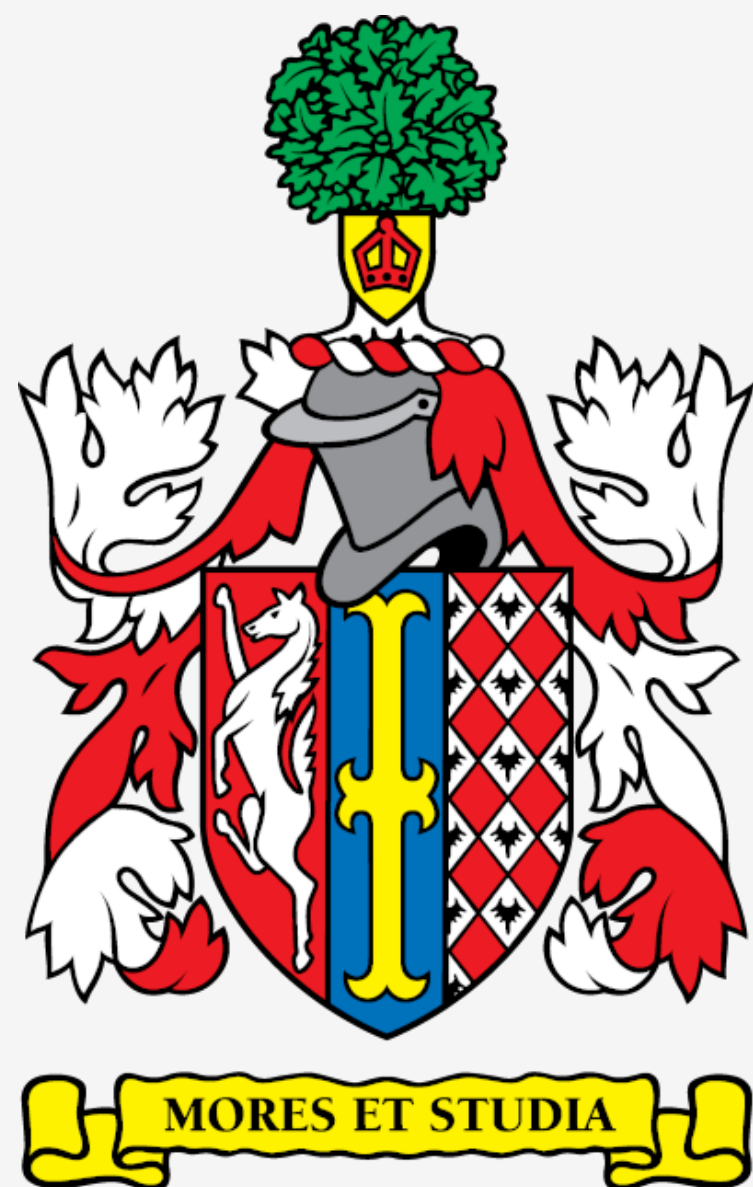




An Introduction to

Langley Park School for Boys

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The Year 7 Team

Head of Year: Mr Crawford

Assistant Head of Year: Mr Gavin

L-HALF
(Langley)

7A – G Buckley

7B – C Enderby

7C – L Hyde

7D – J Costello

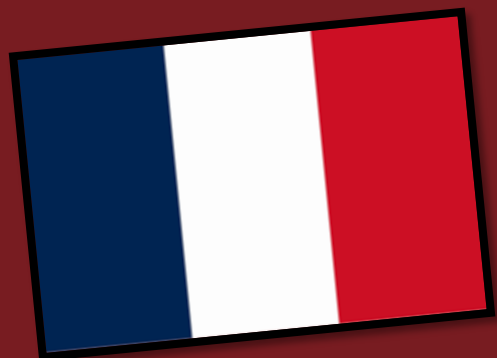
7W – A Blood

7X – C Gavin

7Y – T Kapsalis

7Z – T Grinstead

P-HALF
(Park)



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The Role of the Form Tutor



- Builds relationships with pupils through daily contact and regular check-ins.
- Monitors wellbeing, noticing changes in mood, behaviour, attendance or friendships.
- Supports attendance and punctuality, following up patterns or concerns early.
- Promotes behaviour and standards, including uniform, equipment, organisation and routines.
- Delivers key messages from the school and helps pupils understand expectations.
- Supports personal development, including PSHE, safeguarding messages, study habits and character education.
- Acts as a link between pupils, parents/carers, teachers and pastoral leaders.
- Celebrates success, recognising effort, improvement, contribution and achievement.
- Spots concerns early and passes them on to the right member of staff when extra support is needed.



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The Role of the Student



- **Try their best** in every lesson, showing effort, focus and resilience.
- **Record homework** clearly in their planner and make sure parents/carers check and sign it each weekend.
- **Plan ahead**, packing the right books and completing homework on the correct day.
- **Bring basic equipment** every day, including a pen, pencil, rubber and ruler, as well as lesson-specific equipment, such as PE kit, aprons or any other items needed for particular subjects.
- **Get involved in school life**, including clubs, societies, sports teams and other opportunities beyond the classroom.

