



Monday 20th February 2023

Student Bulletin

Creating Bright Futures for All

Through Life Transforming Learning





Theme of the week: Engineers week

A close-up photograph of wooden letter blocks on a wooden surface. Three blocks are arranged in a light-colored wooden tray, spelling out the word 'JOB'. The 'J' block has a subscript '8', the 'O' block has a subscript '1', and the 'B' block has a subscript '3'. Other letter blocks are scattered around the tray, including 'L', 'B', 'C', 'F', and 'N' with various subscripts.

Job of the week: Visual Merchandiser



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



Tutor Time this week

- ▶ Monday - Bulletin
- ▶ Tuesday - Year 9/10 assembly
Year 7/8 Theme of the week
- ▶ Wednesday - N/A
- ▶ Thursday - Year 7/8 assembly
Year 9/10 theme of the week
- ▶ Friday - Quiz and acknowledgements

Student Survey Responses - Your voice matters!

YOU SAID	WE DID
There are problems with the toilets and you do not always feel safe	We moved the CCTV cameras so we can monitor that area better, placed a member of staff there as much as possible, investigated and ordered new lights and sanitary bins for the area
You do not always feel comfortable reporting your concerns	We set up an email address for you to report your concerns anonymously - yourconcern@ryecollege.co.uk
You said corridors could be a bit overwhelming at lesson change over and breaks	We requested that staff stand in the corridors between lessons
You wanted more clubs after school	We are working on this one, but there are currently clubs in PE, Geography, Science and Crochet after school and Dance, PE, Pride and Comic Club at breaktimes
You are worried about bullying	We would like you to volunteer to join a student focus group on how we can combat bullying behaviour. (see Student Hub team)
You wanted Wellbeing Wednesday Tutor time to change	We are working on this one
You wanted more rewards	We are working on this one but have plans in place for a prize giving at the end of the academic year.

Room 36 Photography Room: New Computers have now been installed

- We are INCREDIBLY lucky to have these high specification machines now in room 36.
- You **MUST** look after what we have been given
- Expectations:
- NO equipment to be left on the desk areas.
- NO Drinks on the desk area- use the tables in the middle of the room.
- NO Glue or scissors on the desk area.
- Keep your area clean and tidy- **RESPECT** the equipment and the room.



Coding Competition

- ▶ Amazon's brand-new coding competition for ages 13-18 invites students to explore the potential of Artificial Intelligence (AI) and be in with the chance of winning some amazing prizes.
- ▶ Students can work on this from home and access free resources to help them learn how to code and to learn about artificial intelligence.
- ▶ Mrs Harrison will be available after school Tuesday to help students with their application
- ▶ [Amazon Future Engineer | Alexa Young Innovator Challenge](#)
- ▶ Next year the Maths department will launch this as a club



February is LGBTQ+ History Month



What Is the Aim of LGBTQ+ History Month?

The overall aim of LGBTQ+ History Month is to promote equality and diversity for the benefit of the public.

This is done by:

- increasing the visibility of LGBTQ+ people, their history, lives and their experiences in the curriculum and culture of educational and other institutions, and in the wider community;
- raising awareness and advancing education on matters affecting the LGBTQ+ community;

ENGINEERING

Lynn Conway
(1938-)



Photo by Charles Rogers

American electrical
engineer and computer
scientist

Helped lead “Mead &
Conway Revolution” in
microelectronics and chip
design

Transgender woman

York LGBT
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Schools  OUT UK

The LGBT Education Charity

Charitable Incorporated Organisation No. 1150352

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EXITting the Past
Lynn Conway
History Month

 History Month

The classroom

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MATHS

John Maynard Keynes
(1883-1946)

