

Spring Term 2020

Diary



ST. DOMINIC'S GRAMMAR SCHOOL

GIRLS AND BOYS

INFORMATION AND DIARY OF EVENTS

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TERMS DATES 2019/2020

Reminder: All pupils should be on school premises by 8.45am. School finishes at 5.00pm Monday to Thursday, and 4.00pm on Fridays. Please be aware that the School cannot be held responsible for pupils before 8.00am or after 5.00pm Monday to Thursday, and after 4.00pm on Fridays.
Pupils requesting to be out of School during school hours must give at least 24 hours' notice in writing to their Form Tutor, and before leaving School premises must report to reception to sign out.

Autumn Term 2019

Monday 2 & Tuesday 3 September: Staff Inset Days (School closed to all learners)

Wednesday 4 September: School opens

Friday 18 October: School closes

Half Term: Monday 21 October to Friday 1 November inclusive

Monday 4 November: School opens

Wednesday 18 December: School closes for Christmas holiday at 1.30pm

Spring Term 2020

Tuesday 7 January: Staff Inset Day (School Closed to all learners)

Wednesday 8 January: School Opens

Friday 14 February: School closes

Half Term: Monday 17 February to Friday 21 February inclusive

Monday 24 February: School opens

Friday 3 April: School closes for Easter holidays at 4.00pm- Easter Sunday 12th April

Summer Term 2020

Monday 20 April: Staff Inset Day (School closed to all learners)

Tuesday 21 April: School opens

Friday 8 May: Bank Holiday (School closed to all learners)

Friday 22 May: School closes

Half Term: Monday 25 May to Friday 29 May inclusive

Monday 1 June: School opens

Friday 10 July: School closes for Summer holidays at 1.30pm

Autumn Term 2020

Tuesday 1 September: Staff Inset Days (School closed to all learners)

Wednesday 2 September: School opens

CODE OF CONDUCT

- To inspire growth in 'mind, body and spirit'.
- Honesty and loyalty are expected of all pupils.
- Any dishonest conduct will be dealt with severely.
- Truth and kindness is expected from all pupils.
- If you feel that someone is being unkind, talk to another person, a friend, your Form Teacher or another teacher straight away. The Form Teacher will need to know the facts. Together they will deal with the situation.
- Observe and help others in need, if you see someone looking alone or unhappy ask them if there is anything you can do to help.
- Avoid excluding others by your actions such as; whispering, moving away from them, giving them looks or laughing at them.
- Please note that we always show respect for each other in any electronic communication. All social sites are scrutinised and monitored.
- All travel on the School minibus must observe the transport code of conduct of respect and outstanding behaviour.

**WORKING TOGETHER CREATES OUR HAPPY,
FRIENDLY ATMOSPHERE**

HIGH SCHOOL TIMETABLE

8.00—8.45 am	Supervision in Dining Hall for all pupils
8.30 am	Monday & Thursday Staff Briefing
8.45 am	To cloakrooms—Registration in form rooms
9.00 am	Assembly in the Junior Hall
9.15 am	Lesson 1
9.50 am	Lesson 2
10.30 am	Break
10.45 am	Lesson 3
11.20 am	Lesson 4
11.55 am	Lesson 5
12.30 pm	Lunch
1.15 pm	Lesson 6 (Registration with subject teacher)
1.55 pm	Lesson 7 (ends 2.25 pm)
2.35 pm	Lesson 8
3.10 pm	Lesson 9
3.40 pm	To Form Rooms to register for Extended Day and to collect books and bags
3.45 pm	Break and Refreshments in Dining Hall
4.00 pm	Activities/homework
4.45 pm	Session ends
5.00 pm	School buses leave (4.00 pm on Fridays)
TIMETABLE FOR ASSEMBLIES	
Assemblies in Senior School are held 3 times per week from 9.00 am—9.15 am	
Monday	Form period
Tuesday	Senior Assembly in Junior Hall
Wednesday	Hymn Practice
Thursday	Form Time
Friday	Yrs 2-13 Celebration Assembly

