

AGS Year 10 Curriculum Information Evening





## AGS Year 10 Key Calendar Dates



Oxford University Roadshow is 1st October 2024

Careers Fair is 14th November 2024

Y10 Parents' Evenings are 12th December 2024 and 15th May 2025

Mock Exams are 24th June – 4th July 2025

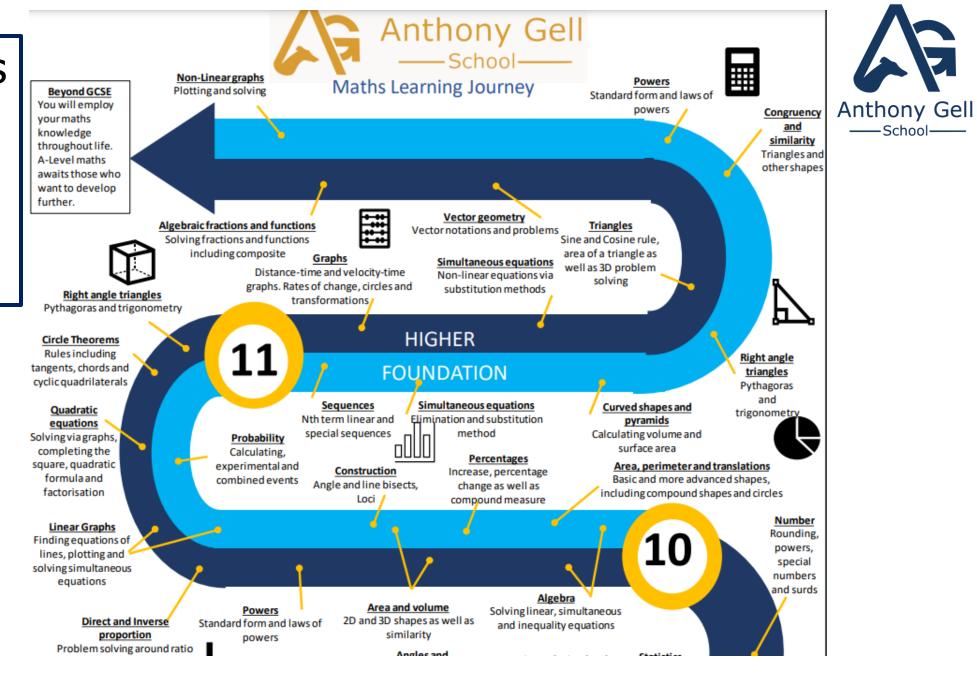
Year 10 Careers Week is 28<sup>th</sup> April – 2<sup>nd</sup> May and will include a visit to a local University or College

#### Additional Dates

- Open Evening for pupils in Year 5 and Year 6 is 3rd October 2024
- Progress data sent home on 5th December 2024, 26th March 2025 and 18th July 2025

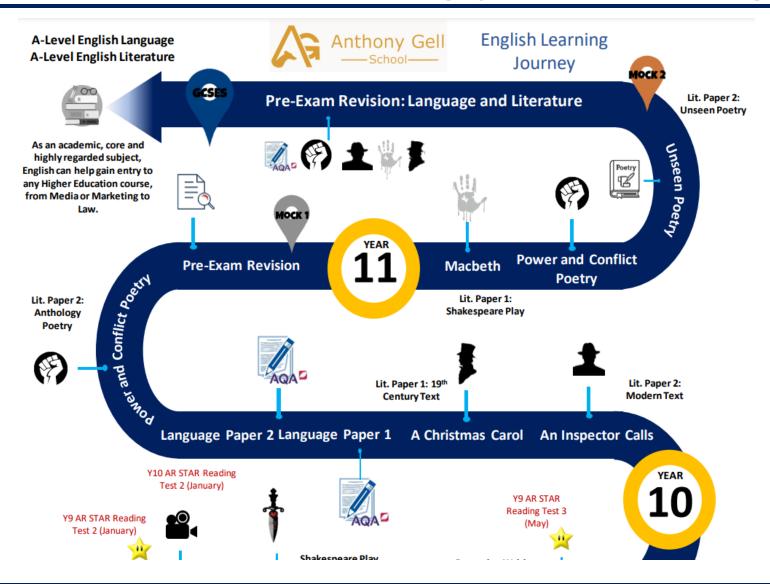
https://www.anthonygell.co.uk/parents/term-dates/

