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Year 13 Parents' Information Evening

September 2023

An introduction to Year 13 2023/24

Miss Thomas - Raising Achievement Lead for VI Form

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Year 13 Team

Assistant Head Teacher	Head of Year 12 and 13	Raising Achievement leader KS5	Deputy Head of 12 and 13	Sixth Form Manager - UCAS & pastoral support
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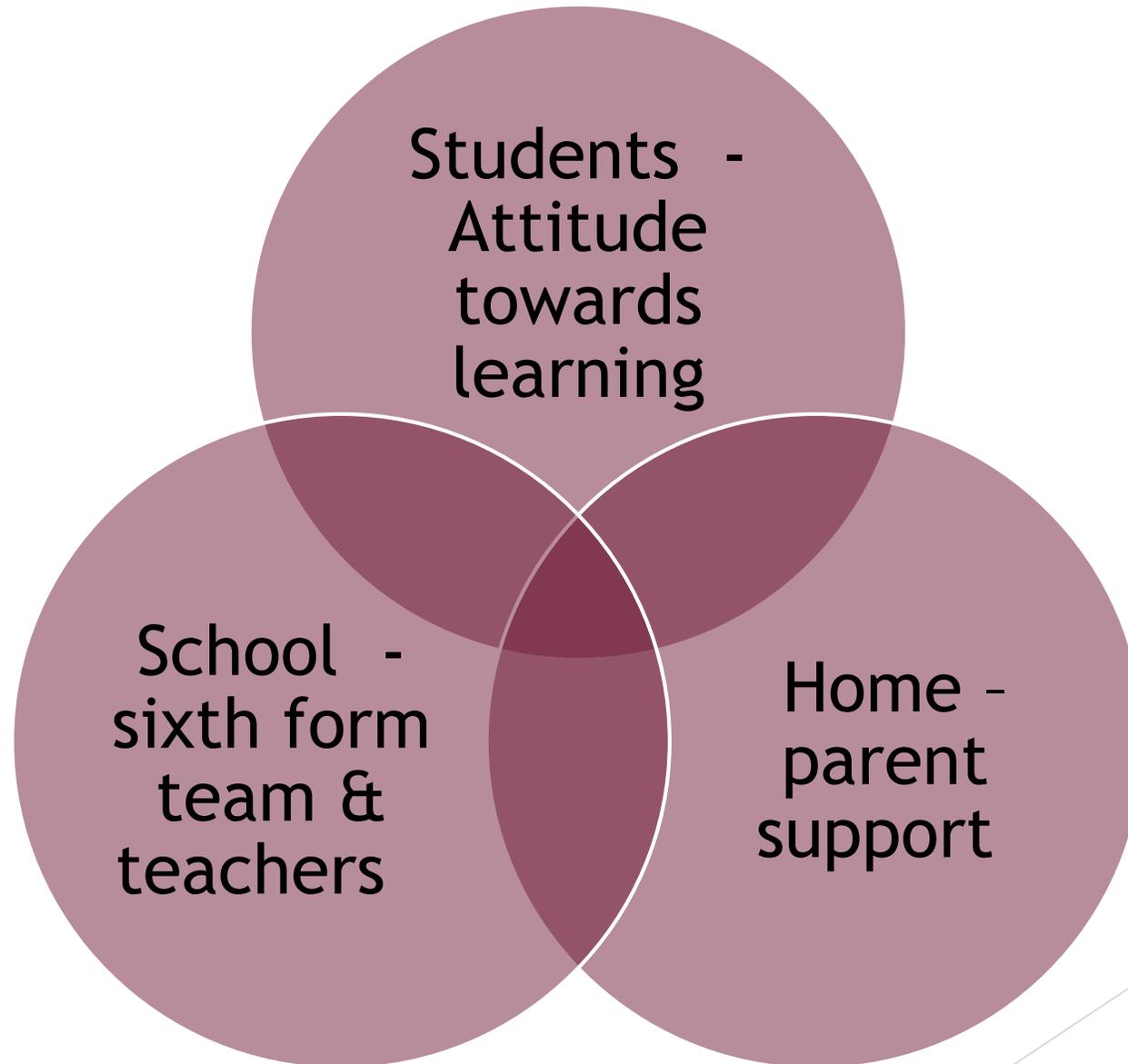
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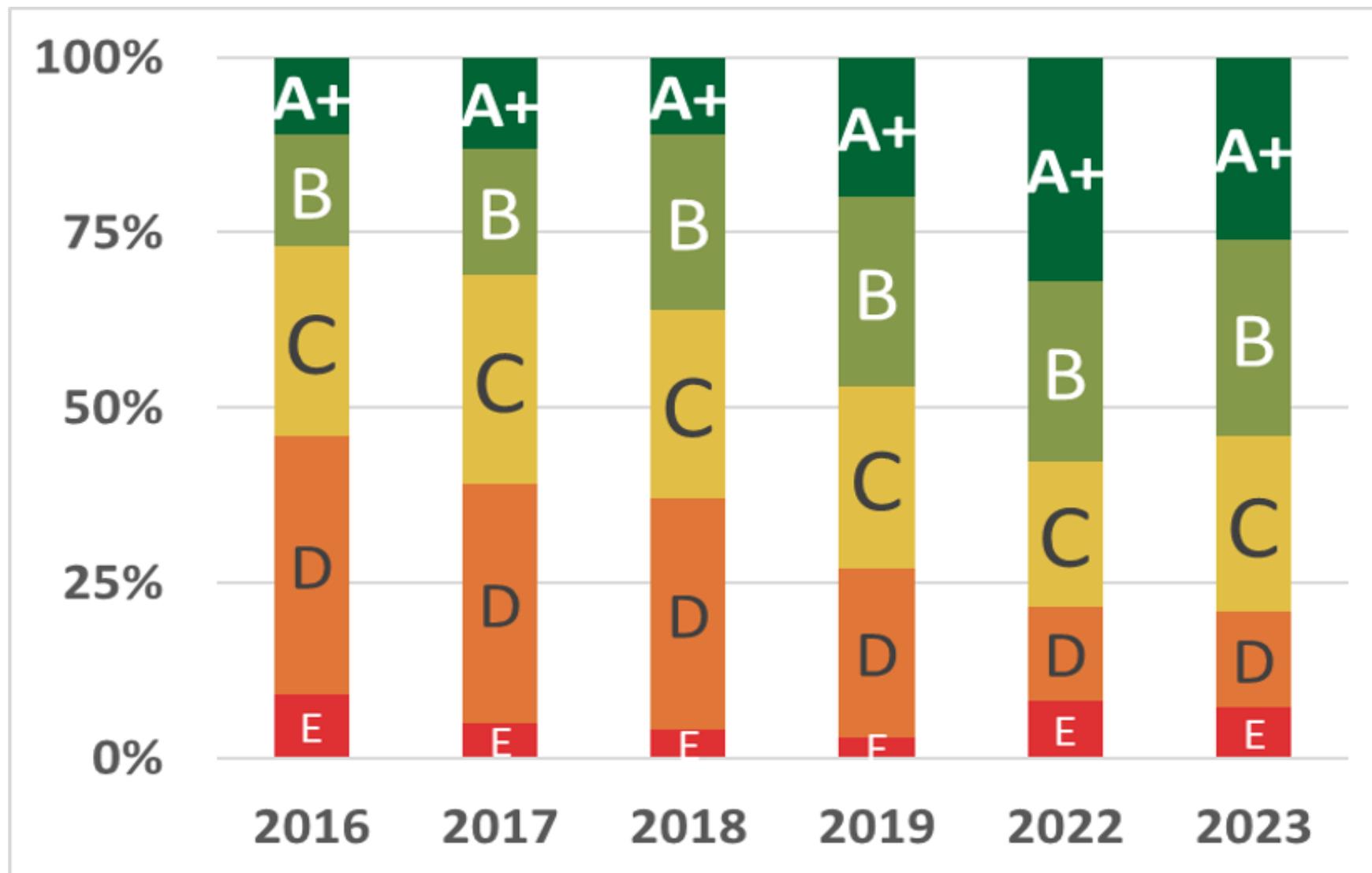
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A Level attainment



