

Dereham Neatherd High School – Curriculum Plan 2024-25

Dereham Neatherd High School has a two-week timetable. Pupils have 50 one-hour lessons per fortnight (5 lessons per day). Pupils are set by ability for maths and computing throughout the school. They are also set by ability in science from Year 8 onwards. All other subjects are taught in mixed-ability groups.

YEAR 7	English	Maths	Science	PE	Society & Ethics†	Spanish	Geography	History	Computing	Art	Drama	Music	Design Technology
	8	7	6	4	3	5	3	3	2	2	2	2	3

[†] Society & Ethics includes Religious Studies, Relationships Sex and Health Education (RSHE), Citizenship, Fundamental British Values (FBV), philosophy, and Careers Education.

YEAR 8	English	Maths	Science	PE	Society & Ethics	French / Spanish*	Geography	History	Computing	Art	Drama	Music	Design Technology
	8	7	6	4	3	5	3	3	2	2	2	2	3

^{*} In Years 8 and 9, pupils who require additional support with literacy and numeracy have a reduced allocation of French lessons (2 per fortnight). The remaining time is used for two extra English lessons and one extra maths lesson.

YEAR 9	English	Maths	Science	PE	Society & Ethics	French / Spanish	Geography	History	Computing	Art	Drama	Music	Design Technology
	8	7	6	4	3	5	3	3	2	2	2	2	3

	Core	e: examination sub	jects	Core: non-exam	ination subjects	French or Spanish	Option A	Option B	Option C
YEAR 10	English (Language & Literature)	Maths	Science (Double or Triple award)	PE	Society & Ethics				
linguists	8	8	10	4	2	5	5	4	4
non-linguists	10	10	11	4	2	-	5	4	4

Option A	Option B	Option C
	GSCE Art, GCSE Business Studies, OCR Child Development,	GSCE Art, GCSE Business Studies, OCR Child Development,
	GCSE Design Technology, GCSE Drama,	GCSE Dance, GCSE Design Technology (Materials), GCSE Design Technology (Systems
GCSE Geography or GCSE History	GCSE Food Preparation & Nutrition,	and Processes), AQA Level 2 Certificate in Further Maths, GCSE Photography,
	WJEC Vocational Award in Hospitality & Catering, GCSE Media Studies, GCSE Computer	GCSE Food Preparation & Nutrition, WJEC Vocational Award in Hospitality & Catering,
	Science, GCSE PE, BTEC Construction, GCSE Geography	GCSE Media Studies, GCSE Religious Studies, BTEC Music

	Core	e: examination sub	jects	Core: non-exam	ination subjects	French or Spanish	Option A	Option B	
YEAR 11	English (Language & Literature)	Maths	Science (Double or Triple award)	PE	Society & Ethics				Option C
linguists	8	8	10	4	2	5	5	4	4
non-linguists	10	10	11	4	2	-	5	4	4

Option A	Option B	Option C
	GSCE Art, GCSE Business Studies, OCR Child Development,	GSCE Art, GCSE Business Studies, OCR Child Development,
	GCSE Design Technology (Materials), GCSE Engineering, GCSE Drama,	BTEC Construction, GCSE Dance, GCSE Design Technology (Materials),
GCSE Geography, GCSE History or Life Skills	GCSE Food Preparation & Nutrition,	GCSE Food Preparation & Nutrition,
	WJEC Vocational Award in Hospitality & Catering,	Vocational Award in Hospitality & Catering, GCSE Religious Studies, GCSE Media
	GCSE PE, GCSE Photography, BTEC Music	Studies, GCSE Computer Science, GCSE Engineering