### Enrichment

### Outwood Academy Bydales

### AUTUMN TERM 2025/2026



#### What is Enrichment?

Although formal lessons end at 2.50pm, the academy day does not. Students are able to choose from a fantastic range of after-school enrichment activities and clubs, both academic and non-academic

#### Sessions are now either 2:50-3:30pm or 2:50-3:50pm.

Enrichment is overseen by Miss Fellows who is always happy to help with any queries (e.fellows@bydales.outwood.com) or alternatively you can contact the staff member leading each enrichment directly via email. The names of the relevant staff can be found within this booklet and all staff emails use the format:

If it initial I. I surname I @bydales.outwood.com.

#### Why attend Enrichment?

There are two main reasons to attend the after-school activities on offer. Firstly, catch up sessions are a fantastic tool to help accelerate your academic achievement. Whether you missed a lesson, want to improve your depth of knowledge or need help with coursework then catch-up sessions will provide you with one-to-one tuition from a range of staff in different departments.

Secondly, enrichment activities allow you to gain experience and skills in areas not typically part of your everyday curriculum. Enhancing your personal attributes by opting to gain new experiences is extremely desirable to future employers and higher education providers.

#### Who can attend?

Everyone! Whichever year group you are in, there are after-academy sessions to choose from. For GCSE students, your teachers will let you know if they think you will benefit from academic enrichment in a specific subject.

#### What is available?

We are doing our best to provide a rich variety of enrichments across the school. Whatever your needs or interests there are activities to get involved with. The selection of activities are organised by day and year group. If there's an Enrichment you would like to take part in that isn't currently offered, please voice this to Miss Fellows.

#### Is it safe?

All enrichment sessions adhere to current government guidelines and use the same safety procedures we use in lessons.

#### What happens if an Enrichment has to be cancelled?

Although we will always try to avoid it, occasionally enrichment sessions may need to be cancelled, such as when there is bad weather or a key member of staff is absent. You will be able to telephone a parent/carer and can stay in the academy until you can plan your journey home. The Academy will send an email as soon as possible if an enrichment is cancelled.



Enrichment Activity	Description	Year Group	Staff Lead	Room & Time
GCSE Maths Enrichment	Year 11 students are expected to attend to support with revision and preparation for exams.	Year II	Mrs Charlton Mrs Hudson Ms Ferris Mr Clayton Mr McGreal	111 112 118 123 119 2::50 - 3:30
Cambridge National Enterprise & Marketing Enrichment	An opportunity for targeted Year 10 students to work on coursework portfolios.	Year 10	Mrs Ellwood	<b>104</b> 2.:50 - 3:30
Badminton	An introduction to badminton skills and games. 24 places available. Students to sign up by emailing n.hill@bydales.outwood.com.	Year 7	Mrs Hill	<b>Sports Hall</b> 2::50 - 3:30
GCSE Music	An opportunity for invited students to access GCSE style music composition, production and recording. For Year 9 instrumentalists and Year 10 GCSE students.	Year 9 & Year 10	Mrs Trenholm	<b>203</b> 2.50 - 3.50
School Production Rehearsals - Blood Brothers	Rehearsals for all cast for this term's School Production of Blood Brothers.	Year 7 - Year 10	Mrs. Wood- ward Miss Pressley	<b>100</b> 2.50 - 4.00
Duke of Edinburgh Award	An opportunity for support in writing assessor reports in order to complete the award by the end of September.	Year 10 & Year 11	Mrs Waites	<b>212</b> 2.50-3.30



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Guitar Club	Group guitar lessons with our professional Guitarist, Geoff Keeler. Two groups, beginners 2.50 - 3.20 and more advanced 3.20 to 3.50. Students need to collect a letter from Mrs Trenholm. A fee of £3.00 per week will be required, paid in advance on iPay.	Year 7 - Year 10	Mrs Trenholm	203 Beginners 2.50 - 3.20 Advanced 3.20 -3.50



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GCSE English Enrichment	Year II students are expected to attend to support with revision and preparation for exams.	Year II	Mrs Waugh Mrs Craig Mrs Jackson Mr Renahan Mrs Cole Mr Dowle	209 211 210 208 207 206 2:50-3:30	
Cambridge National Enterprise & Marketing Enrichment	An opportunity for targeted Year 10 students to work on coursework portfolios.	Year 10	Mrs Ellwood	<b>104</b> 2.:50 - 3:30	
Choir	An opportunity for students to join others in singing and preparing for performance opportunities both in and outside the Academy	Year 7 - Year 9	Mrs Trenholm	<b>203</b> 2:50 - 3:30	
Maths/Science Homework Club	A chance to complete maths/science homework with a maths/science teacher to help!	All Years	Mrs Joyce / Mr House	102 103 2:50-3:30	
Religious, Philosophical and Ethical Studies	An opportunity to study Religious Studies GCSE	Year 10	Miss Harvey	115 2:50-3:50	



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KS3 Football	Afterschool football club.	Year 7 - Year 9	Mr Wilkinson Mr Lawrence	<b>Sports Hall</b> 2:50 - 3:50
School Production Rehearsals - Blood Brothers	Rehearsals for all cast for this term's School Production of Blood Brothers.	Year 7 - Year 10	Mrs Woodward Miss Pressley	100 2.50 - 4.00
The King's Trust	For previous and current PLC students. This is an entry level qualification working on Teamwork skills, healthy eating, preparation for adulthood and skills for employment.	PLC Students	Miss Hall	PLC 2:50-3:30
Homework Club	Students can use the computers in the LRC, on a first come first serve basis, to complete any homework.	All Years	Miss Fellows	LRC 2:50-3:30
History Games Club	An opportunity to play games linked to History and make friends with others.	Year 7 - Year 9	Miss Ellwood	114 2:50-3:30



