

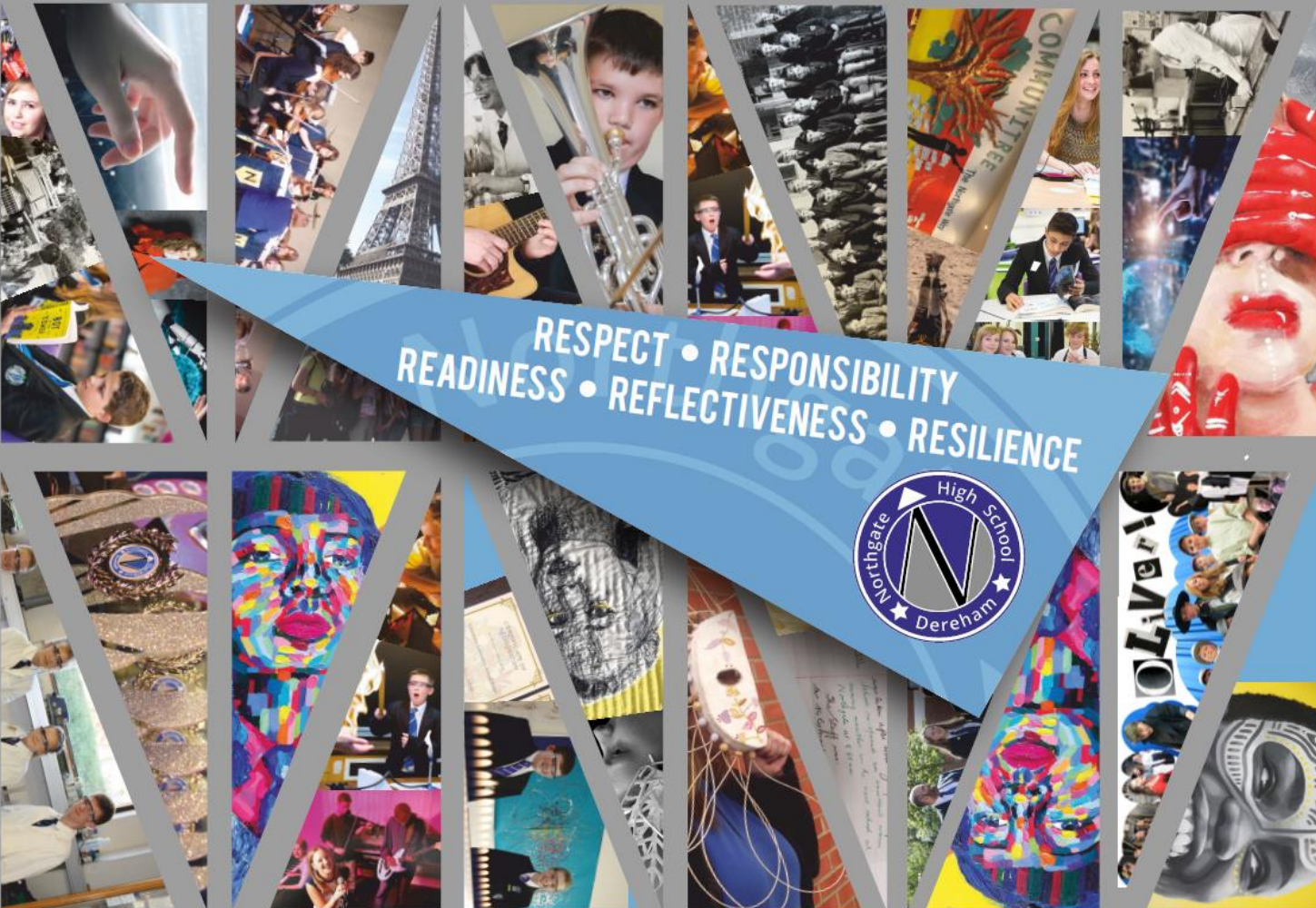
Northgate Transition Evening

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RESPECT • RESPONSIBILITY
READINESS • REFLECTIVENESS • RESILIENCE



Headteachers

Mrs Galley
&
Dr Hone

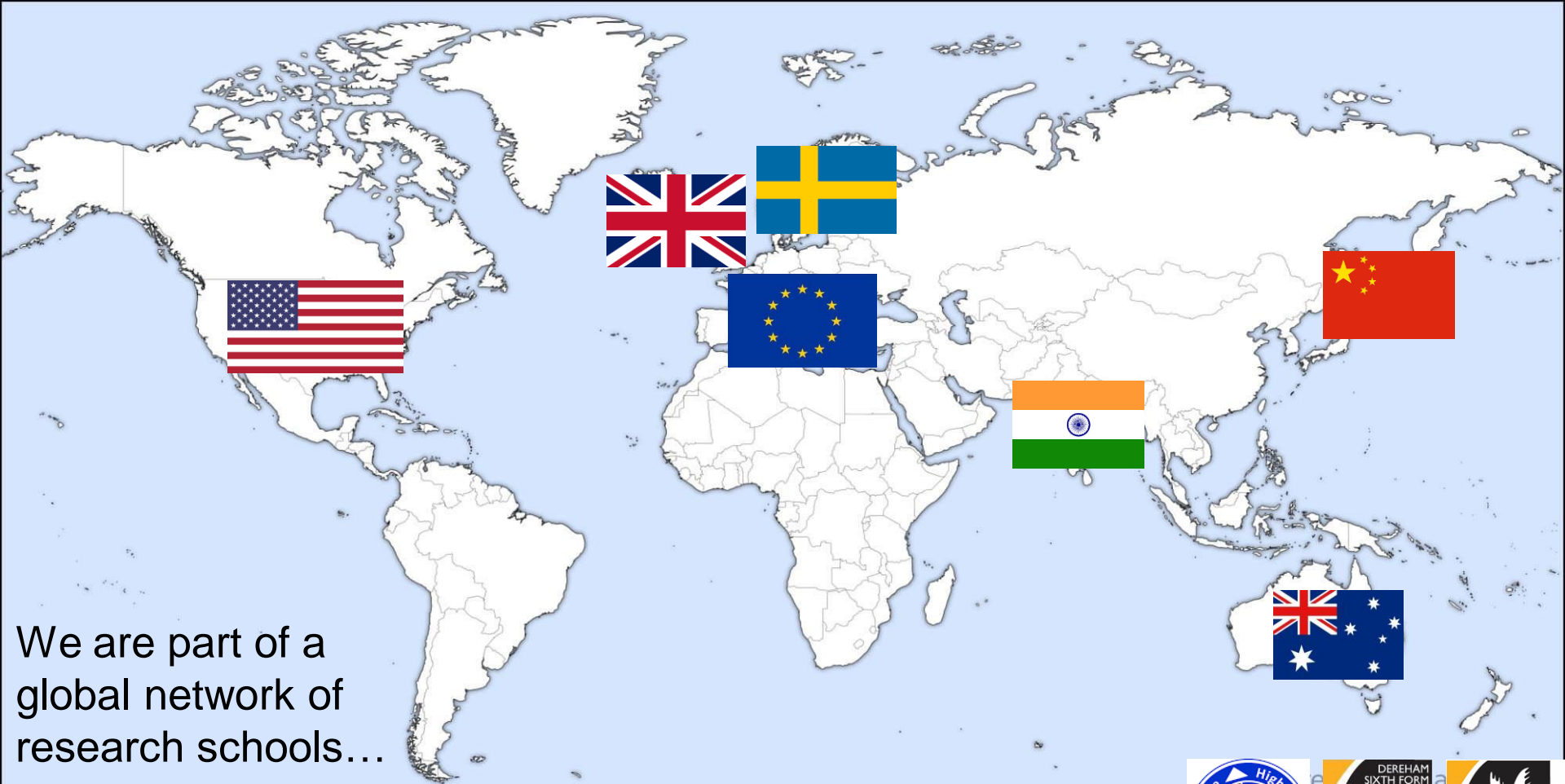
