

Welcome to Southam College



Year 6 Induction Evening

10th July 2024

Tutor Presentation

KINDNESS • CONFIDENCE • RESILIENCE

Be the best you can be!



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- TUTOR GROUP:
- Contact email: southamcollege@stowevalley.com

House System

Mr Elkerton



Mr Jeffries



Miss Dicken



Mrs Turton/ Mrs Morten

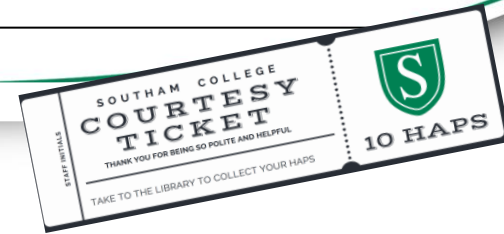
Rewards / House Achievement Points



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Which House will win this years' competition?
You will help decide!

- Earning HAPs by entering competitions, effort in lessons, excellent work and so much more!
- Being courteous – You will be awarded HAPs and entered into the weekly draw for a voucher.
- Postcards home – HAPs for each postcard received
- Excellent Attendance – postcards home, HAPs and other events





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- HAPs are now rewarded as follows –



Kindness



Confidence



Resilience



Excellent FAST learning



Improved work



Courtesy Ticket



Excellent work



Unsung hero



Student runner



100% Attendance



Home learning



Praise postcard



Positive Attitude



House competitions



Timings of the college day;



Students must arrive by 8.45am.

- 8.50-9.10am-Morning Registration/Assembly/Tutor Time
- 9.10-10.10am-Period 1
- 10.10-11.10am-Period 2
- 11.10-11.30am-Break
- 11.30-12.30pm-Period 3
- 12.30-1.15pm-Lunch
- 1.15-2.15pm-Period 4
- 2.15-3.15pm-Period 5
- 3.15pm – Dismissal from 3:15pm onwards. Buses depart from 3:26pm.

(Students who walk or are being collected leave at 3:15, students using school transport are dismissed at 3:20)

Daily equipment

Students are also expected to bring the following items of equipment with them to college each day:

- Black or blue ballpoint pens
- Pencil sharpener
- Pencils
- Pair of compasses
- Pencil eraser
- Ruler 12"/30cm
- Coloured pencils/fine fibre tips
- Protractor
- Pencil case (transparent for assessments)
- Calculator
- Whiteboard pen
- Re-fillable water bottle

**READING
BOOK**

Uniform



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Lesson expectations




R **READY TO LEARN** 


- Punctual
- Seated by plan
- Calm Entry
- Equipment out

E **ENGAGE** 

- Listen actively
- Focus on learning
- Contribute
- Follow instructions

A **ACCOUNTABLE** 

- Responsible for your own actions
- Aim for your potential
- Ask questions
- No disruption

C **COMMUNICATE RESPECTFULLY** 

- Good manners
- Don't interrupt
- Speak appropriately
- Listen silently

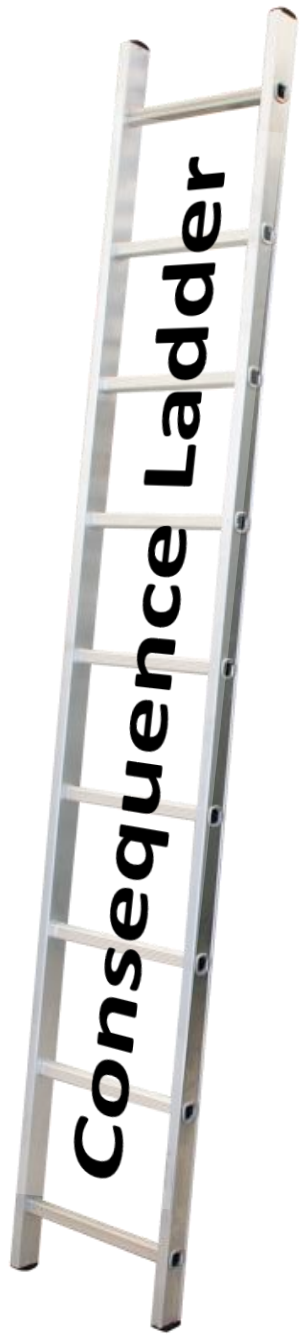
H **HELPFUL** 

- Be kind
- Respect your peers
- Help your peers
- Share your knowledge

COLD CALLING

Revise in 5 **5** **4** **3** **2** **1**

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1st Warning
Name on board

Presentation



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All written work should have:

- A date and a title
- Handwriting in blue or black ink only
- Underlining and straight lines using a ruler
- No correction fluid/erasing pens
- Single straight lines to cross out a word
- Diagrams (when required) drawn in pencil
- Home learning clearly identified by writing 'HL' in the margin at its start
- Class work should be identified with 'CL' in the margin.
- Revise in 5 retrieval starters should be identified with the sub-heading "Ri5"
- Any loose worksheets should be neatly stuck in
- No graffiti anywhere

(E) What does Polonius - advisers, analytical and you're clearly worked hard to make all of the crucial text!