My Child's Year 10 learning journey -Maths



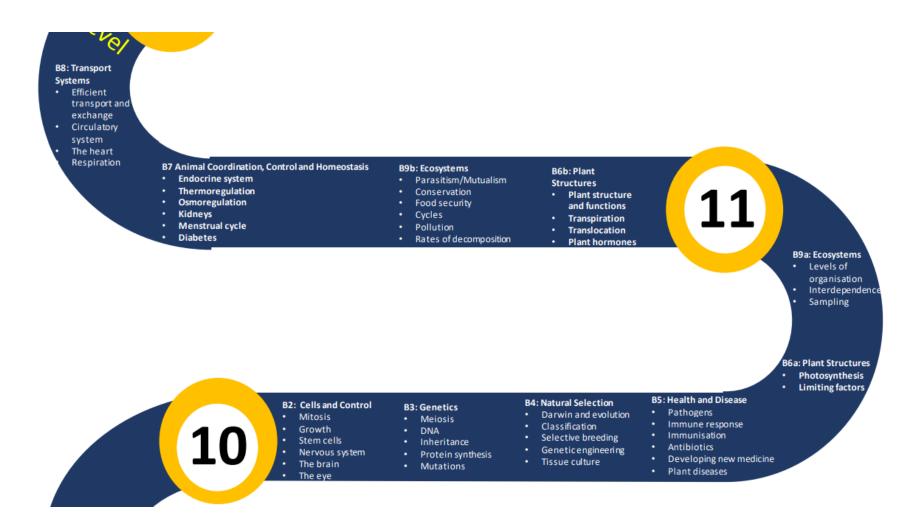
# My Child's Year 10 learning journey - English





# My Child's Year 10 learning journey - Biology





# How can I support my child in their learning journey?







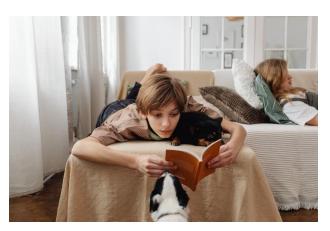












# How can I support my child in their revision?





**Flashcards:** Question on one side – answers on the other. Ideal for then testing themselves or being tested by a friend / adult.

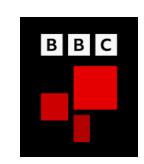
**Start Big, go small:** The first time they revise a topic fill an A3 sheet, then the net time reduce it to A4 and eventually to a flashcard. This encourages them to disregard the information they know between one revision sessions and the next.

**Mind maps / diagrams:** Good for more visual revision ie the human body, sections of the river...

**Exam Question practice:** Invaluable but cannot be used on its own as it doesn't actually help students learn what they don't know.

**Online revision:** lots of sources available. Next are the ones we recommend.

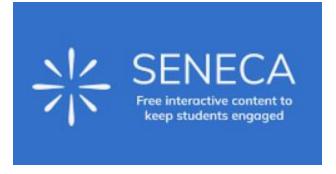
### Online resources to support learning









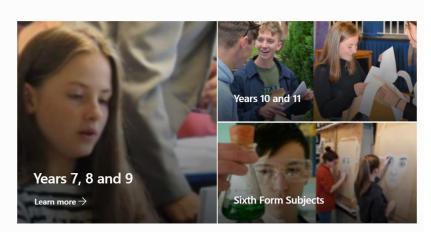
















## The AGS Way



Care

**Aspire** 

Achieve



### **Expectations**



#### Arrive to school equipped to learn:

Students <u>must bring a bag</u> to school for books, pencil cases and calculator. Phones need to be in bags during lessons. Pencil cases must contain pens, pencils, a ruler, a pencil sharpener, a rubber, glue stick & safety scissors.