Over 50%
A*s,As and Bs

2023 Year 13 Cohort

62% of
Physics
grades A+

78% Art B+

50% of
Further
Maths A+

78%
Sociology
B+

100%
French C+

100% of
Politics C+

Average
grade for
BTEC
Distinction-

Success in 2023/24

Aldo	A*A*A*	Gap Year (will apply in 2024)
Enas	A*A*A*	Gap Year (will apply in 2024)
Brooke	A*A*A*	St George's, University of London - Paramedic Science BSc
Janki	A*A*A	LSE - Law (Bachelor of Laws) - Accounting & Finance
Ruqiya	A*A*A	King's College London, University of London - Midwifery with Registration as a Midwife
Abdimalik	A*A*A	Gap Year (will apply in 2024)
Shivleen	A*A*A	LSE - Law (Bachelor of Laws)
Jannah	A*A*AA	King's College London, University of London - Enhanced Support Dentistry Programme
Samragyi	A*AAA	Imperial College London - Mechanical Engineering
Celine	A*AAA	UCL (University College London) - Civil Engineering

Success in 2022/23 - a historic track record..

Zalma	A*A*A*A	Trinity College - University of Cambridge	History and Politics
Tasneem	A*A*A	Mansfield College - University of Oxford	Arabic
Areeb	A*A*A*	University of Manchester	Medicine
Pranav	A*A*A*	University of Warwick	Mathematics
Nabila	A*A*A*	London School of Economics and Political Science, University of London	Politics and Philosophy
Inara	A*A*A	Queen Mary University of London	Medicine
Dilbar	A*A*A	University of Warwick	Economics
Rohini	A*AA	University of Southampton	English and History
Jack	AAA	King's College London, University of London	Computer Science
Emilia	AAA	London School of Economics and Political Science, University of London	Law
Hielia	A*AA	King's College London, University of London	Dentistry
Amy	A*A*AB	University of Warwick	Law with Study Abroad in English
Alisha	A*A*B	King's College London, University of London	History
Arvin	AAA	University of Birmingham	Economics
Weronika	A*A*AB	University of Southampton	Criminology and Psychology

UCAS Support and Deadlines

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University Applications Timeline

- ▶ Friday 13th October: UCAS early entry deadline
- ▶ Wednesday 18th October: BMAT (Medicine)
- ▶ Wednesday 18th October: Cambridge Admissions Tests
- ▶ Thursday 19th & Friday 20th: Oxford Admissions Tests
- ▶ Thursday 21st December: Internal UCAS deadline - **what does this involve?**

LNAT Deadlines

- 31st December: UCL, Kings, LSE
- 20th January: All other universities

What support will your child receive for UCAS?

- ▶ Tutor time support
- ▶ Fortnightly enrichment sessions
- ▶ 1-1 appointments



Apprenticeships

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Found 1,530 jobs

Business Management Flying Start Degree programme

- Belfast
- undisclosed
- PwC



Want to go to university but are also keen to begin your career?

Year 13 Expectations 2023/24

Mr Shepherd - Head of Year 12 & 13

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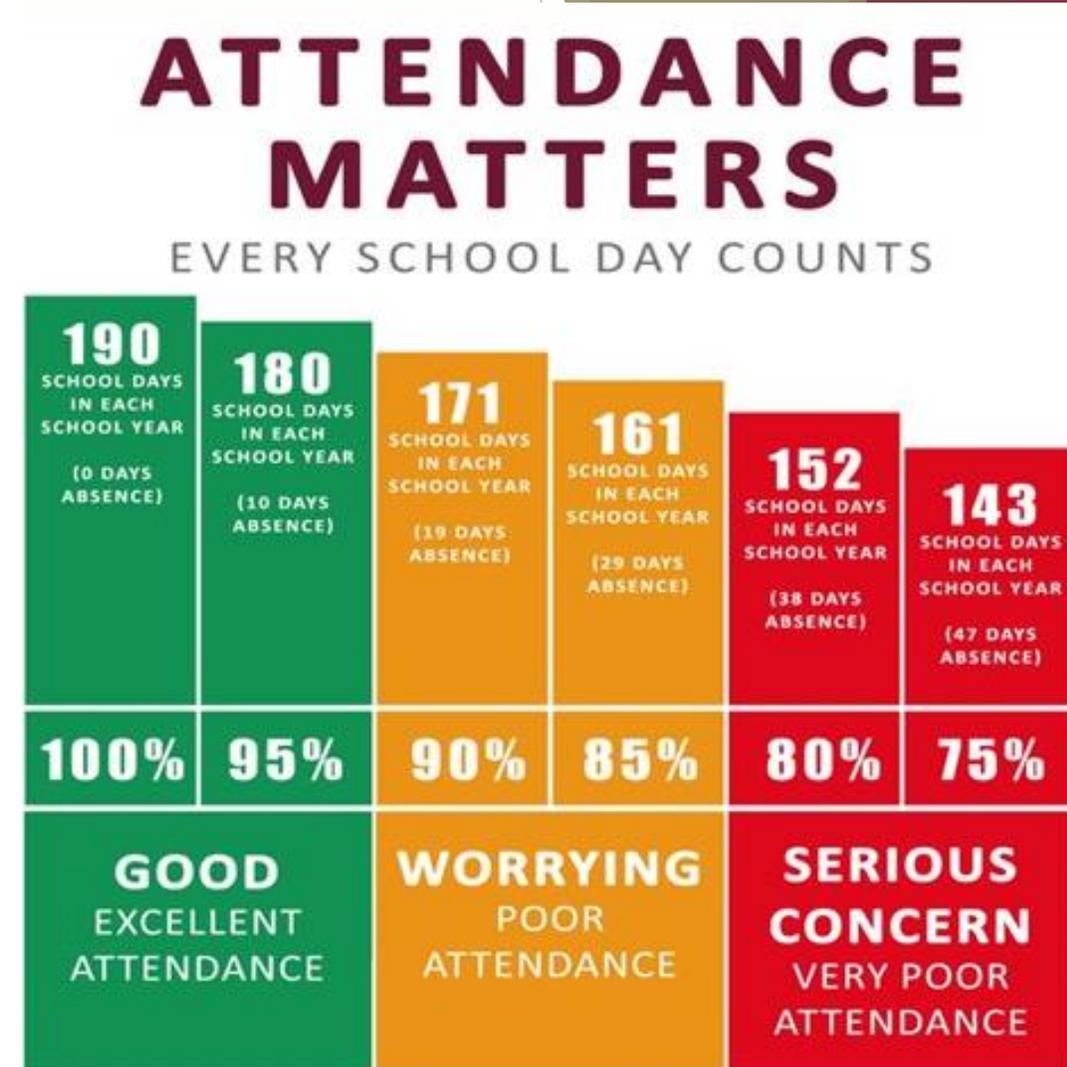
Expectations are Paramount!

