

Bishop Stopford School

Sixth Form

Wednesday 13th September
2023

Year 12 Parent Information
Evening

A large orange circle occupies the left side of the slide, partially cut off by the edge.

Welcome

We are delighted to welcome into school our new Year 12 students and their families - from both Bishop Stopford School and other local schools.



Mrs Coe (Head of Sixth Form)

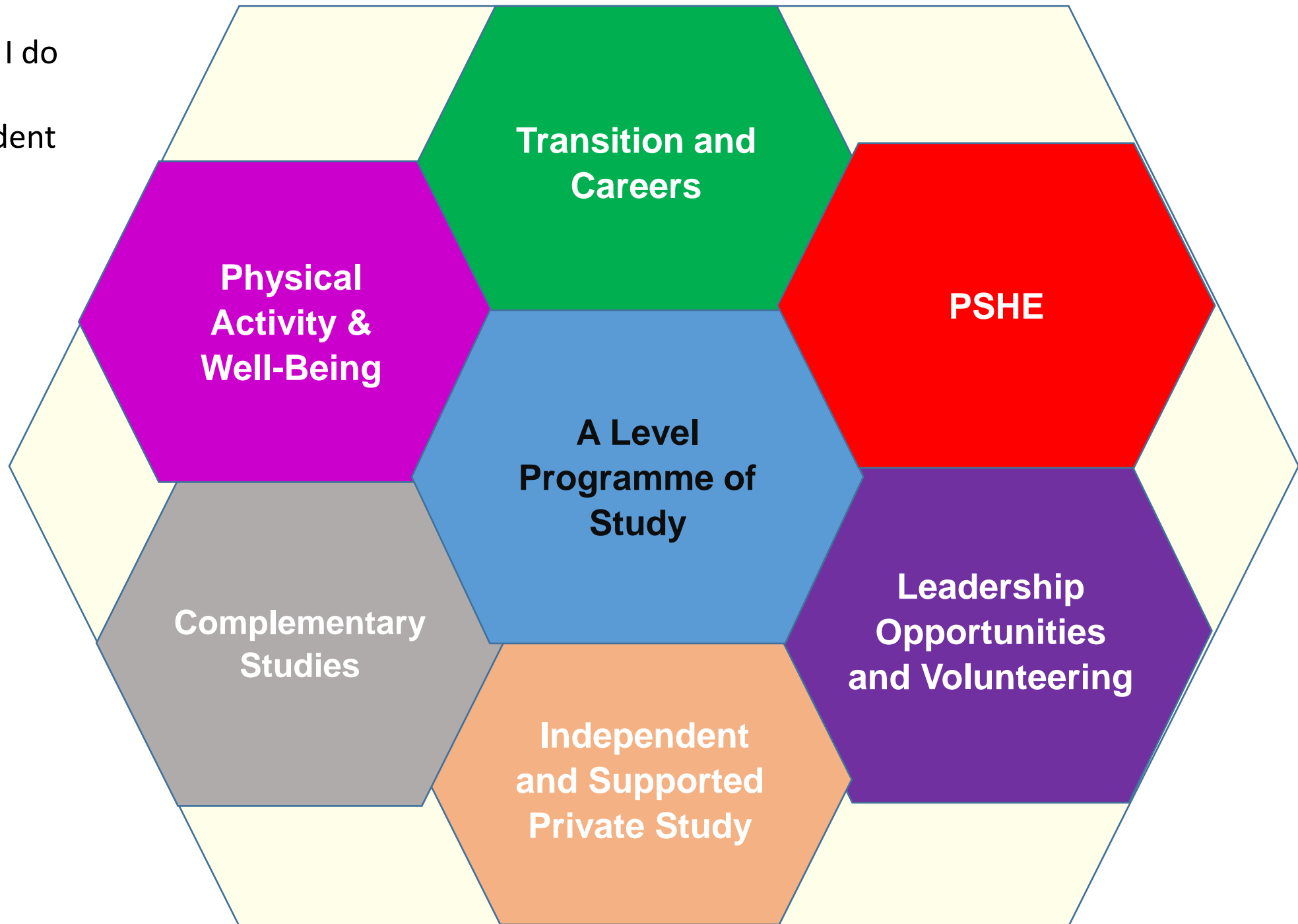


Mrs Styles (Head of Year 12)



The Two Years Ahead

What will I do
as a Sixth
Form Student
at Bishop
Stopford
School?



