LEADERSHIP LADDER

The Leadership Ladder provides opportunities for you to gain leadership experience, and recognises your achievement of different levels of 'Leadership Colours'.

If you are in Year 7 and 8, you can work towards Lower Bronze, Lower Silver and Lower Gold Leadership Colours, achieving a certificate and badge to recognise your hard work, as well as Hall points. In Year 9, 10 and 11, you can work towards Upper Bronze, Upper Silver and Upper Gold Leadership Colours.

At each level, you must complete 5 leadership activities from the list in order to achieve the award - this is indicated on the award page. Your Form Tutor or the member of staff running the activity can sign off the activity on the Leadership Ladder - let them know what you have done and who with, and they will initial and date your Leadership Ladder record.

Some criteria are purposefully on 2 different levels of Leadership Ladder, for example helping at Open Evening. If you have had an activity signed off at Lower Bronze level, you cannot have it signed off again at Lower Silver, instead please pick something different. You can complete a maximum of 1 award per term. Any questions, please ask your Form Tutor.



LEADERSHIP LADDER - Lower Bronze Award

To gain Lower Bronze Leadership Colours, you must complete at least 5 activities from the list.

	ACTIVITY	STAFF TO SPEAK TO	DATE COMPLETED	FORM TUTOR SIGNATURE
1	Attend at least 10 sessions of a lunch/after-school club.	Whichever Faculty runs the club		
2	Lead a group in a lesson.	Your class teacher		
3	Be a Form Captain, Sports Captain, Charity Captain or Hall/ School Council rep.	Form Tutor		
4	Read 3 books, writing a small summary paragraph about each one.	Form Tutor or English teacher		
5	Help at Open Evening, Parents Evening or Transition Evening.	Heads of Faculty or Mrs Wardle (Ass Head, Transition Eve) or HOY (Parents Eve)		
6	Take part in an Inter-Hall competition.	Form Tutor		
7	Represent the school/participate in a school fixture (e.g. tennis match, National Enterprise Challenge, National maths challenge, music/dance/drama performance)	Teacher in charge of the activity or Head of Faculty		
8	Take on a registration/form responsibility for at least 1 term, e.g. reading notices, equipment leader.	Form Tutor		
9	Be recognised for outstanding uniform and punctuality.	Form Tutor		
10	Enter an Art competition or exhibition within school.	Miss S Tomcyzk (Head of Art)		
11	Support another student in school with a difficulty along with a member of staff.	HOY (of older year group)		
12	Be awarded a Form Tutor/ Student Services award in an Achievement Assembly.	Head of Hall (once awarded)		

LEADERSHIP LADDER - Lower Silver Award

To gain Lower Silver Leadership Colours, you must complete at least 5 activities from the list.

	ACTIVITY	STAFF TO SPEAK TO	DATE COMPLETED	FORM TUTOR SIGNATURE
1	Lead a learning activity within a lesson, e.g. starter/plenary/ warm-up/giving feedback.	Your class teacher		
2	Be a member of a school club/team for 4 terms.	Whichever Faculty runs the club		
3	Be a Form Captain, Sports Captain, Charity Captain or Hall/School Council rep.	Form Tutor		
4	Lead in a primary school ac- tivity or primary competition in school.	Approach Faculty organising the activity		
5	Represent your Hall in the Book quiz.	Form Tutor Ms J Timson (Library)		
6	Raise awareness or funds for your Hall charity.	Form Tutor / Mr H Thomas (Head of Halls)		
7	Present your ideas to a group.	Class teacher		
8	Present/talk in an assembly, Life Programme session or on a visit.	Form Tutor / Mr H Thomas (Head of Halls) Miss R Brooks (KS3 C+) Mr R Hughes (KS4 C+)		
9	Organise a Hall team for an inter-hall competition.	Form Tutor		
10	Become a KS3 Language Leader.	Mrs S MacPherson / Mr J Chinea (Languages)		
11	Participate in a Drama/ Dance/Music Show.	Mrs R Richards (HOF) Miss J Oakes (Dance) Mr D Starkey (Music)		
12	Organise and set up an Art event in school.	Miss S Tomcyzk (Head of Art)		
13	Participate in the Visual Arts publicity and events team.	Miss S Tomcyzk (Head of Art)		
14	Act as a buddy to a new Year 7 student (Y8s only).	Mr R Spencer Mr D Heaton Student Services		
15	Work as a Library Research Monitor for 1 term.	Ms J Timson (Library)		

LEADERSHIP LADDER - Lower Gold Award

To gain Lower Gold Leadership Colours, you must complete at least 5 activities from the list.