Attendance Expectations

All at Barnhill EXPECT high standards of students at all times

- ▶ Being on time to school/form time 8:20 start time
- ▶ Being on time to lessons
- ▶ Attending school every day

- ▶ We want to prepare students for their next steps in life



Attendance matters...

Tasneem	A*A*A	Mansfield College - University of Oxford - Arabic	97%
Jack	AAA	King's College London, University of London - Computer Science	96%
Jacob	A*ABB	King's College London, University of London - History and Modern Languages with a Year Abroad	100%
Hieia	A*AA	King's College London, University of London - Dentistry	96%
Arvin	AAA	University of Birmingham - Economics	100%
Areeb	A*A*A*	University of Manchester - Medicine	97%
Amy	A*A*AB	University of Warwick - Law with Study Abroad in English	99%
Thanus	AAA	Imperial College London - Medical Biosciences	96%

Dressing for Success, 2022-2023

The Sixth Form Dress Code:

- Students must wear **smart/formal wear**
- Clothing should reflect what students would **wear to work**
- This includes the **use of phones and air pods**
- We need our Sixth Formers to set a good example and be **role models to younger years**



Dressing for Success, 2022-2023

Footwear:

- All shoes must be black leather-look shoes.
- Shoes must not be branded with sports logos of any kind or colour.
- No shoes with white or trainer soles.
- Do not be guided by what the supermarkets are selling in the 'Back to School' section.

