



Hurst

Induction Programme

Michaelmas 2026

All Schools

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Welcome



Dear Parents and Pupils,

After the long summer vacation, it is important that we fully prepare ourselves for the tremendous challenges and opportunities which the year ahead will bring. As a result, at Hurst we dedicate the first days of the Michaelmas Term to an Induction Programme.

It is an exciting time for all pupils in the Junior Prep School and Senior Prep School, whether they are new to Hurst or starting in a new Year Group, it is also an excellent opportunity to build new friendships. They will spend time familiarising themselves with the new environment as well as getting to know their new Class Teachers or Form Tutors, finishing the week with a sense of belonging and excited about the year ahead.

For the Shell, there will be the chance to familiarise themselves with the campus, the staff and fellow pupils as well as to learn what life in the Senior School at Hurst is all about. The Remove will spend a good chunk of the Induction period engaged with an entrepreneurial task as they forge stronger links with their peers. Fifth Form pupils will be focused on start-up tests and Morrisby assessments as we look ahead - not just to GCSEs, but also to Sixth Form options and future career pathways. The Lower Sixth will enjoy plenty of teambuilding activities as we welcome the new joiners and explore the huge range of opportunities available to Hurst Sixth Form students. And the Upper Sixth will very much be looking ahead to university choices and UCAS applications; they will be aiming to bolster the grades that they will need in order to meet their offers, and planning for life beyond Hurst.

By the time we start lessons on Monday morning, I hope that pupils will be ready and keen to make the most of the term ahead. They should have a clear sense of what they need to do and they should feel confident about their futures.

This booklet contains the induction timetables for all pupils through the College but do not hesitate to contact the relevant Head of School or Head of Year (HoY) if you want to know anything else or have any questions.

It is going to be a great year.

Best wishes,

Lloyd Dannatt
Deputy Head of College

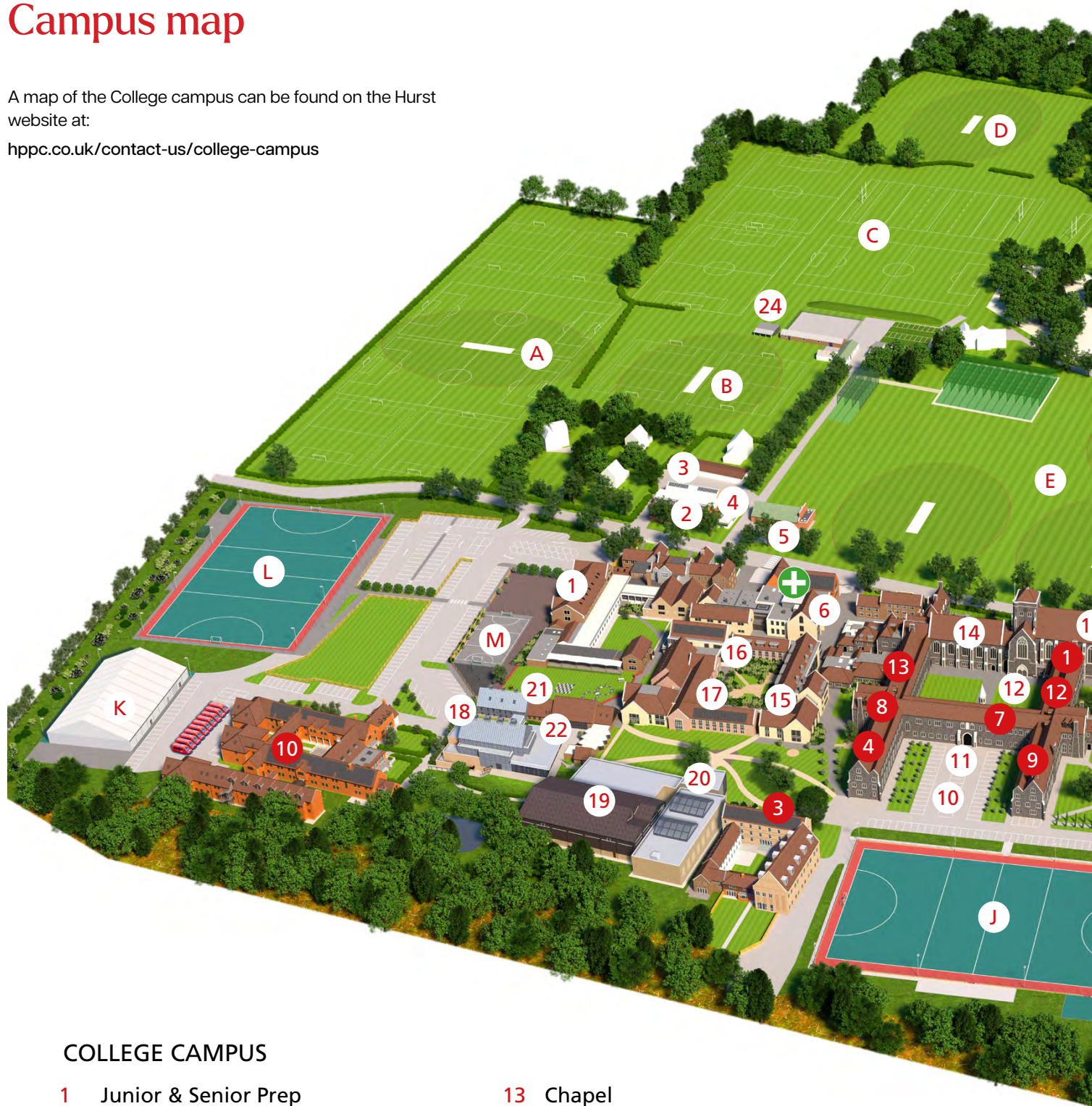
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Campus map

