



NEW

Netherhall Experiential Week

2023

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At Netherhall, it is our belief that sometimes, the most valuable learning takes place beyond the walls of the typical classroom. We are therefore excited to launch **NEW**: The Netherhall Experiential Week.

During the week beginning the 10th July, our Year 10 students will be engaging with their work experience placement. At the same time, our Years 7-9 students will be taking respite from their typical academic schedule in order to engage in a week of investigation and adventure. Multiple 'offers' will be available to choose from, all of which centre around an essential question. These transformative and through-provoking experiences offer an unique opportunity to shape each students' view of the world.

This booklet has been created to give you the opportunity to learn a bit more about the available and find out how to sign up!

ABOUT NEW



THE OFFERS

KEY

Cost

- FREE - £20
- £ £25 - £50
- ££ £55 - £100
- £££ £100 - £150
- ££££ £150+

Capacity

- 👤 30-40
- 👤👤 40 - 60
- 👤👤👤 60 - 80
- 👤👤👤👤 80 - 100

DISCLAIMER

The content of each offer is subject to change depending upon availability and sign up numbers. Rest assured, we hope to deliver as close to as advertised.

HUMANITIES

THE CULTURAL ADVENTURE

COST: ££

CAPACITY:  YEAR: 7 - 9



How do the cultural experiences of Cambridge and London compare?



THE UNIQUE EXPERIENCE

This is a cultural enrichment opportunity that represents a chance to see some famous places and local highlights with an appreciation of history, influence and splendor. A chance to be culturally developed and compare where we live with the cultural capital experience.



MONDAY

Visit the Cambridge Arts Theatre and immerse yourself in one of their many fantastic productions.

TUESDAY

Experience a range of fascinating cultural locations in Greenwich, including the Cutty Sark and Greenwich Park.

WEDNESDAY

Discover the many historic sites of Cambridge and test your punting skills whilst you're at it.

THURSDAY

Return to London to explore a number of its other wonders.

FRIDAY

Engage in a day of reflection and conversation based upon the week's experiences.



ARTS & TECHNOLOGY

EXPLORING FASHION

COST: —

CAPACITY:  YEAR: 7 - 9

MONDAY

Experience a day of inspiration and research! You will be brainstorming ideas following an introduction to the available materials.

TUESDAY

A workshop day! Students will rotate between specialist workshops in Art and Technology.

WEDNESDAY

You will be assigned a type of clothing to make and will utilise the skills learnt on the previous day to help you create a finished product.

THURSDAY

Explore the world of photography to help you capture images and reflect upon your masterpiece!

FRIDAY

Add the finishing touches to your creation and showcase it to your group of the wider school!



How can we reimagine recycled materials to create sustainable fashion?



THE UNIQUE EXPERIENCE

All students involved in this exciting opportunity will be given the chance to expand their knowledge of upcycling, an important revolution that reduces waste!

Through a series of workshops and experiences, students will gain new creative skills that, at the end of the week, will enable them to organise and take part in a fashion show!



PHYSICAL EDUCATION

THE DofE AWARD

COST: —

CAPACITY: 

YEAR: 9



How do the skills and experiences we gain from the DofE qualification impact our future life skills?



THE UNIQUE EXPERIENCE

This fantastic opportunity develops a range of skills using unique skills in an outdoor environment. Students will use this week to complete the expedition element of their bronze DofE accreditation and in turn complete the course!

IMPORTANT NOTE:

The DofE is only open to students in year 9. This is due to the age restrictions set out for the qualification.

Students must also be aware that if they would like to select the DofE offer, they will need to fully commit to attain the award. There will be a weekly compulsory club for DofE which will start shortly after half term. The week of the 10th-14th July will be the concluding component of the qualification where students will complete their expedition.

If you would like more information of guidance, please speak with Mr Fox or a member of the PE team.

<https://www.dofe.org/do/>



MONDAY

Complete on site preparation tasks; thinking carefully about the expedition consolidating your learning from the DofE club.