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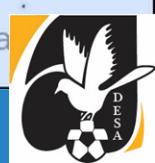
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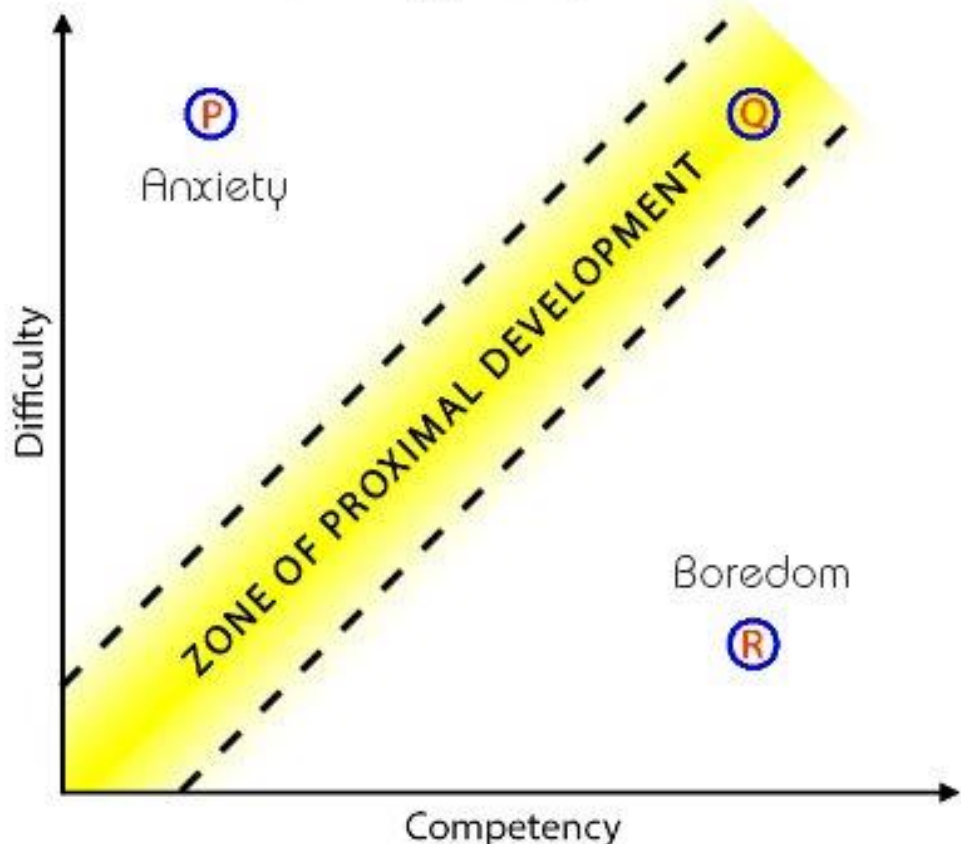
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FEEDBACK & ASSESSMENT