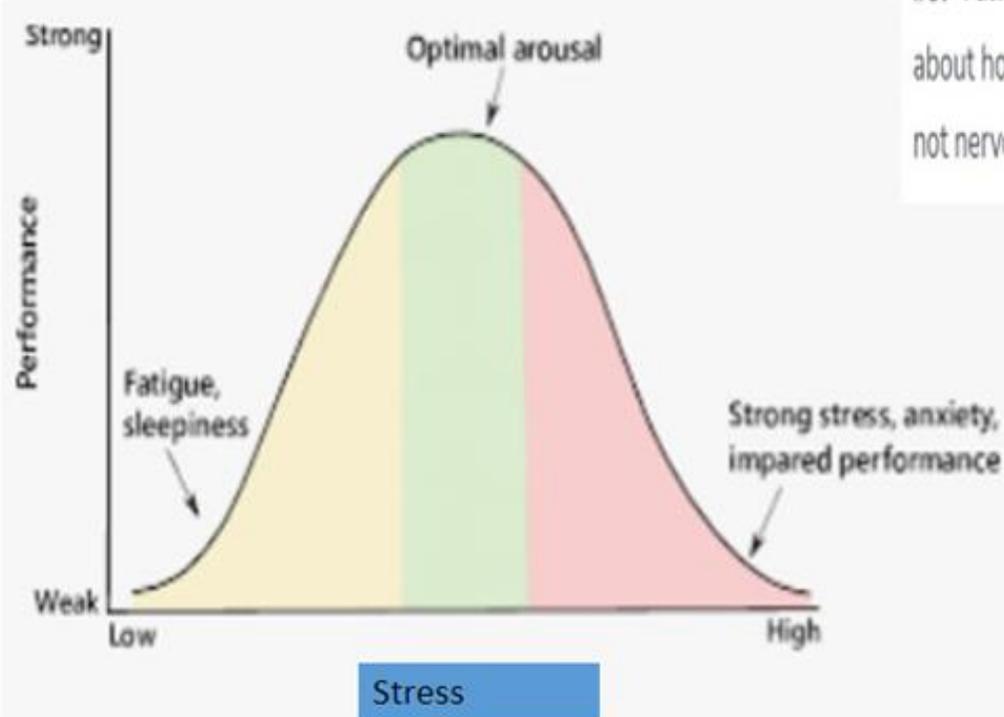


Tutor time

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
DEAL	PSHE	PSHE	UCAS	Assembly / UCAS
	Attendance  UCAS	 TED Ideas worth spreading		
Sixth Form Student Responsibilities				
<i>Follow school policies: Dress Code: Smart business dress only. Mobile phones: Study centre or canteen only.</i>	<i>Organise your subject notes, equipment and textbooks and wear your lanyard.</i>	<i>Be punctual to school and to lessons throughout the day.</i>	<i>Be a role model to younger students around the school at all times.</i>	<i>Take ownership of your learning and your future. Own your failures and your successes.</i>

Dealing with stress

Inverted U hypothesis



#9. "I always feel pressure. If you don't feel nervous, that means you don't care about how you play. I care about how I perform. I've always said the day I'm not nervous playing is the day I quit." - Tiger Woods



The physiological effects of stress

Sweating

Feeling hot / flushed

Increased heart rate

Do other emotions also share these physiological effects?

Fear

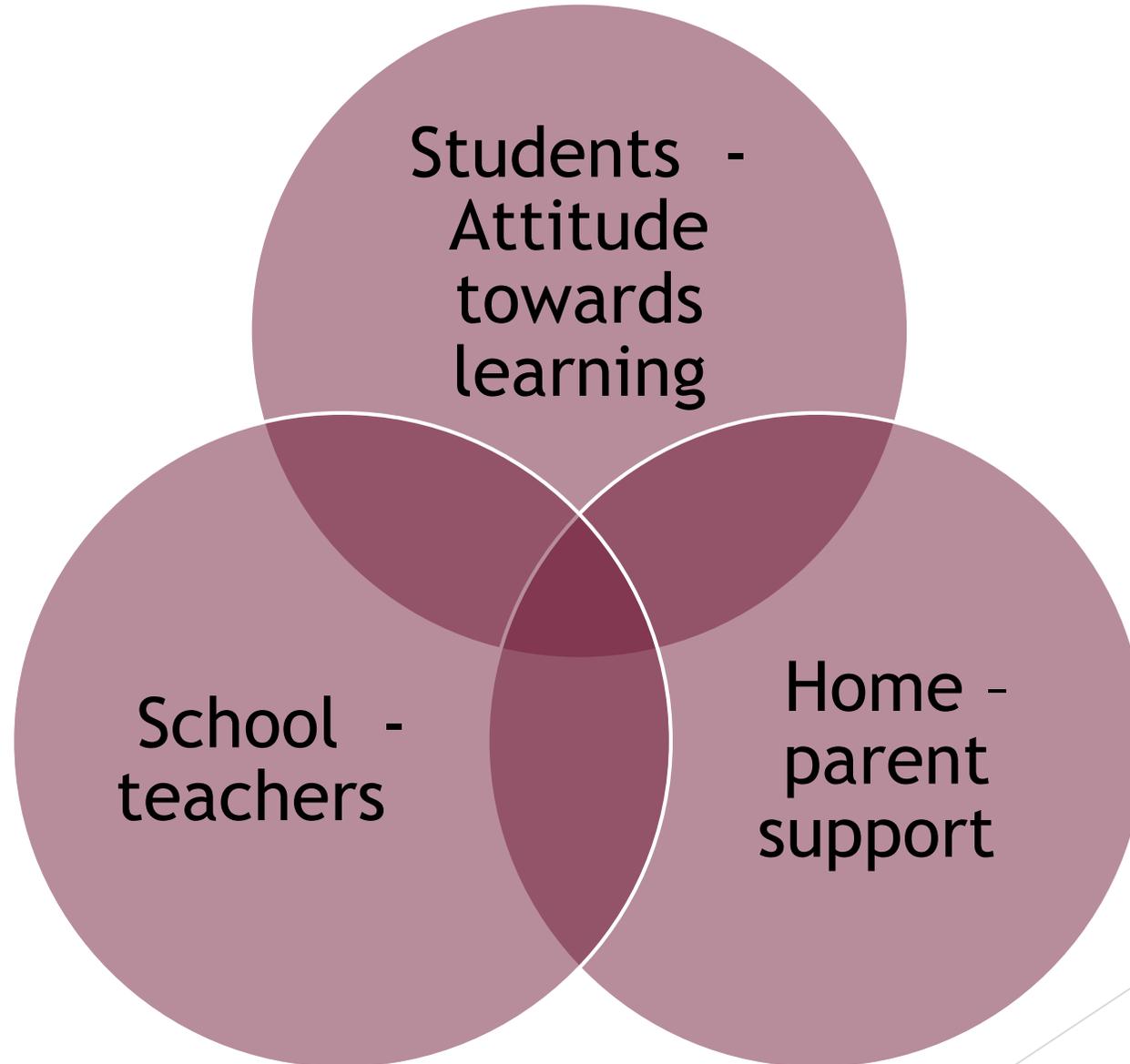
Desire / attraction

Excitement

Coping mechanisms

1. Saying 3 words – 'I am excited'
2. Breathing – breathe in for 5 seconds and out for 6 seconds
3. Breathing – 4,7,8 breathing. Breathe in for 4 seconds, hold for 7 and breathe out for 8
3. Mental time travel – most stress is temporary. Think about how you will feel at the end of something