A map of the College campus can be found on the Hurst website at:

hppc.co.uk/contact-us/college-campus



COLLEGE CAMPUS

- 1 Junior & Senior Prep
- 2 Climbing Wall
- 3 Outdoor Pursuits
- 4 Uniform Shop
- 5 Drama & Dance Studio
- 6 Science, Design & Technology
- 7 North Field Cricket Pavilion
- 8 Eastfield Pavilion
- 9 Hurst Farm
- 10 Outer Quad
- 11 Senior School Reception (The Lodge)
- 12 Inner Quad

- 13 Chapel
- 14 Dining Hall
- 15 Academic Block
- 16 Moore Hall & Library
- 17 Art School
- 18 The New Bury Theatre
- 19 Sports Hall
- 20 Swimming Pool
- 21 Music School
- 22 Dance Studio
- 23 Ruckford Pavilion
- 24 Manyweathers Pavilion
- + Medical Centre

SPORT PITCHES

- A Danworth
- B Manyweathers
- C Lowe Field
- D Kents
- E North Field
- F Ruckford
- G Netball/Tennis



HOUSES (Red Circles)

H Eastfield
 I Highfield Astro
 J South Astro
 K MUGA
 L West Astro
 M Prep Netball Court

1 Chevron	8 Red Cross
2 Crescent	9 Shield
3 Eagle	10 St John's
4 Fleur de Lys	11 Star
5 Martlet	12 Wolf
6 Pelican	13 Woodard
7 Phoenix	

Courts

Summer Sports Tours and Tournaments

Sports Tours and Tournaments – August 2026				
Date	Year group	Sport	Location	Contact
Thursday 11 to Friday 21 August	Sixth Form	Rugby (boys) <i>Invite only</i>	South Africa	Freddie Pierrepont freddie.pierrepont@hppc.co.uk
Saturday 22 to Wednesday 26 August	Remove Lower Sixth Upper Sixth	Hockey (girls) <i>Invite only</i>	Utrecht, Netherlands	Jonathan Hawley jonathan.hawley@hppc.co.uk
Wednesday 26 August	Sixth Form	Rugby (boys) President's Cup <i>Invite only</i>	Esher RFC, Surrey	Freddie Pierrepont freddie.pierrepont@hppc.co.uk

Pre-Season Training and Activities

Pre-season sessions are open to all pupils from Years 7 to Upper Sixth, and all new and existing pupils are welcome to attend (they are not compulsory) no matter what their level of sporting ability.

Pre-Season Activities – August 2026					
Date	Time	Year group	Activity	Venue/ Location	Contact
Monday 24 to Wednesday 26 August	N/A	Fifth Form Lower Sixth Upper Sixth	DofE Silver Expeditions (practice and assessment)	The South Downs	Raef Cains raef.cains @hppc.co.uk
Wednesday 2 September	6.30pm to 8.00pm	All Years (Senior School)	Music (Choir) Practice Held during the induction week and open to existing members and those who wish to join this year. No experience is necessary and there is no audition.	Chapel	Neil Matthews neil.matthews @hppc.co.uk

Pre-season Sports Sessions

Hurst Sport pre-season will take place from Monday 24 August to Wednesday 26 August. All pupils from Year 7 to Sixth Form are encouraged to attend. Sessions will be designed to prepare pupils for their upcoming sports.

Please use the QR codes below to sign up to the relevant sessions.

Information presentation for parents

We welcome all parents to an information talk about Hurst Sport which will provide an insight into the programme. The Director of Sport, and Heads of Sport, will give a short presentation followed by a Q&A session.

Scan the QR codes to sign up for pre-season sessions:



Years 7 and 8
Pre-Season Sport
sign up form



Shell and Remove
Pre-Season Sport
sign up form



Fifth Form and Sixth Form
Pre-Season Sport
sign up form

These talks will be held on:

Monday 24 August

10.15am–10.45am

Parents of Years 7 and 8

Monday 24 August

12.30pm–1.00pm

Parents of Shell, Remove, Fifth Form and Sixth Form

Medical

Please complete the medical questionnaire by Friday 12 June. This can be found on the Parent Portal portal.hppc.co.uk under My Children/Forms.

Kit for Pre-Season Training

Pupils should bring the following to their pre-season sessions:

- Smart Hurst kit
- Packed lunch/refreshments (catering is not provided)
- Named water bottle
- Sun cream
- No jewellery

Boys should also bring:

- Boots
- Trainers
- Gum shield (a temporary gum shield will suffice)

Girls should also bring:

- White or red t-shirt
- Blue skirt
- Astro/Netball trainers
- Hockey stick
- Shin pads
- Gum shield (a temporary gum shield will suffice)

Sports contacts

If you require further clarification please contact:

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Pre-Season Sports sessions on Monday 24 August 2026

A reminder that there will be a parents information talk about Hurst Sport on this day (see previous page).

Monday 24 August 2026				
Year groups	Years 7 and 8			
Sport	Boys' Rugby (Michaelmas Term Core Sport)	Girls' Hockey (Michaelmas Term Core Sport)	Tennis	Swimming
Timings	10.00am – 12.00pm	10.00am – 12.00pm	10.00am – 12.00pm	8.00am – 10.00am
Location	Ruckford	West Astro	Ruckford Tennis Courts	Swimming Pool

Monday 24 August 2026						
Year groups	Shell and Remove					
Sport	Boys' Rugby (Michaelmas Term Core Sport)	Girls' Hockey (Michaelmas Term Core Sport)	Boys' Hockey	Girls' Netball	Tennis	Swimming
Timings	10.30am – 12.30pm	10.30am – 12.30pm	1.15pm – 3.15pm	1.15pm – 3.15pm	10.00am – 12.00pm	8.00am – 10.00am
Location	Ruckford	South Astro	Highfield Astro	Ruckford Netball Courts	Ruckford Tennis Courts	Swimming Pool