PREPARATORY TIMETABLES

Reception—Year 2 Years 3-6

8.00 am	Breakfast Club Meet and Greet
8.50 am	Registration
9.00 am	Phonics
9.15 am	Learning through play/ Guided teaching
10.30 am	Outdoor Learning
10.45 am	Learning through play/ Guided teaching
11.45 am	Lunchtime
12.30 pm	Outdoor Learning
1.05 pm	Registration
1.10 pm	Circle Time
1.20pm	Learning through play/ Guid- ed teaching
2.25pm	Outdoor Learning
2.45 pm	Focused activities/Story time
3.45 pm	End of Day/Extended day activities
4.45pm	Session ends (Reception)

8.00—8.45 am	Arrive at Junior Library/ Junior ICT room
8.45 am	Proceed to registration
8.50 am	Registration
9.00 am	Assembly or Form Period
9.15 am	Lesson 1
9.50 am	Lesson 2
10.30 am	Break
10.45 am	Lesson 3
11.20 am	Lesson 4
12.00 pm	Lunchtime KS2
1.05 pm	Registration
1.15 pm	Lesson 6
1.55 pm	Lesson 7
2.25 pm	Break
2.35 pm	Lesson 8
3.10 pm	Lesson 9
3.45 pm	End of School KS2 Tuck Shop
4.00 pm	Extended day activities
4.45 pm	Session ends
5.00 pm	School buses leave (4.00 pm on Fridays)

PARENTS' EVENINGS

JANUARY		
Thursday 9th	Years 12 -13	Parents Meeting Common Room 5-7pm
Tuesday 14th	Rec—Year 6	Parents Evening Peakman Hall 4-7pm
Wednesday 15th	Year 9	Options and Parents Evening Peakman Hall 5-7pm
Thursday 23rd	Year 10	Informal Parents Evening Peakman Hall 4-5.30pm
Wednesday 29th	Year 8	Parents Meeting Peakman Hall 5-7pm
FEBRUARY		
Monday 10th	Year 7	Parents Meeting Peakman Hall 5-7pm
Thursday 27th	Year 11	Parents Meeting Peakman Hall 5-6.30 pm
Thursday 27th	Year 11	A Level Evening Common Room 6.30-8.00pm
MARCH		
Thursday 12th	Year 11	A Level Taster Day
Monday 23rd	Year 7-9	Parent Drop in Meeting Peakman Hall 5-7pm
Tuesday 31st	Year 12-13	Parent Drop in Common Room 4-6pm

OPEN DAYS

MARCH		
Saturday 7th	Whole School Open Day	10.00am-1.00pm

UNIFORM SHOP

Our Uniform Shop stocks all our uniform except school shoes, pumps and trainers. Should an item be required that is currently not in stock our Uniform Shop Staff will be happy to order it for you.

Opening times for the Uniform Shop during term time are:

Tuesday: 12.00 noon - 1.00 pm
Wednesday: 9.00 am - 10.00 am
Thursday: 3.00 pm - 4.00 pm

If these opening times are inconvenient for you, you can obtain and fill in an order form at the office, your items can then be collected from the office. Order forms can also be downloaded from the School's website.

MINIBUS SERVICES

We offer a pick up and drop off minibus service for our pupils. The pupils are transported to and from school in our fleet of minibuses by our team of drivers.

The bus timetable may vary each year as we accommodate the requests of our new pupils.

Our current bus routes are as follows:

ROUTE A: WOLVERHAMPTON. BL09 PXX
DRIVER: MR D TAYLOR 07522 579553

Calling at: Blakenhall, Lower Penn, Perton Ridge, Wightwick Bank and Codsall.

ROUTE B: WOLVERHAMPTON. RX56 HNT
DRIVER: MR T DEELEY; 07442 018709

Calling at: Finchfield; Compton; Tettenhall Wood; Tettenhall Rd; Whitmore Reans; Codsall.

ROUTE C: BRIDGNORTH. BL09 PYJ
DRIVER: MR R BAKER; 07496 184414

Calling at: Kinver, Bridgnorth, Royal Oak, Ackleton, Pattingham Road and Albrighton,

ROUTE D: STAFFORD. BL09 PXG
DRIVER: MR I LONGSTAFF; 07563 110067

Calling at: Stafford (Wildwood, Baswich), Cannock and Featherstone

ROUTE E: STAFFORD. BP59 APK
DRIVER: MR J KING; 07837 851096

Calling at: Haughton (Billington Farm), Norbury Junction, Newport, Muxton and Weston Heath.

