## Bishop Challoner

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## Aiming For Excellence Year 11: 2023-2024



Loving Father,
We give you thanks for our school community at Bishop
Challoner School and for the many gifts you have given us.
Bless our Year 11 students as they begin this new school year; Inspire them to make the most of all the opportunities they have to learn
And to use their gifts to serve the school and local communities.
Give us all the grace to follow the teaching of Bishop Challoner And to strive to do ordinary things extraordinarily well.
We make these prayers through Christ our Lord. Amen.

## Key Staff

Mr Crook
Head of Year


Mr Daley
Deputy Head of Year


Mrs Oakes SENDco


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## Key Staff

Mrs Roberts
Head of Careers

Mrs Hamilton
Career and SENDco Assistant


## Dates for the diary

Mock Interview Evening: 17-18 October 2023
Mock Exams: 20 November - 30 November 2023
Y11 Reports: 15 January 2024
Y11 Parent's Evening: 17 January 2024
GCSEs: 9 May - 19 June 2024

## Tutors

Tutors are a key point of contact. Tutors are as follows:-

11A Mrs Babu
11B Miss Allsopp
11C Miss Hutchings
11D Mr Assuon
11F Mr Dorricott
11G Mr Brooke

Please contact tutors if you have any concerns. Issues around health, friendships, attendance or work can be addressed in the first instance by tutors. They are experienced and will know how to resolve or obtain support for most issues.


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## Revision strategies

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## Revision foldables

- Choose the style of foldable you would like to work with




## Revision foldables

## Revision Timetable

We are finalising the timetable for in school/after school and Saturday school sessions. In the mean time...

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History revision - One History Help
https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCQU5628M062xMuO-
yAHkbkw
Science revision- AQA Biology Videos by Miss Taylor
https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC6tfU4JlqJoOi-coLaxxvQw
AQA Chemistry Videos by Mrs Roberts
https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC8PbAi6OldxoGCp85aHYI6w
AQA Physics https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCoksQRTIfgAQ-
WwJSdOtqGQ
Food revision - Keighley's Kitchen
https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCFTVa2oPCs7iWCuSTfXPKPw
Geography revision - Geography Rocks by Mrs Wingham
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## Phone

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time spent on social $m \in$ Second schoolboy dies trying longer than most peopl TikTok 'blackout challenge' school. 14 Dec 2017 - The Times

## Revision Environment




ACTIVE

Engage your brain by actively creating revision resources

Test yourself, get others to test you

Practise exam technique by writing or planning answers

Revise what you struggle with


TRANSFORMED

Transform the knowledge you want to learn into a different format

Make flashcards
Produce a timeline Record a podcast Invent a mnemonic Take Cornell notes Create a mindmap Design a flowchart Make a powerpoint Teach it

## How can you help? Attendance Matters

- A child who is absent a day a week misses an equivalent of two years of their school life
- $90 \%$ of young people with absence rates below $85 \%$ fail to achieve 5 or more good grades of GCSE
- At least 1 million children take at least one half day off a year without permission
- 7.5 million school days are missed each year through unauthorised absence
- Absence can lead to significant gaps in learning which will effect wellbeing, confidence and overall performance across the five year journey


## Punctuality

| If in a school year your <br> child is late everyday... | Your child would have lost <br> approximately... | Or they would have <br> missed approximately... |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 5 minutes | 3 days from school | 21 lessons lost |
| 10 minutes | 5 days from school | 35 lessons lost |
| 15 minutes | 8 days from school | 56 lessons lost |
| 20 minutes | 11 days from school | 77 lessons lost |
| 30 minutes | 16 days from school | 112 lessons lost |

## How can we help support you with attendance?

- School nurse
- Tutor team
- Head of year - Mr Crook and Mr Daley
- Mrs Fowkes - pastoral support
- Regular letters informing you of attendance
- Praise and recognition


Families can be referred to attendance legal panel if:-

- Attendance goes below 90\%
- More than 10 sessions are missed (5 days)
- Lateness
- Internet matters
- Parentzone
- Net- aware
- OurPact


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## Support with home learning



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## College Support



Queen Mary's College


Farnborough College of Technology

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