Monday 24 August 2026						
Year groups	Fifth Form and Sixth Form					
Sport	Boys' Hockey	Girls' Netball (Michaelmas Term Core Sport)	Boys' Rugby (Michaelmas Term Core Sport)	Girls' Hockey (Michaelmas Term Core Sport)	Tennis	Swimming
Timings	10.30am – 12.30pm	10.30am – 12.30pm	1.15pm – 3.15pm	1.15pm – 3.15pm	10.00am – 12.00pm	8.00am – 10.00am
Location	Highfield Astro	Ruckford Netball Courts	Eastfield	South Astro	Ruckford Tennis Courts	Swimming Pool

Pre-Season Sports sessions on Tuesday 25 August 2026

Tuesday 25 August 2026				
Year groups	Years 7 and 8			
Sport	Boys' Rugby (Michaelmas Term Core Sport)	Girls' Hockey (Michaelmas Term Core Sport)	Tennis	Swimming
Timings	10.00am – 12.00pm	10.00am – 12.00pm	12.00am – 2.00pm	8.00am – 10.00am
Location	Ruckford	West Astro	Ruckford Tennis Courts	Swimming Pool

Tuesday 25 August 2026						
Year groups	Shell and Remove					
Sport	Boys' Rugby (Michaelmas Term Core Sport)	Girls' Hockey (Michaelmas Term Core Sport)	Boys' Hockey	Girls' Netball	Tennis	Swimming
Timings	10.30am – 12.30pm	10.30am – 12.30pm	1.15pm – 3.15pm	1.15pm – 3.15pm	12.00pm – 2.00pm	8.00am – 10.00am
Location	Ruckford	South Astro	Highfield Astro	Ruckford Netball Courts	Ruckford Tennis Courts	Swimming Pool

Tuesday 25 August 2026						
Year groups	Fifth Form and Sixth Form					
Sport	Boys' Hockey	Girls' Netball (Michaelmas Term Core Sport)	Boys' Rugby (Michaelmas Term Core Sport)	Girls' Hockey (Michaelmas Term Core Sport)	Tennis	Swimming
Timings	10.30am – 12.30pm	10.30am – 12.30pm	1.15pm – 3.15pm	1.15pm – 3.15pm	12.00am – 2.00pm	8.00am – 10.00am
Location	Highfield Astro	Ruckford Netball Courts	Eastfield	South Astro	Ruckford Tennis Courts	Swimming Pool

Pre-Season Sports sessions on Wednesday 26 August 2026

Wednesday 26 August 2026				
Year groups	Years 7 and 8			
Sport	Boys' Rugby (Michaelmas Term Core Sport)	Girls' Hockey (Michaelmas Term Core Sport)	Tennis	Swimming
Timings	10.00am – 12.00pm	10.00am – 12.00pm	10.00am – 12.00pm	8.00am – 10.00am
Location	Ruckford	West Astro	Ruckford Tennis Courts	Swimming Pool

Wednesday 26 August 2026						
Year groups	Shell and Remove					
Sport	Boys' Rugby (Michaelmas Term Core Sport)	Girls' Hockey (Michaelmas Term Core Sport)	Boys' Hockey	Girls' Netball	Tennis	Swimming
Timings	10.30am – 12.30pm	10.30am – 12.30pm	1.15pm – 3.15pm	1.15pm – 3.15pm	10.00am – 12.00pm	8.00am – 10.00am
Location	Ruckford	South Astro	Highfield Astro	Ruckford Netball Courts	Ruckford Tennis Courts	Swimming Pool

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Sport	Boys' Hockey	Girls' Netball (Michaelmas Term Core Sport)	Boys' Rugby (Michaelmas Term Core Sport)	Girls' Hockey (Michaelmas Term Core Sport)	Tennis	Swimming
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Location	Highfield Astro	Ruckford Netball Courts	Eastfield	South Astro	Ruckford Tennis Courts	Swimming Pool

Term Dates

Term Dates can be found on the Hurst website at:
hppc.co.uk/about-us/term-dates

The Pre-Season Training schedule (from the previous pages) can also be downloaded from this page.

Events

Parents and friends are welcome to join us at events throughout the year. Information on these can be found on the Events page of the website:
hppc.co.uk/news-and-events

Holiday Camps

Hurst runs a variety of Holiday Camps during the year. Information about the camps, and how to book, can be found on our website. New camps will be added as they are confirmed, so please keep checking.
hppc.co.uk/holiday-camps

School Holiday Ideas

Our Heads of Departments have put together a wonderful list of suggested educational and fun things to do in the school holidays. This includes recommended events and places to visit, both locally and nationally, for all ages. This list is updated each half term and is worth looking at for ideas.
hppc.co.uk/news-and-events/school-holiday-ideas



Reception

Thursday 3 September

Pupils in school uniform

08:00–09:40	Class time Classroom
09:40–10:35	Class time (including photos of new pupils) Classroom
10:35–11:00	Break
11:00–12:00	Class time Classroom
12:00–13:00	Lunch
13:00–13:30	Class time Classroom
13:30	Pupils depart

Friday 4 September

Pupils in school uniform

08:00–10:35	Class time Classroom
10:35–11:00	Break
11:00–11:30	Class time Classroom
11:30–12:20	Lunch
12:20–13:00	Junior Prep photo Northfield
13:00–13:30	Class time Classroom
13:30	Pupils depart

Year 1

Thursday 3 September

Pupils in school uniform and games kit required

08:00–09:10	Class time Classroom
09:10–09:40	JPS Assembly New Bury Theatre
09:40–10:05	Class time (including photos of new pupils) Classroom
10:05–10:35	Music JPS Games Room
10:35–11:00	Break
11:00–12:00	PE MUGA
12:00–13:00	Lunch
13:00–13:30	Drama JPS Games Room
13:30–14:00	Class time Classroom
14:00–15:15	Class time Classroom
15:15	Pupils depart

Friday 4 September

Pupils in school uniform and swimming kit required

08:00–09:30	Class time Classroom
09:35–10:35	Swimming Swimming Pool
10:35–11:00	Break
11:00–11:30	JPS Chapel Chapel
11:30–12:20	Lunch
12:20–13:00	Junior Prep photo Northfield
13:00–14:00	Class time Classroom
14:00–15:15	Class time Classroom
15:15	Pupils depart

