



**Monday 31st October 2022**

# Student Bulletin

**Creating Bright Futures for All**

Through Life Transforming Learning

# Welcome back

- ▶ We hope you all had a great half-term and are ready for the challenges of term 2 - We begin on Week 2
- ▶ A reminder of our expectations regarding uniform, jewellery and equipment, as outlined by Miss Carpenter last term and in the letter emailed to families
- ▶ Detentions will be set for incorrect uniform and the Student Hub has a good stock of spares for students to change into
- ▶ We also have high expectations around behaviour and general conduct inside school and in the wider community, particularly on public transport.
- ▶ Negative representations of Rye College through students bringing the college into disrepute will not be tolerated





Theme of the week: Dyslexia Awareness



A close-up photograph of wooden letter blocks on a wooden surface. The blocks are arranged to spell out the word 'JOB' in a wooden tray. Other blocks with letters like 'B', 'C', 'N', and 'J' are scattered around.

# Job of the week: Geoscientist

- ▶ Every week the bulletin will have a careers focus with a 'Job of the week'
- ▶ Each short video provides information on a job that includes qualifications, salary, how to get there and what it entails
- ▶ [GEOSCIENTIST](#)



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## Tutor Time this week

- ▶ Monday - Bulletin
- ▶ Tuesday - Theme of the week
- ▶ Wednesday - Wellbeing Wednesday
- ▶ Thursday - Theme of the week and debate
- ▶ Friday - Quiz and acknowledgements

# Festival of the Week:

## Diwali 24<sup>th</sup> October

- ▶ The Hindu festival of lights. **The five-day festival celebrates the victory of light over darkness.**
- ▶ Hindus across the world are celebrating Diwali, it is one of the most popular holidays in India, and Thursday is the main day of festivities, when the faithful pray to the Hindu goddess of wealth.
- ▶ **Diwali is a significant festival in Hinduism, Jainism and Sikhism.** In a multicultural and diverse country like India, everyone has their own way of celebrating this festival, and it can be celebrated in the UK in a variety of ways by all peoples.
- ▶ Diwali is typically celebrated by **dressing in colourful traditional clothing, lighting the inside and outside of homes with rows of lamps or other lights, and fireworks.** There are also worship services, a large traditional feast, and a gift exchange.







# GL assessments Y10 & 9: w/c 31/10

Date	Day	Tutor	1	2	break	3	4	break	5	Notes
31/10/2022	Monday	Line up	Y10 English			Y9 English			Lesson	
01/11/2022	Tuesday	Line up	Y10 Maths			Y9 Maths			Lesson	
02/11/2022	Wednesday	Line up	Y10 Science			Y9 Science			Lesson	
03/11/2022	Thursday		Mop-ups			Mop-ups			Lesson	
04/11/2022	Friday		Mop-ups			Mop-ups			Lesson	

## Year 10 arrangements

Registration at tutor time in class  
 Tutors bring class down to line up outside  
 P1 teachers come to the hall at 0920  
 GWi takes P1&P2 register  
 P2 teachers come to the hall at 1020  
 GL will end early/mid P2  
 Y10 dismissed by class during P2  
 P2 teachers take students to class

## Year 9 arrangements

Tutors remind Y9 to go to hall at P3 start  
 P3 teachers meet class outside hall to line up  
 P3 teachers come to the hall at 1145  
 GWi takes P3&P4 register  
 P4 teachers come to the hall at 1250  
 GL will end early/mid P4  
 Y9 dismissed by class during P4  
 P4 teachers take students to class



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# Year 11 Notices

- ▶ **Mock Interviews** - Congratulations to every year 11 who took part in a mock interview before half term. All the employers were very impressed with your attitude, growing confidence and engagement.
- ▶ **1:1 Careers interviews**
- ▶ Monday 31st October
- ▶ Tuesday 1st October
- ▶ Thursday 3rd October
- ▶ Please check the information on the door of the Learning Directors' office for your appointment times.
- ▶ Please attend on time



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# Year 11 Success at 16 Evening

- ▶ This will take place on **Wednesday 2nd October** from **5:30 - 7:30pm**, in the English block
- ▶ It will run as a careers fair style event
- ▶ Feel free to visit the stalls you want to ask lots of questions
- ▶ **Confirmed so far are:**
  - ▶ ESCG (Hastings, Lewes, Eastbourne)
  - ▶ Bexhill College
  - ▶ ARK Alexandra Sixth Form
  - ▶ Plumpton
  - ▶ Ashford College
  - ▶ Homewood
  - ▶ Action Your Potential
- ▶ **This is a really useful event to help inform your decisions regarding your post-16 options**
- ▶ Youth Employability Service (YES)
- ▶ ASK Apprenticeships
- ▶ University of Brighton
- ▶ MPCT - Military Preparation College
- ▶ My Future Starts Here
- ▶ Rye College Enterprise Adviser
- ▶ The Marsh Academy