TUESDAY

Finalise your on site preparation by completing meal preparation, equipment assessment and route planning.

WEDNESDAY

Expedition day 1: You will travel to the Abbington site, set up camp, cook meals and get involved in fun activities!

THURSDAY

Expedition day 2: You will cook breakfast, pack up camp and complete a full day walking expedition.

FRIDAY

Return to the school site and complete the qualification by checking and cleaning equipment as well as complete some final tasks!



ENGLISH

BECOMING A GAME MASTER

COST: —

CAPACITY: 

YEAR: 7-9

MONDAY

Be inspired to create your own game by playing a range of pre-created murder mystery games!

TUESDAY

A visiting author will deliver sessions on plotting and characterisation; setting the scene for students to start thinking about creating their own game!

WEDNESDAY

You will head into Cambridge City centre, giving you the opportunity investigate possible murder weapons at the Fitzwilliam and tour a College to get a sense of setting and location.

THURSDAY

You will use the full day to plan and create your murder mystery games!

FRIDAY

Add the finishing touches to your games before setting up and play your game as well as take part in other groups' work!



How do you plan the perfect murder (mystery)?



THE UNIQUE EXPERIENCE

The offer enables students to play around with the conventions of plotting and characterisation through the medium of murder mystery games! Students will use a range of class tasks, visits to Cambridge landmarks and an author talks to build an idea that, by the end of the week, will allow them to create their own murder mystery games for others to enjoy!



MATHS

CODEBREAKER

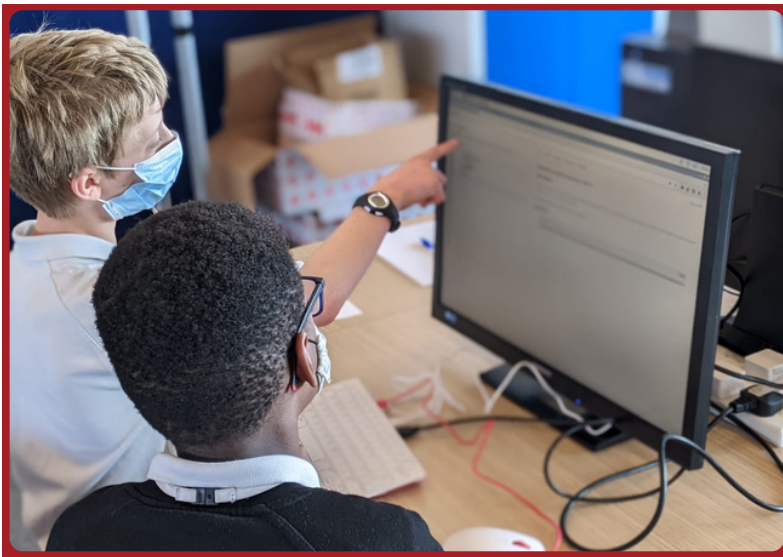


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CAPACITY:  YEAR: 7-9

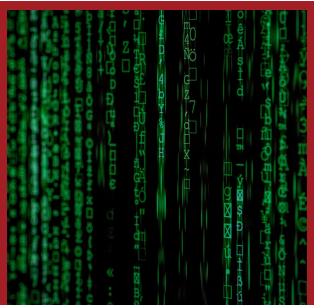
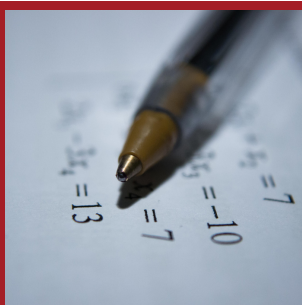


How can maths help you to solve puzzles and problems to unlock your potential?



THE UNIQUE EXPERIENCE

All students involved in this offer will have the chance to get excited about maths and its unlimited potential to help you be successful! Through carefully curated tasks, students will individual knowledge and collective power to overcome difficult puzzles and problems.