Choosing and studying three A level subjects forms the centre piece of life as a sixth form student.



A Level Programme of Study



Exam Results Bishop Stopford School – KS5

	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
% A*	7	14	18	18	5
% A	16	23	28	24	20
% A* - B	49	65	71	72	55
% A* - C	79	89	87	90	78

Affected by Covid

GCSE results do not automatically have a direct correlation to A level results.

GCSE Score	No of students	Highest	Middle	Lowest
9s only	3	A*A*A*	A*A*A	A*AB
Mainly 8 and 9s	6	A*A*A	A*AB	A*BB
	11	A*A*A*A	A*AA	ABC
Mainly 7, 8 & 9's	5	A*A*A*	ABB	BCC
	7	A*A*A	AAB	ABB
Mainly 7 and 8's	8	A*AA	AAA	BCC
	13	A*AA	ABB	BCE
Mainly 7's few 6's	18	A*A*A	AAB	CDE
Mainly 7's and few 6's and 5's	26	A*A*B	ABB	BCD
	17	A*A*A	AAB	ADD
Mainly 6's few 5'S	16	ABB	BBC	BBE
	19	AAB	BBB	CDD
Mainly 5's few 6's	10	AAB	BCC	BDD
	10	BBB	BCC	DDE
Mainly 5's few 4's	10	BCC	CCC	CDD
	6	ACD	CCD	DDD
Mainly 4 and few 5's	7	CDD	DDD	DEE

Lots of other factors are involved at studying at A level including the subject specific skills and independence and discipline

There are plenty of places in school that Sixth Form students can use to study when they don't have timetabled lessons



Seminar Rooms

The Olive Grove and Sixth Form Cafe



The Sixth Form Study Centre is open to 5.00pm each day for students to stay and work



Sixth Form Common Room Left

Independent and Supported Private Study
(10-15 hours a week is needed)

Sixth Form Study Centre



Free Teaching Rooms

Sixth Form Common Room Right (Quiet Room)



Library

Sexual Health Education

Porn
Fertility and what impacts it
Alcohol and Bad Choices
Importance of Sexual Health
Contraception
STI's
Respect and Relationships

Positive Well-Being

Dealing with Depression
Stress and Performance
Dealing with anxiety
Fears and Anxiety
Sleep Hygiene and Mental Health
Promoting Emotional Wellbeing
Resilience and Growing Up

Diversity, Safety & Health

LGBT Equality in the UK
Toxic Masculinity
Carrying a Knife – Gangs
Dealing With My Anger
What is Cancer

PSHE

Drugs & Risk Education

Drugs - Alcohol Safety
Substance Misuse
Drugs and their Effects
Drugs Education – SPICE
Drug Classifications
Drugs Education – LSD
Drugs Education MDMA