Are you succeeding? How do you know? Regularly assessing and evaluating your progress is a vital part of the learning cycle. Feedback is not always marking.

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Satchel:One – how to view homework

All homework is uploaded on to Satchel:One

App is available from app stores

Parents have a login to view homework tasks


Work is either handed in via Satchel:One or in class



Top tips for Homework

1. Know when it is due
2. Find somewhere quiet without any distractions
3. Music and Study Buddy videos in the background can help keep you calm and focused.
4. Make sure you read the task properly before you start your homework.
5. 'Done is better than perfect'!

THE POMODORO TECHNIQUE®
A SIMPLE METHOD TO BALANCE FOCUS WITH DELIBERATE BREAKS




- 1 PLAN YOUR TASKS
How many pomodoros might you need?
- 2 DO 1 POMODORO
Time for 25 mins then take a 5 min break

NO SNEAKY WORKING!

PROTECT YOUR POMODORO!

FOCUSED WORK 25 MINS

BREAK 5 MINS

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The diagram illustrates the Pomodoro technique cycle. It shows a horizontal timeline starting with a red tomato icon. The first segment is labeled 'FOCUSED WORK 25 MINS' and is marked with a red arrow pointing to the text 'PROTECT YOUR POMODORO!'. The second segment is labeled 'BREAK 5 MINS' and is marked with a red arrow pointing to the text 'NO SNEAKY WORKING!'. The cycle ends with an equals sign followed by a small red tomato icon.

Academic Transition

Academic transition - as important as social transition

We use: -

- information from your school
- SATs results
- Baseline Tests (start of September)
- Accelerated Reader

We do not set by ability in Year 7 (except Maths)

Research shows it benefits all learners

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Sets, Form Groups and Houses

Teaching Set = the set you will be in for lessons.

