

Year 13 Parent Information Evening 2023

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Dr Gareth Hughes Headteacher, Victoria College









Approaching the end of your secondary school journey...

OUR FIVE-YEAR PIAN

Amat Victoria Curam 'Victory Loves Preparation'

our VISION

A world-class holistic education that inspires every individual to contribute positively to our schools and society.





our MISSION

To create:

- A transformative curriculum in and out of the classroom that inspires excellence, curiosity and independent thinking.
- A dynamic learning environment underpinned by kindness, altruism and compassion.
- A diverse community where everyone is valued and supported to achieve their potential.

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To nurture **respectful** and **resilient** young people and to help them build successful futures. We encourage boys to **aspire** to excellence in everything they do and make the most of all the opportunities we offer.

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Aspirational

Set your standards higher and stretch yourself further, and passionately pursue the next level of personal best in everything you do: academic work, sport, creative arts, behaviour or just being a supportive friend.

Respectful

Behaving in a courteous, kind and polite way towards everyone in the school and the wider community. Listening to and celebrating different views and achievements. Supporting others.

Resilient

Developing a positive approach to learning and life. Understanding things might go wrong and there is always another way or a different option. Learning when to persevere and when to ask for help.

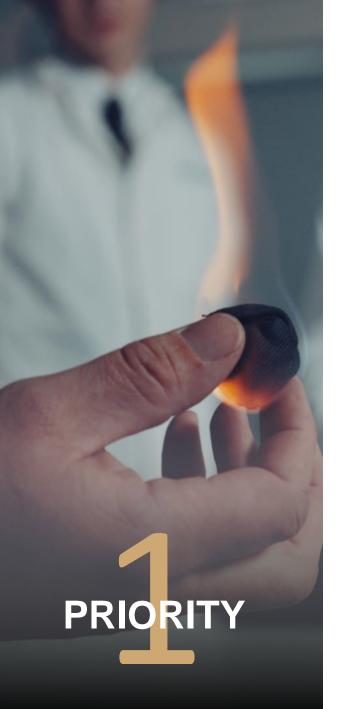
How our students describe our schools





AN EXCITING PLACE TO LEARN & GROW

A stimulating environment where everyone is challenged to be their best and embrace the available opportunities.



Add Academic Value

A focus on adding value to academic attainment, maximising personal progress and seeking the best outcomes for the individual.

Dynamic Learning

A comprehensive and exciting curriculum delivered through high-quality teaching and learning practices, that meets the skills and knowledge needs of all our students.

Beyond the Classroom

A diverse and extensive range of enjoyable and accessible co-curricular and enrichment opportunities that cater to the needs of our students and foster participation.

Student Voice and Leadership

A student-centered ethos that provides opportunities for student leadership across all year groups and includes student voice within decision-making processes.



A CULTURE OF KINDNESS

An inclusive and engaged community, which fosters positivity, wellbeing and meaningful outreach.



Positive Behaviour

Fostering excellent interpersonal relationships and full engagement in learning by cultivating and rewarding positive behaviour and individual effort.

Wellbeing and Inclusivity

An environment that cultivates and celebrates inclusivity and diversity, to ensure everyone's wellbeing in a high-challenge setting.

Partnerships and Outreach

A meaningful and mutually beneficial outreach program that engages with schools, businesses, organisations, and our alumni.

Community Cohesion

A strong community spirit, where everyone takes pride in supporting school and house events, and in being part of wider Island life through supporting charitable endeavours.



A REWARDING PLACE TO TEACH & WORK

A place where professional development is promoted, people feel valued, and have positive relationships with their work and each other.



Recognition and Engagement

A collective commitment to school improvement, where people are listened to and valued for sharing their ideas and expertise.

Developing our People

A learning community where career development and appraisal programmes are meaningful and tailored, maximising recruitment and retention of talent.

Connections and Networks

A commitment to improving educational provision and professional development through collaborative internal and external networks.

Technology for Learning

Technology development that focuses on the delivery of high-quality teaching and learning and considers future challenges in the educational landscape.





