

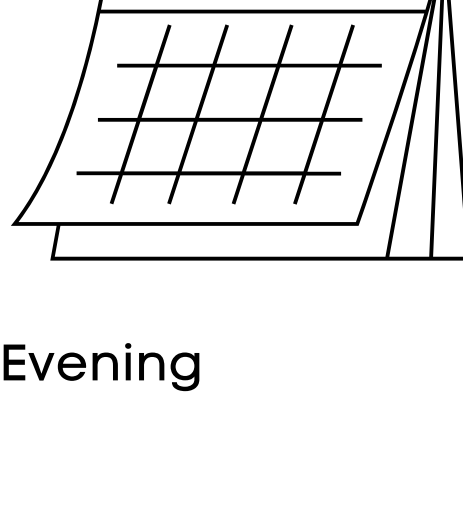
# Year 8 PIE



## Year to Build

### Key Dates

18 Sept	MIDYSIS Tests
17 Dec	Autumn term report issued
27 Mar	Spring term report issued
12 Jun	Year 8 Parents/Carers' Tutor Evening
24 Jun	Year 8 End of Year Exams



### Attitude to Learning

#### Aiming high

- Attitude to learning is positive.
- Always focused and attentive and take pride in producing class work of the highest standard.
- They value their learning and that of others and can work through problems when stuck using a variety of strategies and resources.
- They ask questions and respond well to feedback, grasping the opportunity to improve.
- Homework is always handed in and they often put in more effort, going above and beyond expectation.

### Reading

"reading for pleasure is the single best indicator of social mobility"



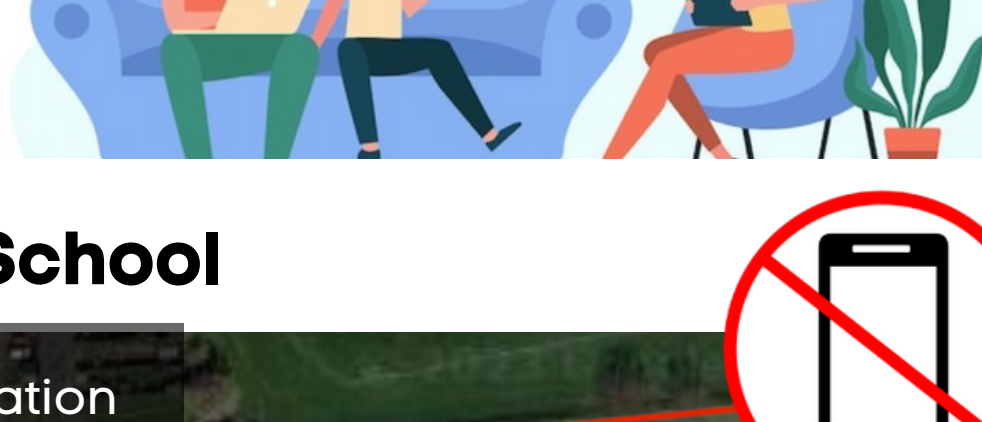
### Peer Dialogue

Effective peer dialogue ensures students remain on track and foster independence and take ownership of their own learning across all subjects.

This is turn will raise the aspirations of our young people.

#### As a Parent/Carer how can I help?

Discuss what they have learnt, their goals and their choices



### Device Free School

The basic expectation can be summed up as "not seen, not heard, not taken".

Between the hours of 08:00 and 15:30, personal electronic devices will always be switched off and kept out of sight on the school premises\*.



### Sanctions

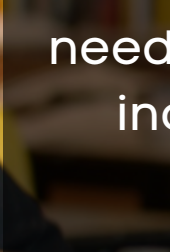
- In the **first** instance - device is confiscated, 30-minute same day detention. Devices will be given back after detention
- In the **second** instance - device is confiscated, 60-minute same day detention. Devices will be given back after detention
- If there is a **third** instance - device is confiscated, 60-minute same day detention. Parent/Carer will need to collect device
- Repeat offenders will not be permitted to bring devices on to site
- Refusal to handover devices will result in an escalated sanction

### Homework

Set weekly on Satchel One  
All subjects - 30 minutes each  
Bedrock – two online lessons: 45 minutes  
Reading (To support your subjects and interests)



