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## Year 7 Newsletter

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**Courage**

**Compassion**

**Respect**

**Faith**

**Integrity**

Bacon's College ensures that every student is well educated, cared for and exhorted to achieve the academic and personal excellence that will lead to university or skilled work and to a fulfilled life.

*'I came to give life, life in all its fullness'*

John 10:10

#### A week in the life of Year 7

Dear parents/guardians,

I hope you and your families are all well.

Year 7 have really settled in well to school and lots of teachers have said how impressed they are with the attitude of students both in and outside of lessons. When Ms Johnson and I have visited lessons, they have been calm and focused.

It was lovely to see so many of you at the Welcome Service last Thursday to welcome Year 7 into the school as well as to celebrate the amazing array of summer projects produced – we were all very impressed with the standard this year and it was very hard to choose the winners.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you would like our support or assistance.

Kind regards,

Miss O'Leary

Deputy Head of Year 7

## Shout Outs

Students who have stood out to a teacher either from their classwork or behaviour.

**Gabriel B, Lexie-Mae and Ines JR** had outstanding contributions in our Maths lesson today, correctly answering questions on topics that they hadn't encountered yet!! Massive well done to those three – Mr Arnold

**Tenshi** - great attitude to learning in History - Ms Dickinson

**Summer C** - great perseverance in history - Ms Dickinson

**Ameriyah B** - great attitude and curiosity in History - Ms Dickinson

**Neil** - great work and knowledge in history - Ms Dickinson

**Osanna K** - Very positive, does more than asked and willing to share in Product Design! - Ms Diver

**Tamera K** - Great attitude and willingness to share in Product Design! - Ms Diver

**Elijah** - Really focused and asks great questions in Product Design! - Ms Diver

**Joseph B** - Quiet but super clever and creative! He's always doing exactly the right thing in Product Design. - Ms Diver

**Harley W** - First lesson and he was already ahead of most! Super creative and well behaved in Product Design! - Ms Diver

**Jorgie** - Always super engaged, listening and ask great questions in class in Product Design! - Ms Diver

**Anyia** - Well behaved, really engaged in the lesson and goes beyond what is asked for in Product Design! -Ms Diver

**Trang** - Natural born designer, great drawing skills and attitude in Product Design – Ms Diver

**Robert** - excellent engagement in History. - Ms Newton

**Josh L** - really great contributions to lessons in History. - Ms Newton

**Halima** - Excellent homework. Well presented and completed to a high standard - Ms Lyons, Mathematics

**Harper** - Always on task and completing all work to a high standard - Ms Lyons Mathematics

**Prince** - excellent participation in class - Ms Lyons, Mathematics

**Liem Le, Adela D, Osca K, Ada B** - Wonderful participation in English lessons and great attitude to learning. - Ms Qi

**Tatum, Adela, Osca and Christaina** for their engagement and keenness to ask relevant questions  
– Mr Devonshire, Geography

**Huey and Freddie** for attempting a challenging task and completing it to an excellent standard. –  
Mr Devonshire, Geography

**Ebi and Anya** for their effort and the way in which they complete their work - Mr Devonshire,  
Geography

**Tamera** for her contributions to class too, especially the manner in which she asks and answers  
questions. - Mr Devonshire, Geography

## Attendance



The graphic above highlights some key statistics linked to attendance.

We know that students who are in school perform better and learn more.

Please support us as we aim for the best possible attendance for every single student at Bacon's College.

**Well done to Tutor Group C for getting the highest attendance for week!**

Year 7 – 97.4%

N – 97.4%

I – 97.4%

C – 98.1%

O – 97.1%

L – 97.9%

A – 97.8%

S – 97.5%

### **Pupil charter**

The start of the new academic year sees the launch of the Bacon's Pupil Charter for all year groups. Having been designed with student and staff input, the Charter sets out a core offer of opportunities for Bacon's students throughout their school career. The Charter focusses on developing the personal excellence of our students through opportunities that take place outside of the classroom and works in partnership with an ambitious enrichment offer. The Charter is linked to our well-established rewards system and students will achieve positive points for meeting Charter points. A full link to the Charter can be found on the College website [here](#) and an updated offer of enrichment and extra-curricular opportunities will soon also be available to view [here](#). The points for the Year 7 Charter are set out below. Year 8 and 9's Charter has also been made available so that students can see the opportunities available to them as they go through Key Stage 3.



# Bacon's Pupil Charter

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# 7

## Pre-Year Project

☐ +10pts Complete Summer Project  
"Your Journey So Far"

### Term 1

☐ +5pts Attend  
Welcome/Carol  
Service

☐ +5pts Attend Tutor  
Consultation

☐ +5pts Bond on a trip  
away

★ +5pts Term 1  
Completion  
Bonus

### Term 2

☐ +5pts Attend Parents  
Evening

☐ +5pts Share my views  
with the  
School Council

☐ +5pts Participate in a  
club

★ +5pts Term 2  
Completion  
Bonus

### Term 3

☐ +5pts Represent the  
College

☐ +5pts Volunteer in the  
community

☐ +5pts Celebrate  
Culture Day

★ +5pts Term 3  
Completion  
Bonus

## Ongoing

☐ +5pts All 1s for attitudinal grades

☐ +5pts Meet all homework deadlines

