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NOTTINGHAM GIRLS' ACADEMY

ENRICHMENT CURRICULUM

YEARS 7-13



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Welcome to Enrichment

At Nottingham Girls' Academy, enrichment is a purposeful part of our wider curriculum for pupils in Years 7-13. Every Friday, pupils have dedicated time to explore interests, try something new, build confidence and develop skills beyond their academic lessons.

How it works

- Pupils select one enrichment activity each term.
- Places are allocated on a first come, first served basis.
- Key pupil groups are given early access to the sign-up process.
- Pupils can change their enrichment activity once per term.

Key Stage 3	Key Stage 4
Friday 12.00pm - 12.30pm	Friday 12.45pm - 1.15pm

The programme also includes targeted Year 11 and Post-16 enrichment opportunities, making enrichment part of the wider Years 7-13 experience.

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ENRICHMENT & BUILD



Our enrichment programme gives pupils regular opportunities to practise and strengthen the qualities at the heart of BUILD. Through choosing activities, working with others, trying new experiences and reflecting on progress, pupils develop these values in practical and meaningful ways.

Integrity	**Creativity**	**Positivity**
Making responsible choices, keeping commitments and taking ownership of actions.	Generating ideas, experimenting, solving problems and expressing ideas in different ways.	Approaching challenges with confidence, encouragement and a willingness to keep going.
Empathy	**Aspiration**	**Respect**
Listening to others, recognising different experiences and responding with understanding.	Trying new things, setting goals and developing confidence to aim higher.	Valuing others, listening carefully and contributing positively to shared activities.
Kindness	**Tolerance**	**Resilience**
Supporting others, including people and helping to create a welcoming community.	Engaging positively with different cultures, perspectives, interests and ways of communicating.	Persevering when something is difficult, adapting and learning from setbacks.

Together, enrichment and BUILD help pupils grow in confidence, character and connection, while developing skills and qualities they can use in school and beyond.

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Skills Builder

Each club is mapped to the Skills Builder skills it most strongly develops.
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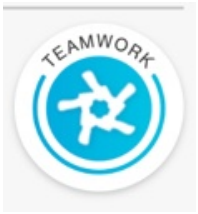
Board Games Club



Problem Solving



Planning



Teamwork

About the club

Challenge yourself, develop strategy skills, and have fun with friends through a variety of board games. Pupils will learn new games, practise teamwork, problem-solving, and decision-making skills, and compete in friendly matches. Suitable for experienced players and beginners alike.

Intended impact

Develop strategic thinking, decision-making and positive social interaction.

BUILD qualities: Integrity • Creativity • Respect • Resilience

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Book Club



Listening



Speaking



Teamwork

About the club

Step into new worlds, discover exciting characters, and share your love of reading. Pupils will explore a range of books, discuss favourite moments, recommend stories to others, and take part in fun reading activities. Whether you are a keen reader or looking to discover your next great book, everyone is welcome.

Intended impact

Broaden perspectives, encourage reading for pleasure and build confidence discussing ideas.

BUILD qualities: Empathy • Respect • Tolerance • Aspiration

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Card Games Club



Problem Solving



Planning



Teamwork

About the club

From classic favourites to modern strategy games, Card Games Club offers something for everyone. Pupils will learn different games, improve strategic thinking, and enjoy friendly competition in a welcoming environment. A great way to build confidence, concentration, and social skills while having fun.

Intended impact

Develop strategic thinking, concentration and positive interaction with others.

BUILD qualities: Integrity • Positivity • Respect • Resilience

Choir Club



Listening



Teamwork



Speaking

About the club

Time to have your voice heard! Join Choir Club to develop your singing and performance skills, build confidence, and most importantly, sing your heart out while having fun with others who love music. Pupils will learn a variety of songs, improve vocal techniques, and work together towards performances. All abilities are welcome.

Intended impact

Build confidence, performance skills and the ability to work collectively.

BUILD qualities: Creativity • Positivity • Respect • Aspiration

Craft Club



Creativity



Planning



Problem Solving

About the club

Get creative and bring your ideas to life through a variety of exciting craft projects. Pupils will experiment with different materials and techniques to create unique handmade items, decorations, and gifts. Perfect for anyone who enjoys making, designing, and expressing their creativity.

Intended impact

Encourage creativity, independence and confidence in producing a finished outcome.

BUILD qualities: Creativity • Aspiration • Positivity • Resilience

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Crochet Club



Creativity



Planning



Adapting

About the club

Discover the relaxing and rewarding art of crochet. Pupils will learn basic stitches and techniques before progressing to create their own projects, such as bookmarks, decorations, and accessories. Build confidence, develop patience and creativity, and take home something you have made yourself.

