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Art

ACTIVITY	DAY	TIME	VENUE	TARGET GROUP
Creative Crew (Set design)	Preceding Drama Productions	Lunchtime	Art Studios	Years 12 & 13
Art Club (General)	Monday - Friday	Lunchtime	Art Studios	All Years welcome
Pottery club	Friday	Lunchtime	A19	Years 7 and 8

Business and Economics

ACTIVITY	DAY	TIME	VENUE	TARGET GROUP
DAOS Economics Society Speakers from UCL, The Bank of England, Deloitte, BT etc.	Friday	Lunchtime	K4	Years 10 - 13

Computing

ACTIVITY	DAY	TIME	VENUE	TARGET GROUP
Games Development Club	Monday	Lunchtime	K5	All Years
Coding Club	Tuesday	Lunchtime	K5	All Years
Raspberry Pi Club	Thursday	Lunchtime	K6	All Years
Robotics and Coding Club	Friday	3.45-4.45pm	Sixth form canteen TBC	Years 7-9 Book Online at https://engineering4kids.kidsclubhq.co.uk/cust#/auth



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Design & Technology

ACTIVITY	DAY	TIME	VENUE	TARGET GROUP
KS3 3D Printing Club	Monday	Lunchtime (12:40 - 1:10)	A4	Years 7-11
Fem in Stem	Tuesday	Lunchtime @ 1pm	A4	Year 12-13 girls
GCSE & A Level D&T NEA Support sessions	Tuesday to Friday	Lunch time (12:35 - 1:15)	A4	KS4 & KS5

Drama (Year 7 Club stops when there are exams on)

ACTIVITY	DAY	TIME	VENUE	TARGET GROUP
Drama Club	Tuesday	Lunchtime	H4	Year 7
Winter Show Rehearsals	Lunchtimes for Dancing. Afterschool for Singing & Acting dependent on events on afterschool	September - December	G2/H2 dependent on GCSE & A Level Devised Exam Prep Rehearsals	Years 9* - 13
Spring Show Rehearsals	Lunchtimes for Dancing. Afterschool for Singing & Acting dependent on events on afterschool	January - March	G2/H2 dependent on GCSE & A Level Scripted Exam Prep Rehearsals	Years 8* - 13
Summer Show Rehearsals	Lunchtimes for Dancing. Afterschool for Singing & Acting dependent on events on afterschool	May - July	G2/H4/Gym dependent on Exams	Years 7 - 9



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English

ACTIVITY	DAY	TIME	VENUE	TARGET GROUP
Beyond English	Wednesday	Lunchtime (Week A: Year 10/11; Week B: Year 12/13)	B10	Years 10-13
Creative Writing Club	Monday	Lunchtime (12:45 – 1:15)	B11	Years 7-9
Debating Club	Tuesday	Lunchtime at 1.00pm	B8	Years 7-9

Food & Textiles

ACTIVITY	DAY	TIME	VENUE	TARGET GROUP
Knitting Club	Tuesday	Lunchtime	A16	Years 7 & 8
Upper school coursework	Monday-Tuesday	Lunchtime	A3	Years 11 and 13
Upper School Textiles Club	Wednesday-Friday	Lunchtime	A3	Years 10 & 12

Games

ACTIVITY	DAY	TIME	VENUE	TARGET GROUP
Chess Club	Monday	Lunchtime	K4	Chess Team
Chess training	Monday (fortnightly)	16:15-17:15	K4	Years 7-9
Chess Club	Tuesday	Lunchtime	K4	All years
Chess Club	Wednesday	Lunchtime	K4	All years
Warhammer	Friday	Lunchtime	A20	Years 7 – 9
Murder Mystery Club	Thursday	12:45-13:30	Lab 5	Years 7 - 9
Dungeons and Dragons	Tuesday	After school	Lab 12	All years



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Geography

ACTIVITY	DAY	TIME	VENUE	TARGET GROUP
The world beyond the classroom	Tuesday	Lunchtime 12:45-13:00	B2	All years
Nature club	Thursday	After school	B13	Year 7 and 8
KS4 Exam support	TBC (starting in Jan 2024)	After school	B2	Year 11