(A) What is it about Hamlet that makes him so vulnerable? Which section of society does he represent?

(R) Hamlet is vulnerable because he is physically but not mentally much could get him into trouble if he says the wrong thing or commits physical action that makes him out to someone he's not e.g. touching the girl etc.

CL Tuesday 20th July

Symbolism in Macbeth

Ri5

1. Lady Macbeth
2. Water.
3. Storm on the Island
4. Blank verse
5. Ozymandias.

HOME LEARNING



Home learning is issued regularly by your child's class teachers.

We create a home learning timetable to try to spread out the issuing of home learning and to support students' time management skills.

Home learning is issued via an online platform called 'Classcharts'. Students are expected to check this daily.

Parents are able to log on and check this as well, by downloading the mobile app.

Not all tasks are electronic, but the setting of home learning itself is managed through this app. If students require hard copies of work set online they should ask their teacher directly.

Classcharts will show when the home learning was set, and when it is due for completion.

Languages in Year 7 and 8



Students at Southam College study one base language (French for Year 7) and one other language, either German or Spanish.

This will be allocated to your child.

As a reminder, if there are any extenuating circumstances as referenced in the admissions documentation please speak with Mr Johnson as there will not be an opportunity for group changes in September.

Attendance at Southam College



- It is the expectation of our School that all students will achieve *at least* 96% attendance.
- There are a variety of reasons for students missing school. Some are unavoidable, but we ask that you support us in ensuring that your child's attendance meets both the school and government expectations.
- If your child is unable to attend school, please report the absence on the first day of absence, and each subsequent day, either via email, text, telephone or on Insight.
- Ideally medical appointments should be made outside of school times. However, if this is not possible, we request that appointments are made **after 10am** and your child comes in to school before and after the appointment or appointments are made for **after 2pm**.

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- The Headteacher can only authorise requests for a leave of absence in exceptional circumstances. Leave is unlikely to be granted for the purposes of a family holiday.
- We will closely monitor your child's attendance and alert you if we feel there is an issue.
- If you have any concerns about your child's attendance, please contact Mrs Erroi in the first instance.
- Look out for attendance rewards and prizes throughout the year as we celebrate the efforts of our students and their families.

WORRIED? NEED TO TALK?



Student Office

Head of Year

Safeguarding Team

Trusted Adult

Tutor

ALL
OF THESE PEOPLE
ARE HERE TO HELP
YOU

Safeguarding Team



Miss Mason Mr Martin Mr Johnson Ms Harwood Mr Richter Miss Roijers Mr Partridge Mrs Browne

- Southam College is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people.
- Our Designated Safeguarding Lead is Mrs Browne.

YOUR SAFETY IS IMPORTANT TO US

This school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment.

- Please review our modern and regularly updated website at www.southamcollege.com for the latest activities and achievements.
- Year 6 section of the website
- A Termly newsletter will be emailed out every term to parents
- Email contact with tutors
- Like us on Facebook: facebook.com/SouthamCollege
- Follow us on X (Twitter): x.com/SouthamCollege

Final bits of information...



- First morning in September Year 7 come to the **HALL**; exactly as they have done today. Students will have one hour with their tutor on the first morning.
- **No need to send full PE kit on first day** as if they have PE they do not expect them to have brought kit as they will get their timetable on the first morning.
- The use of Mobile phones is not permitted at any time. Students may carry them, but we have a ‘not seen or heard policy’.
- **LABEL EVERYTHING**; this will avoid misplaced shoes/bags/coats/PE Kits
- Two week timetable. LSA support for the first few days.
- Extra curricular activities do not start until the second week of term, a timetable will be published on the website so students can select activities to take part in.
- School cloud

Nut Free

Please support us in making Southam College a nut free school

People who suffer from nut allergies can develop severe and potentially life-threatening allergic reactions.

One in fifty children in the UK have an allergy to peanuts and nut allergies can equally impact adults.

Reactions do not just occur when nuts are eaten, they can be from traces touching a person's skin or be airborne. The only way to protect both staff and students is to not bring nut products into school or on to school transport and trips.



**We appreciate your support with this.
If you have any queries please do not
hesitate to contact the College**

Dates to note...



Y7 Tutor Evening

Thursday 3rd October