Emotional Wellbeing

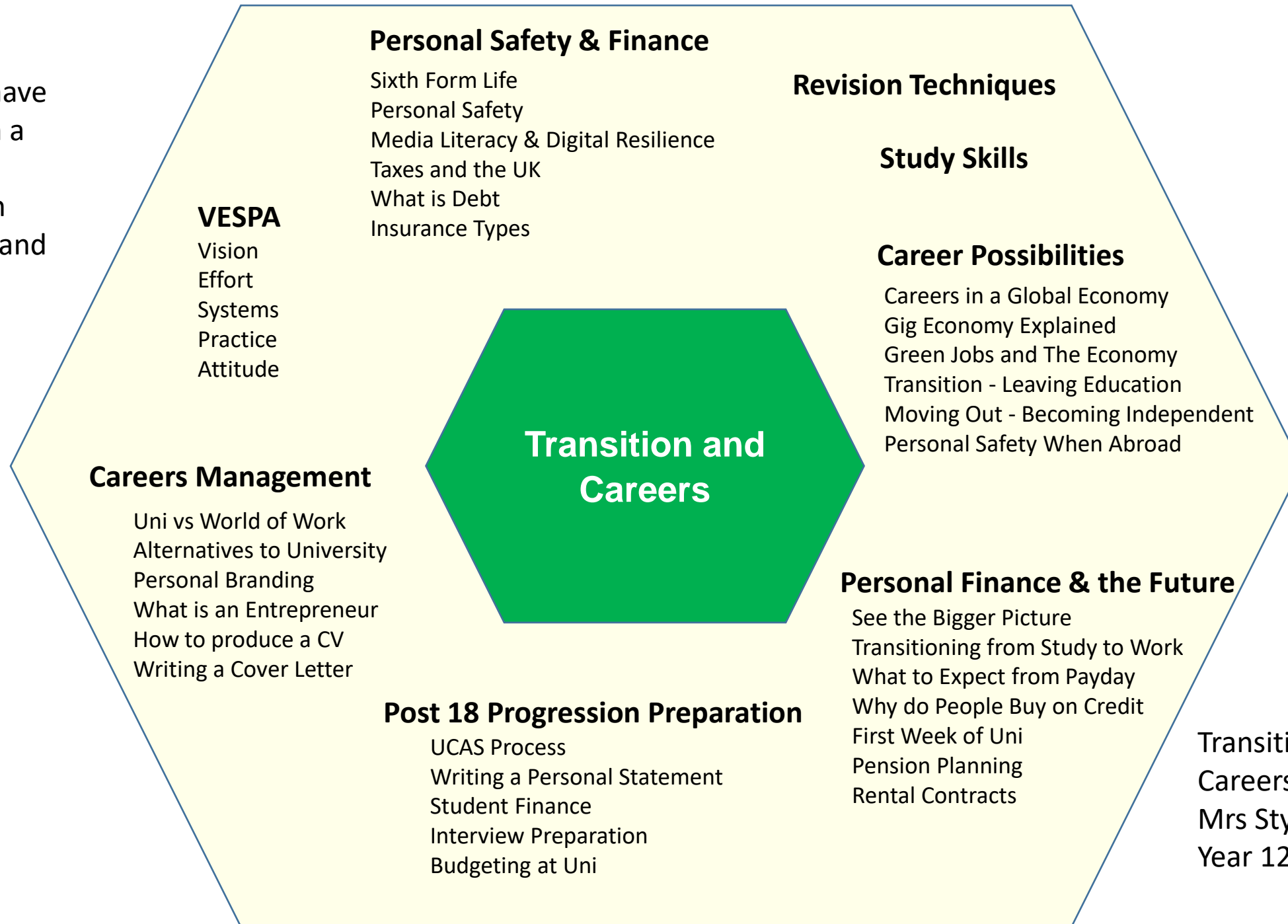
Nature Nurture Mental Health Causes
Looking after your Health and Wellbeing
Physical Health
Improving Body Image
Stress Management

Students have
one lesson a
fortnight of
PSHE

Year 12 students
start with this topic



Students have
one lesson a
fortnight
focused on
Transition and
Careers



Transition and
Careers is taught by
Mrs Styles, Head of
Year 12

It is important students also get involved in other activities within the school and make use of the services we can offer

