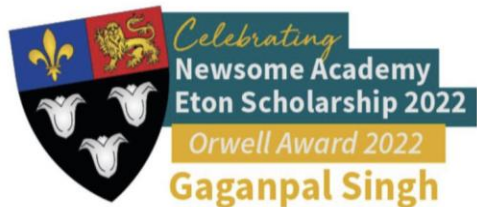




# Newsome Academy

Everyone Exceptional Everyday

## INFORMATION FOR YEAR 6 FAMILIES DUE TO JOIN OUR AWESOME SCHOOL





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Head of Year 7



**Ms Carter**  
Pastoral Lead,  
Deputy DSL



**Mr Mitchell**  
Assistant  
Headteacher



**Ms Hall**  
Senior Assistant  
Headteacher  
DSL

**Here  
to  
Help**

A school crest logo featuring a shield divided into four quadrants: top-left (blue with a white key), top-right (blue with a white heart), bottom-left (yellow with a blue gear), and bottom-right (yellow with a blue globe).

**Mr Blogg**  
SENDCo



# Newsome Academy



## Our Trust: Our Family



Our family of academies work collaboratively to create a trust Where Hearts & Minds Connect with value-driven partners to ensure education impacts positively on students, staff and communities we serve.

**Newsome is one of 10 Academies that for Impact Education Multi-Academy Trust. There are Secondaries, primaries, through schools and Alternative Provisions.** The Trust is on a mission to improve the life chances of children and young people and improve social mobility for the disadvantaged. Our vision is to be a Trust where **hearts and minds connect;** values-driven partners working collaboratively to ensure education impacts positively on students, families, communities and staff. Impact Academies are aligned to the Trust Mission, Vision and Aims. Our Academies have individual identities which reflect the diverse communities they serve. They have the autonomy to create, explore and learn from different practices and our Headteachers believe that leadership and personal accountability are founded on self-direction and reflection. We believe that collaborative leadership and strong partnership development can lead to significant positive impact on the quality of education through sharing the best collective practice. Our values of Heart, Mind and Connect underpin everything we do and our Core Principles and Aims articulate how we will live these out.



**Newsome  
Academy**

**A child's school is their second family...**

**WELCOME**

**Home**





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## INCLUSION AT THE HEART & MIND



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Academy**



Mainstream secondary school providing for significantly above national in PP, SEND & disadvantaged.



**Southgate**  
A Nurture School



Satellite Campus for Southgate Special School for 20 students. Tailored provision to access mainstream elements.



**RISE**  
MAINSTREAM



Mainstream Secondary provision for high need. Taught by Primary specialists and a hybrid learning approach.



**PHYSICAL**  
ARP



Mainstream Secondary provision for Physically Impaired need. Access to mainstream provision with additional access to equipped provision.



**HEARING**  
ARP



Mainstream Secondary provision for Hearing Impaired need. Access to mainstream provision with additional access to equipped provision.

# A SCHOOL FOR ALL...

# WE HAVE A RANGE OF PROVISIONS WHICH CATER FOR GROWING NEED.

- **To be a pupil at this school is to be part of a caring, closeknit family.** Staff and pupils form strong relationships that underpin the school's work. Pupils are safe. They are nurtured to achieve their full potential. In the words of one pupil, echoing the sentiments of many, 'We belong here.'
- **Pupils respond admirably to the high expectations that staff have of them. They are happy, enjoy learning and achieve well.** Teachers support pupils very well. Pupils learn a curriculum which is constructed and designed to give them the best start in life.
- **Pupils' conduct at the school is exemplary and an excellent model of inclusion.** Pupils are unfailingly polite and exhibit the school's values of respect, integrity, teamwork and aspiration. Pupils are attentive in lessons and enjoy learning.
- **The school prioritises reading. Pupils are provided with many opportunities to read.** They are encouraged to read aloud in class, practise new vocabulary and develop their oracy skills. Pupils receive weekly literacy seminar sessions in which they read and discuss a text together.
- **Transformative changes to the school have been made by skilled and determined leaders.** They have a sharp understanding of the school's many strengths and remaining areas for development. Governors and trustees provide support and hold school leaders to account effectively.

**IN FEBRUARY 2024, WE  
WERE PRAISED FOR MANY  
THINGS. YOU WILL BE  
JOINING A FANTASTIC  
FAMILY!**

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features**



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Academy**

## WHAT YOU WILL SEE...

- ✓ **PEOPLE FIRST – EVERYONE WILL GREET YOU WITH A SMILE AND GREETING BECAUSE THEY LOVE WORKING HERE AND CARE DEEPLY ABOUT OUR COMMUNITY.**
- ✓ **ROUTINES – STRUCTURES ARE FOLLOWED IN A CALM AND PURPOSEFUL ENVIRONMENT.**
- ✓ **PRESENCE – STAFF ARE EVERYWHERE. SLT AND PASTORAL PLAN THEIR DAY WITH INTELLIGENCE ON THEIR YEAR GROUPS AND COHORTS.**
- ✓ **ENVIRONMENT – WE PRIDE OURSELVES ON STUDENTS LEARNING IN A HIGH-QUALITY ENVIRONMENT TO BE PROUD OF. BECAUSE OF THIS STUDENTS RESPECT OUR SOCIAL SPACES.**
- ✓ **CULTURE – DIFFERENCE IS NORMAL, ACCEPTED AND CELEBRATED. NOBODY LOOKS DIFFERENT BECAUSE WE ARE ALL EQUAL AND YOU WILL FEEL THIS AS YOU WALK THE ACADEMY.**

