



ST JOHN PAYNE CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Extra-curricular Activities and Events 2021-22



At St John Payne Catholic School our extra-curricular provision is very important to the day to day life of our school community, enabling our students to develop their love for learning, as well as develop socially and spiritually.

We run a variety of clubs and activities for all year groups throughout the year which are outlined in this booklet. Educational trips and visits also run throughout the year offering students the opportunity to consolidate their learning, grow in faith and experience the wider world.

Note that PE changes the sports offered each term and the clubs listed here are for the Autumn Term.

Mondays –

Before school (7:45am start)

Basketball – Year 8 & 9 Boys in the Sports Hall

Lunchtime

Basketball - Year 10 & 11 Boys and Girls recreational in the Sports Hall

Drama Club - Year 7 & 8 Lunchtime in The Drama Studio (MOO9)

Expand your creativity & imagination. Drama Club is an opportunity to have fun, develop your drama skills and techniques further, meet and work with other pupils, take part in competitions against other schools and take part in small performances and showcases.

French Film Club - Years 7-9 Lunchtime in A204

Experience the culture of the countries whose languages you are learning. Free popcorn!

Friendship Club – Year 7 & 8 Lunchtime in Pastoral

Come along and make some new friends in a relaxed atmosphere away from the hustle and bustle of the school day.

After school

Basketball – Year 9-11 Girls in the Sports Hall

Netball – Year 7 & 8 in the Girls' Gym

Polish Club - Monday after school in A202

Native Polish speaker? Develop your GCSE skills with a native speaker.

Rugby – Year 7 & 8 Boys in the Boys' Gym

Are you the next Saracens or England champion? Come along to Rugby training and develop your skills whilst getting fit.

SJP Productions – All Years Monday & Wednesday after school 3.30 to 5pm in Aquinas Hall

Every year the school works collaboratively to stage a professional production. This year we aim to bring We Will Rock You to the community in Mid December. All are welcome to audition and everyone is promised a role.

Tuesdays –

Before school (7:45am start)

Basketball - All Years Girls in the Sports Hall

Lunchtime

Basketball- Year 7 & 8 Boys and Girls in the Sports Hall

Choir - Years 7-9 Lunchtime in MU1

Regardless of ability or experience, all are welcome. We will sing at Mass, assemblies and services. Whether you want to sing a solo or in a group...all are welcome.

Drama Club - Year 9 Lunchtime in The Drama Studio (MO09)

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St Vincent de Paul Club - All Years Lunchtime in M002

This is a club which will look at ways we can help those in need in the community. This offers leadership opportunities also.

LEGO Mindstorms Club – All Years Tuesday Lunchtime in A114

If you like playing with LEGO, you can now program LEGO, with a Mindstorms block. You can use software to solve problems using sensors and motors. Come along and try it out.

Table tennis – All Years Lunchtime in the Boys' Gym

After school

Basketball - Year 8 & 9 Boys in the Sports Hall

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School Orchestra – Open to all in the Music Block

Join the school orchestra and take part in musical performances in school Masses and concerts.

Wednesdays –

Before school (7:45am start)

Basketball - Year 7 Boys in the Sports Hall

Lunchtime

Basketball - Years 7-9 Girls in the Sports Hall

DT Club (Product Design and Make) – Year 9 Lunchtime in A019

Come to DT and learn how you can solve problems by making products.

Friendship Club – Year 7 & 8 Lunchtime in Pastoral

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German Film Club – Years 7-9 Lunchtime in A204

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After school

Basketball – Year 7 & 8 Girls in the Sports Hall

Football – Years 7-9 Boys in the Boys' Gym

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Thursdays –

Before school (7:45am start)

Netball - All Years Girls in the Sports Hall

Lunchtime

Basketball - Year 9 Boys in the Sports Hall

Dance Club – All Years Lunchtime

Studying a range of dance. We will work on technical, physical, mental and emotional skills to best learn the art of performance dance. Specialising in contemporary, lyrical and modern dance; we will work towards performing at events both in and outside school.

Drone Club – Year 8 & 9 Lunchtime in A019

The Drone Club will be about learning 3d drawing software. You will also be building and flying a drone.

CyberFirst – Year 8 Girls Lunchtime in B105

The CyberFirst Girls' Competition aims to support girls interested in a career in cyber security. Organised by the Government in partnership with the National Cyber Security Centre.

Emerge – Year 7 & 8 Lunchtime in M002

This is a Christian Club (but open to all, no matter of different faith or none), where we meet, pray, play games, chat and make friends.

MFL HW Club - Years 7-9 Lunchtime in A203

Want to get ahead with your weekly homework? A welcoming environment to eat and ask questions about homework.

Mindful Makes – 6th Form Lunchtime in A116

It is known that creativity improves mood and increases feelings of relaxation. Discover your inner crafter with Jan - there will be a variety of makes for you to try.

Music Tech Club – Year 9 Lunchtime in the Mac Suite

Come and have a go at composing and producing music on our Macs.

Science Club – Year 7 & 8 Lunchtime in A033

Science Club is a chance to get your hands on a whole range of different scientific equipment and carry out lots of exciting experiments.

After school

Basketball - Year 7 Boys in the Sports Hall

Football - Year 10 Boys in the Boys' Gym

Netball – Years 9 -11

Come and play a team sport that is fun and good for you.

Show Band –

Band rehearsals for our upcoming Whole School Musical.

Fridays –

Before school (7:45am start)

Basketball - Year 10 & 11 Boys in the Sports Hall

Lunchtime

Netball – Year 7 & 8 in the Sports Hall

Colouring Club – All Years Lunchtime in A116

Colouring Club is for everyone - you do not have to be good at colouring, this is a place of calm, a place to de-stress or just escape from your day!

Photography Club – Years 7-9 Lunchtime in the Photography Studio

Learn technical skills to make you a great photographer, using attention to detail and creativity.

Spanish Club – Years 7-9 Lunchtime in A201

Time to brush up on some holiday Spanish? Thinking about an extra GCSE? Join in this fun additional language club.

After school

Badminton – All Years in the Sports Hall

Why not come and let off some steam after a busy week in school playing some badminton with friends?

In addition-

Art – Key stage 4/5 drop in offered every day.

Homework Club – Every lunchtime. Open to all in the Romero building.

IT Club - Monday to Thursday lunchtime Years 7 to 13 in B106.

IT facilities are available to all year groups. Students can complete homework and research tasks or get help with their iMedia coursework.

Science Homework Club – Monday to Friday before school for All years in A032.

The Law Society - A student led group for Sixth Form which meets half termly to debate topical issues.