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Year 10 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 10

Dear Parents and Carers,

As we continue through Year 10, we would like to thank parents and carers for their ongoing support. Students have been encouraged to take responsibility for their learning as they begin the important GCSE phase of their education, recognising that good attendance, consistent effort, completion of homework and effective revision habits all play a vital role in future success. We have reminded students of the importance of maintaining high standards of uniform and conduct and have challenged them to make positive progress across their subjects. With Science mock examinations taking place in the final week of November, now is an excellent time for students to establish regular revision routines. Throughout the year, students will also participate in a range of PSHE activities covering wellbeing, relationships, citizenship and life skills, alongside assemblies and workshops designed to support their personal development. We encourage all students to get involved in the many enrichment opportunities available, helping them develop new interests, confidence and friendships. Finally, we would like to congratulate those students who have made a particularly positive start to the year and thank all Year 10 families for working in partnership with us to ensure every student achieves their full potential.

Best wishes,

Ms Miah

Shout Out

- Great attitude to learning - **Sherif** and **Emil** A pleasure to teach - **Keith** and **Reuben**. – Mr Rothkell, English
- **Jonny, Alfie**, **Jesse** and **Victor** for having a great attitude in learning and always contributing ideas – Ms Qi, English
- **Raia** for a Great Attitude; **Maria** for being Helpful and Kind and **Max** for a great attitude to learning – Mr Rushworth, Science

- Great attitude to learning – **Mikayla** and **Marina**; for being helpful and kind to others -**Yasmin** and a pleasure to teach **- Edisjana , Emil** – Ms Coker, Science
- **Mila** for having a great attitude to learning – Ms Parry, Maths
- **Daisy** and **George** Both made a great start to the year, completing some detailed independent work, meeting all the success criteria. - Ms Austin, RS social science
- **Afrasiab** and **Esme** focus and engage in every lesson. - Ms Keir, English
- **Max** made a very positive start and done extremely well in our first lesson together! – Mr Arnold, Maths
- **Amzar, George and Jasper** for great participation. Especially **Jasper** for expanding his vocabulary and using high level language in class discussions. – Ms Coloquhoun, English
- Great attitude to learning - **Abdul,** caught up on work missed, **Keith**, good focus in lessons but the whole class was wonderful in their ranking A pleasure to teach and to **10C** for really lovely behaviour – Ms Newton, History

Attendance

We are incredibly grateful for your continued support in ensuring excellent attendance throughout last academic year. Your commitment to getting students into school—on time and ready to learn—has made a real difference and raised the whole school attendance.

At Bacon's College, we believe that "Every Minute, Every Lesson, Every Day" truly matters. Every moment in the classroom is an opportunity to grow, to learn, and to move one step closer to success.

As we look ahead to the start of a new year we want to continue this message. Consistent attendance will be key to building on the progress made so far and ensuring that every student is fully prepared for the challenges and opportunities of Year 8.

Wednesday Enrichment Offer

WEDNESDAY P7 ENRICHMENT OFFER
Autumn 2026

Axiom Maths Circle Year 7 MF11 / Mr Mathan	**Coding Club** All Years MU1 / Mr Brown	**Darts Club** Years 9-13 Mellish / Mr Jackson	**Art Club** All Years EF14 / Ms Oke & Ms Diver	**Football** KS3 3G Pitch / PE Team & Mr Dryden
Axiom Maths Circle Year 8 MF07 / Mr Jalal	**Film Club** KS3 MS1 / Mr Ejueyitchie	**Debate Club** All Years EF05 / Ms Osborne	**Astronomy Club** All Years SF16 / Ms Koroma & Ms Solanke	**Volleyball** All Years Main Hall / Coach Karina
Maths Count On Us KS3 CF01 / Mr Arnold	**History Club** KS3 EG18 / Ms Newton, Ms Fisher & Ms Scotting	**Book Club** KS3 Library / Ms Navarro & Mr Rothkell	**Dance Club** All Years Dance Studio / Ms Redfern	**Basketball** All Years Sports Hall / Mr Darbin, Mr Sagoe & Mr El-Baghdadi
	French and Spanish Cultural Club All Years MG06 / Ms O'Leary & Ms Hunter	**The Composer's Lab** All Years MU2 / Ms Alexander & Ms Savicka	**Smoke Alarm Testers (Cooking Club)** Year 9-10 MG12 / Ms Fraser	**Netball** All Years Single Court / Ms Rayner & Ms Galvin