

House Competitions 2023-2024

Half-Term 5 (April through to June half term)				
Department	Competition	Year Group	The Details...	Staff contact
PE	Tennis	All	What event is quintessential to the English summer than Wimbledon? Pick up your racket, who will be shouting "game, set, match"?	Mr Hatto
Heads of House	Rubik's Cube Challenge	All	Twist it, turn it, spin it, fold it but just get the colours to stick that's how you win with a Rubik.	Miss Underwood
Heads of House	Connect 4 tournament	All	Four in a row! That's easy I hear you cry. Then why not come along and give it a try.	Miss Mckillop
RE	Poster competition	All	Design a poster focusing on tolerance and respect that could be used in school to promote these values.	Miss Kamutaundi
Maths	Puzzlemania	All	Can you solve the puzzle on the wall in T-Block?	Ms Das Mr Shaw
Heads of House	Basketball Free throw		Shoot out competition. Which House can shoot like Lebron James? Are you a free throw genius? Most baskets wins.	Miss Kamutaundi
Heads of House	Mario Kart	All	Best of the Best – the final. Who will boost to the top?	Mr West Mr Springthorpe
Heads of House	Creative Drawing		Draw a picture on a post it note. Express yourself with a handmade sketch - a picture is worth 1000 words! Use the drawing option on sticky notes to create unique illustrations or hand draw it.	Mrs Richardson
Library (April into May)	Haiku Poetry Competition	All	Write a Haiku that depicts a season.	Mrs Richardson
Library (May to June)	Comic Strip	All	Create a page of a comic strip/graphic novel to celebrate Free Comic Day	Mrs Richardson
Library (April – May)	Mission Possible Reading Challenge	ALL	Read and Review as many adventure books as you can by 24 th May.	Mrs Richardson
Library (April – May)	Reading Rampage	Year 7/8	Final chance to read and rate Reading Rampage books.	Mrs Richardson
Drama	Monologue Challenge		Monologue Challenge – The final	Mrs Davison

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Half-Term 6 (June through to July)				
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Heads of House	Indoor Curling	9	Who will be on target and take the win?	Mr Hatto Miss Underwood Mrs Richardson
Heads of House	Tug of War	All	This competition pits two teams against each other in a test of pure strength. Which House will pull itself to victory with raw power?	Miss McKillop Mr Springthorpe Mr West Miss Kamutaundi
Geography	Bake Off		'Bake off' style cake baking competition. Design a cake that represents a country of your choice. How creative can you be? Will you take home a slice of the points?	Mrs Boyle
Maths	Puzzlemania	All	Solve the problems	Ms Das Mr Shaw
SLT	Uno	All	Who will be crowned the grand champion of the card game we all love to play? Pick up 2, miss a go but be careful if you reverse it as you may get clobbered with a plus 4.	Mr Springthorpe
Photography	Photography		What inspires you? What natural beauty can you draw inspiration from in the local community? The best photograph taken that captures our amazing nature, or architecture for example will be crowned photographer of the year.	Mrs Wilde
PE	House Sports Day	7-10	Who will emerge victorious in the end of year school sports day? Can anyone defeat House Victoria, our current reigning sports day champions?	Mr Cherrington
Library June – July	Design a Bookmark	All	Design a bookmark and see your design take pride of place in everyone's books next year.	Mrs Richardson
Heads of House	End of year quiz	All	Let the games begin. Answer the questions correctly to win a pot of gold or a chance to take some from another forms stash. Who will earn the most gold and conquer all other form groups. Let your gold quest commence	Heads of House

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Heads of House	Staff Hula Hoop Challenge	Staff	Selected members of staff will represent their House to see who has the most rhythm, who can swivel those hips. Which member of staff will ring in the time?	Heads of House
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IT	Calligraphy		Handwriting is an art form, using brush lettering, modern calligraphy or faux calligraphy let us see what designs you can produce using a mixture of these skills.	Miss Matharu
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MFL	Tourist information	9	Make a tourist information booklet on a region of France/Germany - best booklet per teaching group.	Mrs Simpkin
MFL		7	Can you get creative and describe a day in the life of a student at a French or German school? Use your language skills to tell a story, Write a poem or sing a song or show your artistic skills by making a model – the choice is yours.	Mrs Simpkin

Maths	Countdown	All	Test your wits and numeracy skills against each other in our annual House Countdown competition. There will be 5 rounds of the devilishly difficult numbers game, based on the famous Channel 4 TV gameshow. #inittowinit
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IT	Treasure Hunt	All	Find and discover the famous faces of the computer world as you hunt around the school solving the cryptic clues that have been left behind.	Mr Osborne
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