

Subjects and Lesson Allocations

Key Stage 3 – The following table shows the mandatory subjects at KS3. In addition, the table also indicates the number of lessons per subject (fortnightly)

Curriculum Area	Y7 - 2024-25	Y8 - 2024-25	Y9 - 2024-25
English	7	7	7
Maths	7	7	7
Science	6	6	7
*RE	5	5	5
Art	2	2	2
Computer Science	2	2	2
Design & Technology	3	3	3
French	4		3
Spanish		4	
Geography	3	3	3
History	3	3	3
Music	2	2	2
PE	4	4	4
Personal Development	2	2	2

^{*}In line with the Religious Education Directory for Catholic schools, 10% of teaching time is allocated to RE. As a school with a distinct religious character, the allocation of 10% enables pupils to flourish in line with the values of the school. In addition, RE is an academic subject within its own right. Parents of pupils are permitted, by law, to request that their child is withdrawn from receiving all or part of religious education. On such rare occasions, the school will not replace the curriculum time with alternative teaching and there can be no additional burden of cost on the school. Requests need to be made via the headteacher.

Key Stage 4 – Number of lessons per subject (fortnightly)

Curriculum Area	Y10 - 2024-25	Y11 - 2024-25
English	9	9
Maths	8	8
Science	9	9
*RE	5	5
Option 1	5	5
Option 2	5	5
Option 3	5	5
Core PE	2	2
Personal Development	2	2

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