### Curriculum Information



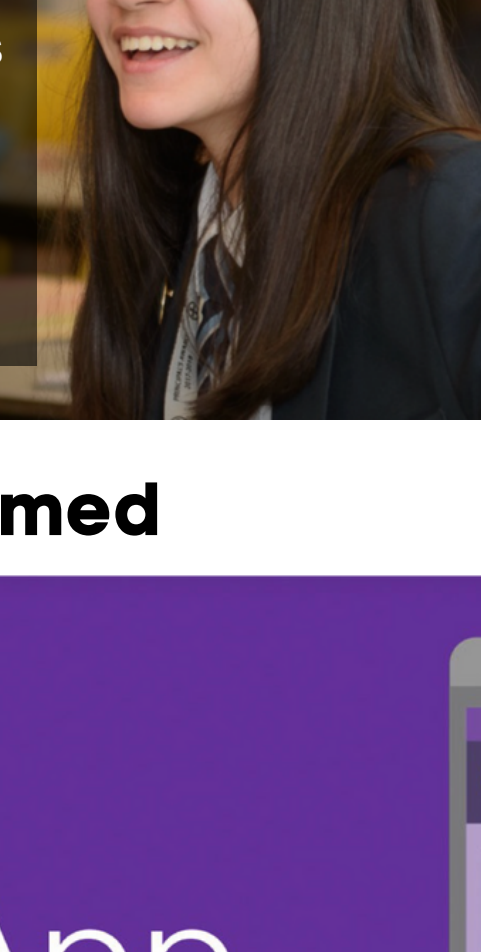
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Improving upon our best

HOME ABOUT US PARENTS/CARERS STUDENTS NEWS & EVENTS

All the information you need about the subjects including Learning Journeys

Students > Curriculum

YEAR 9 OPTIONS  
WORKING FROM HOME  
CURRICULUM  
TEACHING AND LEARNING  
HOUSE SYSTEM  
LEADERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES  
CAREERS AND POST-16  
REVISION ZONE



### Keeping you informed

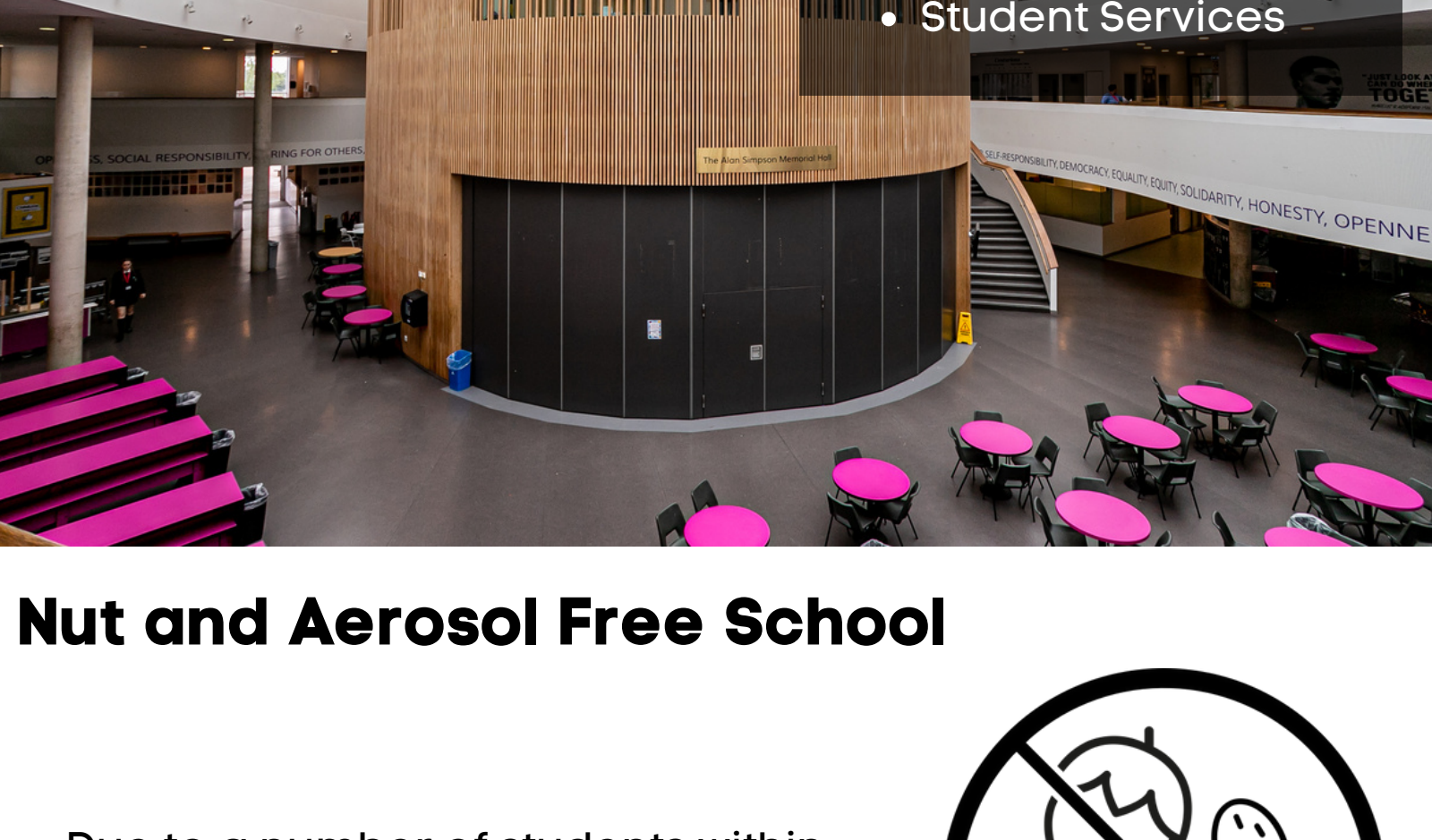
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### Supporting your young person

