

KEY STAGE 4 TIMETABLE

All students

study Mathematics for four periods per week and English Language and Literature for five periods per week in year 10 and 11. Combined Science is delivered for 4 lessons per week whilst our triple scientists receive 7 lessons per week. Religious studies is also taught to all students recognising the importance the Academy gives to developing the broader moral understanding of the young people in our care. All students also continue to have one lesson per week of statutory Physical Education throughout Key Stage 4. In year 10 students also receive 1 lesson per week of PSHE, whilst in year 11, PSHE is delivered in a series of collapsed days.

Students choose

to study either Geography or History and then either two further options including the option to study Spanish, thus allowing students to achieve the English Baccalaureate (EBacc). The EBacc, as per the DfE website "is made up of the subjects which are considered essential to many degrees and open up lots of doors". A full complement of optional GCSE subjects is supplemented with a range of vocational options.

An individual programme

of study is the priority for each student with an emphasis on encouraging them to choose subjects that they enjoy, are good at and provide an insight into any potential future career. All option subjects are taught in mixed ability groupings and all core subjects are set by ability. Students and parents are supported through options process with a comprehensive programme involving tutors, one to one conversations and an extensive offer of information sessions and events.