Form/Tutor Group = your form group who you meet with once a day.

House = your House (Attenborough, Rowling, Holmes or Hawking) - linked to House Competitions and Sporting Competitions

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Standards and Outcomes

Some students find the jump to Key Stage three is big!

We consistently track progress and intervene if we recognise an issue

Literacy and Numeracy intervention programmes run throughout our Key Stage 3 programme, eg: -

- phonics intervention with our Literacy Librarian
- small group Maths work with our HLTAs.



Reporting Progress

Year 7 parents evening (face to face) at start of November

Individual teachers will get in touch throughout the year if they want to praise your child's work and/or if they are concerned

You will receive three reports throughout the year. We call these Assessment Point 1 (Autumn) 2 (Spring) and 3 (Summer)

Clear snapshot of your child's progress that term in each subject.
Every teacher reports on progress and attitude to learning

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Reporting Progress

Once a year, you will receive a full set of written reports from each of your subjects/teachers.

When we report on progress, this is individual to your child and their starting points when they joined us. We know every learner is an individual and we are interested in their personal progress.

When they enter Year 10 and 11 at GCSEs, progress will be reported to you as a forecast grade.

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Northgate Summer School

3 days of engaging activities with Northgate teachers

Allows students to get to know their way around the school

Allows friendships to develop before September and builds on transition

Gives a taster of subjects

Enables students to get to know teachers before they arrive

Save the Dates!

Mon 19th August

Tues 20th August

Wed 21st August

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Equity and Financial Assistance

Equity is at the heart of Northgate.

No learner should be disadvantaged!

If your child receives Free School Meals, I will write to you in September outlining our offer.

For any enquiries regarding financial assistance, please email: pupilfinancesupport@ng6.unity-ed.uk



Uniform

Student Voice
Streamlining of uniform

NORTHGATE SCHOOL UNIFORM

COMPULSORY

- ROYAL BLUE POLO SHIRT WITH EMBROIDERED SCHOOL LOGO
- BLACK BLAZERS WITH EMBROIDERED SCHOOL LOGO
- BLACK SCHOOL TROUSERS
- PLAIN BLACK OR WHITE SOCKS UNBRANDED
- PLAIN BLACK SENSIBLE SHOES OR BLACK TRAINERS - NO LOGOS OR TAGS
- A BAG TO CARRY PE KIT, BOOKS AND STATIONERY

OPTIONAL

- BLACK SKIRT NO SHORTER THAN KNEE LENGTH
- BLACK TAILORED/BERMUDA SHORTS NO SHORTER THAN KNEE LENGTH
- BLACK TIGHTS
- BLACK SWEATSHIRT WITH EMBROIDERED SCHOOL LOGO

PLEASE NOTE

✗ NO STRETCH MINISKIRTS / SHORT SKIRTS	✗ NO TRACKSUIT BOTTOMS OR JEANS	
✗ NO LEGGINGS OR JEGGINGS	✗ NO COLOURED OR ACRYLIC NAILS	✗ NO PIERCINGS OTHER THAN IN THE EAR
✗ NO FALSE EYELASHES, EXCESSIVE MAKE UP, UNNATURAL HAIR COLOUR	✗ NO HOODIES	

Supporting learners with additional needs

SENDCO – MISS C BROOKS

senco@northgate.norfolk.sch.uk

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How do we support learners with additional needs?

Support from additional adults in the classroom

Assistive technology

Interventions – literacy, numeracy, ELSA, social skills, fine motor skills

'Safe' and quiet spaces



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How do we communicate with parents/carers?

Norfolk NGHS Support Plan for H

Stage: K



Tutor group: 7CB Year group: 7 House: Hol

Responsible Staff Member: Miss C Brooks Start date: 15/4/2024 Review date: 13/6/2024 Plan number: 2



All about me

My strengths and Interests

Football
Playing Fifa game

Support outside school.

Family - mum dad, brothers and sisters

Formal assessments/ diagnosis

ADHD

Needs and Support

Description of Need

Moderate learning difficulties
Dyslexia and associated difficulties in organisation, Cannot follow lots of information at once.
Struggles to read quickly and accurately.
Struggles to retain information unless it is broken down and relevant to him
Finds it difficult to ignore distractions.

