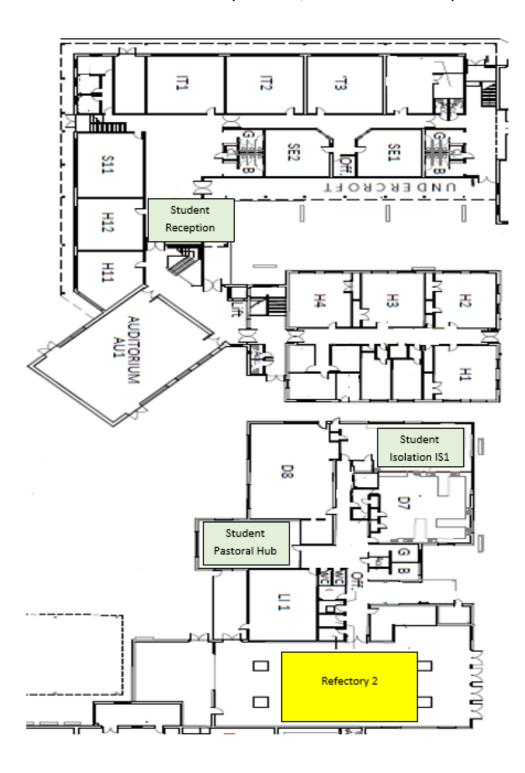
SITE MAP 2 - WHOLE SCHOOL FIRST FLOOR



SITE MAP 3 – GROUND FLOOR (TECHNOLOGY, MUSIC AND DRAMA)



SITE MAP 4 – GROUND FLOOR (HISTORY, IT AND COMPUTING)



SITE MAP 5 - THE MCLAREN BUILDING



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Important Dates and Events for the 2023/24 Academic Year

AUTUMN TERM 2023							
GCSE Results	Thursday 24 August 2023						
Sixth Form Enrolment	Thursday 24 August 2023 to Tuesday 29 August 2023 (on-line)						
Surgery Day	Friday 25 August 2023						
Autumn Term Opens	Tuesday 5 September 2023						
Year 12 Information Evening	Thursday 21 September 2023						
Training day	Friday 13 October 2023						
Half Term	Monday 23 October 2023 to Friday 27 October 2023						
Ends	Wednesday 20 December 2023						
S	PRING TERM 2024						
Opens	Thursday 4 January 2024						
Half Term	Monday 19 February 2024 to Friday 23 February 2024						
Ends	Thursday 28 March 2024						
S	UMMER TERM 2024						
Opens	Tuesday 16 April 2024						
May Day	Monday 6 May 2024						
Half Term	Monday 27 May 2024 to Friday 31 May 2024						
Year 12 Parents' Evening	Monday 22 April 2024						
Ends	Friday 19 July 2024						