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# Year 11 PPE Week commencing 8th November

Day	Registration	Period 1	Period 2	Evening	Period 3	Period 4	Afternoon	Period 5
Monday 7th Nov		English Language Paper 1 (1h30m)				Maths Paper 1 - non-calculator (1h30m)		Normal lessons
		Reading - 20th Century Prose, Writing - Narrative Writing				Any maths topic could appear		
Tuesday 8th Nov		Geography (1h30)				Science Paper 1 - Biology (1h15/1h45)		Normal lessons
		Section B Paper 1 – The Living World, Section A Paper 2 – Urban Issues, Section B Paper 3 - Fieldwork				Cell Biology, Organisation, Infection and Response, Bioenergetics		
Wednesday 9th Nov		Science Paper 2 - Chemistry (1h15/1h45)				Maths Paper 2 - calculator (1h30m)		Normal lessons
		Atomic Structure and the periodic table, Structure and Bonding, Quantitative Chemistry, Chemical Changes, Energy Changes				Any maths topic could appear		
Thursday 10th Nov		Science Paper 3 - Physics (1h15/1h45)				History (1h)		Normal lessons
		Energy, Electricity, Particle Model of matter, Atomic structure (Radioactivity)				Medicine		
Friday 11th Nov		Maths Paper 3 - calculator (1h30)				English Language Paper 2 (2h00) + EARLY FINISH		EARLY FINISH (2.30-3.00)
		Any maths topic could appear				19th and 21st Century Non-Fiction, Writing section: Non-Fiction Writing (letter, article, speech, report, review or leaflet)		



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# Exam-ready Revision Timetable



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- ▶ All welcome
- ▶ Good attendance could result in a discounted ticket to the Prom

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 1	Science Room 25	French Room 102	Maths Rm 17 Arts 36 & 37		History Room 9
Week 2	Science Room 25	English Room 103	Maths Room 17	Engineering Room 32	Geography Room 4



# Pride Group

Room 26 - Mrs Willis  
Tuesday breaktime  
All welcome



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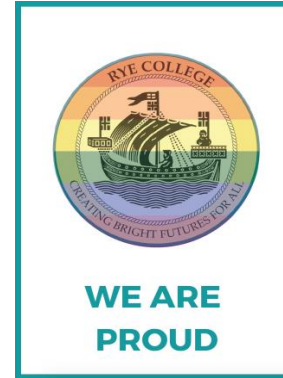


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Daniel Quasar/Facebook

# What is a Pride Group?



A Pride Group is a student-led group in a school or college which provides a safe online place for students to meet, support each other, talk about issues related to sexual orientation and gender identity and expression, and work to end homophobia, biphobia and transphobia (HBT).



# Science club - Starts this Tuesday

- ▶ Room 25
- ▶ 3.20 -4.00
- ▶ All welcome
- ▶ Theme: Space





# Year 7 Disco

- ▶ Thank you and well done to all the Year 7 students who attended the Disco last term.
- ▶ Your behaviour was excellent, as was your enthusiasm and dancing!
- ▶ We really hope you enjoyed this special event.
- ▶ We raised £238 which we are really looking forward to using for some exciting Christmas fun for all students.
- ▶ Thank you to our fantastic Student Leaders who helped organise and entertain at the Disco - **Jack, Mary, Ruby, and Grace** - you were amazing!



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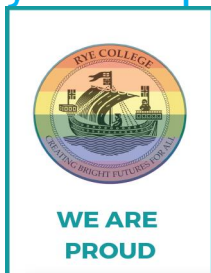
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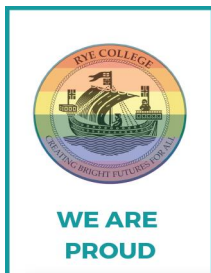
# Open Mornings - Thank Yous

- ▶ Last term we ran 11 Open Mornings, showing prospective families and their Year 6 children around our school.
- ▶ Mrs Biddle could not have run this programme without the help of the following Student Ambassadors: Mary, Jack ,Ruby, Grace, Beth, Rachel, Pearl, Cameron, Macie, Connor, Samuel, Ava, Tiggy, Lili, Kate, Dan, Mimi, Niamh, Bel, Frankie, Ryan and Harry.
- ▶ Each of you demonstrated all of our Rye College values to our prospective families.
- ▶ We received incredible feedback on how you conducted yourselves and represented your school. We are very proud of you all. Thank you so much for your help.



