



Monday 27th February 2023

Student Bulletin



Creating Bright Futures for All

Through Life Transforming Learning



Theme of the week: Women's History Month



Job of the week: Water Quality Scientist

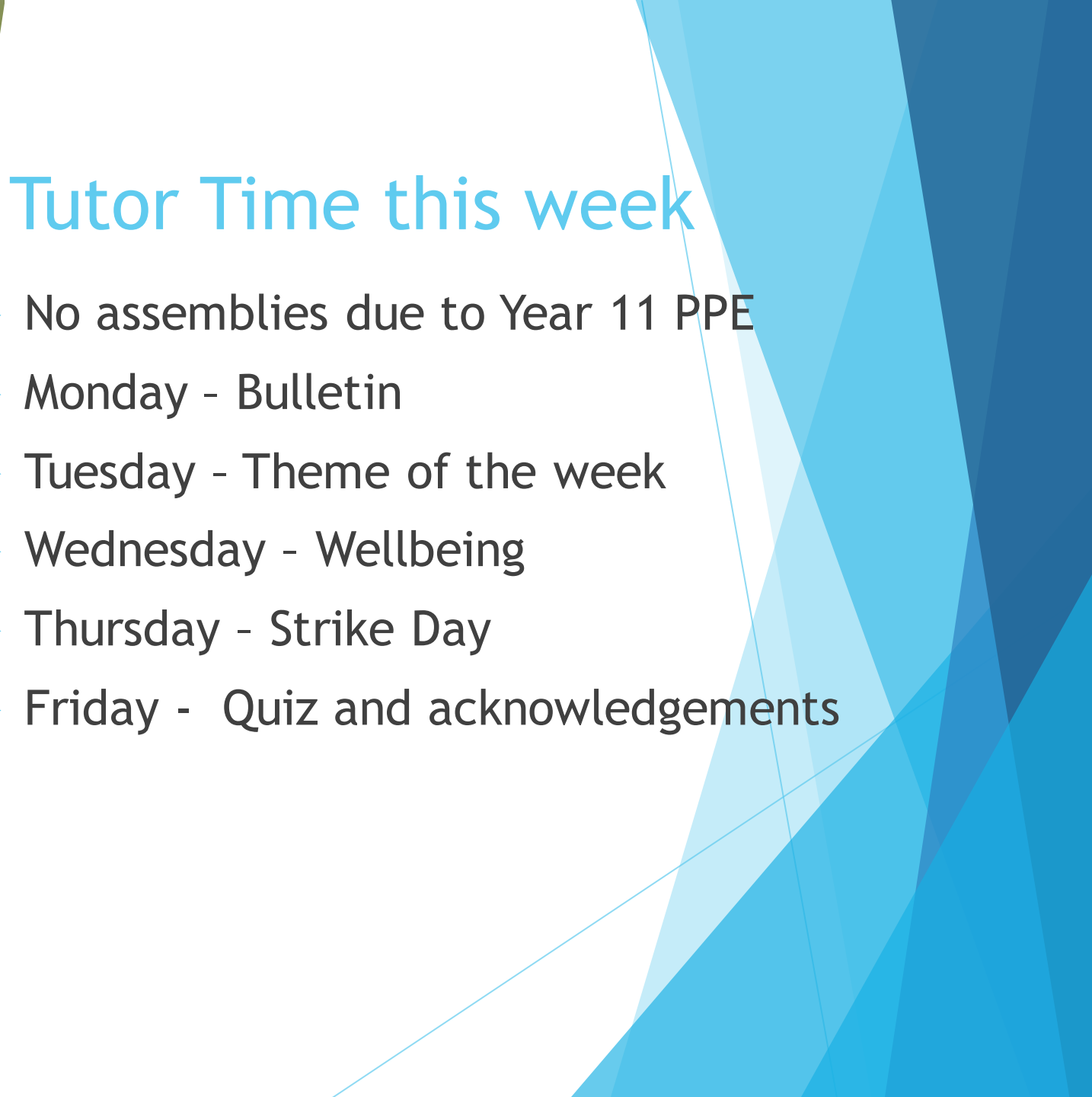
- ▶ Every week the bulletin will have a careers focus with a 'Job of the week'
- ▶ Each short video provides Labour Market Information (LMI) on a job that includes qualifications, salary, how to get there and what it entails
- ▶ [WATER QUALITY SCIENTIST](#)



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Tutor Time this week

- ▶ No assemblies due to Year 11 PPE
 - ▶ Monday - Bulletin
 - ▶ Tuesday - Theme of the week
 - ▶ Wednesday - Wellbeing
 - ▶ Thursday - Strike Day
 - ▶ Friday - Quiz and acknowledgements
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Year 7 and 11 Netball

- ▶ Both teams were in action in the last week of term, travelling to play against St Leonards Academy.
- ▶ The year 7 team demonstrated great teamwork within their game by encouraging and supporting each other to help them keep possession of the ball, allowing them to score a few goals. The team also communicated well and made good decisions when needed.
- ▶ The year 11 team had an extremely tough challenge but did well to not let the opposition affect their ability to perform and their commitment to play. The girls worked together to change positions and adapt their team using their individual strengths to create an overall stronger team. This allowed the girls to not only intercept passes and put the opposition under pressure, but also to score as well.
- ▶ Both teams should be extremely proud of their commitment throughout the game and for demonstrating their Rye Values. Well Done!