Look after yourselves, both mentally and physically



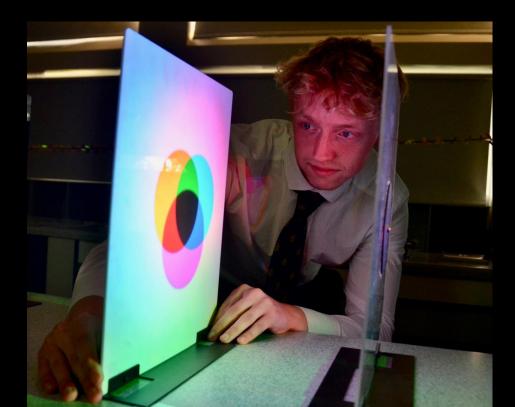
Mr Falle

Assistant Head: Sixth Form





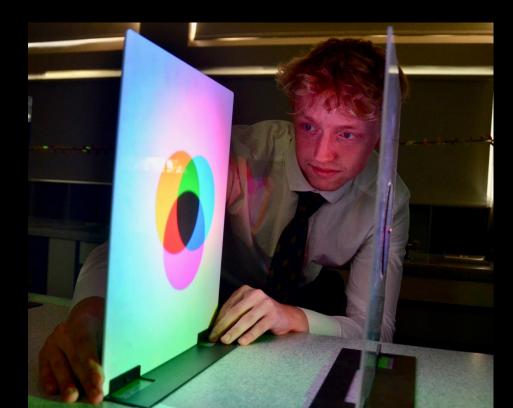
Curriculum



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2	Subject 3	Careers	Subject 2	Supported Study	Subject 2	
3	Enr Independent Subject 3 Subject 1		EPQ			
4	Subject 2	Subject 2 Subject 1 Weekly Lecture Subject 3		Independent Study		
Tutor Time		Assembly		Assembly	Games/CCF	
5	Supported Study	Subject 3	Subject 1	Subject 2	Games/CCF	
2	Supported Study		Subject 1			



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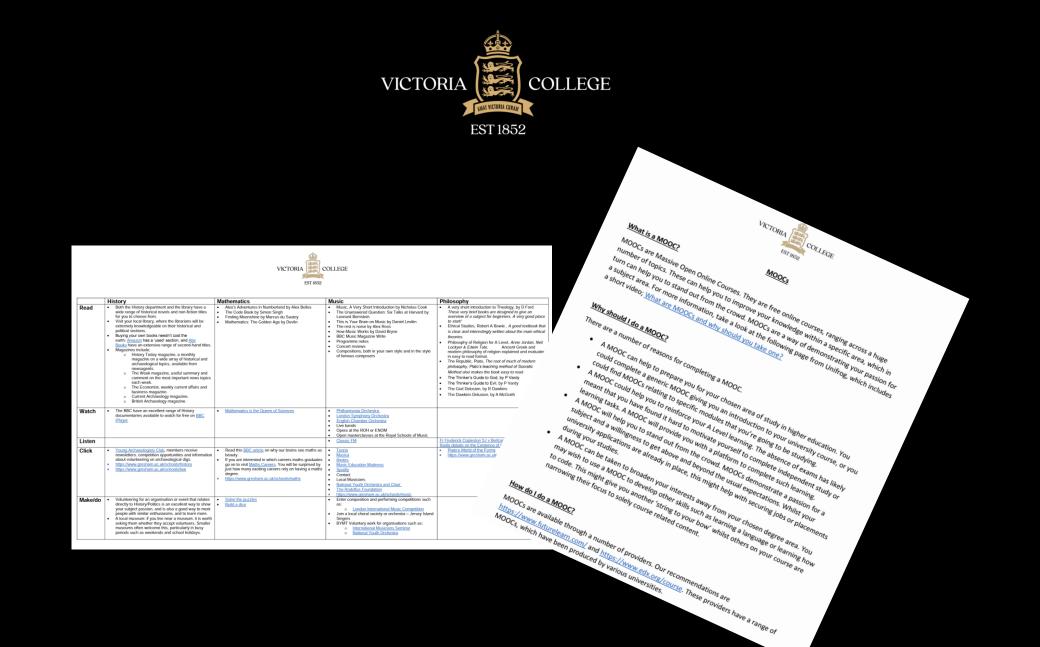