# Year 11 Netball

- ▶ On Thursday 20th October, the year 11 Netball team headed down to St Leonard's Academy to participate in a small Netball tournament.
- ▶ The girls have never played together as a team but rose to the challenge and played extremely well together!
- ▶ Throughout the tournament the girls were resilient and continuously intercepted a number of passes, demonstrated some great attacking play as well as managing to score some goals themselves!
- ▶ The girls had great fun, represented the college well and are looking forward to hopefully participating in more fixtures after the half term



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# Student Ambassadors

- ▶ Student Ambassadors have been selected for the following forms:
- ▶ 7DWI
- ▶ 7MNO
- ▶ 7AO
- ▶ 8EMI
- ▶ 10 JWI
- ▶ Can all year 8, 9 and 10 tutors be reminded that we need Ambassadors' applications ASAP for the remaining forms in year 8,9 and 10 - please send to Mr Williams and Miss Rhodes
- ▶ Applications will then be reviewed with the Student Leaders
- ▶ We would really like to select our full team of Students Ambassadors by the end of the week



# Out of Bounds

During breaktimes the  
toilets in the English  
Block are out of bounds -  
please use the toilets in  
the main building

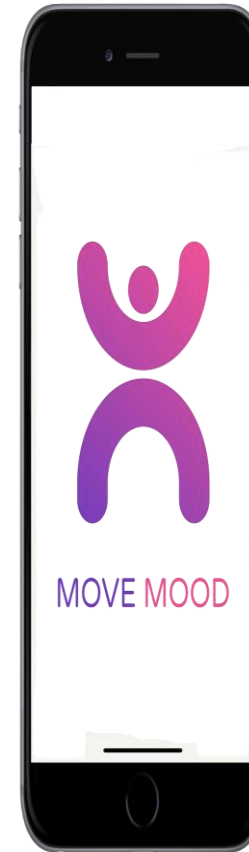


# MOVE MOOD

*Low mood and depression weigh you down. Instead, engage, initiate and activate. Build your power to lift this weight.*

Most people, including children and adults, feel low occasionally. This is a normal reaction to events that are stressful or upsetting. It is even more common for teenagers to be affected by a range of moods, particularly feeling 'blue'. However, sometimes these feelings continue or become extreme and turn into depression.

[www.movemood.co.uk](http://www.movemood.co.uk)





# Worth Warrior

Worth Warrior is a free app created for young people to manage negative body image, low self-worth, and related early-stage eating difficulties or disorders. It provides a range of helpful activities and information, based on the notion that eating and body-related issues can be helped through learning to challenge and change thoughts, emotions, behaviours and body image issues underlying low self-worth.

► [www.worthwarrior.co.uk](http://www.worthwarrior.co.uk)