Football achievement

- ▶ 4 of our students have reached the final of the Rother League Cup
- ▶ The boys all play for Rye Bay
- ▶ The final will be played on 19th March
- ▶ Well done to:
- ▶ Miles S
- ▶ Jamie H
- ▶ Oscar S
- ▶ Lucas D
- ▶ Good luck for the final

Road safety

- ▶ We have been informed by a member of the public that students are standing chatting and/or walking in the middle of the road in the Freedom leisure car park
- ▶ This is unsafe as at the start and end of the school day this carpark is very busy with parents dropping/collecting their children
- ▶ Please ensure you use the route around the carpark to walk to and from school



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



PE Fixtures

- ▶ 27th February Year 7 & 8 Netball (Home)
 - ▶ 22nd March Year 8 Boys Football (Away)
 - ▶ 8th March Year 9 Netball (Away)
 - ▶ Year 7 - 10 Girls Basketball
 - ▶ Students interested in playing in any of the above fixtures need to see Miss Mitchell
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PE Clubs

- ▶ All after school clubs run from 3:20 to 4:20
- ▶ Monday: All Years Netball - **No Netball today due to a home fixture.**
- ▶ **Year 9 Netball training Tuesday 3:20 - 4:20 (this week only).**
- ▶ Tuesday: Boys Year 7 - 10 Skiltek Football - £4 per session
- ▶ Thursday: Year 7 - 10 Girls Skiltek Football - £4 per session



Canteen Menu This Week

Find out what's on the Canteen Menu this week

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

	CHOICE <i>One</i>	CHOICE <i>Two</i>
MON	Siracha Glazed Chicken Burger Served with Chipotle Potato Wedges, Sweetcorn and Coleslaw	Devil's Kitchen Vegetarian Burger 🍃 Served with Chipotle Potato Wedges, Sweetcorn and Coleslaw
TUE	West African Chicken Rice 🍷 Served with Mixed Side Salad	Cauliflower Mac 'n' Cheese 🍃 Served with Garlic and Herb Bread
WED	Roast Glazed Ham Served with Roast Potatoes or Yorkshire Pudding, Carrots and Gravy	Sweet Potato Chickpea Roast 🍃 🍷 Served with Roast Potatoes or Yorkshire Pudding, Carrots and Gravy
THUR	Sloppy Joe Burger Served with Baked Garlic and Herb Wedges	Yellow Vegetable Curry 🍃 🍷 🌱 Served with Wholegrain Rice and Sweetcorn
FRI	Battered Fish Served with Chips, Baked Beans and Peas	Vegan Sausage Roll 🍃 Served with Chips, Baked Beans and Peas

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AVAILABLE <i>Daily</i>
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

🍏 Fruity! 🍷 Nutritionist's Choice 🍃 Vegetarian 🐟 Oily fish 🌾 Wholegrain 🍷 Halal Available



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



Freddie Mercury



Freddie Mercury was a British singer and songwriter who fronted the rock band Queen from 1970 until his death in 1991. He had a flamboyant personality on stage and has been described as 'sexually fluid', having had relationships with both men and women, although he never spoke publicly about his sexuality. In November 1991, Mercury announced that he had been diagnosed with AIDS several years earlier, and died a day later at the age of 45.

"You can be anything you want to be, just turn yourself into anything you think that you could ever be."⁷

⁷ www.lyrics.com/lyric/3007391/Queen/Innuendo

Sam Smith



Samuel Smith is an English singer and songwriter who rose to prominence in 2012 after featuring on a track by Disclosure, shortly followed by Naughty Boy's number one single 'La La La' in 2013. Smith has achieved seven UK number ones and has spent 83 weeks in the top 10 UK Official Charts. In 2017, Smith came out as genderqueer. They announced that they are non-binary in 2019.