Year 2

Thursday 3 September

Pupils in school uniform and swimming kit required

08:00–09:10	Class time Classroom
09:10–09:40	JPS Assembly New Bury Theatre
09:40–10:35	Swimming Swimming Pool
10:35–11:00	Break
11:00–11:30	Music JPS Games Room
11:30–12:00	Class time Classroom
12:00–13:00	Lunch
13:00–13:30	Class time Classroom
13:30–14:00	Drama JPS Games Room
14:00–15:15	Class time (including photos of new pupils) Classroom
15:15	Pupils depart

Friday 4 September

Pupils in school uniform and games kit required

08:00–09:00	Class time Classroom
09:00–09:45	PE MUGA
09:45–10:35	Class time Classroom
10:35–11:00	Break
11:00–11:30	JPS Chapel Chapel
11:30–12:20	Lunch
12:20–13:00	Junior Prep photo Northfield
13:00–14:00	Class time Classroom
14:00–15:15	Class time Classroom
15:15	Pupils depart

Year 3

Thursday 3 September

Pupils in school uniform

08:00–09:10	Tutor Form Rooms
09:10–09:40	JPS Assembly New Bury Theatre
09:40–09:55	Tutor (including photos of new pupils) Form Rooms
09:55–10:35	Tutor Form Rooms
10:35–11:00	Break
11:00–12:00	Art task Art Room
12:00–13:00	Lunch
13:00–13:30	3/DO: Music Music Room 3/TW: Tutor Form Room
13:30–14:00	3/DO: Tutor Form Room 3/TW: Music Music Room
14:00–14:55	Tutor Form Rooms
14:55–15:15	Break
15:15–16:00	Tutor Form Rooms
16:00	Pupils depart
16:00–18:00	After School activities for those catching the bus or late pick-up

Friday 4 September

Pupils in school uniform and games kit required in afternoon

08:00–09:30	Star testing Form Rooms
09:30–10:35	Tutor Form Rooms
10:35–11:00	Break
11:00–11:30	JPS Chapel Chapel
11:30–12:20	Lunch
12:20–13:00	Junior Prep photo Northfield
13:00–13:25	3/DO: Drama Drama Room 3/TW: Tutor Form Room
13:30–13:55	3/DO: Tutor Form Room 3/TW: Drama Drama Room
14:00–15:00	Games Northfield and West Astro
15:00–15:20	Break
15:20–16:00	Tutor Form Rooms
16:00	Pupils depart
16:00–17:00	After School activities for those catching the bus or late pick-up

Year 4

Thursday 3 September

Pupils in school uniform

08:00–09:10	Tutor Form Rooms
09:10–09:40	JPS Assembly New Bury Theatre
09:40–09:55	Tutor (including photos of new pupils) Form Rooms
09:55–10:15	4/E: Drama Drama Room 4/T: Tutor Form Room
10:15–10:35	4/E: Tutor Form Room 4/T: Drama Drama Room
10:35–11:00	Break
11:00–12:00	Star testing Form Rooms
12:00–13:00	Lunch
13:00–14:00	Art task Art Room
14:00–14:55	Tutor Form Rooms
14:55–15:15	Break
15:15–16:00	Tutor Form Rooms
16:00	Pupils depart
16:00–18:00	After School activities for those catching the bus or late pick-up

Friday 4 September

Pupils in school uniform and games kit required in afternoon

08:00–08:30	Tutor Form Rooms
08:30–10:35	Tutor Form Rooms
10:35–11:00	Break
11:00–11:30	JPS Chapel Chapel
11:30–12:20	Lunch
12:20–13:00	Junior Prep photo Northfield
13:00–13:25	4/E: Music activity Music School 4/T: Tutor Form Room
13:30–13:55	4/E: Tutor Form Room 4/T: Music activity Music School
14:00–15:00	Games Northfield and West Astro
15:00–15:20	Break
15:20–16:00	Tutor Form Rooms
16:00	Pupils depart
16:00–17:00	After School activities for those catching the bus or late pick-up

Year 5

Thursday 3 September

Pupils in school uniform and games kit required in afternoon

08:00–08:30	Tutor Form Rooms
08:30–09:10	Tutor Form Rooms
09:10–09:40	JPS Assembly New Bury Theatre
09:40–10:35	Tutor (including IT training and photos of new pupils) Form Rooms
10:35–11:00	Break
11:00–12:00	Music and Drama rehearsal Music School
12:00–13:00	Lunch
13:00–14:00	Games Manyweathers and West Astro
14:00–14:55	Art task Art Room
14:55–15:15	Break
15:15–16:00	Tutor Form Rooms
16:00	Pupils depart
16:00–18:00	After School activities for those catching the bus or late pick-up

Friday 4 September

Pupils in school uniform and games kit required in afternoon

08:00–08:30	Tutor Form Rooms
08:30–09:00	CEOP Science Lecture Theatre
09:00–09:30	Tutor Form Rooms
09:30–10:35	Star testing Form Rooms
10:35–11:00	Break
11:00–11:30	JPS Chapel Chapel
11:30–12:20	Lunch
12:20–13:00	Junior Prep photo Northfield
13:00–14:00	Games Manyweathers and South Astro
14:05–15:00	Tutor Form Rooms
15:00–15:20	Break
15:20–16:00	Tutor Form Rooms
16:00	Pupils depart
16:00–17:00	After School activities for those catching the bus or late pick-up

Year 6

Thursday 3 September

Pupils in school uniform and games kit required in afternoon

08:00–09:10	Tutor (including IT training) Form Rooms
09:10–09:40	JPS Assembly New Bury Theatre
09:40–10:35	Tutor (including photos of new pupils) Form Rooms
10:35–11:00	Break
11:00–12:00	Music and Drama rehearsal Music School
12:00–13:00	Lunch
13:00–14:00	Games Manyweathers and West Astro
14:00–14:55	Art task Art Room
14:55–15:15	Break
15:15–16:00	Tutor Form Rooms
16:00	Pupils depart
16:00–18:00	After School activities for those catching the bus or late pick-up