# HOW TO GET YOUR IMAGE REMOVED



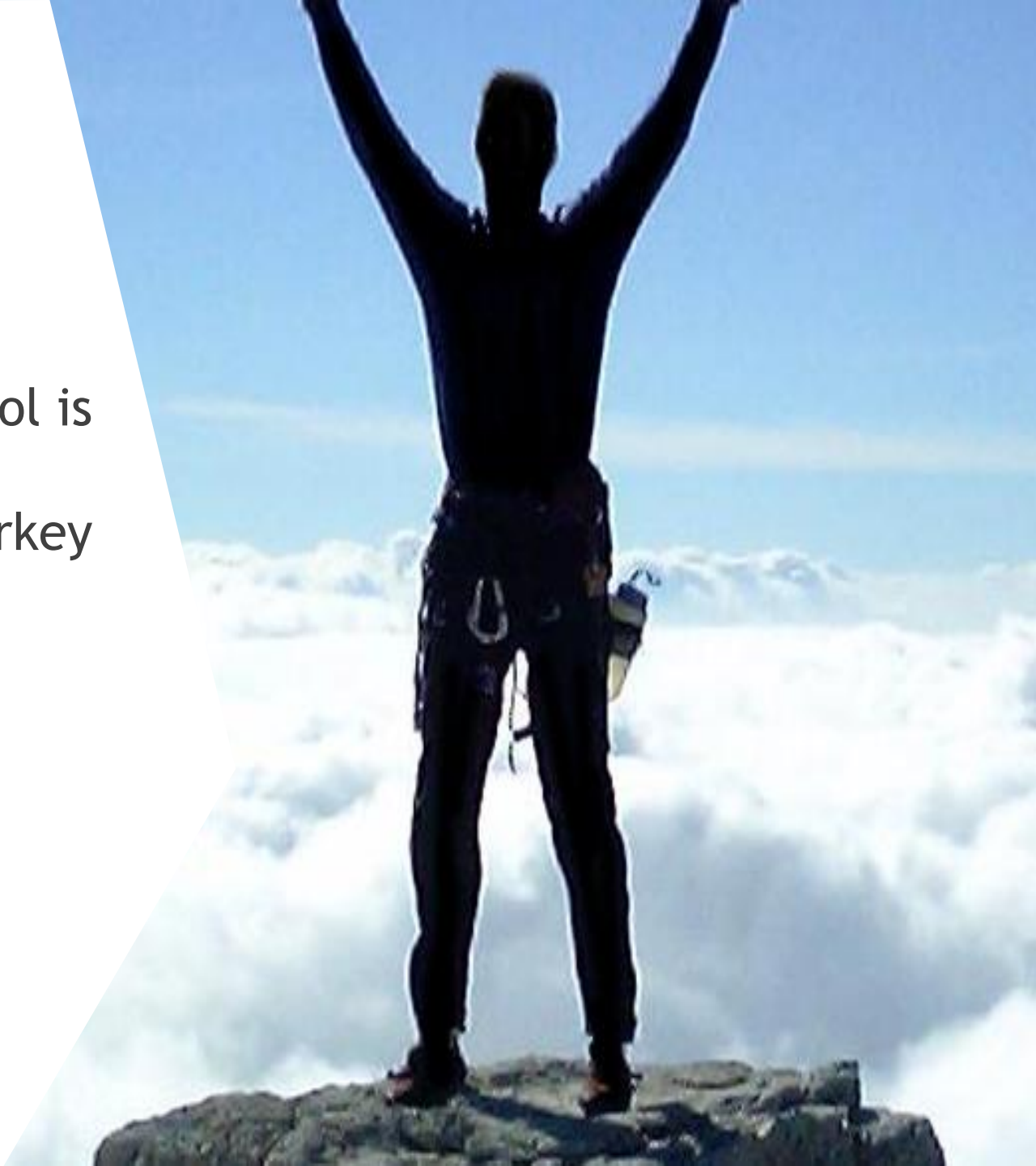
[www.childline.org.uk/info-advice/bullying-abuse-safety/online-mobile-safety/remove-nude-image-shared-online/](http://www.childline.org.uk/info-advice/bullying-abuse-safety/online-mobile-safety/remove-nude-image-shared-online/)

If you're under 18, live in the UK and a nude image or video of you has been shared online, you can report it to be removed from the internet. You'll need to select your age and follow the steps using the link above.

- ▶ create a Childline account so we can send you updates on your report
- ▶ report your image or video to the Internet Watch Foundation (IWF) The Internet Watch Foundation (IWF), are there to help remove illegal nude images of under 18s posted online.
- ▶ check your Childline locker for a few days after your report to see if you need to add any more information and to see updates on your report
- ▶ report any issues with this process by sending an email from your Childline locker with the subject 'Report Remove' and as much information about the problem as you can.

# Sharing achievements

- ▶ If you, or someone you know in school is proud of something they have done outside of school, please let Mrs Starkey know
- ▶ We would love to include this in our bulletin and put on our website and social media pages



# Staying Safe



## STUDENT SAFEGUARDING & SUPPORT

Rye College is committed to **'Create Bright Futures for All'**.

Safeguarding is what we do to promote your safety and protect you from harm.



### Our Safeguarding Team

We encourage all students to use this support network. You can also email any queries to: [yourconcern@ryecollege.co.uk](mailto:yourconcern@ryecollege.co.uk)



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Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL)  
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Location: Rye College

### External Contacts and Support Groups

There is a wide range of external support for you to access confidential help and support:

	The UK's leading children's mental health charity providing in-school support and expert training to help improve the emotional wellbeing of pupils, families, teachers and school staff. Our Place2Be School Project Manager is Inga Springell.	<a href="mailto:ispringell@ryecollege.co.uk">ispringell@ryecollege.co.uk</a> <a href="mailto:place2be@ryecollege.co.uk">place2be@ryecollege.co.uk</a> 020 7923 5500 Text: 85258
	Childline is a free service that offers direct support for young people, information to help you deal with bullying, drugs and alcohol, family relationships, questions around sexual relationships, personal feelings, and school life.	0800 1111 (9am - 3:30pm) 1-1 Counsellor Chat Service (9am - 10:30pm) <a href="http://www.childline.org.uk">www.childline.org.uk</a>
	The National Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children help to prevent child abuse, helps to rebuild children's lives and support families.	0800 1111 for children (Childline's 24-hour helpline) <a href="http://www.nspcc.org.uk">www.nspcc.org.uk</a>
	Shout 85258 is a free, confidential, 24/7 text messaging support service for anyone who is struggling to cope. They help people who are anxious, stressed, depressed, suicidal or overwhelmed and who need immediate support.	Text SHOUT to 85258 Free, confidential support via text, available 24/7
	i-Rock is a local East Sussex charity who can offer you advice and support on emotional and mental wellbeing, jobs, education and housing.	0800 502020 <a href="mailto:info@ironewall.org.uk">info@ironewall.org.uk</a>

## New email address

If you are worried about a friend or your own safety you can now email

[Yourconcern@ryecollege.co.uk](mailto:Yourconcern@ryecollege.co.uk)

If you do not want to talk to a member of staff about it.

This is also for sensible suggestions / concerns you may have about the college environment or behaviour of fellow students.

This will be checked weekly, and your concerns will be responded to.



# Tutor Time



	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Year 7	Bulletin	Theme of the week	Wellbeing	Assembly	Quiz/acknowledgements
Year 8	Bulletin	Theme of the week	Wellbeing	Assembly	Quiz/acknowledgements
Year 9	Bulletin	Theme of the week	Assembly	Wellbeing	Quiz/acknowledgements
Year 10	Bulletin	Assembly	Wellbeing	Theme of the week	Quiz/acknowledgements
Year 11	Bulletin	Intervention	Intervention	Intervention	Assembly

**Attendance to Tutor time is compulsory**

- **As soon as you get to your desk place your equipment on your desk**
- **Tutors will check uniform and equipment**
- **Take register**
- **Engage with set activity**
- **Recap Rye Values**
- **Dismissal**

# MUGA Rota



	Before School	Break 1	Break 2
Monday	Year 7	Year 8	Year 9
Tuesday	Year 7	Year 10	Year 7
Wednesday	Year 7	Year 11	Year 8
Thursday	Year 7	Year 9	Year 10
Friday	Year 7	Year 7	Year 11

## Rules

**Only the year group allocated on that day on the MUGA - NO EXCEPTIONS (so don't ask!)**

No swearing

No eating / drinking

No slide tackles

Bring your own ball.

If rules are broken the Year group will lose their next MUGA slot

# Rye College Values



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*At Rye College, we have a sense of pride in our work, ourselves and our community. We are mindful of the presentation of our work and the standards we present. We take pride in what we produce and pay attention to details.*

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*At Rye College, we demonstrate a positive attitude to our learning, and relationships with others. We engage in our learning with a 'can-do' attitude. We embrace challenging and thought-provoking tasks.*

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*At Rye College, we develop and nurture diverse skills, talents and abilities that support our progress within and beyond the school. We grow ourselves so we can positively participate in our community and society as a whole.*

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*At Rye College, we show kindness and respect to all members of our community. We understand British values and act inclusively in our conduct. We celebrate what characteristics we share and those that make us different.*

**Our Rye College Values**

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*At Rye College, we possess an ambitious attitude towards our learning and academic progress. We strive towards fulfilling our potential, demonstrating an understanding of our own strengths and weaknesses.*

**Our Rye College Values**





# RYE COLLEGE STANDARDS IN OUR SCHOOL



## We work hard

- Arrive on time
- Line up and enter the room silently
- Start work immediately
- Bring our equipment
- Sit where directed
- Phones/headphones out of sight
- No toilet breaks in lessons (unless essential)



## We work with pride

- No slouching
- Engage in learning at all times
- Answer questions with full sentences – no 'I don't know'
- Present our work to a high standard
- Aspire to do our best at all times



## We participate, collaborate, contribute

- Wear uniform with pride
- Behave in line with Rye College expectations
- Be polite, respectful and follow instructions
- Work in groups when directed
- Be silent when directed



## We work consistently

- Write in blue or black pen
- Respond to feedback using purple pen
- Complete our homework to the best of our ability and on time
- Self / peer assess - green pen for what went well, pink pen for even better



## We respect our environment

- Don't litter – use bins
- No graffiti anywhere
- No running in corridor
- No eating or drinking (except water) in lessons and in corridors