	ACTIVITY	STAFF TO SPEAK TO	DATE COMPLETED	FORM TUTOR SIGNATURE
1	Help lead a lunch/ after-school club for 1 term.	Whichever Faculty runs the club		
2	Present information to parents/staff.	HOY / Mr H Thomas		
3	Act as a role model to other students.	HOY / Student Services		
4	Captain a school team in a fixture.	N/A		
5	Help lead/play a significant part in a Drama/Dance/ Music Show.	Mrs R Richards (HOF) Miss J Oakes (Dance) Mr D Starkey (Music)		
6	Plan and deliver part of a Hall/Year assembly.	Form Tutor / HOY		
7	Summarise key learning from a topic/unit of work and present in class.	Class teacher		
8	Help to complete your form noticeboard.	Form Tutor		
9	Perform in a school event, e.g. assembly, Awards Evening, Christmas Carol Service.	Mrs R Richards (Head of Performing Arts)		
10	Enter a local or National Art competition or exhibition.	Miss R Doherty (Head of Technology) / Class teacher		
11	Lead the Visual Arts publicity and events team.	Miss S Tomcyzk (Head of Art)		
12	Work as a Library Research Monitor for 2 terms.	Ms J Timson (Library)		
13	Write an article for the school website about an achievement, event or trip in school along with photo (250 words min - 300 words max).	Miss K Wilson (Reception)		

LEADERSHIP LADDER - Upper Bronze Award

To gain Upper Bronze Leadership Colours in **Year 9**, you must complete at least 5 activities from the list; only 1 of these can be an Employability skill.

To gain Upper Bronze Leadership Colours in **Year 10 and 11**, you must complete at least 7 activities from the list; only 2 of these can be an Employability skill.

	ACTIVITY	STAFF TO SPEAK TO	DATE COMPLETED	FORM TUTOR SIGNATURE
1	Help lead a lunch/ after-school club for 1 term.	Whichever Faculty runs the club		
2	Help lead/play a significant part/perform in a Drama/ Dance/Music Show/sports team.	Mrs R Richards (HOF) Miss J Oakes (Dance) Mr D Starkey (Music)		
3	Work to support students in lower year groups.	Student Services HOY Class teachers		
4	Attend at least 10 sessions of a lunch/after-school club.	Whichever Faculty runs the club		
5	Help at Open Evening, Parents Evening or Transition Evening.	Heads of Faculty or Mrs R Wardle (Ass Head, Transition Eve) or HOY (Parents Eve)		
6	Be a Form Captain, Sports Captain, Charity Captain or Hall/School Council rep.	Form Tutor		
7	Organise a Hall team for an inter-hall competition and take part in it.	Form Tutor		
8	Be a member of a school club/ team for 4 terms.	Whichever Faculty runs the club		
9	Present information to parents/ staff.	HOY / Mr H Thomas		

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	ACTIVITY	STAFF TO SPEAK TO	DATE COMPLETED	FORM TUTOR SIGNATURE
10	Plan and deliver part of a Hall/ Year assembly.	Form Tutor / HOY		
11	Work as a Library Research Monitor for 1 term (Year 9 only)	Ms J Timson		
12	Enter an Art competition or exhibition within school.	Miss S Tomcyzk (Head of Art)		
13	Help run the Primary Team Maths Challenge (Year 9 only).	Mr J Mullin Mrs C Ramsbottom		
14	Participate in the PE Sports Leader Award (Years 10 & 11 only).	Mr J Hampton (Head of PE)		
15	Mentor a Year 7 or Year 8 student.	Mr D Heaton Mr R Spencer Student Services		
16	Employability skills - I have completed a CV.	Form Tutor		
17	Employability skills - I have researched and summarised potential 6th form/career options.	Form Tutor		

LEADERSHIP LADDER - Upper Silver Award

To gain Upper Silver Leadership Colours in **Year 9**, you must complete at least 5 activities from the list; only 1 of these can be an Employability skill.

To gain Upper Silver Leadership Colours in **Year 10 and 11**, you must complete at least 7 activities from the list; only 2 of these can be an Employability skill.

