



Welcome to Year 8 Meet the Tutor Event

Wednesday 11th September 2019



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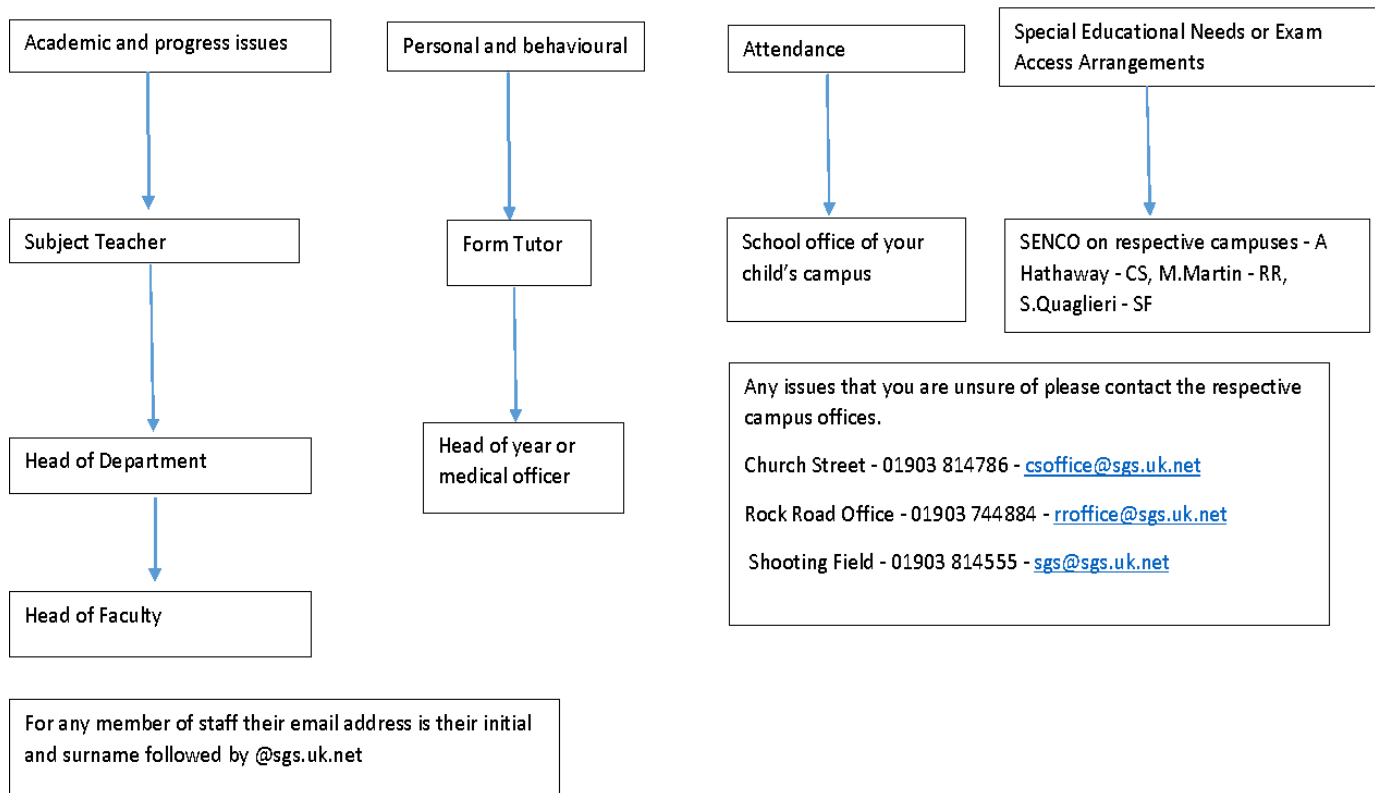
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Who to contact





Key dates regarding the options process and progress

Y8 CS Parents evening = Thursday 28th November 4 - 7pm at Church Street

Meet subject teachers and discuss progress/GCSE skills and content

Y8 RR Parents evening = Wednesday 11th December 4 - 7pm at Rock Road

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Y8 Options Information Evening = Tuesday 7th January 6 - 7pm at Shooting Field

Presentation that is instructive about what to do and how to do it

Progress Day = Friday 10th January

Meet with your child's tutor to discuss progress and look at books

Y8 KS4 Subject information Evening = Thursday 23rd January 4 - 7pm at Shooting Field.

Go to see prepared stalls and GCSE teaching staff with specific course questions

Option Form Deadline around February Half Term



Assessment Week

W/b Monday 18th May, 2020

GCSEs now require learning overtime. This is a skill that we need to help students develop. We are following the same process that Y11 follow just in an age appropriate way.

Students will have been given lots of notice and support. We look at revision in REMAP and during subject lessons.

All instructions and revision resources will be on 'Google Classroom'



Graduation

Bronze- 60 Graduation points

Silver- 100 Graduation points

Gold- 140 Graduation points

2 year process:

Aim is that at least 85% of students graduate with at least a bronze at the end of Year 8. It has been made deliberately difficult to achieve.

Collect Ace points for:

- Progress
- Attendance (Above 95% to get points)
- TAACA (Learning Character scores from staff)
- Challenges (Speech, overcoming phobia, charity run, managing loss etc.)
- Volunteering (Helping with an event, cooking at home for the family, school tours/ambassador, helping with a charity shop/children/elderly.)
- Co-curricular (school clubs or own clubs eg. Scouts, Cadets, Gymnastics, Rugby, Netball, Ballet, Dance, Cooking etc.)



Attendance and punctuality

- Every student is expected to have a minimum attendance of 95%, anything below this will be monitored. You may receive supportive communication in the form of letters, phone calls and/or meetings if attendance persistently falls below 95%
- 90% sounds like a high percentage but the government terms this as a 'Persistent Absentee' (PA) by the Government irrelevant of reason/
 - 90% attendance means missing on average 1 day a fortnight (5 hrs lessons).
- If you have concerns your first contact is the site office. Head of Year and Mrs Emma Yates, Attendance Development Manager will become involved once attendance is dropping towards 95%.



What we do in Tutor Time

Learning Group	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8AXH	Maths 717	Thought for the Week & Equipment Check	Collective Worship	Word of the Week	Quiz
8JRW	Maths 718	Thought for the Week & Equipment Check	Collective Worship	Word of the Week	Quiz
8AC	Maths Boarding	Thought for the Week & Equipment Check	Collective Worship	Word of the Week	Quiz
8IT	Thought for the Week & Equipment Check	Word of the Week	Collective Worship	Maths 717	Quiz
8EPK	Thought for the Week & Equipment Check	Word of the Week	Collective Worship	Quiz	Maths 717
8PKF	Thought for the Week & Equipment Check	Word of the Week	Collective Worship	Quiz	Maths 718
8HPB	Thought for the Week & Equipment Check	Word of the Week	Collective Worship	Quiz	Maths Boarding