



Welcome to





Welcome ***Class of*** ***#2027***



‘Hoo’ are we?

Ms Pearce – Head of Sixth Form, Atlas College

Mr Dehaney - Director of Pastoral, Atlas College

Miss Leahy - Vice Principal with responsibility for KS5

Mrs Bull - Administrative Assistant, Atlas College

Form Tutor team: Atlas College



Your journey and an introduction to Sixth Form

Ms Pearce





How did your choices inform timetable construction?

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Timetable Blocking

Block A	Block B	Block C	Block D
Art/Photography - GCSE Art and Design subject at grade 5	Mathematics - GCSE Mathematics at grade 7	Applied Science - GCSE Combined Science at grade 5-5 or GCSE Biology, Chemistry or Physics at grade 5	Digital Media - Cambridge National Creative iMedia at grade L2M (if taken)
Chemistry - GCSE Combined Science at grade 7-7 or GCSE Chemistry: 7	Core Mathematics - GCSE Mathematics at grade 5	Geography GCSE Geography at grade 6	English Literature - GCSE English Language or GCSE English Literature at grade 6
Media Studies - GCSE English Language or Literature at grade 4	Business Studies - BTEC Business at grade L2M (if taken)	History - GCSE History at grade: 6	Health and Social - BTEC Health and Social Care at grade L2M (if taken)
Sociology - GCSE Sociology at grade 5 or GCSE English Language at grade 5	Psychology - GCSE English at grade 5 and a GCSE Science at grade 5	Travel and Tourism - BTEC Travel and Tourism at grade L2M (if taken)	Sport Studies - GCSE Physical Education at grade 5 or Cambridge National Health and Fitness at grade L2M (if taken)
Politics - GCSE English Language or Literature at grade 4	Spanish - GCSE Spanish at grade 5	Film Studies - GCSE English Language or GCSE English Literature at grade 4	
		Physics - GCSE Combined Science at grade 7-7 or GCSE Physics: 7	

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**Will the Academy add
or remove any more
courses now?**

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What does 'Conditional Offer' mean?

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What happens on Results Day? Thursday August 21st

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Your Induction

- The purpose of the Induction is that you will experience taster sessions for all of your choices that you made when you applied for Sixth Form.
- You will also have the opportunity to experience other sessions to ensure that you have chosen the correct subjects for you.
- Bridging Packs will be given out during these two days for you to complete over the summer. These are your responsibility to complete and bring to your first day back in September.

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Your Induction timetable

8:30-9:00: arrival to Sixth Form Common Room

9:00-10:00: session 1

10:00-11:00: session 2

11:00-11:20: Break in the Sixth Form Common Room

11:20-12:20: session 3

12:20-1:20: session 4

1:20-1:30 optional meeting in Common Room with Ms Pearce

2:00-2:50: Politics (Block A) *New Course*

Day finishes

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Your Induction timetable

Block A 9:00-10:00		Block B 10:00-11:00		Block C 11:20-12:20		Block D 12:20-1:20		Politics 2:00-2:50
Photo Art	NXM in A2 JXC in A3	Maths	LEH in M9	Applied Science	DZM in S14	iMedia	SCA in IT2	<div>▼</div> <p>We have an opportunity for any students to experience:</p> <p>A Level Politics (Block A)</p> <p>with Mr Dent in H7</p>
Chem	ELA in S15	Core Maths	ARI in M8	Physics	CLW in S2	Lit	ROA in E6	
Media	KZB in ME1	Business	ARE in PHE5	Geog	DGR in H16	H&S	LEM in PHE2	
Soc	JJM in L3	Psych	MAW in H14	History	RZC in H13	Sport	MRA in PHE3	
		Spanish	MXW in L6	T&T	DXK in H15			
				Film	CJM in ME2			
Study	Common Room	Study	Common Room	Study	Common Room	Study	Common Room	

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**What does your HoH6th mean to you?
What are you ready to achieve?**

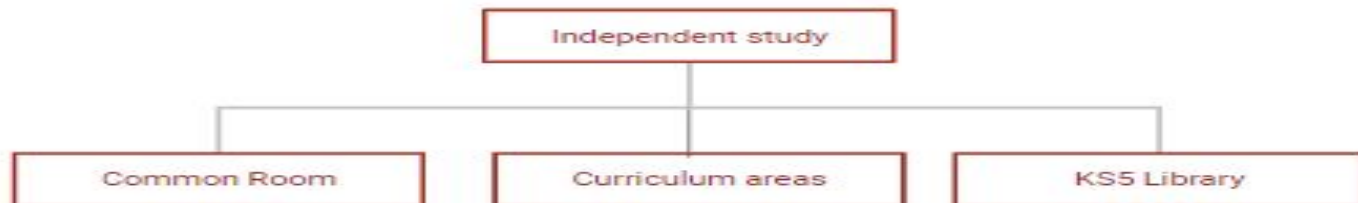
- Intention to...
- Dedication to...
- Perseverance and Resilience to...

