



**Bacon's College**  
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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 continue to be working hard towards their end of year exams in June and we have seen some great pieces of work in lessons. Moreover, students continue to be involved in wider school life, including a group of students competing in Southwark champs athletics competition!

In assembly this week Year 7 were informed about the aims Prevent, creating a safe and inclusive environment for young people, promoting respect and protecting them from radicalization and extremist influences.

#### **Supporting pupils' mental health: parents and carers webinar 18 May, 4pm**

On Monday 18 May from 4-5pm The Anna Freud Centre will run a mental health and wellbeing webinar for United Learning parents, carers, and school staff. Anna Freud are the national leaders in child and adolescent mental health. Parents, carers and teachers can register their interest on this [sign up form](#) and submit any questions they may have. Please share this information via your parent communications. Anyone signing up but unable to attend can receive a recording of the session. The session will be led by Anna Freud expert trainers who we have partnered with for the last three years. Let [Mental Health Support](#) know if there are key issues that you would like them to cover; anxiety has already been flagged and will be included.

# TUESDAY IST OFFER

## Summer 2026 Module 5

Axiom Maths Circle  
MF07 / Mr Jalal

Darts Club  
Years 9-13  
Mellish / Mr Jackson

Legal Minds  
Years 10-13  
SF10 / Mr Wilson

Axiom Maths Circle  
MF11 / Mr Mathan

5k Running Club  
Concourse / Mr Sargeant

Medical Minds  
Years 10-13  
SF21 / Mr Wilson

Books and Manga Club  
All Years  
Library / Ms Agiri

Tennis Club  
Years 9 & 10  
Triple Courts / Mr Marzano

Maths Count On Us  
Years 7-9  
MF05 / Mr Dryden & Mr  
Arnold

Coding Club  
KS3  
MU2 / Mr Sagoe

Basketball Club  
All Years  
Sports Hall / Coach Blagrove

Textiles  
KS3  
EF14 / Ms Wilson

Film  
KS3  
MS1 / Mr Ejueyitchie

Volleyball  
KS3  
Main Hall / Ms Pansera

Science Club  
KS3  
SF19 / Mr Cloak

Clay Club  
Years 9-12  
EG12 / Ms Diver

Football  
KS3  
3G Astro / Mr Tubb

Astronomy Club  
All Years  
SG12 / Mr Koroma

DofE Award  
Years 10 & 12  
EG11 / Mr Bush

Street Dance  
All Years  
Dance Studio / Ms Redfern

# ENRICHMENT OFFER

## Summer 2026 Module 5

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Gospel Choir 8.25 - 9.00 / MU1 All Years / Ms Chambers	Guitar Club Lunch Time / MU1 All Years / Mr Horn	Guitar Club Lunch Time / MU1 All Years / Ms Alexander	Music Theatre Club Lunch Time / Dance Studio KS3 / Ms Redfern	Samba Band 8.25 - 9.00 / MU1 Brass Students / Ms Alexander
Music Tech (Beatmaking) Lunch Time / MU2 All Years / Mr Johnson	Keyboard Club Lunch Time / MU1 All Years / Mr Summer	Book Club Lunch Time / CG03 Years 9, 10, 11 / Ms Majeed	Documentary Club Lunch Time / EF05 KS3 / Ms Qi & Ms Keir	Sewing Club Lunch Time / EG10 Years 7 & 8 / Mr McGarry
Bacon's Christian Club Lunch Time / Chapel All Years / Pastor Kenny	Bacon's Christian Club Lunch Time / Chapel All Years / Pastor Kenny	Geography Club Lunch Time / SG06 All Years / Ms Hickman	Drama Club 3.10 - 4.10 / Drama Studio KS3 / Mr Toller	
Homework Club 3.05 - 3.50 / MS03 All Years / LD		Street & Hip-Hop Dance 3.50 - 4.50 / Dance Studio All Years / Ms Redfern	SPARX Maths Club 3.00 - 4.15 / MG10 All Years / Ms Younge	
SPARX Reader Club 3.05 - 4.00 / Library All Years / Ms Agiri			Art Club 3.05 - 4 / EF15 All Years / Mr Mukasa	

# ENRICHMENT OFFER - PE

## Spring 2026

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Volleyball Lunch / Main Hall All Years / Coach Karina	Table Tennis 3.50 - 4.30 / Main Hall All Years / Mr Pyke & Mr Eselebor	Volleyball All Years / Coach Karina	Basketball Lunch Time / Sports Hall All Years / Coach Justin	Basketball 7.10 - 8.05 / Sports Hall All Years / Coach Justin
Basketball 3.05 - 4.15 / Sports Hall Years 7 & 8 / Coach Justin		Dance Team Year 9 / Main Hall	Dance Team Lunch Time / Dance Studio Years 7 & 8 / Ms Redfern	Volleyball (Invitational) Lunch Time / Main Hall All Years / Coach Karina
Rugby 3.05 - 4.15 All Years / Mr Leport		Basketball (Girls) 3.50 - 5.00 Coach Justin	Basketball 3.05 - 4.30 / Sports Hall Years 9, 10, 11 / Coach Justin	Basketball 2.30 - 3.30 / Sports Hall Scrimmage / Coach Justin
Football (Girls) 3.15 - 4.30 Year 7 / Mr Tubb & Mr Davies			Football (Boys) 3.05 - 4.30 / 3G Years 8, 9, 10 / Mr Leport	Badminton 2.45 - 4.15 / Gym All Years / Mr Sargeant
Football KS4			Volleyball 3.05 - 4.15 / 3G KS4 / Coach Karina	
			Street Dance 3.05 - 4.15 / Dance Studio All Years / Ms Redfern	



Kind regards,  
Miss O'Leary  
Deputy Head of Year 7

## Shout Outs

Well done to the following students who have stood out to a teacher either from their classwork or behaviour!

**Joe L** - much improved engagement and participation in lesson and written work – Ms Colquhoun

**Naiara C, Evie D, Brook P, Thomas B, Joseph B** - For their outstanding behaviour on the residential and the way they supported one another throughout. It was wonderful to see their confidence grow as they challenged themselves and stepped outside their comfort zones. – Ms Harris-Casey and Mr Workneh

**Issak** - independent thinking and very eloquent answers were provided during English lessons. – Ms Qi

**Halima, Fatma and Amelia** - always engaging in thoughtful conversations during English lessons; always going the extra mile to ensure high quality work. – Ms Qi

**Summer and Aminatu** - nice engagement in history this week. – Ms Newton

**Aisha Y** - She has made huge improvements in Spanish and always contributes thoughtfully to lessons. – Ms Allen

**Naiara C** - For always being engaged within the lesson and completing work to a very high standard consistently. – Mr Atewologun

Shoutout to **Jake, Jessica, Matthew, Robert** and **Gabriel** in Elizabeth for their confident reading and thoughtful contributions in Spanish. – Ms Hunter

**7 Bakerloo** - They make me very proud with their curiosity, analysis, and good humour! – Ms Kristiansen

**Ariella, Tara, Lulu, Shariah, Mia S, Eliza, Hugo D, Aziz, Kaan, Tatum, Ethan, Adnan, Tayo** and **Seto** – Representing the college at an Athletics Event in Croydon.

## 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 continuing getting the highest attendance for the week!**

Year 7 – 94.9%

N – 95%

I – 92.5%

C – 97.3%

O – 94.8%

L – 95.3%

A – 95.3%

S – 94.1%

### 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



## Forthcoming events

End of Year Exams – w/c 15/06/26