Intended impact

Develop patience, perseverance and practical creative skills.

BUILD qualities: Creativity • Positivity • Aspiration • Resilience

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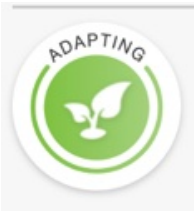
Dance Club



Teamwork



Listening



Adapting

About the club

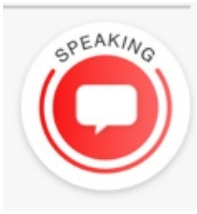
Love to dance? This club allows you to build confidence, stay active, and have fun whilst learning new moves and styles. Pupils will learn routines, develop coordination and performance skills, and have opportunities to showcase their talents. Whether you are a complete beginner or already have dance experience, everyone in KS3 is welcome.

Intended impact

Improve physical wellbeing, confidence, coordination and collaboration.

BUILD qualities: Positivity • Respect • Aspiration • Resilience

Debate Club



Speaking



Listening



Leadership

About the club

Have your say and learn how to put forward a strong argument. Pupils will discuss current issues, explore different viewpoints, and develop confidence in public speaking and critical thinking. Through friendly debates and team challenges, members will strengthen their communication skills while learning to listen and respond respectfully.

Intended impact

Build confidence in expressing ideas, listening to others and constructing arguments.

BUILD qualities: Integrity • Empathy • Respect • Tolerance

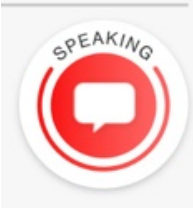
Debunk Club



Problem Solving



Listening



Speaking

About the club

Do you enjoy solving mysteries, questioning information, and discovering the facts? Pupils will investigate myths, rumours, online trends, and common misconceptions, learning how to think critically and evaluate evidence. A fascinating club for curious minds who love asking questions and finding answers.

Intended impact

Develop critical thinking and the ability to question and evaluate information.

BUILD qualities: Integrity • Creativity • Tolerance • Resilience

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Engineering Club



Problem Solving



Creativity



Teamwork

About the club

Put your problem-solving and design skills to the test through exciting engineering challenges. Pupils will design, build, test, and improve a variety of projects while learning about real-world engineering concepts. Perfect for creative thinkers who enjoy making things work and exploring how technology shapes the world around us.

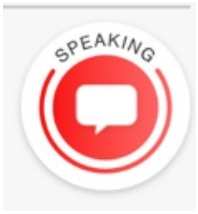
Intended impact

Develop practical problem-solving, innovation and collaborative working.

BUILD qualities: Creativity • Aspiration • Respect • Resilience

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Fandom Multiverse



Speaking



Listening



Creativity

About the club

Love comics, manga, anime, musicals, drawing, gaming, and more? Join Fandom Multiverse to celebrate the things you enjoy most. Pupils can discuss favourite fandoms, create original characters, write stories, draw artwork, and meet others who share their interests. A welcoming space to be creative, make friends, and let your imagination run wild.

Intended impact

Encourage social connection and exploration of stories, media and shared interests.

BUILD qualities: Creativity • Empathy • Kindness • Tolerance

Film Club



Listening



Speaking



Creativity

About the club

Love movies? Join Film Club to explore a range of films from different genres and cultures. Pupils will watch selected films, discuss characters, themes, and filmmaking techniques, and share their opinions with others. A great opportunity to discover new favourites while developing analytical and discussion skills.

Intended impact

Broaden cultural experiences and develop discussion and interpretation skills.

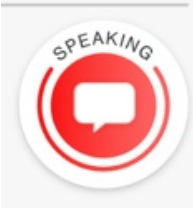
BUILD qualities: Empathy • Creativity • Respect • Tolerance

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FP Life Skills



Adapting



Speaking



Problem Solving



Teamwork

About the club

This club is only for pupils in FP1 & FP2 tutor groups. This club is designed to help pupils develop the essential personal, social, and creative skills needed for success in everyday life. Through practical activities, team challenges, and real-life scenarios, pupils will build confidence, improve communication, develop resilience, and learn skills that will support them both in school and beyond. INVITE ONLY A CODE IS NEEDED TO SIGN UP

Intended impact

Build confidence and practical skills for greater independence in everyday life.