House Games & Activities



PE Lunchtime Clubs and Practices & School Teams



Music & Drama Practices & Clubs



Physical Activity, Music, Drama & Well-Being

Physical Education Lessons

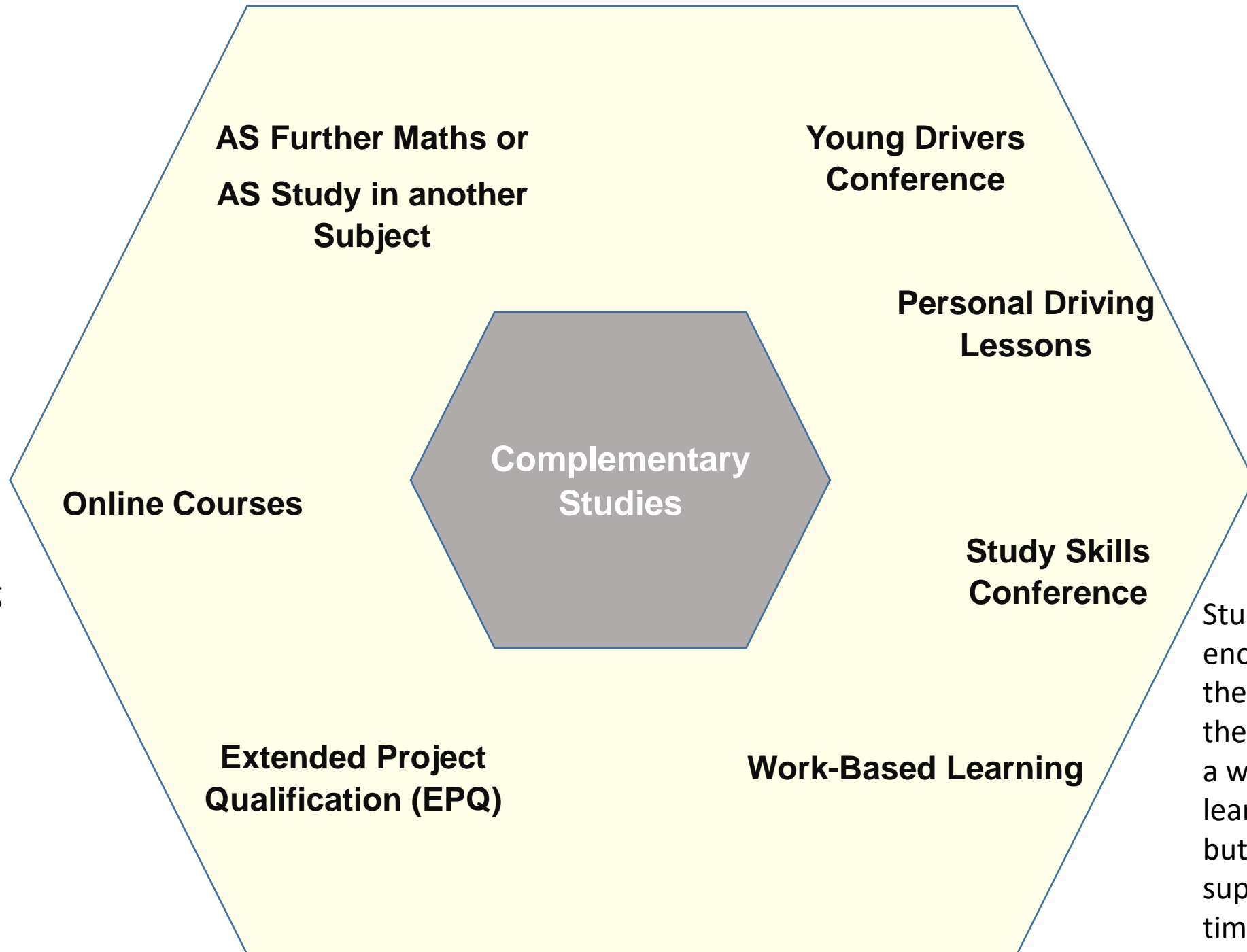
Student Chaplaincy Team



Sixth Form Counsellor

School Nurse

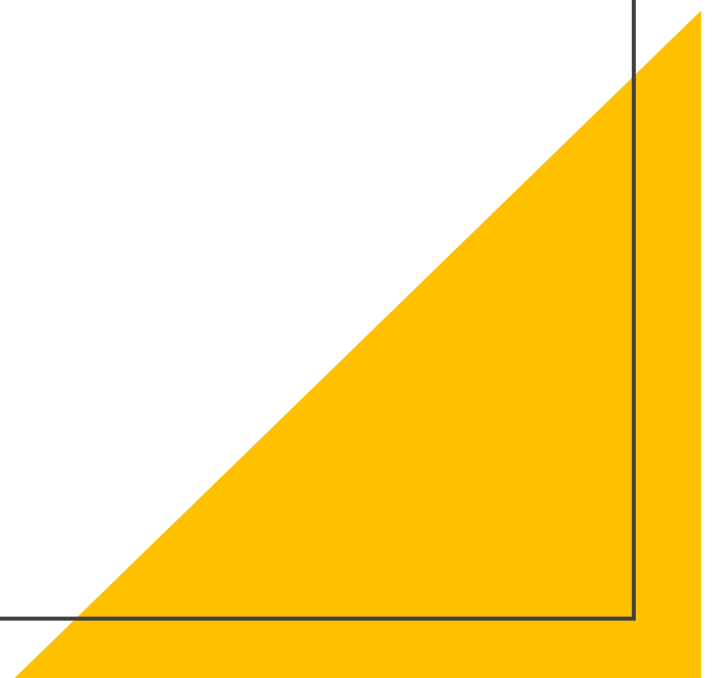
Other opportunities are also available, and we would encourage students who wish to learn to drive to do this in non-timetabled lesson time so that they are learning in the light and during the day