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What does a Sixth Form Timetable look like?

- Timetables are built based on your option blocks and each day you will have one of your option block subjects
- Independent and Supervised Study Periods are those which you do not have a taught lesson from your curriculum teachers, rather you have the time and opportunity to complete your lesson preparation and independent study



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What is our Sixth Form Dress Code?

- In September we will expect you to transition to a professional and formal dress code much like a work place
- You will be given a Sixth Form lanyard on your arrival to the Academy in September after enrolment and you will be expected to wear these lanyards every day with your Student ID in them.
- You will be given the full dress code for sixth form in your enrolment packs
- *T Level students will be subject to Placement Dress Policies*

For your induction please wear smart trousers and top with smart shoes (no open toe or trainers)



What is our Sixth Form Dress Code?

Hair Styles:

- Natural Hair Colors Only: Hair colours must be natural.
- Hair Tied Up: Hair must be tied up upon request for all practical lessons.

Make-up and Jewellery:

- Subtle and Natural Makeup: Makeup and nails should be subtle and natural.
- Jewellery: Jewellery should be worn modestly and in good taste.

Consequences for Dress Code Violations:

- Verbal Warning: Students will receive a verbal warning for the first offence.
- Parental Notification: Repeat offences may result in parental notification and further disciplinary action as outlined in the college's behaviour policy.



Financial support: 16-19 Bursary

- Applications are invited from students whose combined household income **will not exceed £32,000 for the year.**
- In order to ensure fairness and transparency, **proof of household income** will be required as part of the application.
- We are aware that the **loss of Student Bus Passes** as students move into Post-16 education can be an unexpected financial concern for families, in addition to the need to buy school clothes that adhere to a professional and smart dress code, as well as the ongoing costs of the Level 3 qualification resources.
- Bursary monies awarded are to support families with these costs and allow students to begin to build financial self-management skills.
- Students should be able to demonstrate that they are spending their bursary awarded funds towards these aims



Life in the Hundred of Hoo Sixth Form

Mr Dehaney



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Punctuality and Attendance at Sixth Form

“Students are expected to attend every day that the academy is open and be on time to every lesson. Good attendance is important in maintaining academic progress. The academy day begins at 8:25am and finishes at 4:00pm, however most lessons will finish at 3:00pm. Some subjects will run lessons during period 6 (3:00pm - 4:00pm) and where this is applicable, students must attend. This may occur at any time during the year.”

Note from September:

- By Module 2 Period 5 (Period 4 on Wednesdays) Independent Study Lessons- if attendance is 97% and above, Sixth Form can go home.



Preparing for life and workplace behaviours

- Verbal warning to student
- Written warning recorded on BromCom
- Escalated written warning recorded on BromCom

Verbal, Written and Escalated warnings issued for the following areas:

1. **Professional behaviours/misconduct:** attendance/lateness, self management in-lesson or study sessions, and wider academy behaviour
2. **Performance capabilities:** Academic underperformance related to study and homework



A place of positivity and collaboration

Rewards

The biggest reward is academic and social success. However, we will always acknowledge consistent meeting and exceeding of expectations.

- Time to yourself
- Trips
- Opportunities to work with peers and younger years
- Independence
- Community events

Have your say...

We take feedback from our Year 12 and 13s...

- Dress code
- Physical Activities as part of the Academic week/timetable
- Flexible working
- Food options
- Opportunities to cook
- More in- depth careers related activities



How we support you

Pastoral - We have a holistic approach, caring for our students **emotionally** and **socially**.

Academic - We encourage academic growth, instilling **positive learning habits** and **independence** as well as developing **skills** and **knowledge**.

Wellbeing - The **health** and **happiness** of those in Atlas are our main concern.

Life Skills - Preparing for next steps and, ultimately the life of a **successful adult**, is key to our planning and delivery.

Post-18 destinations

From UCAS and apprenticeships to the workplace, we support with **advice** and **guidance, references** and a plethora of **information**.



Who to speak to

Pastoral /Student Support- Mr Dehaney

Academic - Ms Pearce or Miss Leahy

Curriculum choices - Ms Pearce/Mr Dehaney/Mr Hassett

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See you tomorrow class of 2026!!