History

ACTIVITY	DAY	TIME	VENUE	TARGET GROUP
KS3 History Club	Wednesday	Lunchtime	H3	Years 7 – 9
KS3 Catch up Club	TBC	Lunchtime	H3	Years 7-9
History Futures (for those thinking of studying history at university including Oxbridge preparation - autumn term)	Wednesday	12.45pm	D2	Year 13
LGBTQ+ History Club	Thursday	1pm	D2	All years
KS4 Exam support	TBC (starting in Jan 2024)	Lunchtime	D2	Year 11



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Identity

ACTIVITY	DAY	TIME	VENUE	TARGET GROUP
African-Caribbean Society	Friday	13:00	K3	All Years
Christian Union	Wednesday	13:00	E1	All Years
Politics Society	Thursday	1-1.30	J2	Sixth Form
South Asian Society	Thursday	1-1.30	Lab2	All Years
British Sign Language (BSL)	Tuesday	Lunchtime	B13	Y7 & Y9 (prepaid club - full)

Library

ACTIVITY	DAY	TIME	VENUE	TARGET GROUP
Book Club (Keen readers meet to discuss books and meet other enthusiastic readers. Various activities e.g. Carnegie Shadowing, lunch with authors)	Wednesday	Break (11.15am – 11.35am)	Fiction Library	All Years.
Library: after school, the library is open to all for homework and private reading.	Monday - Friday	3.45 p.m. – 5.00 p.m. (Mon – Thurs) 3.45 p.m. – 4.30 p.m. (Friday)	Library	All Years
Student Librarian Programme	Monday - Friday	Breaktime, lunchtime or after school	Library	All Years



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Maths

ACTIVITY	DAY	TIME	VENUE	TARGET GROUP
Junior Mentoring	TBC	1pm		Years 7 & 8
Maths Workshop	Tuesday Registration	8.45	Library	Years 7, 8 & 9
Intermediate Mentoring	Friday (alternate week)	1pm	A14b	Years 9 & 10
Senior Maths Challenge	3rd October 2023	9am	Hall	Years 12 & 13
Enterprise Day	26th June 2023	All Day	Maths Rooms	Year 7
Senior Kangaroo and Olympiad Rounds	15th November 2023	9am	Old Library and A14a and A14b	Years 12 & 13
Intermediate Maths	31st January 2024	9am	Old Library and A14a and A14b	Years 9 – 11
Intermediate Maths Challenge Pink, Grey and Olympiad Rounds	21st March 2024	9am	Old Library and A14a and A14b	Years 9 – 11
Junior Maths Challenge	25th April 2024	9am	Hall and Maths Rooms	Years 7 & 8
Junior Kangaroo and Olympiad Rounds	11th June 2024	9am	Old Library and A14a and A14b	Years 7 & 8
Year 7 Team Maths Competition (Herts)	Spring/Summer Terms	4pm	Online/off site	Year 7
Year 8 Team Maths Competition (Herts)	Spring/Summer Terms	4pm	Online/off site	Year 8
Year 10 Maths Feast Competition	Spring/Summer Terms	All day	Off site	Year 10
Puzzle of the Week	Weekly			Years 7 – 9



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Internal Team Maths Competition	Spring Term	1.35 to 3.45	Dining Hall	Years 8 & 9
Alan Turing Maths Competition	Spring Term Monday/Friday	1pm	A10	Year 7-10
Problem Solving Poster Competition	Summer Term	In lessons		Years 7-9

MFL

ACTIVITY	DAY	TIME	VENUE	TARGET GROUP
French Club	Tuesday	1 - 1.30pm	B14	KS3
French GCSE support	Thursday	12.35 - 1pm	J4	Y11
French film club	Wednesday	12.45-1.30pm	B14	Y11, Y12, Y13
Uni / Oxbridge French Winter term	Monday	Lunchtime	B17	KS5
German GCSE Support	Tuesday & Friday	12.40-1.05	B13	Year 11
German Newspaper Club	Mondays	Lunchtime	B18	All Years
German KS3 film club	Thursdays	12.40-1.10	B13	Y7,8 &9
Spanish Club	Friday	Lunchtime	B16	ALL
Spanish football club	Friday	Lunchtime 12:45	B16	ALL
Conlangs Club	Wednesdays	Lunchtime	B15	KS4 and KS5
Journalism Club	Monday	Lunchtime	B13	All German students



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Music

Please also see relevant document on <https://damealiceowens.herts.sch.uk/academic-life/extra-curricular-activities/> for more information. Additional chamber ensembles will rehearse at various times throughout the week - advanced players, by invitation.