Friday 4 September

Pupils in school uniform and games kit required in afternoon

08:00–09:00	Tutor Form Rooms
09:00–09:30	CEOP Science Lecture Theatre
09:30–10:35	Music and Drama rehearsal New Bury Theatre
10:35–11:00	Break
11:00–11:30	JPS Chapel Chapel
11:30–12:20	Lunch
12:20–13:00	Junior Prep photo Northfield
13:00–14:00	Games Manyweathers and South Astro
14:05–15:00	Tutor Form Rooms
15:00–15:20	Break
15:20–16:00	Tutor Form Rooms
16:00	Pupils depart
16:00–17:00	After School activities for those catching the bus or late pick-up



Year 7

Wednesday 2 September

Pupils in school uniform

15:15–15:30	Pupils dropped off Prep School car park
15:15–15:45	'Sorting Hat' moment
15:30–15:50	Head of Senior Prep School address to Year 7 parents Moore Hall
15:45–16:35	Forms 7/B and 7/MM Activity: Team building games West Astro Forms 7/C, 7/H and 7/W: Individual photos, collect College managed devices and campus tour
16:40–17:30	Forms 7/B and 7/MM: Individual photos, collect College managed devices and campus tour Forms 7/C, 7/H and 7/W Activity: Team building games West Astro
17:30	Parents collect pupils West Astro

Thursday 3 September

Pupils in school uniform and games kit required in afternoon

07:50–08:00	Arrival
08:00–08:30	Tutor Form Rooms
08:30–08:40	Year 7 Changing Rooms
08:40–09:10	SPS Assembly New Bury Theatre
09:10–10:05	7/B and 7/MM: Structure of the week Form Room 7/C: College managed device training Form Room 7/H: Wellbeing Form Room 7/W: 'Our Space' orienteering around the campus Form Room
10:05–10:35	SPS Chapel Chapel
10:35–11:00	Break
11:00–12:00	7/B and 7/MM: 'Our Space' orienteering around the campus Form Room 7/C: Structure of the week Form Room 7/H: College managed device training Form Room 7/W: Wellbeing Form Room
12:00–13:00	Lunch

13:00–14:00	7/B and 7/MM: Wellbeing Form Room 7/C: 'Our Space' orienteering around the campus Form Room 7/H: Structure of the week Form Room 7/W: College managed device training Form Room
14:00–14:55	Games (Lowes and West Astro)
14:55–15:15	Break
15:15–16:15	7/B and 7/MM: College managed device training Form Room 7/C: Wellbeing Form Room 7/H: 'Our Space' orienteering around the campus Form Room 7/W: Structure of the week Form Room
16:15–16:30	Tutor Form Rooms
16:30	Pupils depart
16:30–18:00	After School activities for those catching the bus or late pick-up

Friday 4 September

Pupils arrive in games kit and bring school uniform

08:00–08:50	Tutor: Checklist for Monday and independent IT task Form Rooms
08:50–9:10	Team building briefing West Astro and Lowe
09:10–12:00	Team building West Astro and Lowe
12:00–13:00	Lunch and get changed into school uniform for photo MUGA
13:00–13:40	Senior Prep photo Northfield
13:40–14:00	Big 12 Moore Hall
14:05–15:00	7/C, 7/H and first half alphabetically of 7/W: MidYIS (College assisted device required) CS01 and CS02 7/B, 7/MM and second half alphabetically of 7/W: CEOP Science Lecture Theatre
15:05–16:00	7/C, 7/H and first half alphabetically of 7/W: CEOP Science Lecture Theatre 7/B, 7/MM and second half alphabetically of 7/W: MidYIS (College assisted device required) CS01 and CS02
16:05–16:30	SPS Assembly New Bury Theatre
16:30	Pupils depart
16:30–17:00	After School activities for those catching the bus or late pick-up

Year 8

Wednesday 2 September

Pupils in school uniform

13:30–16:00 **Prefect training (including 'Sorting Hat' moment with Year 7)**

Thursday 3 September

Pupils in school uniform and games kit required in afternoon

08:00–08:40 **Tutor** | Form Rooms

08:40–09:10 **SPS assembly** | New Bury Theatre

09:10–09:20 **Year 8 Changing Rooms**

09:20–10:05 **Tutor – WWW, EBI from Year 7** | Form Rooms

10:05–10:35 **SPS Chapel** | Chapel

10:35–11:00 **Break**

11:00–12:00 **8/J and 8/T: CEOP** | Form Rooms
8/G, 8/S and 8/SA: Tutor | Form Rooms

12:00–13:00 **Lunch**

13:00–14:00 **8/J and 8/T: Tutor** | Form Rooms
8/G, 8/S and 8/SA: CEOP | Form Rooms

14:00–14:55 **Games** | Mushroom and South Astro

14:55–15:15 **Break**

15:15–15:35 **Big 12** | Moore Hall

15:35–16:30 **Tutor** | Form Rooms

16:30 **Pupils depart**

16:30–18:00 **After School activities for those catching the bus or late pick-up**

Friday 4 September

Pupils in school uniform and games kit required

08:00–09:20 **Tutor** | Form Rooms

09:20–09:35 **Get changed into games kit**

09:35–10:35 **Games**

10:35–11:00 **Break and get changed back into school uniform**

11:00–12:00 **Tutor** | Form Rooms

12:00–13:00 **Lunch**

13:00–13:40 **Senior Prep photo** | Northfield

13:40–14:00 **Get changed into games kit**

14:00–14:20 **Team building briefing** | West Astro and Lowe

14:20–16:00 **Team building** | West Astro and Lowe

16:05–16:30 **SPS Assembly** | New Bury Theatre

16:30 **Pupils depart**

16:30–17:00 **After School activities for those catching the bus or late pick-up**