ROUTE F: TELFORD. BP59 A0Z
DRIVER: Mr. G. MILLWARD; 07884 265392

Calling at: Telford, Appley, Wellington, Randle, Priorslee, Shifnal and Sheriffhales

Monday 6 January

Tuesday 7 January

Staff Inset Day

Wednesday 8 January

School Opens for Pupils

Thursday 9 January

Years 12 & 13 Parents Meeting—Common Room 5.00-7.00pm

Friday 10 January

Saturday 11 January

Sunday 12 January

Notes

Monday 13 January**Tuesday 14 January**

Reception to Year 6 Parents Meeting - Peakman Hall 4.00-7.00pm

Wednesday 15 January

Year 9 Options and Parents Meeting—Peakman Hall 5.00-7.00pm

U14 Netball v Tettenhall College (Home) 4pm

Thursday 16 January

New Years Music Concert—Peakman Hall

Friday 17 January

Saturday 18 January

Sunday 19 January

Notes

Monday 20 January

School Video production Day

(Filming in progress throughout the day throughout the school)

Tuesday 21 January**Wednesday 22 January****Thursday 23 January**

Year 10 Informal Parents Meeting

Core Subjects only 4.00-5.30pm Peakman Hall

Friday 24 January

Year 11,12,13 Art Trip—Tixall Gallery

Saturday 25 January

Sunday 26 January

Notes

Monday 27 January

Tuesday 28 January

ISA U14 Netball at Loughborough

Wednesday 29 January

Year 8 Parents Meeting—Peakman Hall 5.00-7.00pm

Thursday 30 January

Friday 31 January

Saturday 1 February

Sunday 2 February

Notes

Monday 3 February

Year 9 ACWY/DTP Vaccinations 9.30am

Tuesday 4 February

Wednesday 5 February

Thursday 6 February

Years 9-11 Maths Challenge (intermediate) during Maths lessons

Friday 7 February

Staff Twilight

Saturday 8 February

Sunday 9 February

Notes

Monday 10 February

Year 7 Parents Meeting—Peakman Hall 5.00-7.00pm

Tuesday 11 February

Wednesday 12 February

Thursday 13 February

ISA U13 Netball at Loughborough

Friday 14 February

School Closes for Half Term

Saturday 15 February

Sunday 16 February

Notes

Monday 17 February

Half Term

Tuesday 18 February

Half Term

Wednesday 19 February

Half Term

Thursday 20 February

Half Term

Friday 21 February

Half Term

Saturday 22 February

Half Term

Sunday 23 February

Half Term

Notes

Monday 24 February

School opens for staff and pupils

Tuesday 25 February

Lamda Exams

Wednesday 26 February

Lamda Exams

Thursday 27 February

Year 11 Parents Meeting—Peakman Hall 5.00-6.30pm

6th Form Entry 2020—A Level Evening Common Room 6.30-8.00pm

Friday 28 February

Saturday 29 February

Sunday 1 March

Notes

Monday 2 March

Tuesday 3 March

Year 12 & 13 English A Level Trip

Wednesday 4 March

Thursday 5 March

Netball U12 & U13 v Tettenhall College (Away) 2.30pm

Nursery—Year 6 - The Animal Man 1.30—3.30pm

World Book Day

Friday 6 March

Saturday 7 March

Open Day 10.00am—1.00pm

Sunday 8 March

Notes

Monday 9 March

Netball U15 v Tettenhall College (Away) 3.15pm

Tuesday 10 March**Wednesday 11 March****Thursday 12 March**

A Level Taster Day for Year 11

Friday 13 March

Saturday 14 March

Sunday 15 March

Notes

Monday 16 March

Tuesday 17 March

Wednesday 18 March

BTEC Performance Year 11

Thursday 19 March

Friday 20 March

Mothers Day Tea Party for Lower School—Peakman Hall 3.00pm

Saturday 21 March**Sunday 22` March*****Notes***

Monday 23 March

Year 7-9 Parent Drop in Meeting—Peakman Hall 5.00-7.00pm

Team Maths Challenge (2 yr 8's & 2 yr 9's) at Wolverhampton Grammar School.