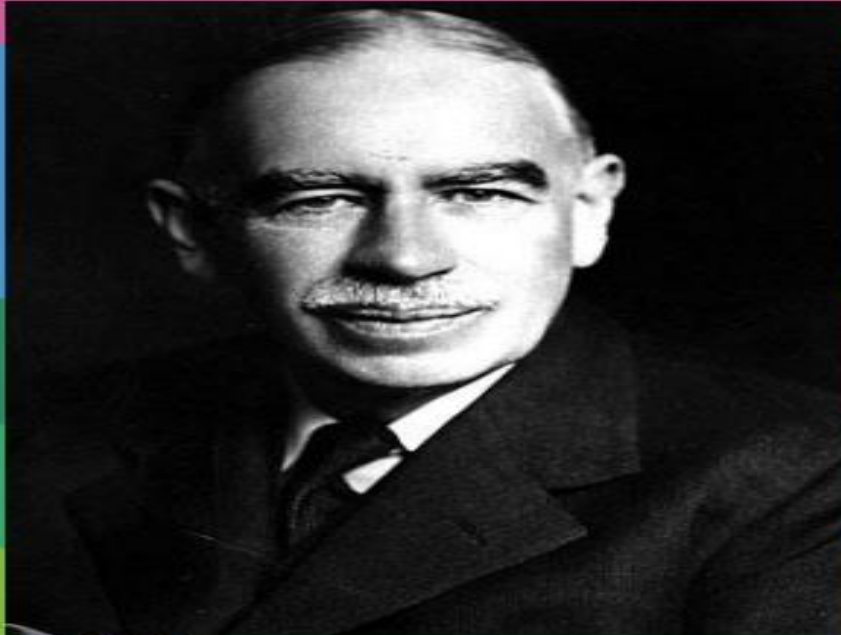


Photo: Akiba101

British economist

Regarded as founder of
modern
macroeconomics

Ideas formed
foundation of Western
twentieth-century
economic policy

Bisexual man

**York LGBT
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Schools OUT UK
The LGBT Education Charity

Charitable Incorporated Organisation No. 1190592

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Outing the Past
with a twist
on the rainbow

York LGBT History Month

The classroom

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Find out what's on
the Canteen Menu
this week

A copy of the weekly menu can also be found [here](#) on our website.

THIS WEEK'S Eats.

	CHOICE <i>One</i>	CHOICE <i>Two</i>
MON	Pork Sausages Served with Mashed Potato, Sweetcorn, Peas and Gravy	Devil 's Kitchen Vegetarian Sausage 🌱❤️ Served with Mashed Potato, Sweetcorn, Peas and Gravy
TUE	Chicken Katsu 🍗 Served with Wholegrain Rice and Peas	Vegetable Chow Mein 🌱❤️
WED	Roast Pork with Stuffing and Apple Sauce Served with Roast Potatoes or Yorkshire Pudding, Carrots and Gravy	Vegetable Pastry Roll 🌱 Served with Roast Potatoes or Yorkshire Pudding, Carrots and Gravy
THUR	Pulled Mexican Chicken and Crushed Taco 🍗❤️ Served with Wholegrain Rice and Mixed Side Salad	Vegetarian Bolognese 🌱❤️ Served with Mixed Side Salad
FRI	Battered Fish Served with Chips, Peas and Baked Beans	Vegetarian Hot Dog 🌱 Served with Chips, Peas and Baked Beans

Week Two

W/C: 07/11, 28/11, 02/01, 23/01,
20/02, 13/03

FOOD UNION

AVAILABLE
Daily

FOOD ON THE MOVE

HOT

Love Joes Burritos and Wraps
Freshly Baked Pizza
Pasta and Sauces
Topped Jacket Potatoes

COLD

A healthy selection of Fresh Salads,
Fresh Sandwiches, Baguettes and Wraps



Year 10 Work Experience



- ▶ If you have not found your own placement or made 4 choices on Aspire, Mrs Boyle will do this with you
- ▶ Mrs Boyle will either inform your Tutor of a time for you to meet her, or she will collect you from your lesson
- ▶ Our aim is to have everyone on the system by February half term!



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PE Clubs

- ▶ All after school clubs run from 3:20 to 4:20
- ▶ Monday: All Years Netball
- ▶ Tuesday: All Years Girls Skiltek Football - £4 per session
- ▶ Wednesday: Boys Year 7 & 8 Skiltek Football - £4 per session
- ▶ Thursday: Boys Year 9 & 10 Skiltek Football - £4 per session



Rye College Fitness Suite:



- ▶ Morning 8:15 till 8:45am:
- ▶ Monday: Year 7
- ▶ Tuesday: Year 9
- ▶ Wednesday: Year 8
- ▶ Thursday: Year 10 & 11

- ▶ Afterschool 3:30 till 4:20pm:
- ▶ Monday: Year 10 & 11
- ▶ Tuesday: Year 8
- ▶ Wednesday: Year 9
- ▶ Thursday: Year 7

New! - Dance Club

- ▶ Year 7+8
- ▶ Wednesday lunchtime 1:50 - 2:15
- ▶ School uniform ok to wear (no shoes)
- ▶ Shorts to be worn under skirts
- ▶ Bring food if needed
- ▶ All welcome!