Classroom strategies

Checklists for tasks steps
Break down work into short tasks
Minimise copying from the board

Reasonable adjustments/ Access Arrangements

Movement breaks
Apply for Exam access arrangements

If your child is on the SEND register:

A SEND Plan is written and shared with parents/carers and staff

Does a child stay on the SEND register?

Not necessarily. As a child's need changes they may come off the SEND register.

If you are concerned that your child may have undiagnosed needs, please get in touch.

Systems and Routines

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Systems and Routines

Your **first point of contact** will be your child's form tutor, preferably via email. Email addresses of tutors will be available on the school website in the summer term.

Your child's form tutor is also their first point of contact e.g. for forgotten kit. Students see their tutor daily.

Please remember that tutors teach across all years, including A Level; they will respond within a minimum of 72 hours.



Systems and Routines

Urgent/emergency contact must be to the school office.

Appointments must be made in advance if you wish to speak to a member of staff in person. This can be done by contacting the tutor directly or via the school office.



One Way System and Social Areas

All children follow a one way system around school.

Each year group has its own social area (playground), locker area and toilet block.

Year 7 form tutors are on duty daily to help and support students.

Year 7 will also have the support of the Year 11 prefect team at break and lunchtime.



Medical support

Your child must go to reception to be assessed by our first aid trained staff.

We will assess them and contact you if appropriate. If they contact you directly we cannot look after them properly.

If your child has a specific medical condition that needs an adaption to the day or normal school rules, please contact the Heads of Year to discuss this further.



Attitude to Learning at Northgate

The Attitude to Learning policy is available on the school website.

If your child shows positive attributes in class they will receive merits:

- These can be checked in SIMS parent app
- Merits can be exchanged for items in the rewards catalogue

If there are negative incidents your child will receive a detention in line with our C Codes and policy:

- These can be checked in SIMS parent app
- Detentions in school are either C2 <15mins or C3 <30mins

Rewards

Northgate Rewards:
15cm ruler
10 MERITS

Northgate Rewards:
2 x pens (blue, black,
Green or Red)
10 MERITS



Northgate Rewards:
Tennis Ball
30 MERITS

Northgate Rewards:
Set of Watercolours
30 MERITS

Northgate Rewards:
£5 off Childs Cinema
Ticket for Dereham
Cinema
100 MERITS

Northgate Rewards:
£5 printable Primark gift
voucher
100 MERITS

Northgate Rewards:
Free game of bowling at
Strikes Dereham
100 MERITS

Northgate Rewards:
£5 off Prom Ticket
100 MERITS

Rewards Deals
We have grouped together some of the merit prizes so that you can get your hands on some great deals for a reduced number of merits.

(NOTE: Rewards Deals not available on 10% off days)

Paint Brushes + Paints – 40 merits

Sketch Book + Paints - 60 merits

Revision Cards + Northgate Pen – 35 merits

Notebook + USB Memory Stick - 70 merits

Folder + Dividers – 35 merits

Sketchbook + Colouring Pencils - 60 merits

Notebook + Colouring Pencils - 35 merits

Electronic Devices in school



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Attendance

To put this into perspective:-

83.3% of pupils who have **over 95% attendance** achieve grades 9-4 in English and Maths (DfE research)

90% = 19 days absence in the year

90% over 5 years is 19 weeks absence or 1.5 terms (half a year)

95% = 9.5 days absence in the year

95% over 5 years is 9.5 weeks absence or just over half a term

ParentApp and ParentPay

Back Attendance Menu

w/c 20th February 2023

	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
AM	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
PM	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

w/c 13th February 2023

	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
AM	○	○	○	○	○
PM	○	○	○	○	○

w/c 6th February 2023

	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
AM	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

Back Conduct Menu

Tuesday 7th February 2023

+1 CONSISTENT STANDARDS
Geography - 8TEN/Gg - 8Tue:4

Monday 6th February 2023

-0 Disruptive/Inappropriate Behaviour
English - 8TEN/En - 8Mon:3
Recorded by Ms J Bauman

