



ENRICHMENT

LYMM SIXTH FORM



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ENRICHMENT ELECTIVES

What are they?

Enrichment electives offer a variety of activities for Lymm High students to get involved in, these are completed in addition to their academic studies. These electives will help develop personal skills and confidence which are integral to life outside of school.

These electives will offer students the opportunity to develop the core competencies looked for by employers and universities, which students will include in their future applications.

What skills will enrichment electives help me develop?

The variety of enrichment electives we offer will develop many of the following skills: independence, communication skills, working with others through teamwork, resilience, flexibility and work-life balance, leadership, analysis, presentation skills (depending on the activity).

How does it work?

At Lymm High all students are expected to participate in enrichment. Students are encouraged to sign up to enrichment electives worth 5 credits each, they should aim to complete 5 credits each half term to total 30 across the school year (for Year 12) or 25 for Year 13. We do not put a limit to the number of activities a student can be involved in!

Here is a list of all the different activities we offer across the year each worth 5 credits. If you would like to run an additional club we do encourage this; please let us know and we can help you set it up. Please see the further pages of this booklet for more information about each enrichment elective.



Subject Area	Enrichment Elective	Credit
Arts	School Play / Music Group	5 credits per half term
	Fashion Show	
	Art Club	
Careers	Work Placement (<i>to be organised by student</i>)	5 credits per half term
Discussions	Debate Mate	5 credits per half term
	Mock Law Trial	
	Model United Nations	
Community	Lymm Radio	5 credits per half term
	Transition Days	
	Yr7 Reading Buddy	
	Shorthand Club	
	Makaton Signing Course	
	Duke of Edinburgh (<i>run across multiple terms</i>)	
	Volunteering at a care home	
Diversity & Inclusion	Mental Health Champions & Mental Health Working Group	5 credits per half term
	Pride Club	
English	Book Club	5 credits per half term
Music	Music Exams	5 credits per exam
	Music Groups (<i>strings, orchestra, vocal, big band</i>)	5 credits per half term
Sports	Social Sports Teams/Inter-Hall Competitions	5 credits per half term of activities
	Competitive Sports	
	Leisure Centre Activities	
Subject Work	EPQ (<i>from Sept – Dec</i>) For Y13 students (<i>This will be launched in January 2024 for Y12</i>)	5 credits per half term
	MOOC5	5 credits per MOOC
	History Magazine	5 credits per half term
	Gateway	
	Oxbridge Preparation	
	Science Ambassadors	
	Arts Ambassadors	
	Performing Arts Ambassadors	
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Outdoor Skills		5 credits per course

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Extended Project Qualification (EPQ)

The EPQ is launched in January of Year 12, and upon completion, is worth the equivalent of an AS level. This is a self-directed project of 4000 words, which helps prepare students for the independent study needed for undergraduate courses.



The Gateway Programme

This programme is aimed at those students wishing to apply for the University of Oxford or Cambridge, or those applying to the most competitive courses (medicine, dentistry and veterinary science). This programme will support them to make a competitive application.



STEP Mathematics

This course will prepare students for the STEP (Sixth Term Examination Paper), designed to test candidates on questions that are similar in style to undergraduate mathematics. STEP is used by the University of Cambridge as their basis for conditional offers.

Duke of Edinburgh

An internationally recognised qualification that involves students developing physical, practical and social skills via completing an expedition and ongoing tasks. Students have the opportunity to complete their Gold Award.



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Fashion Show

An opportunity to get creative and make exciting fashion designs using a variety of materials, techniques, processes and equipment.



Performing Arts Production

Each year we hold a whole school performance Sixth Form are a critical part of the acting and organisational teams.