New Cricket Opportunities for everyone



RYE CRICKET CLUB
GIRLS SECTION 2023

Venue:
Rye Sports Centre
Cost: £40.
New participants £30
(first two weeks free).

This year Rye CC is forming a girls section!
We start Tuesday 7th March for 8 weeks.

7:00-8:00pm Girls only sessions (Supported by
Sussex County Womens Cricket Club coaches).

Contact: Martin Blincow for info / to sign up.
Mobile: 07535 482006 / email: blincsfamily@aol.com



RYE CRICKET CLUB
YEAR 7-11 HARDBALL

Venue:
Rye Sports Centre
Cost: £40.
New participants £30
(first two weeks free).

This year Rye CC is running Years 7-11 hardball
cricket training sessions.

We start Thursday 2nd March for 8 weeks.

7:00-8:00pm Mixed ability hard ball session.

Contact: Martin Blincow for info / to sign up.
Mobile: 07535 482006 / email: blincsfamily@aol.com



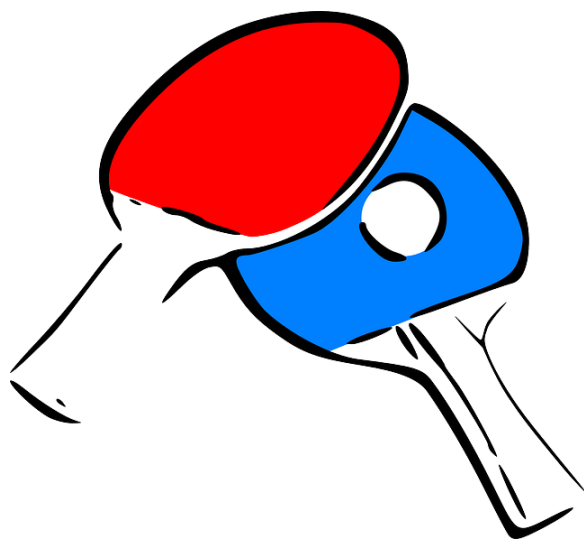
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Table-Tennis Club



Rye College Table Tennis Club

Tuesdays

3.20pm to 4.30pm

School Gym

Beginners Welcome. Equipment Provided

Great Fun and Very Social

Fun and Games, improve your skills or learn new ones.

Challenge the Robot

Bring a Friend or Make New Ones

First 2 Sessions Free for Students

Sport not your thing? This might be just for you!

See PE Staff for Information or **Just Turn Up**

*Qualified Table Tennis England Coach in Attendance.



Tel 07803138881

www.tabletennisrother.co.uk

A Table Tennis England Premier Club & Sport England Club Mark Accredited

Crochet Club

- ▶ All years Welcome
- ▶ Room 4
- ▶ Wednesdays 3.20 - 4:00



Geography Club

- ▶ Years 7 - 9
- ▶ Room 4
- ▶ Thursdays 3.20 - 4:00





Introducing - Comic Club!



★ A new club for Comic lovers ★

Browse and read our growing selection
of graphics based novels & comics

★ Wednesdays - Library - 1st Break ★

New! - Comic Club:
All Comic enthusiasts
are welcome to join.

Science Club

- ▶ Continues after school on a Tuesday
- ▶ 3:20 to 4:00 in room 25
- ▶ The theme will be Marine Biology



