ENRICHMENT

Students have enjoyed their usual richness of extra-curricular activities, including:

Highlights – September to October 2023
• Elevate Education – Year 7 & Year 12 • Year 12 Meet the Tutor Evening • Year 8 Meet the Tutor Evening • KS4 information evening • Fresher's Fayre – Year 12 • A wide range of sporting fixtures. • New Parents' Welcome Evening – Year 7 • Jack Petchey Speak Out • Black History Month • Enrichment Day 1 • PA School Disco – Year 7 to 9 • Restart the Heart • Year 13 Theatre Studies Showcase Evening • Leadership Conference – Year 11 • Parents' Association Film Night – Year 7 • House Karaoke – Years 8 and 9 • Two CCHS Lectures, open to all years.

Educational Trips and Visits September and October		
U15 Essex Cricket Cup Semi Final	Mixed	11th September 2023
U15 Essex Cricket Cup Final	Mixed	13th September 2023
Snowdonia Field Trip	YR11	18th – 21st September 23
Britten Sinfonia Workshop @ Kegs	Mixed	2nd October 2023
Football v St Martins	YRS 7-8	2nd October 2023
Netball – National Schools	U16	3rd October 2023
Flatford Mill	YR13	3rd October 2023
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Netball – National Schools	U14	4th October 2023
Tate Modern Trip	YR11 & YR13	4th October 2023
CESSSA Netball v Grt Baddow	U16	10th October 2023
Football v Anglo European	YR7-8	11th October 2023
Hockey Match v Chigwell	U14	13th October 2023
Basketball	YR8	17th October 2023
Epping Forest Trip	YR10	18th October 2023

Enrichment Days Update 2023/24
We remain committed to high quality enrichment activities for our students and continually seek opportunities to supplement our curriculum provision with inspiring and enlightening events. This academic year we are continuing to develop the range of trips that we can offer to all students. A new French trip for Year 12 will take place in June to complement the trips offered by French and German last year. Planning is proceeding for a trip for Year 8 to take place in the summer and other opportunities for the year 2024 to 2025 are currently under discussion.

We continue with the provision of three Enrichment Days across the academic year, with a range of activities on offer. This enables us to dedicate three days during the calendar year where the whole school celebrates as a community the enrichment provision that we have on offer. The model of three days rather than five was chosen as it maintains some flexibility for other events to take place across the academic year, for example the Jack Petchey speak out challenge and the A Level Science live trip.

Feedback and research indicates that our KS3 students appreciate taking part in new experiences whereas our KS4 & KS5 students place increased value upon learning time and enrichment enabling them to put theoretical curriculum learning into practice. The activities per year group have been planned with this approach in mind.

Our work with primary school pupils through our Enrichment Day programme continues to be an essential part of our Fair Access and Partnership Plan. During our first enrichment day Year 5 students joined us in school to working with our Science Department on their day 'Fizz, Pop, Bang!'.

This year's enrichment programme is plentiful and we are absolutely delighted that we are able to offer so many varied activities to our students.

Enrichment Day 1 Activities: Thursday 13th October

Primary students: Fizz, Pop, Bang!
Year 7: Languages Day
Year 8: Creative Fest
Year 9: Culture and Diversity Day
Year 10: Careers
Year 11: English Masterclass including a visiting theatre company: Romeo and Juliet
Year 12: Prefects are supporting the above activities and undertaking self-study
Year 13: Maths Masterclass and A Level Theatre Studies