



St. George's School  
A Church of England Academy

# **Curriculum Plan**

## **2017-2018**

## **Curriculum at St George's**

The curriculum at St George's is designed to support our mission: "Believe, Achieve and Care" and students will be central to their own learning, striving to achieve at the highest possible level in an environment of mutual trust and respect that allows the '**Team SG**' to flourish. Students will develop as independent life-long learners, creative risk-takers and innovators. They will be leaders and team-players as well as confident individuals who set themselves challenging personal and professional life goals." The curriculum is therefore a preparation for active citizenship, healthy living and productive employment. Our commitment to academic breadth is reflected in the wide diversity of courses and universities chosen by students.

The St George's curriculum is characterised by breadth and rigour at all levels, with increased specialisation in later years. During Years 7 - 9, all students study Maths, English, Science, Computing, Art, Performing Arts, Spanish and or French, History, Geography, RE, PE and Technology.

At Years 10 & 11, all students continue with Maths, English Language and Literature, Combined Science or separate Biology, Physics and Chemistry, PE, RE and either three (Year 10) or four (Year 11) further options including one 'Ebacc' options.

Homework forms an important element of students' learning from Year 7 onwards, as do the numerous curriculum-driven trips, visits and activity days. Students are encouraged to take ownership of their learning and can access a plethora of material for each course through the St George's portal, our on – line learning environment.

**For further curriculum information please contact Mr Kay (Deputy Head teacher)**

## Year 7 – 9 Curriculum 2017-2018

### Year 7

English	Mathematics
Science	History
Geography	Spanish
Religious Education	Computing
Physical Education	Art & Design
Design & Food Technology	Performing Arts

### Year 8

English	Mathematics
Science	History
Geography	Spanish
Religious Education	French
Physical Education	Computing
Design & Food Technology	Art & Design
Performing Arts	

### Year 9

English	Mathematics
Science	History
Geography	Spanish
Religious Education	French
Physical Education	Computing
Design & Food Technology	Art & Design
Performing Arts	

### Curriculum hours – Based on a two-week, 50 period timetable

Subject	Year 7	Year 8	Year 9
English	9	9	9
Mathematics	8	8	8
Science	7	6	6
History	4	4	4
Geography	3	4	4
Spanish	4	3	3
French		3	3
Computing	2	1	2
Religious Education	4	4	4
Physical Education	5	4	3
Art & Design	2	2	2
Performing Arts	1	1	1
Design & Food Technology	1	1	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>50</b>

## Year 10 & 11 Curriculum 2017-18

### Exam courses

Qualification Type	Subject	Grading System 2017 - 18
GCSE	English Language	9 - 1
GCSE	English Literature	9 - 1
GCSE	Mathematics	9 - 1
GCSE	Combined Science	9 - 1
GCSE	Biology	9 - 1
GCSE	Chemistry	9 - 1
GCSE	Physics	9 - 1
GCSE	Computer Science	9 - 1
GCSE	History	9 - 1
GCSE	Geography	9 - 1
GCSE	French	9 - 1
GCSE	Spanish	9 - 1
GCSE	Art & Design	9 - 1
GCSE	Dance	9 - 1
GCSE	Food Preparation & Nutrition	9 - 1
GCSE	Information & Communication Technology	A* - G
GCSE	Physical Education	9 - 1
GCSE	Religious Education	9 - 1
GCSE	Resistant Materials	A* - G
BTEC	Business Level 1/ level 2	Pass, Merit or Distinction
BTEC	Travel & Tourism Level 1/Level 2	Pass, Merit or Distinction
BTEC	Health & Social Care Level 1/Level 2	Pass, Merit or Distinction

### Curriculum hours – Based on a two-week, 50 period timetable

Subject	Year 10	Year 11
English Language & Literature	9	8
Mathematics	8	8
Combined Science or Triple Science	12	9
Religious Education	4	4
Physical Education	2	1
Option A	5	5
Option B		5
Option C	5	5
Option D	5	5
<b>Total</b>	50	50