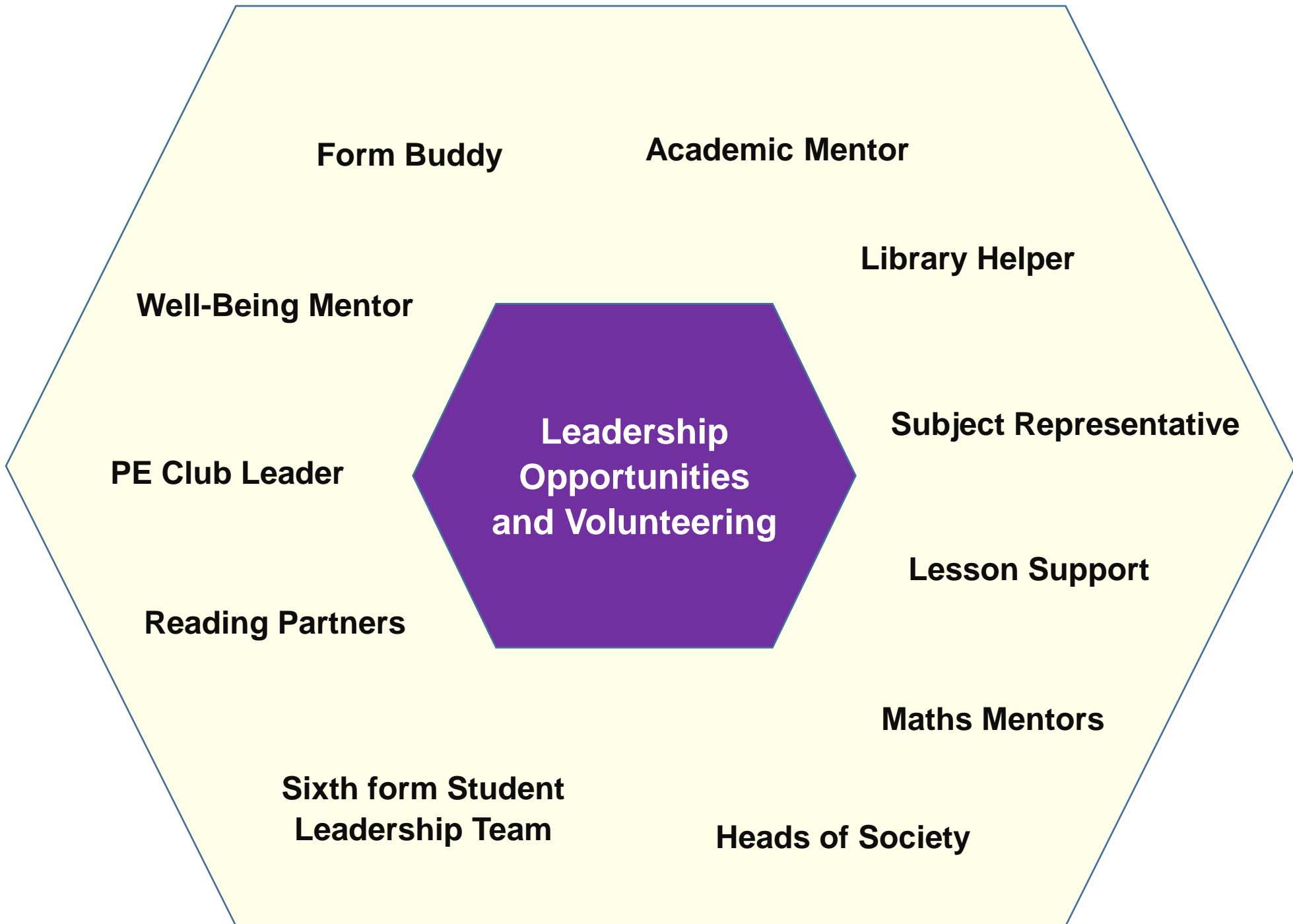


Students are encouraged to use the post 18 week in the calendar to gain a work-based learning placement, but we will also support this at any time during the year

A Level Study Skills, Higher Education and Young Drivers Conference

Wednesday 20th September





Extended Student Leadership Team 2023-2024

Head students

Rebecca Patterson

Deidre Kwangwari

Rayaan Kausar

Jonty Cullinan

Community

Jay Scholtz

Ellie Eke

Shania Retnasingam

Lana-Rees Aidoo

Ben Krotowski

Maria Zachariah

Armaan Farooqui

Oliver Ross

Justin Udo

Joanne Kadavan

Lily Burns

Grace Cottingham

House

North

Gabby Brown

Ieuan Roden

Maleea King

East

Sophy Kendall

Sasha Bainbridge

Alfie Rootham

South

Adam Simpson

Erin Grant

Lydia Flanagan

West

Lucy Foley

Georgia-Mae King

Amelia Owen

Charity and Ethos

Evie Williams

Sophie Cullen

Harry Watts

Grace Fraser

Environment

Foyin Ademola

Elena Berardi-Ross

Emma Clark

Blessing Oduavwoya

Arriving and Leaving

- Students can arrive from 8.00am but must be on the school site by 8.30am and **must sign in**. Students must remain on the school site until 3.15pm and at the end of the school day students must sign out.
- All students have a form tutor and two form times a week and an assembly on a Friday. The other two morning, they may use any of the study or social areas. We use these times for PSHE and Transition and Careers as well as having visiting speakers to the school.
- If students need to leave the school site during the day, for example for a driving lesson, or a medical appointment, they must sign out and then back in again. These should be taken outside of timetabled lesson times.

Student Absence

To report your child absent please call **01536 503503** and choose **Option 4** for students in Years 7 - 11 or **Option 5** for students in Sixth Form.

Alternatively email studentabsence@bishopstopford.com or report via Edulink.



Key Academic Dates

Year 12 Reports will be issued on:

- Friday 24th November
- Friday 8th March
- Wednesday 17th July

Year 12 Progress Evening

- Thursday 14th March

Year 12 Mock Examination

- Monday 24th June – Friday 28th June

Parent Forum – Induction and Admissions (Year 7 and 12 parents)

- **Wednesday 4th October 2023**
- **Time: 5:30 – 6:30pm**
- **Information will be sent to you by the school**

Thank you

- Please feel free to stay behind and speak to any of us individually.