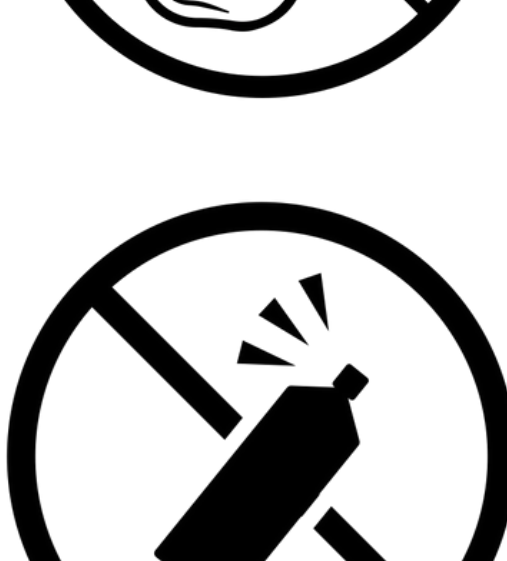


- Tutor
- Head of House
- STEP team
- Access Centre
- Student Services

### Nut and Aerosol Free School

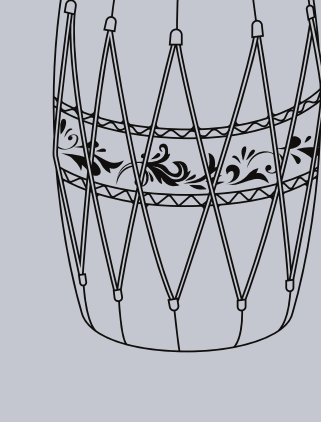
Due to a number of students within our school community who have **severe** allergies and other health conditions we remain a nut and aerosol free school.

So that we can keep every member of our community safe, we ask that students and, parents and carers are vigilant in ensuring that these products are not brought into school

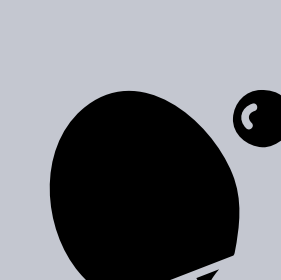


### Clubs and Activities

We run lots of clubs and activities for our young people.



Encourage them to get involved and try everything they can.



Make new friends, learn new skills and enjoy yourself!

Get involved in our student leadership opportunities