## WHAT YOU WON'T SEE...

- ✓ **PERFECTION – WE ARE ALWAYS IMPROVING BASED ON OUR EVER-GROWING COMMUNITY NEEDS AND DEMANDS. WE ARE AND WILL ALWAYS BE ON A JOURNEY AND DON'T SHY AWAY FROM THE CHALLENGES WHEN WE SUPPORT OUR FAMILIES AND CHILDREN.**



# LESSON STRUCTURES

THESE ARE THE SKILLS THAT ARE INCLUDED IN LESSONS & HIGHLIGHTED WHEN IT IS A FOCUS



## ACTIVATE

WARM-UP ACTIVITY  
LINK LEARNING  
LEARNING INTENTIONS

THE START OF THE LESSON WHERE YOU START LEARNING AS SOON AS YOU WALK THROUGH THE DOOR. ACTIVITIES WILL WARM-UP YOUR BRAIN & WILL LINK CURRENT/PRIOR LEARNING. YOUR TEACHER WILL EXPLAIN THE LEARNING INTENTIONS SO YOU KNOW WHAT IS EXPECTED OF YOU & YOU UNDERSTAND WHERE YOU ARE IN THE CURRICULUM SEQUENCE. KNOWLEDGE ORGANISERS WILL BE ON DESKS AS SOON AS STUDENTS ARE SEATED & ACTIVELY USED FOR KEY VOCAB, PAST, PRESENT & FUTURE LEARNING.



## MOTIVATE

DISCUSS  
ATTEMPT  
ENGAGE

AFTER DISCUSSIONING & ATTEMPTING COLLECTIVELY WITH THE TEACHER, YOU WILL ATTEMPT ACTIVITIES ON YOUR OWN OR WITH OTHERS DEPENDING ON THE LESSON. YOU WILL BE ENCOURAGED TO HAVE A 'CAN DO' ETHOS AND CHALLENGE YOURSELF TO LEARN ENGAGE.



## DEMONSTRATE

CHALLENGE  
EXTEND  
ACCOMPLISH

AFTER LISTENING AND DIGESTING THE INFORMATION NEEDED, YOU WILL CHALLENGE YOURSELF TO DEMONSTRATE YOUR UNDERSTANDING AND EXTEND THIS FURTHER TO SHOW YOUR TEACHER THAT YOU HAVE ACCOMPLISHED YOUR LEARNING.



## NUMERACY

The importance of functional numerical literacy.



## LITERACY

The importance of extended writing.

## PROFESSIONAL

Equipped to understand & take on the world.



## COLLABORATE

Working with others & understanding different personalities.



## METACOGNITION

Awareness & control of thought processes.



## MEMORY

Recalling previous learning.



# OUR GOLDEN THREADS

# CURRICULUM



## KEY STAGE 3

(Year 7, 8, 9)

- English
- Maths
- Science
- Humanities
- Creative Subjects

## KEY STAGE 4

(Year 10 & 11)

- Students choose their options
- Mentoring Programmes
- College applications



TEAMSHIP  
LITERACY  
CELEBRATION  
RELATIONSHIPS  
CAREERS  
PHILOSOPHY,  
MORALS & ETHICS



## Newsome Academy

# DAILY ROUTINES

8:00-8:30	Dining Hall open to students - Free Business Breakfast
8:30-8:35	Students gather on the courts
8:35-8:45	Students move to line ups (Register for those in Seminars) and transition
8:45-9:10	Enrichment/Seminar
9:10 – 10:10	Period 1
10:10 – 11:10	Period 2 KS4 (Break for KS3 10:10 – 10:30)
10:30 – 11:30	Period 2 KS3 (Break for KS4 11:10-11:30)
11:30 – 12:30	Period 3
12:30 – 1:00	Year 7, 8 & 9 KS3 Lunch
12:30 – 1:30	Year 10 & 11 Period 4
1:00 – 2:00	Year 7, 8 & 9 Period 4
1:30 – 2:00	Year 10 & 11 KS4 Lunch
2:00 – 3:00	Period 5
3:00	Academy day ends
3:00 – 4:00	Enrichment time/Y11 Period 6

## ACADEMY DAY

- ✓ DOORS OPEN AT 8AM WHERE STUDENTS AND STAFF CAN GRAB A FREE BAGEL.
- ✓ TEACHERS ARRIVE FOR 8.20AM & OTHER CONTRACTED STAFF ACCORDING TO THEIR CONTRACT.
- ✓ EVERY MONDAY, THERE IS A STAFF BRIEFING IN THE LRC AT 8.20.
- ✓ STAFF GATHER FOR LINE-UPS IN THE COURTS FOR 8.30 AND TAKE THEM TO THEIR TIMETABLED ENRICHMENT SEMINAR/SESSION. ENRICHMENTS LASTS FROM 8.40AM UNTIL 9.10.
- ✓ TUESDAYS ARE DEDICATED CPD DAYS AND WE OPERATE FROM THE CPD CALENDAR.

