

# Welcoming Parents of Students in Y11



**Mr Young - Principal**

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# Updates 2022



- Grading decisions for GCSE and A-level exams in 2022 will be made next month
- Exam adaptations for this year will be decided on in the next two weeks
- Ofqual and the DfE will consult on a plan B in the event of exams not going ahead for a third year in a row

# Key dates



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Event	Date
Yr11 Welcome Event	Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> September
6 <sup>th</sup> Form Open Evening for Year 11	Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> October
Progress Report	w/c 18 <sup>th</sup> October
Yr11 Practical mock exams	w/c 13 <sup>th</sup> December
Yr11 Mock exams	w/c 3 <sup>rd</sup> January
Yr11 Mock Results Event in school	Monday 7 <sup>th</sup> February
Year 11 Virtual Parents' Evening	Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup> February
Year 11 into 12 day (6 <sup>th</sup> Form College)	Friday 11 <sup>th</sup> February
Progress Report	w/c 28 <sup>th</sup> March
Year 11 Finishing in Style Event	Tuesday 29 <sup>th</sup> March
Year 11 Rewards Evening	Thursday 31 <sup>st</sup> March
Year 11 Prom (Provisional)	Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> July

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# It is never too early to start revising!



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63 School days left until  
Year 11 Mock  
Examinations



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141 School days  
left until GCSE  
exams start! –  
16<sup>th</sup> May 2022



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170 School  
days left until  
Year 11 Prom!



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# Roadmap to June 2022



Dates	Events & Actions
September	Student Learning checklists; Formative Assessments x2 per half-term – retrieval and revisiting prior learning Flashcard preparation - 'No More One and Done'
October – December	<b>'How to...'</b> videos will be shared with students via Google classroom for each subject area. Revision sessions in school – APPLYING knowledge Practical Mocks - December
January	Mock examinations will test students on all content covered to date

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# Roadmap to June 2022



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Dates	Events & Actions	
February	Year 11 Parents' Evening Internal coursework Deadline (provisional) Feed forward strategy – '20 point plan'	
March - April	Year 11 Finishing in Style Event Year 11 Rewards Evening	<b>'How to...' videos</b> revisited Revision sessions in school – APPLYING knowledge
May	Examinations commence	

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# Support

- School website – Subject overviews - exams, topics, timings, useful revision tips, resources and websites

- Yr11 Information booklet –



- Google classroom – resources & Student Learning Checklists (SLCs)
- Revision sessions and Revision Schools – November – December;
- ‘How to...’ videos

# Support & Information - Website, Twitter, Instagram



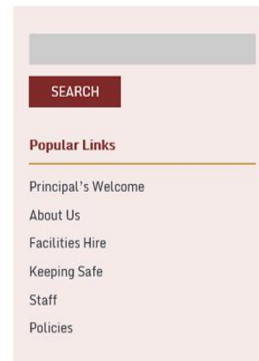
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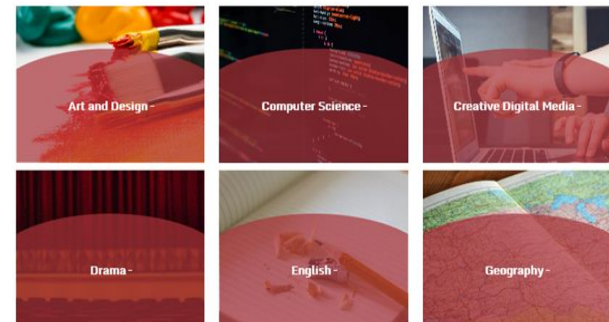


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## KS4 Curriculum

Our KS4 offers students a broad and balanced curriculum. All students will study English, Maths and Science and at least one other EBAC qualifying subject. Other subjects will be free choices offered across the Arts, Humanities and STEM subjects. This is structured in a three pathway model to support all students making maximum progress. Outside of the classroom, our curriculum offers many enrichment opportunities to support the students' learning and development.