Pride Group

Room 26 - Mrs Willis
Tuesday breaktime
All welcome



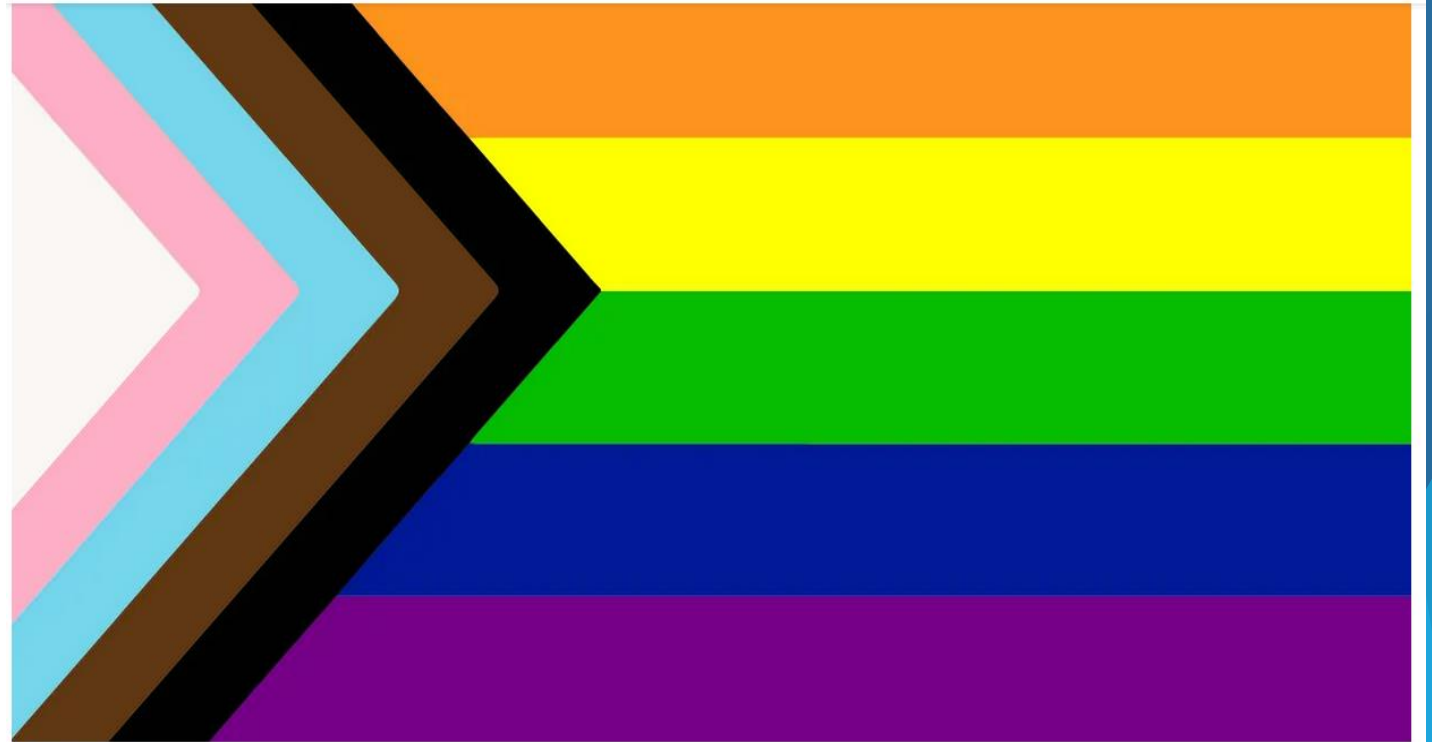
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Daniel Quasar/Facebook

What is a Pride Group?

