

12th September 2025

Dear Parent/Carer(s)

Re: Junior Scholar Programme

I am writing to make you aware of the launch of this year's Junior Scholar Programme. The Junior Scholar Programme is an exciting extra-curricular opportunity open to all Year 7 and Year 8 students who wish to apply. It offers a programme of fortnightly afterschool sessions running in Week 2 on Wednesdays from 3.30pm to 4.00pm. It is designed to promote curiosity, creativity, oracy, critical thinking and cultural capital from a range of different subjects, aiming to extend learning beyond the usual curriculum. The programme will end in the summer term with scholars designing a brief presentation about something they have enjoyed discovering, with prizes awarded at the end of the year.

We also hope to offer specially organised visits to places and institutions designed to inspire further curiosity and learning. Regular attendees to the Junior Scholar Programme will receive priority when applying for these opportunities.

A task will be set for all Year 7 and Year 8 students on Google Classroom by Tuesday 16th September 2025 containing a link to a Google Form. Those students wishing to join the Junior Scholar Programme must complete this form by Wednesday 24th September 2025.

Yours faithfully



Mr Ford
Senior Leader