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The Role of the Parent



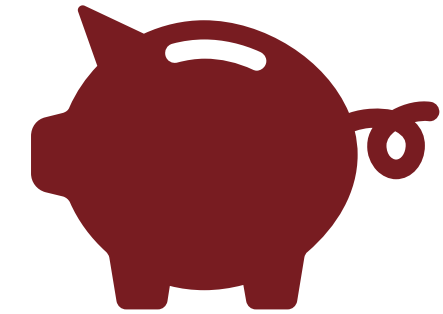
- Support the school and decisions made
- Help your child to become an independent young person (but be prepared to point them in the right direction)
- Be enthusiastic about the topics that are being studied and ask them to tell you about what has been learned
- Check the planner – main point of communication
- Stay in the loop by regularly checking emails and the MCAS app.



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School Fund



- All families with pupils in Years 7-9 are asked to consider making a voluntary contribution of £120 paid either annually or monthly.
- A direct debit is the easiest way to pay this.
- The fund is used to help financially disadvantaged pupils to go on trips, to buy equipment and to run the school minibuses.

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The 3 Cs



Courtesy



Cooperation



Care



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Getting to and from School

- Whenever students are in school uniform, they are instantly recognisable as a Langley student
- Conduct and behaviour on public transport or walking should always reflect the school's Code of Conduct: **Courtesy, Cooperation and Care.**
- Full uniform to be worn to/from school
- NO sweets/energy drinks before school
- **Students MUST NOT be dropped off in Hawksbrook Lane**
- Cycling permits
- Students must be in their form room before the second bell – 8.20am
- Lateness will be sanctioned in accordance with the school Lateness policy.



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Absences

- Phone the school on morning of absence or notification via the **MCAS app**
- Medical appointments require an **EXEAT**
If you write a note explaining a reason for the absence in the front of your child's planner, then the Head of Year or Assistant Head of Year will sign the exeat
- Holidays should be taken during school holiday time.



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The School Day

8.15 AM registration

8.20 Late bell

8.45 Period 1

9.45 Period 2

10.45 Break time

11.05 Period 3

12.05 Period 4

1.05 Lunchtime

1.45 PM registration

2.00 Period 5

3.00 End of school



Lunchtime detentions are issued to students who arrive to registration after 8.20am



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Break and Lunch

Break 10.45am to 11.05am snacks sold in Refectory and on the concourse.

Lunch 1.05pm to 1.45pm packed lunch or school dinners.

There is a cashless till system so there is no need to bring money into school.

Top up via **MCAS** app.

Students must not buy and sell anything.



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Detentions



Private

- with subject teacher (break, lunch or after school). This can be anything from 5–60 minutes

Official

- with Heads of Year, added to MCAS, recorded on school system
- 24 hrs notice are given for after school detentions / officials
- notification by planner
- Pupils are responsible for notifying parents of detentions
- Detentions should not clash with after school practice or rehearsals



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Equipment

Basic equipment

- Pens
- Green pen
- Pencil
- Ruler
- Rubber
- Coloured pencils



Uniform

- P.E. kit
- Label all clothes/equipment
- No expensive items
- Please help make sure that the school bag is packed with all the correct equipment and books every day AND completed homework (encourage daily checking of the timetable and packing school bag before bed for the next day)

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The Planner

- Need to bring to school every day, placed on the desk at the start of the lesson
- First stage on our 'Right to Learn' Behaviour Policy
- Crucial for communication
- Timetable
- Homework set
- Detention set
- Exeats for medical appointments
- Check and sign weekly and the tutor will do the same
- Students are expected to remind you



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Phones



Mobile phones are not to be seen or heard in school during the day. They must be switched off during the school day.

If seen, they will be **confiscated**.

- The first time, it will be returned to the **student** at the end of the day.
- The second time this happens **YOU** will have to collect it from school.

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Lockers

All Year 7 pupils will be allocated a locker in which they should keep coats, P.E. kits etc.

Students should ensure that they have a padlock.

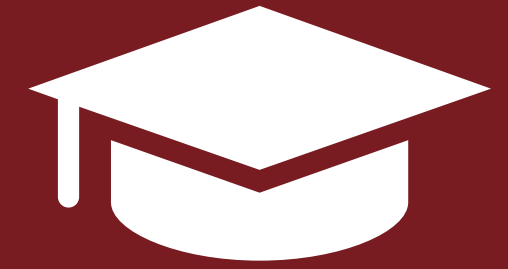
Location of these lockers will be shared by the form tutor during the first week of school.