Tuesday 24 March**Wednesday 25 March****Thursday 26 March**

Friday 27 March

Year 7 Entrance Exam (2020 entries)

Staff Twilight

Saturday 28 March

Sunday 29 March

Notes

Monday 30 March**Tuesday 31 March**

Years 12 and 13 Parents Meeting Drop In Common Room 4.00—6.00pm

Wednesday 1 April

Netball U16 v Tettenhall College (Home) 4.00pm

Thursday 2 April

Easter Service at St. Marys & St. Chads Church 9.15 am

Codsall Arts Festival Peakman Hall 5.30 –10.00pm

Friday 3 April

School Closes for Easter Holiday at 4.00pm

Saturday 4 April

Sunday 5 April

Notes

STAFF MEMBERS

	EXTENSION NO.
Mr P McNabb, Headmaster	24
Mrs N Hastings-Smith, Head of Senior School (Curriculum & Safeguarding)	36
Miss L Hovland, Head of Lower School	33
Miss Malik Admissions Secretary & Marketing	38
Mrs J Knight Reception	24
Mrs S Tillett, Finance Officer/Uniform Shop Manager	38
Mrs A Morgan, School Secretary	21
Nursery	27
Mr Spooner, Facilities Manager	23

For the following members of staff, please ring through to Reception, who will transfer your call:

SENIOR LEADERSHIP TEAM

Name	Position
Mr Peter McNabb	Headmaster
Mrs Nicola Hastings-Smith	Head of Senior School (Curriculum & Safeguarding) Designated Safeguarding Lead
Miss Louise Hovland	Head of Lower School (Logistics)

For the following members of staff, please ring through to Reception, who will transfer your call:

SENIOR TEACHING STAFF		
Mrs M Binfield, French and German	Mrs A Booth, Examinations Secretary	Mr R Brocklehurst, Head of Mathematics
Mrs C Alexander, English	Mrs H Chapman-McDonald, English	Mrs W Frost—Computing
Mr P Gorman—RE & Psychology	Mr I Henderson, Head of Faculty Science, Technology, Engineering & Maths	
Mr B James, Physics and ICT	Mrs D Jones, French and German	Mrs K Lander, Business Studies
Mrs L Leigh, Form Tutor, Science, Head of PE	Mrs R Loftus, Head of Department, Home Economics & Child Development	Mrs H Machin Art & Textiles
Mrs C Molin, Head of Expressive Arts, Director of Performing Arts	Miss C Morris Head of Enrichment	Mr D MacKenzie, Maths
Mrs V O'Neill, Head of Biology	Mr N Perks Head of Music	Mrs M Richards—Spanish A Level
Mr G Saul, History	Miss L Vallonchini Pastoral Support	
PRE-PREPARATORY AND PREPARATORY TEACHING STAFF		
Mrs T Barrett Years 1 & 2 Form Tutor	Mrs K Beardsmore, Reception Form Tutor	Mrs C Grigg Years 1 & 2 Form Tutor
Mr J Howell Year 4 Form Tutor	Mrs S Kirwan, Senco Head of Preparatory, Curriculum Years 5 & 6 Form Tutor	Mrs S Pumphrey Year 3 Form Tutor
LEARNING SUPPORT ASSISTANTS		
Mrs D Clarke, LSA	Mrs C Cox	Mrs J Kilkenny, LSA
Mrs S Pleded	Mrs L Ritchie	
NON-TEACHING STAFF		
Mr M Pemberton, Site Manager	Mrs B Bridges, Laboratory Technician	Mr J King, Transport Co-ordinator/Supervisor
Mr J Reynolds, Safeguarding		
PERIPATETIC STAFF		
Miss M Bridgwater, Dance Teacher	Mr W Hall, Music	Mr S Harvey, Karate
Mrs A Jones, Music	Mrs K Morgan, Music	Ms M Outen, Music
Mr J Tucker Gymnastics		