Shell

Wednesday 2 September

Pupils in school uniform

14:30 for 15:00	Boarders arrive at The Lodge (main Senior School entrance via College Lane) Day pupils arrive at the Prep School (entrance via Chalkers Lane) Pupils taken to their Houses Parents stay for Head's address
15:00–15:30	Head of College's address to Shell Parents: Preview of Induction New Bury Theatre
15:00–16:00	Shell in Houses for Welcome from HoM Houses
16:00–16:15	Shell assembly New Bury Theatre
16:15–16:45	College managed device issued to new pupils to the College with IT presentation on how to care for the devices Former Senior Prep School pupils remain in House for presentation on how to care for devices Refreshments in House for all
16:45–18:00	Treasure hunt followed by Kindness Activities
18:00	Day pupils go to The Lodge for pickup by parents (entrance via College Lane), except those wanting to be in the Choir The Lodge Supper for pupils in boarding houses and those wanting to be in the Choir
18:30–20:00	Senior School Choir rehearsal (new pupils welcome) Chapel

Thursday 3 September

Pupils in school uniform and games kit required

From 07:50	Drop off in main Senior School car park (via College Lane)
08:20–08:35	House meeting Houses
08:35–09:00	Chapel seating (in Houses) Chapel
09:00–09:35	Head of College's assembly and Congo Chapel
09:40–10:35	Structure of the week and timetable walk through in paired Tutor Groups
10:35–11:00	Break
11:00–11:35	Big 12 Moore Hall
11:40–12:00	HoY Kindness assembly

12:05–12:45	Paired House Tutorial (kindness activities) and individual photos
12:45–14:00	Lunch and House time
14:00–14:45	Paired House Tutorial – Meet the kitchen team, IT tasks and individual photos
14:45–15:00	Get changed for games
15:00–16:25	Games
16:25–16:50	Break
16:50–17:55	Paired House Tutorial – Meet the kitchen team and IT tasks
17:55–18:30	Day pupils depart (buses leave at 18:15) Supper for those in boarding Houses
19:00–21:00	Off-site activity trip for those in Boarding Houses

Friday 4 September

Pupils in school uniform and games kit required for late morning

08:20–09:10	House assemblies and House Tutor time Houses
09:10–10:35	Whole School photo Northfield
10:35–11:00	Break
11:00–11:25	Co-curricular Introduction talk
11:30–12:35	Games
12:40–14:00	Lunch and House time
13:30–14:00	Choir practice for those in the Choir Chapel
14:00–16:00	House photos Northfield
16:00–16:15	House time Houses
16:15–17:00	Chapel
17:00	Pupils may depart (buses leave at 17:15)



Remove

Wednesday 2 September

Pupils in school uniform

16:00	New joiners arrive at The Lodge (via College Lane) The Lodge Remove Buddy take pupils to their House to meet with HoM and have tour of the House Parents of new joiners welcome to join
16:15–16:45	New pupils meet with tutor for Structure of the Week and timetable walk through
16:45–18:00	Treasure Hunt (campus orientation)
18:00	New day pupils go to The Lodge for pickup by parents (unless wanting to be in the Choir) The Lodge Supper for pupils in boarding houses and those wanting to be in the Choir
From 18:30	Boarders may return
18:30–20:00	Senior School Choir rehearsal – new pupils welcome as well as current members of the Choir) Chapel

Thursday 3 September

Pupils in school uniform and games kit required

08:00–08:10	Remove Day pupils, who are new joiners, dropped off at The Lodge and taken to House The Lodge
08:10–08:20	New Remove joiners collect College managed device
08:20–08:35	House Meeting House
08:35–09:00	Chapel seating (in Houses) Chapel
09:00–09:35	Head of College's assembly and Congo Chapel
09:40–10:10	Head of Year (HoY) Welcome talk New Bury Theatre
10:10–10:45	Activities, CCF and Games talk New Bury Theatre
10:45–11:00	Introduction to Teambuilding task New Bury Theatre
11:00–11:30	Break
11:30–12:00	Tutor time in paired Houses, including icebreaker activities Tutor's allocated room
11:45–12:00	Remove pupils new to the College individual photos Moore Hall
12:05–12:55	Remove Teambuilding Task Talk

12:55–14:00	Lunch and House time
14:00–14:55	Remove Teambuilding task
15:00–16:25	Games
16:25–16:50	Break
16:50–18:00	Remove Teambuilding task
18:05–18:45	Supper for those in boarding Houses
18:45–20:15	Issue of CCF kit to Boarding Houses
18:45–20:45	Bonding activities for those boarding

Friday 4 September

Pupils in school uniform and games kit required

08:20–09:10	House assemblies and House Tutor time Houses
09:10–10:35	Whole School photo Northfield
10:35–11:00	Break
11:00–11:25	Big 12 New Bury Theatre
11:30–12:35	Games
12:40–12:55	Head of Year (HoY) and Head of Middle School assembly Chapel
12:55–14:00	Lunch and House time
13:30–14:00	Choir practice for those in the choir Chapel
14:00–16:00	House photos and House time
16:00–16:15	House time Houses
16:15–17:00	Chapel
17:00	Pupils may depart

Fifth Form (Vth)

Wednesday 2 September

Pupils in school uniform

From 18:30	Boarders may return
18:30–20:00	Senior School Choir rehearsal (new pupils welcome) Chapel

Thursday 3 September

Pupils in school uniform and games kit required

08:00–08:10	Arrive
08:20–08:35	House meetings House
08:35–09:00	Chapel seating (in Houses) Chapel
09:00–09:35	Head of College's assembly and Congo Chapel
09:40–09:55	Head of Year (HoY) and Head of Middle School Welcome
09:55–10:25	Icebreaker activity
10:30–10:55	Revision
10:55–11:20	Break
11:20–13:05	Revision
13:05–14:00	Lunch
14:00–16:10	Start-up tests
16:10–16:25	Break to get changed for games
16:25–17:55	Games
18:00–18:30	Supper for those in Hurst Festival
18:15–18:45	Supper for those not in Hurst Festival
18:30–20:00	Hurst Festival rehearsal
18:45–20:45	Prep for those not in Hurst Festival
20:00–20:45	Prep for those in Hurst Festival