# UNIFORM



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[CLICK HERE](#) TO SEE OUR BEHAVIOUR POLICY WHICH  
INCLUDES ALL INFORMATION ABOUT UNIFORM

# UNIFORM

Shoes - In the interests of safety, all students are expected to wear sensible footwear on the Academy premises. Footwear must be a shoe (no more than a 1-inch heel) or plain black trainer/pump (with limited modifications). Both items must be lace up or slip on with enclosed heels and toes. There must be no visible logos or labels that are not black. The Academy will determine whether or not a student's footwear is appropriate. Appropriate footwear examples:



\* The Academy reserves the right to decide on appropriate footwear.

Trousers and Skirts - Trousers must be black, sensible, modest and respectable in a loose or slim-fit style. They must be worn at the waist and have no rips or tears. Skinny tight-fitting trousers, jeans, leggings or jeggings are NOT acceptable. Skirts must be sensible, modest and respectable. They should be knee-length and made of non-stretchy material. Appropriate trouser and skirt examples:



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# EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

# SUMMER TERM CLUBS

YOU ARE LUCKY ENOUGH TO HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE WIDE VARIETY OF THINGS ON OFFER AT NEWSOME. BELOW IS AN EXAMPLE.....

## Extra-Curricular Activities: Summer Term 1 24/25 (3-4pm)

DAY	CLUB	LOCATION	STAFF	P6 Wk A	P6 Wk B
MONDAY	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Athletics - Y7 – 10</li> <li>Homework Club</li> <li>Cooking Club</li> <li>DOFE</li> <li>Algebra L3 Drop In – yr10 invite only</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Field- Astro</li> <li>608</li> <li>602</li> <li>402</li> <li>407</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>HRA/SMT</li> <li>DTU</li> <li>GCO</li> <li>GEA/JDA</li> <li>MAS</li> </ol>	MFL BUSINESS	HISTORY GEOGRAPHY
TUESDAY	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Wheelchair Sports – Invite only</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sports hall</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>SCU</li> </ol>	ENGLISH	ENGLISH
WEDNESDAY	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Homework Club</li> <li>Girls Football</li> <li>Cricket Nets</li> <li>BSL Club</li> <li>Computing Club</li> <li>Ukulele Club</li> <li>Carnegie Reading Club</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>608</li> <li>Astro</li> <li>Sports hall</li> <li>803</li> <li>608</li> <li>402</li> <li>Library</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>DTU</li> <li>External/LST</li> <li>JDA</li> <li>DCR</li> <li>OMO</li> <li>EC</li> <li>DHA</li> </ol>	MATHS	MATHS
THURSDAY	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>GCSE Art – KS4 only</li> <li>Homework Club</li> <li>Music Club</li> <li>Rounders</li> <li>Sparx Club</li> <li>Photography Support Yr 10 ONLY</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>609</li> <li>60</li> <li>402</li> <li>Field – Astro</li> <li>406</li> <li>601</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>LSN</li> <li>NMA</li> <li>AMC</li> <li>SMT/HRA/GEA</li> <li>EBU</li> <li>AME</li> </ol>	SCIENCE	SCIENCE
FRIDAY				OPTION C	OPTION B



ACTIVITIES

# TRANSITION KEY DATES FOR Y6-Y7



# SAVE THE DATE!



## Y6 TRANSITION DAY

OUR DAY FOR  
STUDENTS TO  
EXPERIENCE THEIR  
NEW SCHOOL IS:  
**TUESDAY 7th JULY.**

Staff will be available on the 1st July from 5pm - 6pm should you require any further information regarding your child's start at Newsome Academy. Please note this is not a full open evening, simply a chance to ask any questions, collect uniform vouchers or hand in student details paperwork.

# SAVE THE DATE!



## SEPTEMBER START

Y7 STUDENTS START ON  
**WEDNESDAY**  
**2nd SEPTEMBER.** THEY  
WILL HAVE THE SCHOOL  
TO THEMSELVES!



**FOLLOW US TO TAKE  
ADVANTAGE OF OUR  
CONSTANT COMMUNICATION**

**@NewsomeAcademy**

**WE COMMUNICATE  
CONSTANTLY!**

# KEY SUPPORT CONTACTS



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Transition Email	Transition Lead	Uniform
<a href="mailto:transition@newsomeacademy.co.uk">transition@newsomeacademy.co.uk</a>	Mr Mitchell (Assistant Headteacher)	Free! You only buy the shirt/trousers/skirt/footwear



# PREPARATION

**UNIFORM VOUCHER  
STUDENT DETAILS SHEET**

**QUESTIONS...**