Arrive punctually: students have a MAXIMUM of two minutes to transition between lessons

Line up outside the classroom, enter quietly and ALWAYS follow the seating plan

Silence for the register

Do not disrupt others in their learning

Possession of phones, headphones and in-appropriate use of smartwatches will result in confiscation

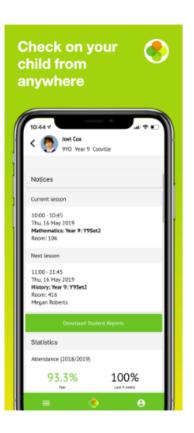
Exit in an orderly manner as directed by staff

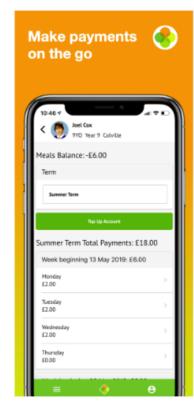
## Parental Engagement - Arbor





- Arbor is our new parent/student app
- Student access from Friday 13th
- Parent access from Friday 20<sup>th</sup> (estimated)
- View and amend your personal details e.g. next of kin/contact details, parental permissions e.g. photos
- Phased rollout of student information. Initially:
  - Timetable
  - Student details
  - Attendance
  - Behaviour
- Future functions will be introduced
  - e.g. homework/assignments; student progress/data /exams/payments
- App is available on your app store iOS, Android
- Arbor will be available on your chosen device e.g. phone/tablet/desktop











## Clubs and Activities to get involved in.



- Revision clubs will be widely available thanks to our dedicated staff team willing to give up their time to this.
- Some revision sessions will be available all year while others will be available at key points in the year.
- We space the revision clubs out between lunchtimes and afterschool (as well as some in the school holidays) but there will inevitably be overlap. Please do all you can to help your children attend these sessions.
- Mr Lovatt will send information home regarding the mock exams when it is appropriate. We will always
  talk to students also but please keep a regular eye on your email and check your email address in
  school is up to date.
- Geography fieldwork and other curriculum based visits

Club	Time / Day	Room
Japanese Club	Friday Lunch	G10
German Club	Wednesday Lunch	G9
Book Club	Monday Lunch	G10
British Sign Language Club	Tuesday Lunch	G3
Darts Club	Wednesday Lunch	M5
E-Sports	Mon – Thurs Lunch & Tuesday afterschool	C2
Coding Club	Week 1 Friday Lunch	C2
Chess / Dominos / Poker	Lunchtime – date TBC	M5
Maths Booster – Y11	Tuesday After School	M1
Pokemon Club	Thursday Lunch	C4
Warhammer Club	Monday After School	Art1
Talk Science Club	Tuesday Lunch	S4
Science Club	Thursday After School	S5
Y11 Drama Portfolios	Thursday Lunch	G9
Restoration Club	Tuesday Lunch	T2



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### MUSIC CLUBS FOR ALL YEAR GROUPS

<u>Monday</u>	Lunchtime 12.45-1.25pm	Music Tech Club Year 7 and 8 T5	After school 3.30-4.45pm	Vocal group Year 7 and 8 Music
<u>Tuesday</u>	Lunchtime 12.45-1.25pm		After school 3.30-4:45pm	Rock School All years Music Room
Wednesday	Lunchtime 12:50-1.25pm	Wind Quartet Invitation Only Music Room	After school 3.30-4.45pm	Harmony Invitation only Music room
Thursday	Lunchtime 12.45-1.25pm	Staff & Sixth Form Choir Year 12,13 & Staff Music Room	After school 3.30-4.45pm	Harmony Band Invitation only Music Room
<u>Friday</u>	Lunchtime 12.45-1.30pm	Ukulele Group All years Music Room	After school 3.30-4.45pm	

All the activities are free

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### Lunchtime

After-school

Monday	Y7-10 Badminton Mr John (week 1) & Mr Pover (Week 2)	Y10 & 11 GCSE Practical Mr Pover & Mr Mason
	Y7 Dance Minor Hall Ms. Forrester	
Tuesday	Y8 & 9 Dance Minor Hall Ms. Forrester	Y7-10 Rugby
Wednesday	Y7-9 Roller Skating Mr Gaskin	Y7-10 Football (Bovs) Mr Richards & Mr John
		Y7-11 Basketball Mr Pover & Mr Spencer
Thursday		Y7-9 Football (Girls)  Mrs Patterson, Mr Mosely & Mrs Clifford
Friday	Yr 11 GCSE PE  T7 Mr John & Mrs Sadler	