Friday 4 September

Pupils in school uniform

08:20–09:10	House assemblies and House Tutor time Houses
09:10–10:35	Whole School photo Northfield
10:35–11:00	Break
11:00–12:30	Start up tests
12:35–13:05	Big 12 New Bury Theatre
13:05–14:00	Lunch and House time
13:30–14:00	Choir practice for those in the Choir Chapel
14:00–16:00	House photos and House time House
16:00–16:15	House time
16:15–17:00	Chapel
17:00	Pupils may depart (buses leave at 17:15)

Lower Sixth (L6)

Wednesday 2 September

School Prefects in school uniform

From 18:30	Boarders may return
18:30–20:00	Senior School Choir rehearsal (new pupils welcome) Chapel

Thursday 3 September

Students in school uniform and games kit required

From 07:50	New L6 pupils welcomed to the College – arrive in car park via College Lane Outer Quad
08:20–08:35	House meeting Houses
08:35–09:00	Chapel seating (in Houses) Chapel
09:00–09:35	Head of College's assembly and Congo Chapel
09:40–10:10	Head of Year (HoY) and Head of Sixth Form Welcome assembly Music School
10:10–11:10	Tutor time in Houses: Individual consultations Houses
11:05–11:30	Break
11:30–12:05	Paired Houses session 1: Tech Time Paired Houses session 1: Tour of the College/ Treasure Hunt
12:05–13:10	Paired Houses session 2: "Now that you have your phones workshop" Paired Houses session 2: "Creation of my Sixth Form profile" Tutor's allocated room
13:10–14:00	Lunch and House time
14:00–15:05	Paired Houses session 3: "Creation of my Sixth Form profile" Paired Houses session 3: "Now that you have your phones workshop"
15:05–15:40	Paired Houses session 4: Tour of the College/ Treasure Hunt Paired Houses session 4: Tech Time
15:40–16:00	Break and get changed for Games
16:00–16:20	Big 12
16:25–17:55	Games
17:55–18:30	Break

18:30–19:30	Outdoor Supper - Day students may be picked up after the BBQ
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19:30–20:45	Bonding activities for those boarding
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Friday 4 September

Students in school uniform

08:20–09:10	House assemblies and House Tutor time Houses
09:10–10:35	Whole School photo Northfield
10:35–11:00	Break
11:00–11:30	Paired House Tutor coaching time
11:35–12:05	Co-curricular introduction assembly New Bury Theatre
12:10–13:10	ALIS testing Tutor's allocated room
13:10–14:00	Lunch
13:30–14:00	Choir practice for those in the Choir Chapel
14:00–16:00	House photos, individual photos and House time Houses
16:00–16:15	House time Houses
16:15–17:00	Chapel
17:00	Pupils may depart (buses leave 17:15)

Upper Sixth (U6)

Wednesday 2 September

School Prefects in school uniform

13:30–14:00	School Prefects run through meeting
16:00–17:30	School prefects help Shell tutors with treasure hunt and escape room
18:00–18:30	Some School Prefects take Shell day pupils to The Lodge for pick up by parents, others take Shell boarders to supper and have supper themselves
From 18:30	Other U6 boarders may return
18:30–20:00	Senior School Choir rehearsal (new pupils welcome) Chapel

Thursday 3 September

Students in school uniform and games kit required in afternoon

08:20–08:35	House meeting St John's
08:35–09:00	Chapel seating (in Houses) Chapel
09:00–09:35	Head of College's assembly and Congo Chapel
09:40–10:40	Life in St John's followed by UCAS talk Moore Hall
10:40–11:00	Tutor time for those not taking Oxbridge mocks St John's and HoDs' offices
10:45–13:15	Oxbridge mocks QE03 and QE04
11:00–11:20	Break for those not taking Oxbridge mocks
11:20–13:15	PGE resit 1 Students not sitting exam: Private study (EPQ write up/UCAS application), UCAS/ Personal Statement session with tutor or EPQ meeting with supervisor
13:15–14:00	Lunch
14:00–16:00	PGE resit 2 Students not sitting exam: Private study (EPQ write up/UCAS application), UCAS/ Personal Statement session with tutor or EPQ meeting with supervisor
16:00–16:20	Big 12 New Bury Theatre
16:25–17:55	Games
17:55–18:25	Break

18:20–18:45 Supper

18:45–20:45 Prep

Friday 4 September

Students in school uniform

08:20–09:10	House assembly and House Tutor time St John's
09:10–10:35	Whole School photo Northfield
10:35–11:00	Break
11:00–11:10	Prepare for next session St John's
11:10–13:10	PGE resit 3 Students not sitting exam: Private study (EPQ write up/UCAS application), UCAS/ Personal Statement session with tutor or EPQ meeting with supervisor
13:10–14:00	Lunch
13:30–14:00	Choir practice for those in the Choir Chapel
14:00–16:00	House photos and House time
16:00–16:15	House time St John's
16:15–17:00	Chapel
17:00–17:30	Tutor one-to-one St John's and Head of Department's Office
17:30–18:00	Upper Sixth parents' welcome talk New Bury Theatre
17:30–18:00	Upper Sixth students' outdoor supper
18:00–19:00	Upper Sixth parents' outdoor supper

First Weekend Sport Arrangements

Senior Prep School – Saturday 5 September

Senior Prep School Saturday 5 September 2026			
Time	Activity	Year group	Venue/ Location
09:00–10:30	Boys' Rugby	Years 7 and 8	Danworth pitch
09:00–10:00	Girls' Hockey	Year 7	West Astro
10:00–11:00	Girls' Hockey	Year 8	West Astro

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Senior School – Saturday 5 September