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Enrichment and Leadership







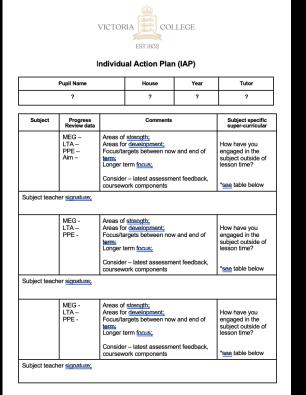
Academic Progress

- Regular assessment
- Progress reviews
- Opportunity to improve UCAS grades
 - Differs from subject-to-subject
- Engagement and effort both in and out-of-class
- Comparison of MEG v LTA
- Intervention and support



Interventions

- Data led
- Tutors, teachers, Sixth Form team contributions
- Student ownership
- Parental involvement
- Escalation and de-escalation
- Study periods, lunchtimes, afterschool, subject double ups





EPQ update (if taken)	
Other enrichment / Super-curricular	
Extra-curricular	
Prefect, or other responsibilities summer term Y12	
Activities week plans summer term Y12	
UCAS summer term Y12	Progress on 5 choices / alternatives to Uni Progress on Personal Statement
Rest of summer Term / summer holiday / Prep for Y13	



Pastoral Support

- Tutor
- Ms Raffray, Ms Gill, Ms Shelton School counsellor
- Mr Griffin Assistant Head Student Support & DSL
- Mrs Scott- SENDCO
- Mrs Job careers, Sixth Form guidance
- Ms Murphy UCAS coordinator, Deputy Head of Sixth
- Mr Falle
- External support



UCAS update.

Ms Murphy Deputy Head of Sixth Form



Deadlines:

Early Entrants (Medicine, Dentistry, Veterinary Sciences, Oxbridge) UCAS Deadline 16th October. Entrance exams, registration by 29th Sept.

Interviews:

Oxbridge interviews will take place mainly during December, with decisions made in January.

Online (school or at home)



Deadlines:

All other applicants: Internal Deadline 15th November. (UCAS 31st Jan 2024).

The benefits of meeting this deadline:

Ensures that we can check each application and give appropriate support. Students will begin to receive offers. Student focus can switch to A levels and MOCKs.



Progress & Next Steps:

- Admin part of UCAS should now be completed.
- Personal statements. First draft completed feedback given at the end of the summer term. Should currently be redrafting.
- University / Course choices finalising.



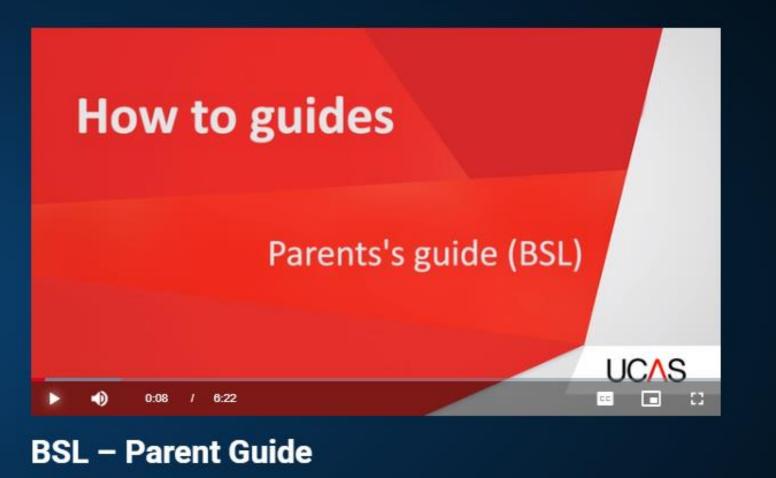
University & Course Choices

Courses.

- 5 universities. (Unifrog, League tables, UCAS, uni websites)
- Include of range of entry requirements grades that are aspirational, solid and safe choices.
- By June accept two offers one firm, one insurance.

All course choices will be checked to maximise the chances of offer(s)

University Visits.



Source of Support

- Mrs Murphy, Mrs Job, Mr Falle.
- Tutors/form time.
- Subject teachers.
- Assemblies.

We encourage all students to apply to maximise their options.

Engagement from students. Your Support. Communication.