	ACTIVITY	STAFF TO SPEAK TO	DATE COMPLETED	FORM TUTOR SIGNATURE
1	Represent the school in a competition or event, e.g. National Maths Challenge, sports fixture or Christmas Carol Service).	Whichever Faculty is running the event		
2	Promote your Hall's involvement in an inter-hall or new fundraising event.	Form Tutor / Mr H Thomas (Head of Halls)		
3	Be on the Prom committee.	Mr T Scott (Head of Year 11)		
4	Raise awareness of a significant issue affecting students or the wider community.	N/A		
5	Plan and deliver part of a Hall/Year assembly.	Form Tutor / HOY		
6	Present information to parents/staff.	HOY / Mr H Thomas		
7	Coach other students in your Hall for an inter-hall event, e.g. Sports Day.	PE teacher / Form Tutor		
8	Participate in the PE Sports Leader Award (Years 10 & 11 only).	Mr J Hampton (Head of PE)		
9	Work as a Library Research Monitor for 2 terms (Year 9 only).	Ms J Timson		
10	Participate in Paired Maths in registration for 1 term (Year 11 only).	Mr J Mullin Mrs C Ramsbottom		

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	ACTIVITY	STAFF TO SPEAK TO	DATE COMPLETED	FORM TUTOR SIGNATURE
11	Organise and help run the Primary Team Maths Challenge (Year 10 only).	Mr J Mullin Mrs C Ramsbottom		
12	Deliver a German or Spanish taster session to Year 7s.	Mrs S MacPherson (German)/ Mr J Chinea (Spanish)		
13	Become a KS3 Language Leader (Year 9 only).	Mrs S MacPherson/ Mr J Chinea (Languages)		
14	Enter a local or National Art competition or exhibition.	Miss R Doherty (Head of Technology)		
15	Organise and set up an Art event in school.	Miss S Tomcyzk (Head of Art)		
16	Participate in the Visual Arts publicity and events team.	Miss S Tomcyzk (Head of Art)		
17	Mentor a Year 7 or Year 8 student.	Mr D Heaton Mr R Spencer Student Services		
18	Employability skills - participate in a mock interview.	Form Tutor		
19	Employability skills - I have researched 2 post-16 schools/colleges, and compared the courses they offer (Year 10 & 11).	Form Tutor		
20	Employability skills - I have completed an application for a Sixth Form/post-16 choice (Year 11).	Form Tutor		
21	Raise awareness of your Hall Initiative	Mr H Thomas (Head of Halls)		

LEADERSHIP LADDER - Upper Gold Award

To gain Upper Gold Leadership Colours in **Year 9**, you must complete at least 5 activities from the list; only 1 of these can be an Employability skill.

To gain Upper Gold Leadership Colours in **Year 10 and 11**, you must complete at least 7 activities from the list; only 2 of these can be an Employability skill.

	ACTIVITY	STAFF TO SPEAK TO	DATE COMPLETED	FORM TUTOR SIGNATURE
1	Lead a lunch/after-school club for younger students.	Whichever Faculty runs the club		
2	As part of a team, organise a whole-school event, campaign or competition.	Faculties / Form Tutor / various		
3	Take a lead role in the planning, organisation and delivery of part of a Hall/ Year assembly.	Form Tutor / HOY		
4	Be elected as Deputy Hall Captain (Y11 only).	N/A		
5	Represent the school in a competition or event, e.g. Sports Ambassadors, Warrington Debate.	Whichever Faculty runs the event		
6	Participate in Paired Maths in registration for 1 term (Year 11 only).	Mr J Mullin Mrs C Ramsbottom		
7	Participate in the PE Sports Leader Award.	Miss J Ball (PE)		
8	Lead the Visual Arts publicity and events team.	Miss S Tomcyzk (Head of Art)		

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	ACTIVITY	STAFF TO SPEAK TO	DATE COMPLETED	FORM TUTOR SIGNATURE
9	Promote your Hall's involvement in an inter-hall challenge.	Form Tutor/ Mr H Thomas		
10	Organise an event that fundraises for a charity (in or out of school).	N/A		
11	Participate in an activity that improves the school environment.	Form Tutor / Mr H Thomas / HOY / Student Services		
12	Write an article for the school website about an achievement, event or trip in school along with photo (250 words min - 300 words max).	Miss K Wilson (Reception)		
13	Employability skills - I have researched 2 post-16 schools/colleges, and compared the courses they offer (Year 10 & 11).	Form Tutor		
14	Employability skills - I have completed an application for a Sixth Form/post-16 choice (Year 11).	Form Tutor		