"My plan is just to love harder than I've ever loved before, hide nothing, and embrace that I'm an imperfect human being. Oh, and sadness – sadness is everything." ¹⁸

¹⁸ www.vanityfair.com/culture/2015/09/sam-smith-spectre-interview

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



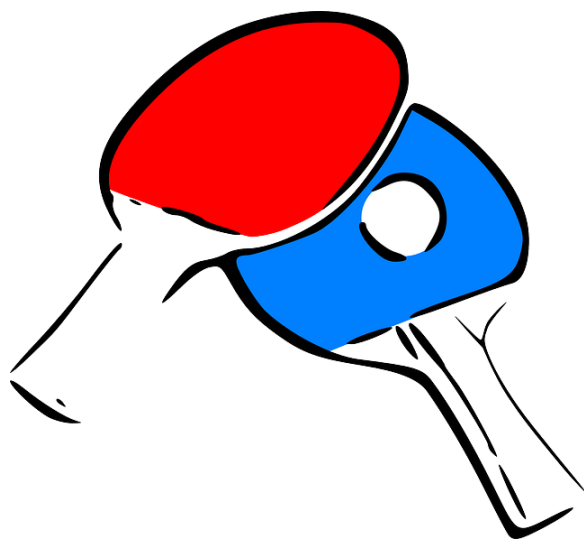
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Table-Tennis Club



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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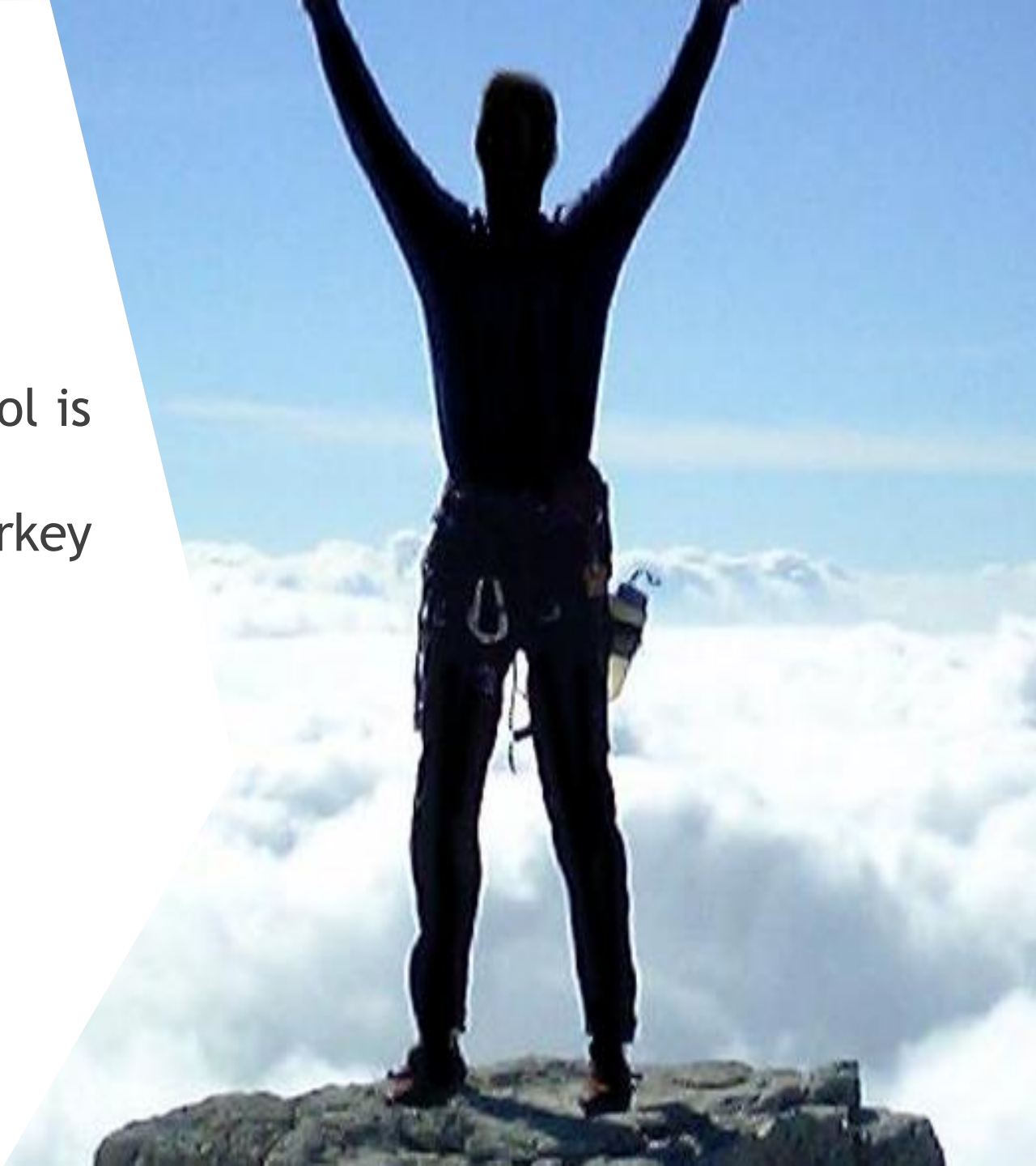
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Daniel Quasar/Facebook

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)
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Mrs Gull
Assistant DSL
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Location: Student Hub



Mr Downes
Assistant DSL
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Location: Rye College



Mrs Mills
Assistant DSL
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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 (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

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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.

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.

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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.

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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.

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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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