Senior School Saturday 5 September 2026				
Time	Activity	Fixture	Year group	Venue/ Location
09:00	Netball	Gordons Tournament	U18A	Away
09:00	Girls' Hockey	Reigate Grammar School	1st XI, 2nd XI	Home
09:30	Girls' Hockey	Reigate Grammar School	U14A, U14B	Away
10:00	Netball	Brighton College	U18B	TBC
10:30	Girls' Hockey	Reigate Grammar School	U15A, U15B	Home
10:45	Girls' Hockey	Reigate Grammar School	U14C	Away
11:45	Girls' Hockey	Reigate Grammar School	U15C	Home
12:00	Girls' Hockey	Internal match	4th XI, U16A, U16B, U16C	Home
14:00	Boys' Rugby	Tonbridge School	U15A, U15B	Neutral
14:00	Boys' Rugby	Tonbridge School	U15A, U15B	Away
15:30	Boys' Rugby	Tonbridge School	U15A, U15B	Away



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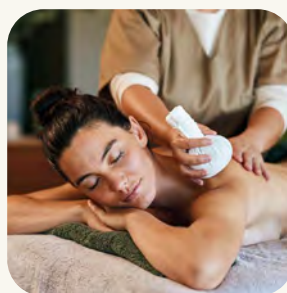
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Glossary of Terms and Acronyms

ALIS	This is a test taken by the Lower Sixth. It provides the staff with useful academic data that can be used later to measure pupil and teacher performance in terms of A2 results. The results remain confidential and are not released to pupils or parents.
Advanced Study Skills	Sixth formers are given presentations about how to become more powerful and independent researchers and learners. These are organised by Dominique Collins (DBC), the Head of our Library.
Big 12	This is a reference to the list of serious misdemeanours published in our pupil guide. They draw the heaviest disciplinary sanctions and all College pupils attend presentations about them. The aim of the meetings is to ensure the pupils are all well informed about the Big 12 at the start of each year at the College.
Carousel	This is a series of activities attended by a small group of pupils, on a rotating basis, to a timed schedule.
CEOP	This is an acronym for the Child Exploitation and Online Protection Service.
CCF	The aim of the CCF is to provide a disciplined organisation in a school so that pupils may develop powers of leadership by means of training to promote the qualities of responsibility, self reliance, resourcefulness, endurance and perseverance.
Engage	A session designed to introduce the many opportunities available at Hurst for Shell pupils to get involved with and contribute to. We will introduce the Wellbeing Programme, Activities, Enrichment, Games and other responsibilities/opportunities available.
DofE (The Duke of Edinburgh award scheme)	The school gives every opportunity of achieve a the well-renowned DofE award at Silver or Gold, involving volunteering, skill and followed by an expedition.
EPQ	Sixth Form independent research project worth half an A-level.
Games Programme	These are games sessions organised by the Director of Sport and Head of Girls' Games. It provides an opportunity to meet the sports staff and for them to start to piece together an idea of the sporting directions in which the pupils are heading.
HoD	Head of Department
HoM	Housemaster / Housemistress / Houseparent
HoY	Head of Year
Leadership / Team Building	Presentations and activities on Leadership for the Lower Sixth. The aim of them is to begin to induct the pupils into the right frames of mind in terms of becoming the leaders of our community. (Many will go on to become Prefects, House Captains and the like).
MUN (Model United Nations)	Model United Nations (MUN) is an activity where students represent nations in a simulation of the United Nations; crafting their ability to be diplomatic, cooperative, and open-minded.
Mock Oxbridge and BMAT tests	A mock exam for any student who is taking an Oxbridge entrance test or the BMAT entry test to certain medical schools in Michaelmas half term.
Personal Statement	This is the vital personal statement students write as part of their university application. The Induction Programme provides the applicants with time to draft and re-draft them, with a little bit of help from expert staff. This process is supervised initially by the student's Tutor.
Positive Mental Health	Talks and discussion on emotional wellbeing, happiness and contentment, feeling valued, positive relationships, and prevention of mental health problems.

SLT	Senior Leadership Team
SMT	Senior Management Team
Star Testing	This is part of the Accelerated Reader programme, which will set a reading level for pupils and which will be reviewed throughout the year.
Start-up Tests	These are formal examinations designed to provide pupils with an experience of the 'sports hall moment' – a real examination. They also serve as a reminder to the year group that they are about to embark on a serious journey towards public examinations. They are short tests – 40 minute (Fifth), but they are rigorously assessed to GCSE, standard.
STEM and CREST	Tuesday afternoon activity in which Lower Sixth students complete a science or technology-based project over the course of a year, either by carrying out an original investigation or by designing and making a scientific or engineering-based object
Team Building	Shell pupils will, in their Tutor groups, take on an array of challenges. These activities are designed to be fun and introduce pupils to some positive learning behaviours.
The Hurst Purpose	A set of 12 statements devised by the Headmaster designed to direct behaviour of College pupils in particular directions e.g. 'To be independent and true to yourself rather than one of the unthinking herd.'
The Lodge	This is the main reception of the Senior School, which is just to the left of the main entrance doors leading into the Outer Quad car park.
Tuesday Service and Skills Afternoon	The opportunity in an activity that primarily counts towards the volunteering section of the DofE. For those not necessarily aiming for a DofE have the opportunity to support their community and/or learn a valuable skill.
Tutorial Time	Sessions will be provided for the pupils to meet their tutors. Important administration will be done e.g. looking at timetables, diaries, planners, and of course pupils will meet and get to know their tutors, who will be their first port of call, academically and pastorally, for the year ahead.
UCAS	This is an acronym for the national university admissions service. Sixth formers, as part of the induction process receive useful advice from our resident expert, Hannah Linklater (HRL).
Young Enterprise	Introduction to the Young Enterprise programme – where students have the opportunity to create and develop their own business and products
Wellbeing	A session exploring being happy and Healthy at School. Happy and healthy pupils, we know, do well.

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