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GCSE Science Enrichment	Year 11 students are expected to attend to support with revision and preparation for exams.	Year II	Mr House Miss Firth Mrs Moore Mrs Chiverton	214 215 218 219 2:50-3:30
Cambridge National Enterprise & Marketing Enrichment	An opportunity for targeted Year I0 students to work on coursework portfolios.	Year 10	Mrs Ellwood	1 <b>04</b> 2:50-3:30
Band Night	An opportunity for established bands to rehearse and prepare for performances both in and out of the academy. Students to see Mrs Trenholm in advance to sign up.	N/A	Mrs Trenholm	<b>203</b> 2:50 - 3:30
English Intervention	Invitation/appointment only. Year 10& Year 11 English 1-1 or (small) groups of four. Language support.	N/A	Mrs Cole	<b>207</b> 2:50-3:30
Badminton	Lets play badminton	Year 8 - Year 10	Mr Morgan	<b>Sports Hall</b> 2:50 - 3:30

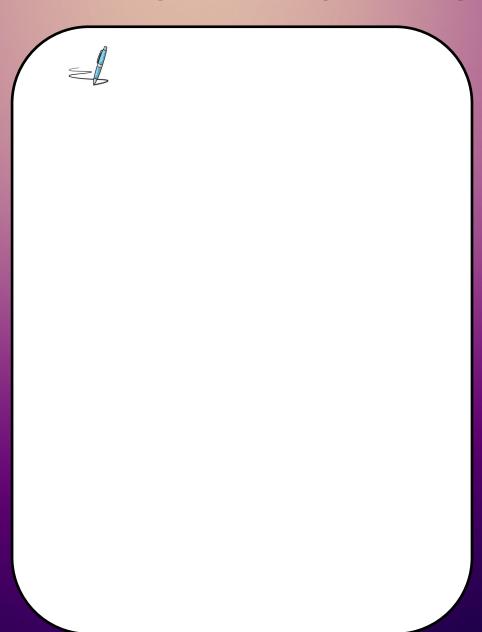


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Dance	Open rehearsals for students interested in developing their dance skills. All styles of dance welcome and this term we will be preparing for the Dance Showcase event.	Year 7 - Year 10	Mrs Woodward	1 <b>00</b> 2:50-3:30
Edexcel GCSE Design Technology Timbers	An opportunity for targeted Y10 students to work on coursework portfolios.	Year 10	Miss Lees	<b>122</b> 2.50-3.30
History Outside of the Curriculum	Students can explore, discuss and debate Historical topics that are not covered in our school's curriculum.	Year 7 - Year 9	Miss Ellwood	114 102 103 2.50-3.50
Heroes	Students will explore how a special educational need is actually a superpower. They will complete a project to raise an awareness of special educational needs.	Year 7 - Year 9	Miss Ritchie / Mrs Reinoso	<b>Bridge</b> 2:50-3:30
Homework Club	Students can use the computers in the LRC, on a first come first serve basis to complete any homework.	All years	Miss Fellows	LRC 2:50-3:30
Lexia	A chance to catch up on your Lexia work and to chat about anything that you may not understand.	Year 7 & Year 8	Mrs Dering	<b>Bridge</b> 2:50 -3:30

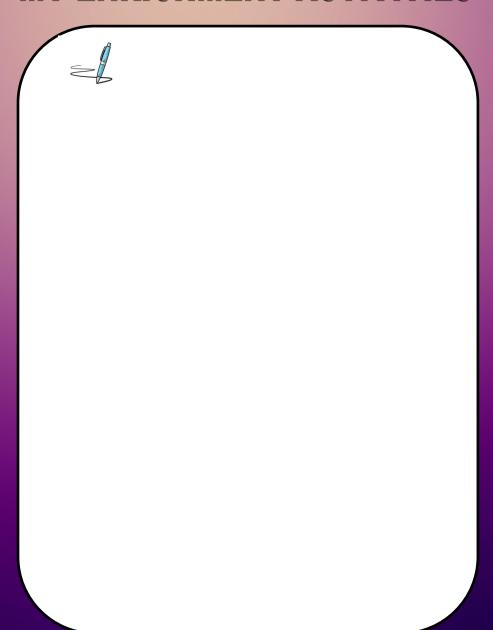


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GCSE Geography Enrichment	Year II students are expected to attend to support with revision and preparation for exams.	Year 10 & Year 11	Mr McIoughlin	<b>1 09</b> 2:50 - 3:50
GCSE History Enrichment	Year 11 students are expected to attend to support with revision and preparation for exams.	Year 10 & Year 11	Miss Green Mr Beacham Mr Hutchinson	115 107 116 2.50-3.50
GCSE Computer Science Enrichment	Year 11 students are expected to attend to support with revision and preparation for exams.	Year 10 - Year 11	Mrs Williams	<b>221</b> 2:50-3:50
GCSE MFL Enrichment	Year 11 students are expected to attend to support with revision and preparation for exams.	Year II	Mrs Niscemi Mrs Waites	213 212 2:50-3:50
History Games Club	Take part in strategic games with a historical twist	Year 7 - Year 9	Miss Ellwood	114 2.50-3.50
Sustainability Action Group	An opportunity for students to plan and put into action strategies to help our school become more sustainable, by also working with the student voice and wider community.	Year 7 - Year II	Mr McIoughlin Mrs Woodward Mr Cole	108 2:50-3:30
Young Librarians	Help Miss Fellows get the LRC ready for the following week, playing games and meeting other students interested in the library!	All Years (limited spaces)	Miss Fellows	LRC 2:50-3:30

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