ACTIVITY	Lunchtime clubs: 1:00pm - 1:35 pm	After school clubs: 4pm - 5pm	VENUE	TARGET GROUP
Mixed Wind Chamber Music	Monday (8:35 - 9:05)		Studio/M1	(invitation)
Close Harmony Group	Monday (12:55-1:35)		M3	12 and 13 (audition)
Second Band	Monday		EGH	7 - 11 (grade 3+)
Junior Chamber Strings	Monday		Studio	7 - 9 (grade 5+, in general)
Concert Band		Monday	EGH	10 - 13 (grade 6+ audition)
Cello Ensemble	Tuesday (8:35 - 9:05)		Studio	all welcome
Guitar Ensemble	Tuesday		M1	all welcome
Junior Percussion Ensemble	Tuesday (1:05 - 1.35))		EGH	7 - 9
Senior Percussion Ensemble	Tuesday (12.35 - 1.05)		EGH	10 - 13
Symphony Orchestra		Tuesday	EGH	9 - 13 (grade 6+ in general)
Chamber Orchestra		Tuesday (5:00pm - 5:30pm)	EGH	9 - 13 (grade 8+ in general)
Double Reed Ensemble	Tuesday		M3 (Autumn Term)	All years. Oboists and Bassoonists
Recorder Ensemble	Tuesday		M3 (Spring Term)	All years.
Junior Chamber Choir	Tuesday (1.00 - 1.30)		Studio	7 - 9 (audition)
Junior Choir	Wednesday (1.00 - 1.30)		Studio	7 and 8
Drumming Club (y7/8)	Wednesday (1.00 - 1.30)		EGH	7 and 8
Senior Jazz combo	Wednesday		M1	Invitation



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Flute Choir	Wednesday		M7	grade 6+ flutes
Contemporary Music Group	Wednesday		M3	Anyone with courage and interest
Second Orchestra		Wednesday	EGH	All years (grade 4+)
Soul Band 1		Wednesday	Studio (until Feb half term)	11 - 13 (audition)
Senior Big Band		Wednesday	Studio (after Feb half term)	grade 4+ or 5+ depending on instrument
Mixed Wind Chamber Music	Thursday (8:35 - 9:05)		Studio	(invitation)
Clarinet Ensemble	Thursday (8:35 - 9:05)		M3	all welcome
Saxophone Ensemble	Thursday		M1	Senior players
Junior Ensemble	Thursday		EGH	7 - 9 all instruments
Barbershop quartet	Thursday		M1	Invitation
Senior Chamber Choir	Thursday		Studio	Y 10 -13 (audition)
Soul Band 2		Thursday	Studio (until Feb half term)	8 -10 (audition)
Junior Big Band		Thursday	Studio (after Feb half term)	grade 4+
Senior Strings		Thursday	EGH	9 - 13 (invitation)
Jazz Collective	Friday (8:35 - 9:05)		M1	All years
Senior Brass Ensemble	Friday (8:35 - 9:05)		Studio	grade 6+ (invitation)
Senior Choir	Friday (1.00 - 1.30)		Studio	9 - 13
Junior Brass Ensemble	Friday		EGH	grade 3 - 5 (invitation)
Rock Bands		Various	M10/Studio/M1	All years