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Year 13 Academic Timeline & Expectations

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Curriculum and Assessments

- BTech
- Cam Tech ICT
- Sport
- Financial Studies
- Health and Social Care
- Business

6th - 17th November
Pre-Public Exams (PPE)

Specific topics assessed. Some full papers.

Student reflection and target setting (JAN)

9th JAN - 19th Jan
External BTEC Exams

Results in March.

4th - 15th March
Pre-Public Exams (PPE)

Full Assessments

Student reflection and target setting (April)

15th MAY - 21th JUN
Final GCSE Exams (+ BTEC retakes)

May-June - Final GCE Exams

Reports and Reflection

Across your 3 subjects, what is your mean progress? This means how far you have moved from your starting point.

Progress Summary	
YA Overall	Total Points
11.79	150

On Target?			
All On Target	Above Target	On Target	Below Target
	0	3	0

Are you above your targets? **GREEN**
 Are you just one grade below them? **YELLOW**
 Or are you still far below your targets? **RED**

Attendance Summary	
Attendance	Target
99.25	95%

KS4 Prior Attainment		
KS4 APS	GCSE Maths	GCSE English
8.8	9	8

Attitude to Learning Summary						
Average	Commendation	CONCERN	Main Concern	Total Negatives	Curriculum Referrals	Total Positives
4.50	2	0		0	0	0

KS5 Core Learning Aims
Alevels

For each subject you have:
 A PPE Grade (Your most recent exam grade)
 And a PG (Predicted grade) - This is based on your previous assessments and your teachers' projection of your progress based on your work and effort.

Progress by Subject							
Subject	Class	MEG	PPE	PG	ATL	Concern or Commendation	
Mathematics	13A/Ma1 Teacher	A	B	A*	5	COMMENDATION Classwork quality	
Chemistry	13C/Ch1 Teacher	A	A	A	4		
Geography	13D/Gg1 Teacher	A	A+	A	5	COMMENDATION Work Ethic	

Reports and Reflection

Given to students after each November PPE and March PPE.

Students must stick this in their planners and discuss with parents.

Progress Summary		On Target?			
VA Overall	Total Points	All On Target	Above Target	On Target	Below Target
11.79	150		0	3	0

Attendance Summary		KS4 Prior Attainment			
Attendance Value	Attendance Change	ALPS Group	KS4 Avg GCSE S	GCSE Maths Res	GCSE English Resu
Attendance	Target		KS4 APS	GCSE Maths	GCSE English
99.25	95%		8.8	9	8

Attitude to Learning Summary						
Average	Average A2L Change	Main Concern (No Negative)		Negative C4 - Cur	Positive C4 - Cur	Positive Ex
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This row of information is all about your attitude to learning and behaviour in school.

Is your behaviour affecting your learning?

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Attitude to Learning 4 is expected. 3 is 'coasting'. --> Bare minimum, lack of effort. Must work harder. 2s and 1s - Very worrying. Behaviour and attitude must improve.

Report Reflection

My Reflection Questions

What are you most proud of and why?

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From the data above, what do I need to improve?

(Select 2 targets)

What will I need to do to achieve these targets in the next 3 months?

(Be specific - do not write something vague, like "Revise more".
See statement bank to help you)

1

2

Supporting your child's academic success

Leaver arch files

1. Is your child keeping their classwork organised?
2. Do they have a specification/PLC in their folders?
3. Do they have assessments & feedback from Year 12?



Supporting your child's academic success

Revision

1. Is your child completing a minimum of 5-6 hours per subject per week?
2. Do they have a clear timetable for revision?
3. Are they using meaningful revision techniques?

Quizlet

Anki



Supporting your child's academic success

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A Level History Russia

👤 12 studlers recently ⭐ 3.6 (5 reviews)

Flashcards Learn Test Match Q-Chat

🔍 Get a hint

Role of the Cheka

A Level History Russia

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Flashcards Learn Test Match Q-Chat

🔍 Explain this

The role of the Cheka was to primarily crush the opposition of the Communist Party. They helped purge counter-revolutionaries such as Mensheviks and high status party officials.