EXTENDED DAY TIMETABLE – SENIOR DEPARTMENT SPRING TERM 2020

EXTENDED DAY TIMETABLE- UPPER SCHOOL SPRING TERM I 2020

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
HOMEWORK Years 7-11 Dining Hall Mrs O'Neill	HOMEWORK Years 7-11 Dining Hall Mr Saul	HOMEWORK Years 7-11 Dining Hall Mr Reynolds	HOMEWORK Years 7-11 Dining Hall Mr Goreman	
GCSE History Clinic + History club Year 10-11 History room Mr Saul	Matches Years 7-13 Sports Hall Miss Leigh Netball Club Years 6,7,8 Sports Hall Miss Leigh	Matches Years 7-13 Sports Hall Miss Leigh Badminton Years 7-13 Sports Hall Mr Brocklehurst	Music Clinic Year 10-11 Music Room Mrs Perks Garage Band Music Practice Room Years 7-13 Mr Hall	
Physics Clinic Years 10-11 Chemistry Lab Mr Henderson	Film Club Years 7-13 History room Mr Saul Mrs Chapman McDonald	Young Enterprise Years 12-13 Room 7 Miss Morris	GCSE Art Clinic Years 10-13 Art Room Mrs Machin	
Football Club Years 7-10 Sports field Mr Spooner	Mrs Chapman McDonald GCSE Art Clinic Years 10-13 Art Room Mrs Machin	Modern Foreign Languages Clinic Years 11 Room 3 Mrs Binfield	Bushcraft Club Years 7-13 Geography room Miss Morris	
MOMO Years 7-13 Drama Studio Mrs Molin Mrs Morris	Chemistry Clinic Years 10-11 Chemistry Lab Mr Henderson	Spanish GCSE Clinic Years 10-11 Room 3 Mrs Richards	KARATE * Years 1-7 Mr Harvey (Peakman Hall)	
Maths Clinic Years 10-13 Maths Room Mr Brocklehurst	Gaming Club Years 7-13 Room 8 Mr Goreman Guys and Dolls School Production rehearsal Mrs Molin Drama Studio	How to survive a zombie apocalypse Years 7-13 Biology Lab Mrs O'Neill/Mr Mackenzie	Netball Club Sports Hall Years 9-13 Miss Leigh Maths Clinic Years 10-13 Maths Room Mr Mackenzie English Clinic Years 7-13 Room 1 Mrs Alexander	
LUNCHTIME ACTIVITIES				

EXTENDED DAY TIMETABLE – PRE-PREP & PREPARATORY DEPARTMENT SPRING TERM 2020

EXTENDED DAY TIMETABLE- PREPARATORY SCHOOL Spring Term 1 2020

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
SUMMER PRODUCTION REHEARSALS Years 3-6 Mrs Pumphrey Peakman Hall	HOMEWORK Mr Howell Library	SUMMER PRODUCTION REHEARSALS Years 3-6 Mrs Kirwan Peakman Hall	SCHOOL NEWSPAPER Years 1-6 Miss Ritchie Mrs Cox Junior ICT room	
RECREATIONAL CLUB Reception-year 2 Mrs Grigg Recreation Room	TECH TIGERS* Years 1-6 Art Room	RECREATIONAL CLUB Rec – Year 2 Mrs Barrett Recreation Room	KARATE * Years 1-7 Mr Harvey Peakman Hall	
CRAFT CLUB Years 1-2 Mr Howell	NETBALL CLUB Years 6,7,8 Miss Leigh Sports Hall	COOKING CLUB * Year 3-4 first half term Year 5-6 second half term 12 places £6 Mrs Loftus Home Economics Room	COSMIC YOGA Rec-Year 2 Mrs Beardsmore Reception classroom	
FOOTBALL CLUB Y5-6 (with yrs 7-10) Mr Spooner Sports field	DANCE CLUB Rec-Year 2 Mrs Beardsmore Rec classroom			
LUNCHTIME ACTIVITIES				

Please note that there is a charge for these activities

RECREATIONAL CLUB will be a variety of activities including a film, construction, board games, mindfulness colouring and outdoor activities. Please only select one of these per week (two for Reception pupils).

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