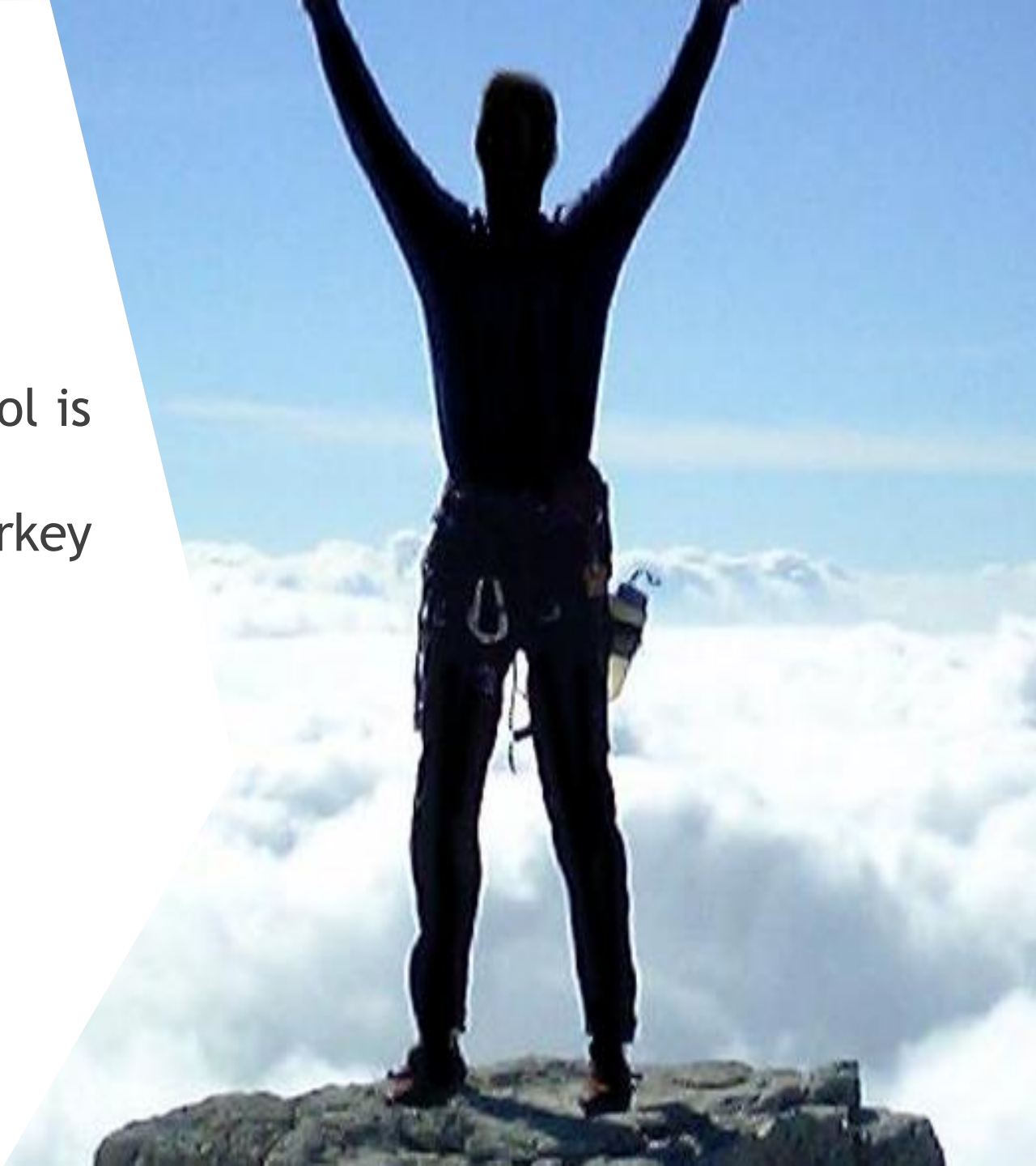


A Pride Group is a student-led group in a school or college which provides a safe online place for students to meet, support each other, talk about issues related to sexual orientation and gender identity and expression, and work to end homophobia, biphobia and transphobia (HBT).



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



Miss Carpenter
Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL)
E.carpenter@ryecollege.co.uk
Location: Rye College



Mrs Gull
Assistant DSL
E.gull@ryecollege.co.uk
Location: Student Hub



Mr Downes
Assistant DSL
E.downes@ryecollege.co.uk
Location: Rye College



Mrs Mills
Assistant DSL
E.mills@ryecollege.co.uk
Location: School Office



Mrs Holmes
Assistant DSL
E.holmes@ryecollege.co.uk
Location: Student Hub



Mr Francis
Assistant DSL
E.francis@ryecollege.co.uk
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.	ispringell@ryecollege.co.uk place2be@ryecollege.co.uk 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) 1-2-1 Counsellor Chat Service (9am-10:30pm) www.childline.org.uk
	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) www.nspcc.org.uk
	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 info@zonewall.org.uk

New email address

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

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 Line-up and 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

Year 11 PPE Timetable



Year 11 PPE (Mock Examination) Timetable February 2023

Date	Registration	Period 1	Period 2	Break 1	Period 3	Period 4	Break 2	Period 5
Monday, 27th February		English Language Paper 1 (1h30m)			Maths Paper 1 - non-calculator (1h30m)			Normal lessons
		Reading - 20th Century Prose. Writing - Narrative Writing.						
Tuesday, 28th February		Geography (1h30)			Science Paper 1 - Biology (1h15/1h45)			Normal lessons
Wednesday, 1st March		Science Paper 2 - Chemistry (1h15/1h45)			Maths Paper 2 - calculator (1h30m)			Normal lessons
Thursday, 2nd March - proposed strike day								
Friday, 3rd March		Maths Paper 3 - calculator (1h30)			English Language Paper 2 (2h00) + EARLY FINISH			EARLY FINISH (2.30-300)
				19th and 21st Century Non-Fiction. Writing section: Non-Fiction Writing (letter, article, speech, report, review or leaflet)				
Monday, 6th March		Science Paper 3 - Physics (1h15/1h45)			History			Normal lessons

Rye College Values



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PROUD



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.

Our Rye College Values

POSITIVE



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.

Our Rye College Values

EMPLOYABLE



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.

Our Rye College Values

KIND



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

COMMITTED



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.

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