Supporting your child's academic success

Popular but ineffective techniques for revision

1. Re-reading
2. Highlighting
3. Re-writing notes

Improving Students' Learning With Effective Learning Techniques: Promising Directions From Cognitive and Educational Psychology

John Dunlosky¹, Katherine A. Rawson¹, Elizabeth J. Marsh², Mitchell J. Nathan³, and Daniel T. Willingham⁴

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- Carrier et al 2003
- Hartwig & Dunlosky 2012
- Karpicke et al 2009
- Kornell & Bjork 2007
- Wissman et al 2012
- Callender & McDaniel 2009

Homework and Independent Study

Homework/research is set once a week per subject. Students MUST record this in their planners.

Minimum 15 - 20 hours per week of study

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday				
8am	School										
9am											
10am											
11am											
12pm											Maths 2
1pm											Chemistry
2pm						English 2					
3pm						Physics					
4pm	Period 6 lessons	Period 6 lessons	Period 6 lessons	Homework	Homework	An exam paper + <u>self marking</u>	An exam paper + marking				
5pm											
6pm	Homework	Homework		Option Subj 3	Flashcard Day	Maths 1	Homework				
7pm		Option subj 2				English 1					
8pm	Option subj 1	Reading		Option Subj 4	Reading	Biology					
9pm						Homework					