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Subjects



Subjects taught in **mixed-ability groups**:

- English
- Maths
- Science
- History
- Geography
- RS
- Design and Technology
- Modern Foreign Languages
- ICT

Subjects taught in **tutor groups**:

- P.E
- Music
- Drama
- Dance
- Art



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Homework

Homework must be recorded in their planner

Parents are advised to check the planner regularly for teacher comments and should sign it weekly

Tutors will check the planner weekly and sign next to the parent's/carer's signature



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PSHE

Personal, Social and Health Education

Fortnightly PSHE lesson - rolling rotation

- Areas of focus
- Self-Awareness
- Self-care, Support & Safety
- Managing Feelings
- Changing and Growing
- Healthy Lifestyles
- The World I live in



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Physical Education & Games

Curriculum time:

- PE - White shirt, blue shorts, white socks and trainers
Gymnastics Badminton, Basketball, Health & Fitness, etc.
- Games - Maroon shirt, blue shorts and maroon socks
- Rugby - Boots required, gum shield strongly advised

Extra-curricular squad training sessions:

- Autumn term Rugby x2, Hockey x1
- Spring term Hockey x2, Rugby x1
- Summer term Cricket x2, Athletics x2
- Fixtures every week against other schools (A-F teams)

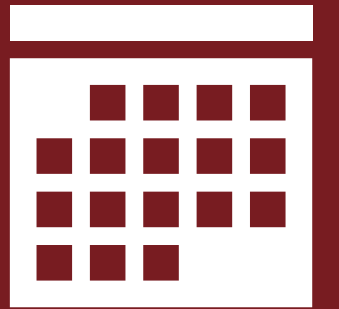
Questions - Mr Crouch, Mr Purdy



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Sports Fixtures



- We have hundreds of school sports fixtures running throughout the year.
- We travel up and down the country.
- Students will be informed, and the team sheets are posted on school website
- Given a letter for the first game
- After that it will be the pupil's responsibility to inform parents of details
- If selected to represent the school, they are expected to play

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Extra-curricular

- Sports clubs, teams, competitions and matches during the week and every Saturday
- Drama, Music and Dance Clubs
- Design and arts clubs
- **Interest Clubs**
 - Robotic Club
 - Debate Club
 - Chess
- **Subject clubs**
 - Science Club
 - History Society
 - PMQs Club



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Langley Points

If your child works very hard in a subject and produces impressive work, then their teacher may award them an achievement point.

The number of achievement points a form is given will be calculated and tracked and will contribute to inter-form competitions and reward trips.

You can monitor these on the MCAS app.



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My Child At School



- Download the '**MCAS**' App or access on a computer
- Day to Day information – timetable
- You can notify the school of reasons for absence.
- Receive notifications regarding achievement points, behaviour logs, punctuality logs.
- View attendance log and termly reports

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Rugby pre-season taster session

Tuesday 1st September 2026

3pm – 5pm

Maroon Games kit, Boots, mouthguard, water-bottle



Hockey pre-season taster session

Wednesday 2nd September 2026

3pm – 5pm

White Games kit, trainers or astros,
mouthguard, shinpads, water-bottle

If you have a stick, great. If not, we have
enough for you to borrow one!

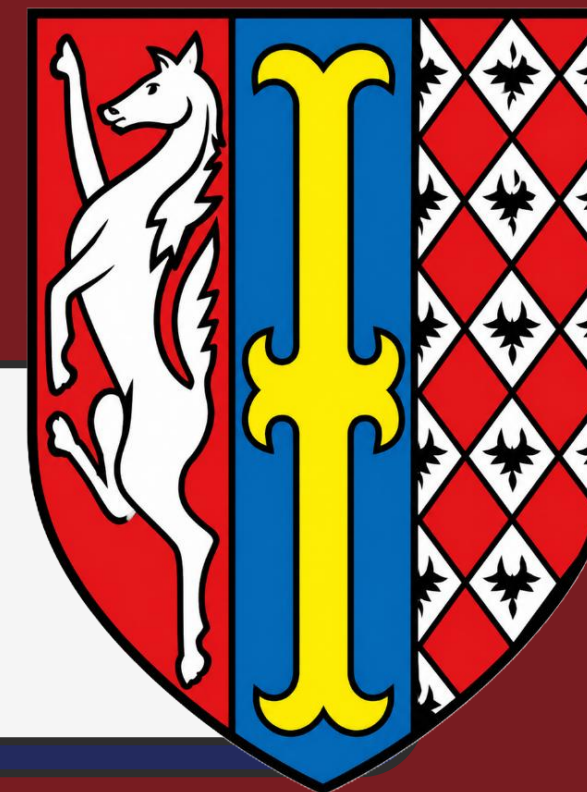


COME ALONG... GET INVOLVED!

- No prior experience of either sport required.
- We expect everyone to at least give it a go.
- Last year we had 120 at the rugby session – more than half of the year!
- By the end of the season, the U12A team contained 8 players that have never played rugby before joining LPSB. One boy started in the F team in week 1!!!
- Same is true of Hockey – come and give it a go. If you're good at Football, you'll be good at Hockey.
- Fixtures every week, transport to the games, training twice a week, all FOR FREE.
- **Start saving** – we run a tour every 2 years to South Africa (or somewhere similar) for both Rugby and Hockey players (for you this will be July 2031). Anybody that shows commitment is eligible, not just the best players.

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Any Questions?



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