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PE

PE ACTIVITY	Lunchtime Clubs: 12.45pm-1.25pm	After School Clubs: 4pm - 5pm	VENUE	TARGET GROUP
Boys Football Y7	Monday - AGC		Astro	Year 7 Boys
Girls Netball Y8/Y9 Squad	Monday - SS/CP		Netball Courts	Year 8/Year 9 Girls
Boys Rugby Y9/Y10	Monday - TF/CMc		Field	Year 9/Year 10 Boys
Mixed Hockey Y10/Y11/Senior	Monday - AL		Astro	Year 10/Year 11/Senior Mixed
Senior Rugby	Monday - CM/BW		Field	Senior Boys
Mixed Y7/Y8 Hockey		Monday - AL/SP	Astro	Year 7/Year 8 Mixed
Mixed Table Tennis All Years		Monday - SF	Studio	All ages welcome
Year 7/8 boys cricket	Tuesday - TF		Field	Year 7/Year 8 Boys
Boys Rugby Y9/Y10	Tuesday - CM/TD		Field	Year 7/Year 8 Boys
Girls Netball Y10/Y11/Senior	Tuesday - CP/LT		Netball Courts	Year 10/Year 11/ Senior Girls
Boys Football - Senior	Tuesday - AGC		Astro	Senior boys
Girls Netball Y7/Y8		Tuesday - LT/SS	Netball Courts	Girls Year 7
Boys Football Fever Y7/Y8		Tuesday - TD	Astro	Boys Year 7
Boys Football Y7/8 B team		Tuesday - 6th Form	Astro	Year 7 B team footballers
Mixed Hockey Y7/Y8/Y9	Wednesday - SP		Astro	Year 7/Year 8/Year 9 Mixed
Practical GCSE PE Club	Wednesday - AGC		B6	Exam students
Cross Country	Wednesday - TD		Field	All
Senior boys Year 9/10/11 Cricket	Wednesday -TF		Field	Senior boys



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Y7/Y8 Boys Rugby		Wednesday - CM	Field	Year 7/Year 8 Boys
Y9/Y10 Boys Rugby		Wednesday - TF	Field	Year 9 /Year 10 Boys
Y9/Y10/Y11 Snr Hockey Mixed		Wednesday - AL/SP	Astro	Year 9/Year 10/Year 11 Senior Mixed
Girls Netball Squad Y7	Thursday - LT/SS		Netball Courts	Year 7 Girls in squad
Boys Football Y8	Thursday - TM/CM		Astro	Year 8 Boys
Girls Football Y9/Y10/Y11/Senior	Thursday - SP		Astro	Year 9/Year 10/Year 11/Senior Girls
Senior Boys Basketball	Thursday - TD		Sports Hall	Senior Boys
Boys Football Y10	Thursday -TF		Astro	Year 10 Boys
Exam PE Workshop	Thursday - AGC		B6	Exam students
Y7/Y8 Girls Indoor Cricket		Thursday - LT/RK (Herts Cricket)	Gym	Year 7/Year 8 girls
Girls Netball Y9/Y10		Thursday - CP	Netball Courts	Year 9/Year 10/ Year 11/ Senior Netball
Senior Boys Rugby		Thursday - CM	Field	Senior Boys
Girls Football Y7/Y8	Friday - SP		Astro	Year 7/Year 8 Girls
Y7/Y8 Boys Rugby	Friday - TF/CM		Field	Year 7/Year 8 Boys
Y9 Boys Football	Friday - TD		Astro	Year 9 Boys
Badminton Mixed all years	Friday - AGC		Sports Hall	Mixed all ages



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Religious Studies

ACTIVITY	DAY	TIME	VENUE	TARGET GROUP
Key Stage 4 Catch up and Exam Support	Tuesday-Thursday	Lunch 1-1:30	E1	Years 10 and 11

Science

ACTIVITY	DAY	TIME	VENUE	TARGET GROUP
Science Club (Autumn/Spring)	Thursday	Lunchtime 1-1.30	Lab11	Years 7,8,9
Astronomy	Friday	Lunchtime	K4	All years
External Science Speakers	Varies Autumn and Winter terms	Lunchtime 12.45-1.30	Labs 1-14 (varies)	All Years
CREST Club (Summer term)	Thursday	Lunchtime	Lab11	Year 7
Medical Society	Tuesday	Lunchtime	L8	Years 10-13
GCSE Biology support	Monday	Lunchtime	L2	Year 11
Y13 Chemistry Olympiad	January			
Eco Committee	Wednesday	Lunchtime	L14	All years
Year 13 Physics Support Session	TBC			
Year 12 Physics Support Session	TBC			
Hard Physics Club	Thursday	Lunchtime	K1	
Y13 Physics A2 Challenge	September			
Y13 Physics Olympiad	November			
Y13 Biology Olympiad	January			
Y13 Chemistry Olympiad	January			



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Y12 Cambridge Chemistry Challenge	June			
Y12 Biology Olympiad	June			
Y10 Biology Challenge	May			