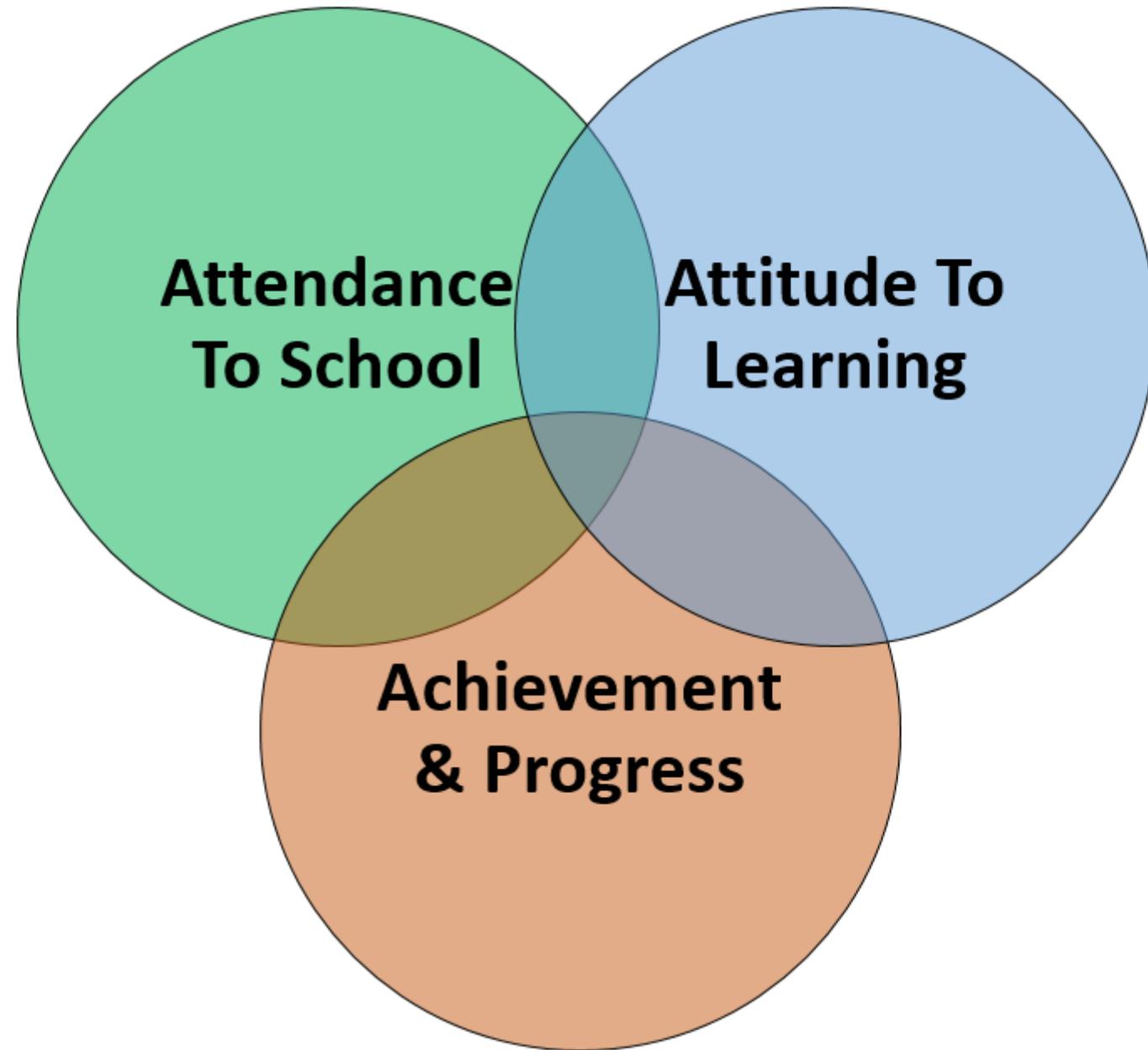


Saturday interventions

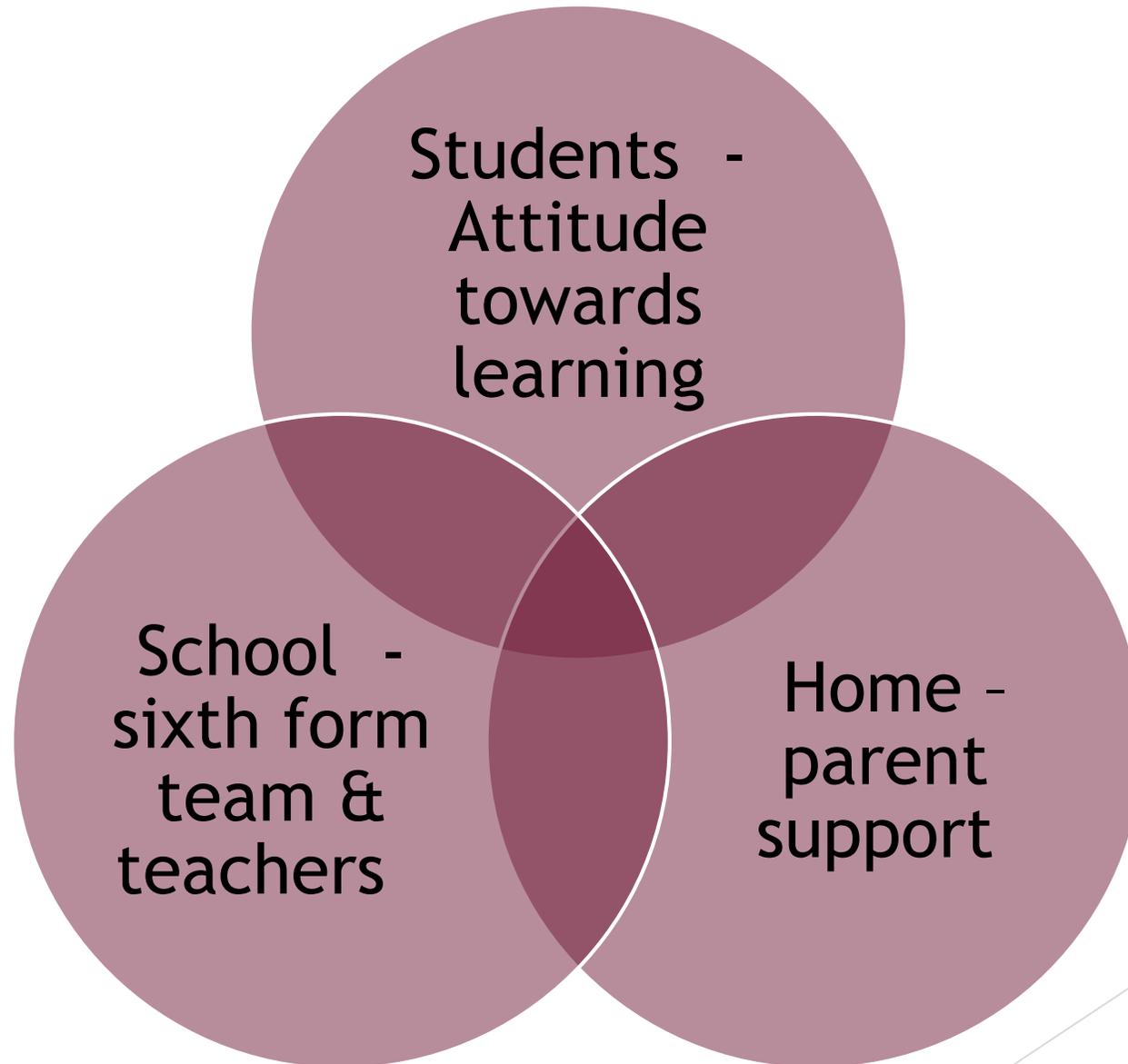
- These are currently being planned and due to take place across the autumn term
- 9-1pm on Saturdays, offering bespoke support and guidance for your child
- Contact made to both you & your child



Triumvirate of Academic Success



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