Our curriculum builds on their knowledge, skills and understanding developed at KS3 and allow them to develop specific subject knowledge and skills in order to achieve strong academic success in all subject areas and be inspired to move forward on the next steps of their learning journey.



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## -Computer Science

### Why Study Computer Science?

### Careers and Opportunities

Almost all careers require some use of ICT resource. Specific job roles available are roles such as web developer, software engineer, cyber security, network management. ICT and computing offer a wide range of apprenticeship opportunities as well as opportunities to study at a Higher Education level.

### Staff

- Mrs. L. Wall - Head of Faculty - [l.wall@rainford.org.uk](mailto:l.wall@rainford.org.uk)
- Mr. D. Williams - Head of Subject - [d.williams@rainford.org.uk](mailto:d.williams@rainford.org.uk)
- Mrs. J. Burgess - Teacher (SENCO) - [j.burgess@rainford.org.uk](mailto:j.burgess@rainford.org.uk)
- Mr. G. Rothwell - Teacher - [g.rothwell@rainford.org.uk](mailto:g.rothwell@rainford.org.uk)
- Mrs. J. Chadwick- Teacher - [j.chadwick@rainford.org.uk](mailto:j.chadwick@rainford.org.uk)

# History



## Exam Overview:

### **Paper 1 – 1 hour and 45 mins – 50% of GCSE**

Period Study - America 1920-1973: Opportunity and Inequality (six questions)

Wider world depth study - Conflict and tension in Asia: 1950-75 (four questions)

### **Paper 2 – 1 hour and 45 mins – 50% of GCSE**

Thematic study - Britain: Health and the people, c1000 to present day (four questions)

British depth study - Elizabethan England, c1568–1603 (four questions)

# Initial - Key Strategies



*Please see your booklet!*

- 1) RAG rate subjects
- 2) Flashcards & self-quizzing
- 3) Push beyond “One and done” – revisit learning – ‘quiz your child’

- We have invested in a new system to improve communication – see letter

**Instructions**

1. <https://rainford.schoolsynergy.co.uk>
2. Click on the Register Parent Account button
3. Complete the fields using the unique Student Code given below
4. You will be sent a verification email. Check your email (and spam folder) and click the given link. Emails will come from Rainford@email.schoolsynergy.co.uk

If you have multiple children at Rainford High you can add those accounts later from the Students menu.

- View student timetables, attendance, behaviour/praise records and communication from school; soon releasing more features - such as the school calendar/events and progress



# Year 11 Team

Year 11 Learning Leader – Mr A. Skerry

[a.skerry@rainford.org.uk](mailto:a.skerry@rainford.org.uk)

Year 11 Pastoral Leader – Mrs L. Greenall

[l.greenall@rainford.org.uk](mailto:l.greenall@rainford.org.uk)

# Personal Development Tutor



- **First point of contact between school and home.**
- **Deliver PSHCE and Reading sessions**
- **Developing positive attitudes and aspirations of the students in their Tutor group.**
- **Supports the students through the challenges of school and college life and because of their individual knowledge of students and often also of their families, they help to build effective**
- **Monitor behaviour and attendance, standards of uniform / equipment, rewards and recognition of wider Personal Development skills and attributes**

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# Safeguarding and SHARP

## Rainford High Safeguarding Team 2021-2022

If you have a safeguarding or welfare concern then please speak to one of the designated safeguarding officers.



Mr Kenyon

Mr White

Miss Litherland

Mr Pendlebury

Mrs McCartney

Mrs Sheedy

**Designated  
Safeguarding  
Lead &  
Prevent Lead**

**Deputy  
Designated  
Safeguarding &  
Prevent Lead**

**Designated  
Safeguarding  
Officer**

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**Always report a concern to a designated safeguarding officer verbally and then record it on CPOMS**

**Remember, it is always better to over-react then under-react!**

**Report all concerns no matter how small they may seem!**

**Are you in lesson and you need a Designated Safeguarding officer? Email patrol and ask for one!**



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## Key focus areas:

Online safety  
Peer Treatment  
Mental Health

[Safeguarding@rainford.org.uk](mailto:Safeguarding@rainford.org.uk)

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# National Online Safety



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## Online Safety Education for the Whole School Community

★★★★★ Read Reviews (2,124)

Helping schools meet their statutory safeguarding and curriculum requirements through the most comprehensive online safety programme for educators, parents and children.