Mr Falle

Assistant Head: Sixth Form



18+ Queries

Employment

- Mrs Job
- Applications, CVs and cover letters
- References
- Gap Year
 - Deferred applications
 - Applying 2024/25





Working in partnership





Student communication

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Like the idea of a career that makes a difference to wildlife? Then our Future Conservationists course is the ideal opportunity for

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Procedures and expectations

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Attendance

Absence requests

Additional study periods

Parking

Appearance policy

Vaping



Sixth Form Leave of Absence Request

Students should complete both sides of this form, inclusive of asking teachers to sign and comment, before submitting it to the Head of Sixth Form.

Subject	Staff comment (if needed)	Staff initials
1.		
2.		
3.		
4.		
Form Tutor com	nment	No. of absent days this year



University visits

If your absence is to view universities, please indicate which institution and the nature of your visit, e.g. interview, one to one tour, Open Day, etc.

Date of visit	University/ College	Nature of visit
DD/MM/YYYY		

Parent/ guardian consent

I confirm that the form is complete, and hereby formally request leave of absence for my son.

	Student	Parent/ guardian		
Signature				
Print name				
Date				

Please submit your completed form to Mr A Falle, Head of Sixth Form

Head of Sixth Form's response

Approved, with expectation that all missed work is completed

Approved, with concerns regarding some of the Tutors' comments
 Considerable reservations about absence at this stage

Comment

Signature

Date



Vaping

	1 st offence	2 nd offence	3 rd offence
Confirmed vaping	1 day in Reflection (Study Centre)	1 day external exclusion, 1 day in Reflection	2 days external exclusion
Possession of a vape	2 days in Reflection	1 day external exclusion, 2 days in Reflection	2 days external exclusion, 2 days in Reflection



Advice





- Consolidate your Year 12 learning revise!
- Breakdown your notes into shorter, more concise resources as soon as possible.
- Use your study periods and the hours before and straight after school well.
- Revise little and often.
- If in a leadership role, make sure you are proactive but learn to say no from time-to-time – utilise year 12s and other prefects.
- Be organised have a timetable to include revision slots
- Ask for help



Key dates

- Assessment opportunities ongoing imminently
- Early applicants taking examinations ongoing
- Early applicant applications 15th October
- UCAS deadline (all other applicants) 15th November



Key dates

- Progress Review Week commencing 13th November
- Parents' evening 30th November
- Mock examinations 17th-25th January
 - Results 5th February (student collection)
- Written reports Week commencing 11th March
- A Level examinations May-June 2024
 - Study leave likely commencing 8th May
 - A Level results day 15th August 2024



	STATES GRANT PER YEAR			
HOUSEHOLD INCOME (Total/Gross)	Tuition fees	Maintenance	Total	
£0 to £49,999.99	£9,250	£7,500	£16,750	
£50,000 to £59,999.99	£9,250	£6,000	£15,250	
£60,000 to £69,999.99	£9,250	£4,500	£13,750	
£70,000 to £79,999.99	£9,250	£3,000	£12,250	
£80,000 to £89,999.99	£9,250	£1,500	£10,750	
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£110,000 to £119,999.99	£8,325	£0	£8,325	
£120,000 to £129,999.99	£7,400	£0	£7,400	
£130,000 to £139,999.99	£6,475	£0	£6,475	
£140,000 to £149,999.99	£5,550	£0	£5,550	
£150,000 to £159,999.99	£4,625	£0	£4,625	
£160,000 to £169,999.99	£3,700	£0	£3,700	
£170,000 to £179,999.99	£2,775	£0	£2,775	
£180,000 to £189,999.99	£1,850	£0	£1,850	
£190,000 to £199,999.99	£925	£0	£925	
£200,000 +	£0	£0	£0	

USEFUL CONTACTS

STUDENT FINANCE

Bermuda House, Green Street, St Helier, Jersey JE2 4UH Tel: 01534 449450 | Email: studentfinance@gov.je | Website: www.gov.je/studentfinance

SKILLS JERSEY

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13 Diarmid – Mr G. Bloor <u>g.bloor@vcj.sch.je</u>
13 Dunlop – Ms E. Pallot <u>e.pallot@vcj.sch.je</u>
13 Sartorius – Ms A. Robinson <u>a.robinson@vcj.sch.jee</u>