MONDAY

Over 3 days, students will rotate through 3 different activities. These include:

Group-based maths challenges; games and puzzles and real life maths.

TUESDAY

Students will work through the second of 3 school-based activities.

WEDNESDAY

Students will work through the final element of the school-based activities.

THURSDAY

Spend the day working through a range of coding exercises that will open your mind to a growing societal necessity.

FRIDAY

Students will engage in an exciting day focused around a virtual escape room and Rubik's cubes!



MUSIC & DRAMA

SHOWCASING MUSICAL THEATRE

COST: £

CAPACITY:  

YEAR: 7 - 9

MONDAY

Be inspired to participate in your own production by watching a live musical theatre performance in Cambridge.

TUESDAY

Evaluate which elements made the live performance so successful and use this to audition and cast the in-school showcase!

WEDNESDAY

Start rehearsals for the showcase, finishing the day with a peer performance and recorded performance.

THURSDAY

Continue rehearsals with a specific focus on acting skills and choreography!

FRIDAY

Close the week out with a full performance and spend some time reflecting on what made it so successful!



What makes musical theatre so successful?



THE UNIQUE EXPERIENCE

This offer is all about creating a showcase for aspiring performers; allowing students from a variety of abilities and year groups to work collaboratively in an exiting group project. The final performance gives students who have not taken lead roles in larger scale productions the opportunity to solo or work in reduced size scenes which focus much more on them.



MODERN FOREIGN LANGUAGES

VISITING PARIS

COST: ££££

CAPACITY: 20

YEAR: 7 - 9



How can you fall in love
with French, in Paris?



THE UNIQUE EXPERIENCE

This unique and exciting offer gives students an opportunity to visit Paris and fully immerse themselves in a different culture. You will travel by coach to the French capital and experience a range of activities that will leave a lasting memory for many years to come.

Please note: The sign-up phase for this offer has already taken place and therefore cannot be selected as an option.

MONDAY

You will travel to Paris by coach through the Eurotunnel. Get a stamp on your passport!

TUESDAY

Take a tour through Paris, including the famous boulevards, followed by a visit to the Choco-Story Chocolate museum.

WEDNESDAY

Take a boat trip on the River Seine and visit some famous sights. You'll be given the perfect opportunity to practice some French!

THURSDAY

Return to Cambridge, heading back through the Eurotunnel.

FRIDAY

You will spend a day reflecting upon the range of fantastic experiences you were exposed to in France!





SCIENCE

THE POWER OF EVIDENCE

COST: —

CAPACITY:    

YEAR: 7-9

MONDAY

Engage in a day of crime scene science (preserving and collecting evidence). Develop skills similar to the ones used by police!

TUESDAY

Apply the skills of forensic biology to analyse the evidence collected from the previous day.

WEDNESDAY

Expand on the forensic biology-based skills you learnt on the previous day with a focus on forensic chemistry!

THURSDAY

Discover the ways in which evidence is prepared for use in a court-based trial.

FRIDAY

Hear professionals talk about case studies related to forensic science and ask questions so you can find out more about this career pathway!



How does everyday Science impact us?



THE UNIQUE EXPERIENCE

This exciting offer provides and insight into the world of forensic science. Using the vast knowledge possessed by the science department, you will be given the opportunity to engage in a range of exciting tasks focused upon the collection, preservation and use of evidence.





STEP 1

ACCESS THE GOOGLE FORM

Following the launch of NEW, you will be sent an access link to a Google Forms sheet, highlighting the available offers to students.



STEP 2

RANK YOUR CHOICES

Use the video and booklet to support your decision making process! Within the Google Form, you will be asked to rank order your preferences from first choice to third choice.



STEP 3

SUBMIT TO US!

Once you are happy with your decision, send this information to us by clicking 'submit'. The deadline for submission is Thursday 9th February. We will work hard to offer first choices to as many students as possible. However, this may not always be possible due to group numbers.

HOW TO APPLY