★ BOOK A DEMONSTRATION

👤 INTERESTED IN BECOMING A MEMBER?



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### Back to School | Online Safety Tips for Children

This week's free online safety guide focuses on going back to school. Wow, it's September already! The month when autumn officially starts and ... oh yeah. The beginning of a new school year. The guide takes a look at a number of tips such as how to spot fake news, reporting something offensive online and how to deal with bullies.

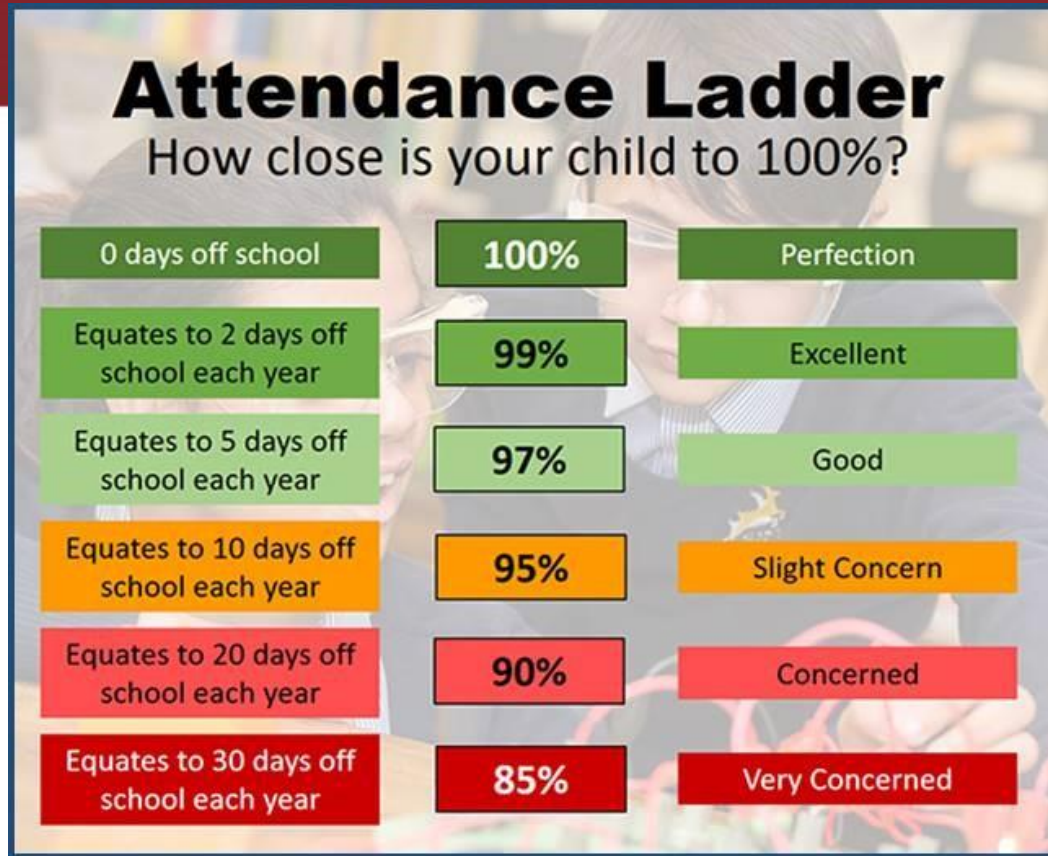
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# Attendance Support Target: At least 97%



# What I wish I had known at the start of my GCSEs...



Mr Blake (Jamie)

Former student, now Learning support Assistant @ RHS

# And Finally....



- Meet your child's tutor next door – say hello!
- Please complete the feedback form and leave it on your way out
- Get in touch if you need us