Friday 3rd February 2023

+1 CONSISTENT STANDARDS Mathematics
Maths - 8BAB/Ma - AFri:2

Thursday 2nd February 2023

+1 CONSISTENT STANDARDS
English - 8TEN/En - AThu:1

+1 CONSISTENT STANDARDS
Geography - 8TEN/Gg - AThu:2

-0 AR Book
Technology - 8-5/Te - AThu:4
Recorded by Mrs D Nimmock

Tuesday 31st January 2023

Back Data Collection Menu

Student Information
No changes

Addresses
No changes

Telephones & Emails
No changes

Medical Details
No changes

Parental Consent
No changes

Contacts

Sherrie Isbill
No changes

Confirm No Changes Revert

Back Reports Menu

Academic year 2022/2023

Y8 Assessment 1
19 Jan 2023 | PDF

Academic year 2021/2022

Y7 Assessment 3
12 Jul 2022 | PDF

Y7 Assessment 2
31 Mar 2022 | PDF

Y7 Assessment 1
10 Dec 2021 | PDF

Back Timetable Menu

Today 15th March 2023

French
LA2 | Mrs C Sutcliffe
08:45 - 09:45

Art
AR1 | Miss H L Hickey
09:50 - 10:50

History
HI1 | Miss C Gostic
11:10 - 12:10

Tutor
SC5 | Mr W Fox
12:10 - 12:30

PE
| Mr J Llewellyn, Mr R Phillis
13:10 - 14:10

Maths
MA6 | Miss K Theobald
14:15 - 15:15

Tomorrow 16th March 2023

English
EN5 | Ms J Bauman
08:45 - 09:45

Computing
CO1 | Mrs C Woods
09:50 - 10:50

Geography
GG3 | Mrs S Ellis
11:10 - 12:10



Personal Development

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Whole School Club Timetable

	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
Break	Yr7 Computing Homework - CO1	Yr7 Computing Homework - CO1	Yr7 Computing Homework - CO1	Yr7 Computing Homework - CO1	Yr7 Computing Homework - CO1
	Computing Ambassadors - CO1	Computing Ambassadors - CO1	Computing Ambassadors - CO1	Computing Ambassadors - CO1	Computing Ambassadors - CO1
Lunch	Lego Robotics - CO1	School Council (Week B) - Ma6	Yr9 International leaders - La1	Games Club - CO1	Coding Club - CO1
		Northgate News (Week A) - Ma6	KS4 Computer Science revision - CO1		Film Club - TBC
	Yr9-10 Sports clubs - PE Dept	Yr7-8 Sports Clubs - PE Dept	Yr10-11 Sports Clubs - PE dept	All Years Sports Clubs - PE Dept	Boys Basketball - Sports Hall
		Dance Club - PA	British Sign Language - TBC		
	Y7-9 Prefect Games room	Y7-9 Prefect Games room	Y7-9 Prefect Games room	Y7-9 Prefect Games room	
	Learning Support - LSC	Learning Support - LSC	Learning Support - LSC	Learning Support - LSC	Learning Support - LSC
	Yr11 - Astro	Yr8 - Astro	Yr7 - Astro	Yr10 - Astro	Yr9 - Astro
After School	Yr9 Spanish - La1	KS3 Graphics - Te1	KS4 Art - Ar2	All Years CSF "Kicks" Football	Friday Fitness - Gym
	KS3 Art - Ar1	GCSE Graphics - Te1	STEM - Te6	Orchard Committee - Ma6	
	All Years Girls Football	Yr9-11 Girls Rugby	KS3 Textiles - Te4	Drama Club - PA	
	Yr7-8 Girls Rugby	Yr7 Boys Football	All Years Girls Netball		
	Yr7-8 Boys Rugby	Yr9-11 Boys Rugby	Yr8-11 Boys Football		
		School Choir -PA			

Examples of School Trips and Activities

Ski Trip	Dance Show	Curriculum Enhancement Days
Camps International (Borneo and Cambodia)	Drama Productions	Las Vegas
Erasmus (Links to EU schools)	Visiting Authors	“The Fittest Classroom” - USA
STEM (Science and Design and Technology)	Norfolk Skills Fair	Northgate School Council
Geography Trips (All Years)	Art Exhibition	Sports Clubs
Maths Challenge	School Showcase	Orchard Committee
Art Trips	London West End trip	Coding and Lego Club