Art Ambassadors

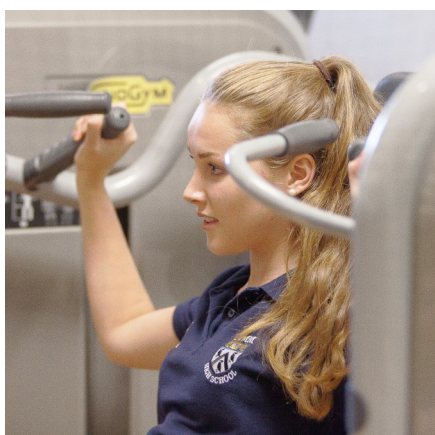
Art Ambassadors work with Lower School students on projects such as Christmas Thank You cards and other initiatives throughout the year.



COMPETE

Netball, Basketball, Football & Hockey

Students can take part in weekly training sessions and compete in regular fixtures throughout the academic year.



Rugby

Lymm High School is well known for its successes in rugby, winning both the U16 and U18 Cheshire Championships in the past. Students can train weekly, competing in regular fixtures including the county and national cups.

Fitness Suite

Students will be given a gym induction and are welcome to use the fitness suite during lunch times and specific times during the day.



DISCUSS



Book Club

Literary lovers discuss their favourite authors and pieces of writing, studying new and old favourites.



Model United Nations

The Model United Nations is a recreational activity in which participants assume the role of national ambassadors or representatives to debate and seek to solve global issues.



Debating

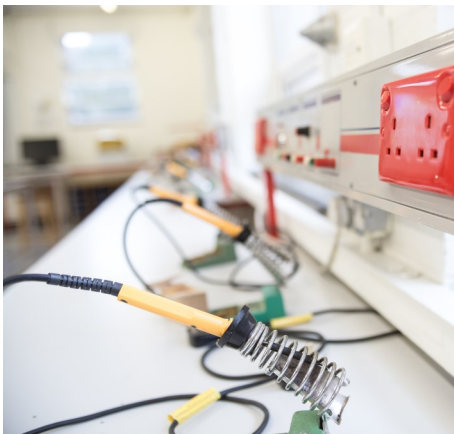
Debating Club allows students to discuss contemporary issues and world affairs alongside their peers. Students can also learn more formal debating techniques with Debate Mate where you will be coached by a university mentor and take part in nationwide competitions.



Mock Law Trials

Run by magistrates from Warrington Courts students participate in making decisions about a real trial case.

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STEM
Take part in science, technology, engineering and maths activities.



Law Society
Open to any student interested in pathways into Law.



PERFORM



Brass Band & Big Band

Students with a passion for music can join a number of musical ensembles ranging from full orchestra to duets depending on their instrument of choice.



Orchestra & Vocal Group

A fantastic opportunity to gain experience of playing standard orchestral repertoire.

Strings

Our string ensemble rehearses challenging repertoire and performs in school concerts, and occasionally external venues.



LEADERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES



Prefect

An ideal opportunity for students looking to enhance their UCAS application and to demonstrate their leadership skills, responsibility and maturity. Students must commit to at least one lunch time per week to help supervise lower school.

Eco Leaders

Our Eco Reps take a lead with lower school students and members of staff on 5 key areas: biodiversity, waste, energy, water, litter. They plan and deliver assemblies, and support the application for the National Eco-Schools award.

Student Mentors

This is a great way to support lower school through working with younger students to improve their reading and/or numeracy skills. Through personal relationships students will be able to help develop younger students' confidence.

Leadership Committee

Lead projects for Sixth Form and Lower School and gain valuable teamwork and leadership skills.

Subject Ambassador

Suitable for students looking to enhance their knowledge of a specific subject. Students must commit to at least one lunch time or study period to support a subject/activity.

Mental Health Ambassadors

Our mental health ambassadors work alongside the staff responsible for this area in school. Students will support staff promoting new initiatives and devising campaigns, all of which involve listening to our student body.





ENRICH YOUR LEARNING

We encourage our students to lead our clubs and societies, which are held at various times throughout the week. For more information about our enrichment opportunities at Lymm High School visit our website www.lymmhigh.org.uk/sixth-form/

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