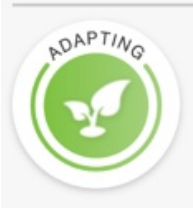
BUILD qualities: Integrity • Positivity • Aspiration • Resilience

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Get Up and Go Club



Teamwork



Adapting



Leadership

About the club

Take part in a range of movement and sensory activities designed to improve focus, coordination, and wellbeing. Pupils will engage in structured exercises that help with concentration, balance, and self-regulation in a supportive environment. A great way to start or end the school day feeling calm, focused, and ready to learn.

Intended impact

Increase physical activity while developing confidence, resilience and participation.

BUILD qualities: Positivity • Kindness • Aspiration • Resilience

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Journaling & Creative Writing Club



Creativity



Planning



Adapting

About the club

Unlock your imagination through writing and reflection. Pupils will explore creative writing techniques, develop stories, poems, and personal journals, and share ideas in a supportive environment. Whether you enjoy storytelling or simply want a space to express yourself, this club will help your creativity flourish.

Intended impact

Develop self-expression, creativity and confidence communicating ideas.

BUILD qualities: Creativity • Empathy • Aspiration • Resilience

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Keyboard Club



Listening



Planning



Adapting

About the club

Learn to play your favourite songs and develop your musical skills in a fun and supportive environment. Pupils will practise keyboard techniques, learn melodies and chords, and build confidence in playing independently and with others. Perfect for beginners and experienced musicians alike.

Intended impact

Develop musical ability, perseverance and confidence through learning a new skill.

BUILD qualities: Creativity • Positivity • Aspiration • Resilience

Punjabi Club



Listening



Speaking



Teamwork

About the club

Celebrate language and culture while developing your Punjabi speaking and listening skills. Pupils will practise conversations, learn new vocabulary, explore traditions, and build confidence using Punjabi in a friendly and supportive setting. Open to both beginners and those who already have experience with the language.

Intended impact

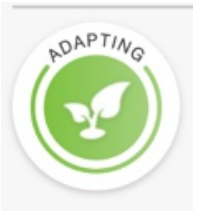
Develop language skills and deepen understanding and appreciation of culture.

BUILD qualities: Empathy • Respect • Kindness • Tolerance

Quiet Colouring



Creativity



Adapting



Planning

About the club

Take a break from the busy school day and enjoy a calm, creative space. Pupils can relax, colour a variety of designs, and spend time unwinding in a peaceful environment. Whether you enjoy mindfulness, art, or simply some quiet time with friends, this club is the perfect place to recharge and express your creativity.

Intended impact

Provide a calm activity supporting relaxation, focus and emotional wellbeing.

BUILD qualities: Creativity • Positivity • Kindness • Resilience

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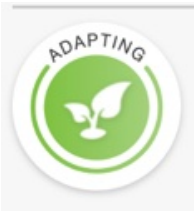
Ravens Flag Football



Teamwork



Leadership



Adapting

About the club

Experience the excitement of one of the world's fastest-growing sports. Pupils will learn the rules and tactics of flag football, develop teamwork and athletic skills, and take part in friendly matches and competitions. Whether you are new to the sport or already a fan, this club offers plenty of action and fun.

Intended impact

Improve fitness, resilience, teamwork and confidence through competitive sport.

BUILD qualities: Integrity • Positivity • Respect • Resilience

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Sign Language Club



Listening



Speaking



Teamwork

About the club

Learn a valuable life skill and discover new ways to communicate. Pupils will be introduced to British Sign Language (BSL), learning everyday signs, phrases, and conversations through interactive activities and games. An excellent opportunity to develop communication skills and promote inclusivity.

Intended impact

Develop inclusive communication skills and awareness of different ways of communicating.

BUILD qualities: Empathy • Respect • Kindness • Tolerance

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The Curiosity Hub



Problem Solving



Creativity



Planning

About the club

A quiet, supervised space where pupils can explore their interests, learn new skills, and pursue personal projects. Whether you enjoy reading, researching, creating, or simply discovering something new, The Curiosity Hub provides the time and support to follow your curiosity and develop your passions.

Intended impact

Encourage independent exploration, curiosity and ownership of learning.

BUILD qualities: Creativity • Aspiration • Integrity • Resilience

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Walk Fit



Adapting



Teamwork



Planning

About the club

Get moving, improve your fitness, and enjoy being active with friends. Pupils will take part in guided walks, fitness challenges, and activities designed to boost health and wellbeing. A great way to stay active, enjoy the outdoors, and develop positive habits in a fun and supportive environment.

Intended impact

Promote physical activity, wellbeing and positive social connection.

BUILD qualities: Positivity • Kindness • Respect • Resilience

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