Author Visits



Boys Football



Norwich Castle



Dance & Drama Showcase





Yoga



Drama Club



World Book Day

Netball Club



Number Day





Girls Football



Charity Fundraising



Creative Writing

Tuneful Thursday



Fitness Friday



Orchard Committee





Ski Trip



French exhibition



Battlefields Trip



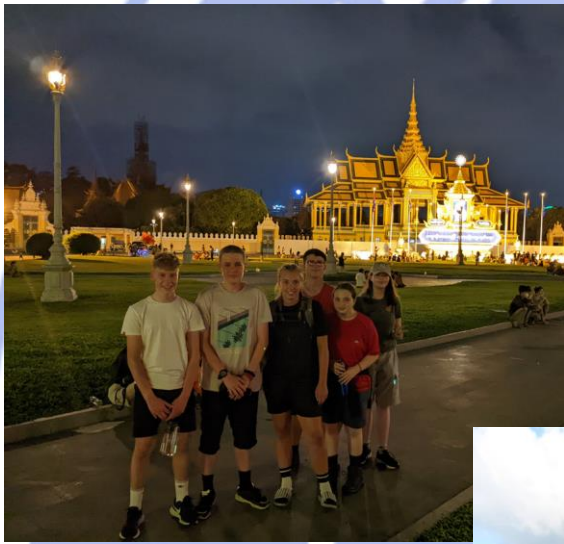
Art Museums



Cambridge



The Royal Norfolk Show



**Camps International
Cambodia Expedition**



**Curriculum Enhancement
Day**



Geography Fieldwork



The Big Bang Fair



Earth Summit in Sweden



**Greenpower F24
Car Racing**

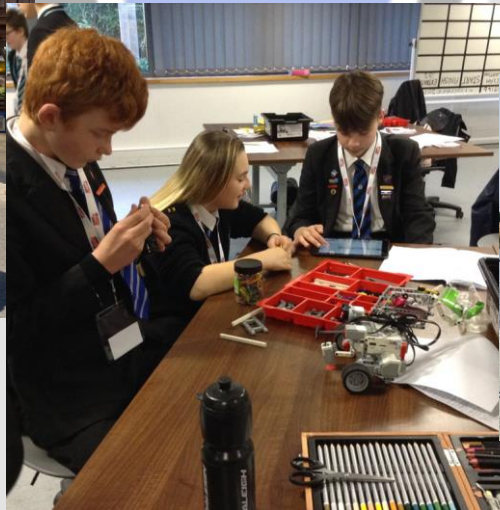


**Erasmus Trips
to Italy and
Germany**



Theatre Visits

Duke of Edinburgh



**Harry
Potter
Book
Night**

Subsea UK Stem Challenge

**Curriculum Enhancement
Day - Water Park**



Poetry Slam



First Day at Northgate



Trip to Norwich Castle





Sports Day



**Litter Picking
Competition**



**National Space
Centre Trip**





New York Trip



Las Vegas Trip



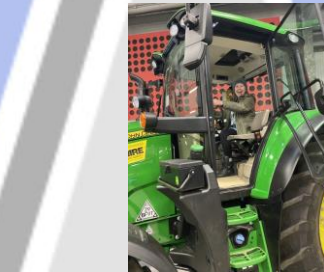
Cambridge University visit



National Art Competition



Reading Club



Norfolk Careers Fair



Canary Warf Field trip

Social Media

Follow us on social media to keep up to date with all the exciting events and trips happening at Northgate.



Northgate High School

NGHS - Art & Design - DSFC



@NgateDereham

@NorthgateSport

@NGateLibrary

@NgateCouncil



@ngatedereham

@nghsartdesigndsfc



Some Key Diary Dates 2024-2025

Transition Days: 17th, 18th and 19th July

Summer School: - 19th – 21st August

First day: - Wednesday 4th September, 8.45am

Year 7 Parents' Evening:- Wednesday 6th November 2024

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What happens next...

Birds Uniform (in foyer)

Refreshments from Café North, and a chance to talk to members of staff individually

Also chance to meet parents/students from other schools!

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Thank you for coming

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