







At Wath Academy, we believe that enrichment activities play a significant part in our vision of "delivering exceptional learning experiences that enable all young people to thrive in a competitive world and lead successful and fulfilling lives". Based on this belief, we have built enrichment into our weekly timetable. Therefore, all students attending Wath Academy take part in an enrichment activity after lunch on a Wednesday afternoon. There is a wide range on offer and choose up to four different activities across the year.







Enrichment activities

This is a selection of the activities that have been on offer previously. Some will be seasonal.

Animal Care

Art Club

Athletics

Baking

Book Club

Boxing Fitness Class

Chess

Community Club

Cricket

Criminology Club

Dance

Digital Illustration

Digital Production

Drama and School

Productions

Duke of Edinburgh Award: Building links with nature

and the community

Electronics

Extended Project (EPQ)

Film Studies

Fitness at Wath ABC

Football

Golf

Mandarin Club

Gardening Club

Geography Club

Inspiring Reading in

Primary Schools

Music Technology

Musical Theatre

Netball

Outdoor Education (including indoor climbing)

Photography

Psychology Club

Robotics

Rock and Pop Band Skills

Rugby

Science Club

Snooker

Special Effects Media

Makeup

Strategic Board Games

Sugarcraft: the art of cake decoration

Table Tennis

Table Top Role

Playing Games

Textiles and Fashion









By taking part in enrichment activities, students create memories that last a lifetime and develop character to complement their academic achievements.

Participation in enrichment activities for all students supports physical and mental wellbeing, alongside developing character strengths such as teamwork and resilience. It is therefore widely acknowledged that taking part in an enrichment activity can often provide students with the edge over competitors when applying for education or employment beyond Year 13.

School Day 2023 - 2024 - Wednesday only	
Students must be on-site for 08:20	
	Student Timings
Period 1	08:25 - 09:40
Period 2	09:40 - 10:55
Break	10:55 - 11:15
Period 3	11:15 - 12:30
Lunch	12:30 - 13:10
Enrichment	13:10 - 14:50







Student feedback

"Wednesday is my favourite day of the week."

"I have made a membership at the gym since taking part in enrichment"

"I've now asked for golf clubs and clothes for Christmas."

"I am going to be in the school production of Oliver and would not have done this if we did not do Wednesday enrichment."

"I love being able to do something I enjoy every week in the school day."

"I have made new friends with interests similar to mine that I did not know existed. I now feel like I really belona."

Parent feedback

"Such an amazing idea - son loved it."

"Definitely positive memories made! Absolutely amazing range of opportunities - something to suit everyone!."

"All those smiles and new skills!

"Amazing range of enrichment activities/experiences. Well done, Wath"

"My daughter is reading with the little ones at Wath CofE and always chats with me about it... it also encourages her to help at home with her two little sisters and their reading."

Staff feedback

"I have been able to develop positive relationships through enrichment that support what goes on in the classroom during the rest of the week"

"The enrichment programme was a significant factor in my decision to apply for the head of department job at Wath... it is simply amazing!"

"It has been incredible seeing students outside of normal lessons and their comfort zone! It's fair to say that it's shocked me to see how good and resilient students are and totally changed my perception of some students."







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