



Heathgates Academy

Curriculum Plan

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Curriculum Offer

Curriculum Offer 2023/2024	
<u>KS3</u>	<u>KS4</u>
English & Literacy	English
Mathematics & Numeracy	Mathematics
Science	Science
MFL	Citizenship
Humanities	Information Technology
Information Technology	Physical Education
PSHE / RSHE	Employability
Quantum Leap Program	Option 1 MFL / Vocational
Music	Option 2 MFL / Vocational
Art and Design	Quantum Leap Program
Design and Technology	<i>External Providers: Motor Vehicle / Construction / Hair and Beauty / Animal Care / Equine Studies / Humanities (History).</i>
Careers	
Physical Education	

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The Curriculum Overview outlines the frequency of subjects taught over each year group.

The day is split through 6 Periods: 2 Periods, Break, 2 Periods, Dinner, 2 Periods. (30 lessons per week)

Key Stage 3

Timetable lessons will vary between individual circumstances and need. Below is a typical offer for KS3 delivery.

KS3	Year 7	Year 8	Year 9
English	4	4	4

Mathematics	4	4	4
Science	3	3	3
Humanities	3	3	3
Modern Foreign Languages *	2	2	2
PSHE	1	1	1
Design Technology / Art / Food Music Rotation **	6	6	6
PE	3	3	3
Quantum Leap Program***	1	1	1
Assembly	1	1	1
Alternative Providers*****			****

* Modern Foreign Languages include an option of French and/or Spanish (where appropriate).

** Design Technology / Art / Food Music Rotation Rotations include combinations of Art, Music, D&T and Food Technology taster sessions (where appropriate) in half termly blocks.

*** Quantum Leap Program is a bespoke PHSE program which includes specific individual intervention programs that cover a diverse range of hidden or expressed needs for each individual student. This is integral to the company's ethos and plan to support the young people from a clinically informed approach.

**** PSHE encompasses relationships and sex education and a program of SMSC / thematic personal development. The sex education is subject to agreement of the legal guardian of the student.

***** Alternative providers, and bespoke education can be accessed within the timetable if it is requested to support students' views and aspirations (where appropriate for year 9+).

Key Stage 4 and 5

Timetable lessons will vary between individual circumstances and need. Below is a typical offer for KS4/5 delivery, other subjects can be added in the vocational slot which are subject to PEP's.

	Year 10	Year 11	Year 12/13****
Mathematics	4	4	4
English	4	4	4
Science	4	4	4
Modern Foreign Languages*	3	3	3
PE	3	3	3
Citizenship	2	2	2

Employability Skills	1	1	1
Vocational **	7	7	7
Humanities	3	3	3
PE	2	2	2
Food (Design and Technology)	2	2	2
Quantum Leap Program ***	1	1	1
PSHE ****	1	1	1
Assembly	1	1	1

* Modern Foreign Languages include an option of French and/or Spanish (where appropriate).

** Vocational Subjects are chosen from Art / Music / Food Technology / ICT and Alternative Provisions for Motor Vehicle / Construction / Hair and Beauty / Animal Care / Equine Studies. Students can concentrate on one or a combination of these.

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**** PSHE consists of a diet of SMSC and individual programs covering Relationships and Sex Education.

***** Year 12/13 students who are behind in their education can follow a structure similar to those of year 10/11 students allowing them the opportunity to gain better qualifications than achieved in year 11.

Other optional curricular components in Key Stage 4 and 5 are:

- **Work Experience**
- **Externally provided courses (such as sports coaching qualifications)**
- **Life Skills**

Accredited Learning Programs

Accredited Learning Programs 2022/2023	
(The current exam board is stated, but others will be used for continuation of qualifications partially completed)	
Program Title & Awarding Body	Level of Award
English & Literacy	
AQA GCSE English Literature	GCSE (1-9)
AQA Functional Skills	Entry Level 1, 2, 3 Level 1 and 2

English	
Mathematics & Numeracy	
AQA GCSE Mathematics	GCSE (1-9)
AQA Functional Skills Mathematics	Entry Level 1, 2, 3 Level 1 and 2
Science	
Pearson iGCSE Science	GCSE (1-9)
Pearson Science Entry Level Certificate	Entry Level 1,2,3
PSHE	
BTEC Personal Growth and Wellbeing	Level 1 and 2
MFL	
AQA French	GCSE (1-9)
AQA Spanish	GCSE (1-9)
Citizenship	
AQA GCSE Citizenship	GCSE (1-9)
Art & Design	
BTEC Art & Design First	Level 1 and 2
Arts Award	Levels 1 and 2

Program Title & Awarding Body	Level of Award
Food	
AQA Food Technology	GCSE (1 – 9)
Employability Skills	
City & Guilds Employability Skills	Level 1 and 2
External Courses to the school that can be offered	
Sport	External Qualification
Sport	Level 1 / 2
Hair and Beauty External Qualification	External Qualification
Hair and Beauty Sector	NVQ Level 1 and 2

Land Based Studies	External Qualification
Small Animal Care	NVQ Level 1 and 2
Equine Studies	External Qualification
BHS - NVQ Horse Care and Riding	NVQ Level 1 and 2

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