



Beaumont School

Year 9 Parent Information Evening

Wednesday 6th September 2023





Our aim is to prepare young people to become active, caring and confident citizens who lead rewarding lives.

We want every student who leaves Beaumont to do so with a sense of pride in their achievements, an awareness of their responsibilities and a sense of appreciation for all the opportunities they have experienced.





Our focus for Year 9





Our focus for Year 9 this year

- To foster a genuine sense of belonging in every student - The Beaumont Family.
- To develop effective home learning & study skills.



What's new in Year 9

- No home learning timetable in Year 9
- Effective home learning & study habits taught in Form Time
- 'Home learning' detention after school every day
- Science and English are taught across half the year group – not in forms - class sizes are smaller
- GCSE options chosen in January/February



Year 9 Options

Support from now until February 2024 2024	Advice for Students
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dedicated tutor times• Individual guidance interviews with experienced staff members (January)• Guidance assemblies• Parent consultation evening• Options evening• Options guidance booklet	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Do not follow other people• Use information provided• Ask quality questions• Prepare early• Target setting• Stay calm and make informed choices

Options Information Evening: Thursday 25th January 2024

Options deadline: Friday 2nd February 2024 9am

Exam courses begin after May half term***



Attendance

Is Nick at school?

More

Period	Subject	Mark
AM	Tutor Group	✓
PM	Tutor Group	?



Classes

Nicks Classes

Class Name	Class Details
11B/CS	Computer Science Mr J Goddard
11C/PH	Physics Dr H Skelton
11D/PE	Physical Education Miss H Fraser
11L	Tutor Group Miss A Benn
11L/TU	Tutor period Mrs T Gorham
11M/GM1	German Mrs L Dine
11T/GG	Geography Miss S Hosegood
11x/BI	Biology Miss S Smith
11x/CH	Chemistry Mr C Cross
11x/En3	English Mr M Tatham

Announcements

More

Accessing Sibling Data Susan Clarke on 21st February 2018

Allows parents/carers to easily access and track key student events online including:

Attendance
Punctuality
Behaviour (positive and negative)
Timetable
Reports

Provides a good way for you to keep an eye on the day-to-day information on your child so you can monitor and praise them accordingly.

On Report

More

Nick had "On Report" arrangements in the past. Please click "more" button to see the details



Behaviour

Nicks recent behaviour

More

No Behaviour data found



Reports

How is Nick performing?

More

Published	Report
19/07/2018	Progress Year 10 Exam Results (2017 - 2018 Term 3 17/18)
19/07/2018	Progress Year 10 End of Year - Front Page (2017 - 2018 Term 3 17/18)
19/07/2018	Progress Year 10 End of Year (2017 - 2018 Term 3 17/18)
21/03/2018	Progress Year 10 Spring (2017 - 2018 Term 2 17/18)
20/02/2018	Progress Year 10 Autumn (2017 - 2018 Term 2 17/18)



GOOD ATTENDANCE

MEANS BEING IN SCHOOL AT LEAST 96% OF THE TIME... OR HAVING NO MORE THAN 8 DAYS OFF!

DAYS OFF	ATTENDANCE
0	100%
8	96%
19	90%
29	85%
38	80%
47	75%

THERE IS A CLEAR LINK BETWEEN ATTENDANCE AND ATTAINMENT... MAKE SURE YOU ARE IN SCHOOL!



Attendance

Attendance in Yr 8:
94.9%

(target = 96%)

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ATTENDANCE

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OVER FIVE YEARS AT SCHOOL, 90% ATTENDANCE MEANS YOU WILL MISS THE EQUIVALENT OF HALF A SCHOOL YEAR

GOOD GRADES

BE IN SCHOOL

HARD WORK

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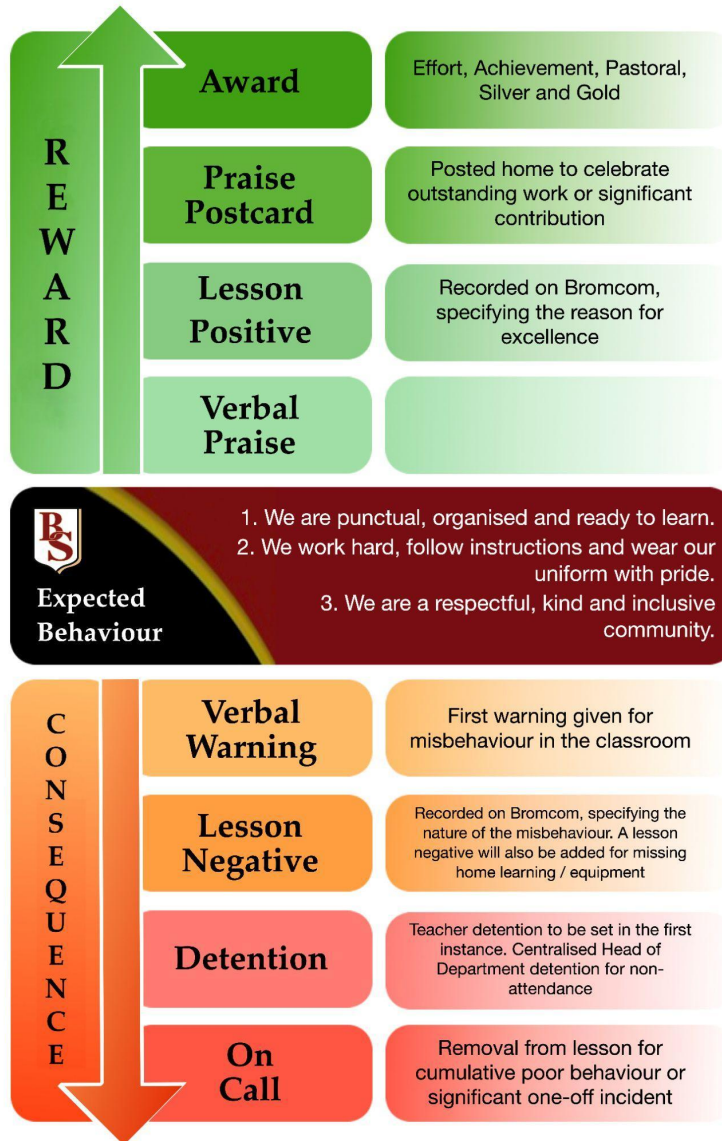
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Behaviour

- High expectations, inside and outside lessons.
- Students to take responsibility for their behaviour and learning.
- Rewards and consequences.
- Routines and norms have been reiterated to students already this term.



An Outstanding Year Group!

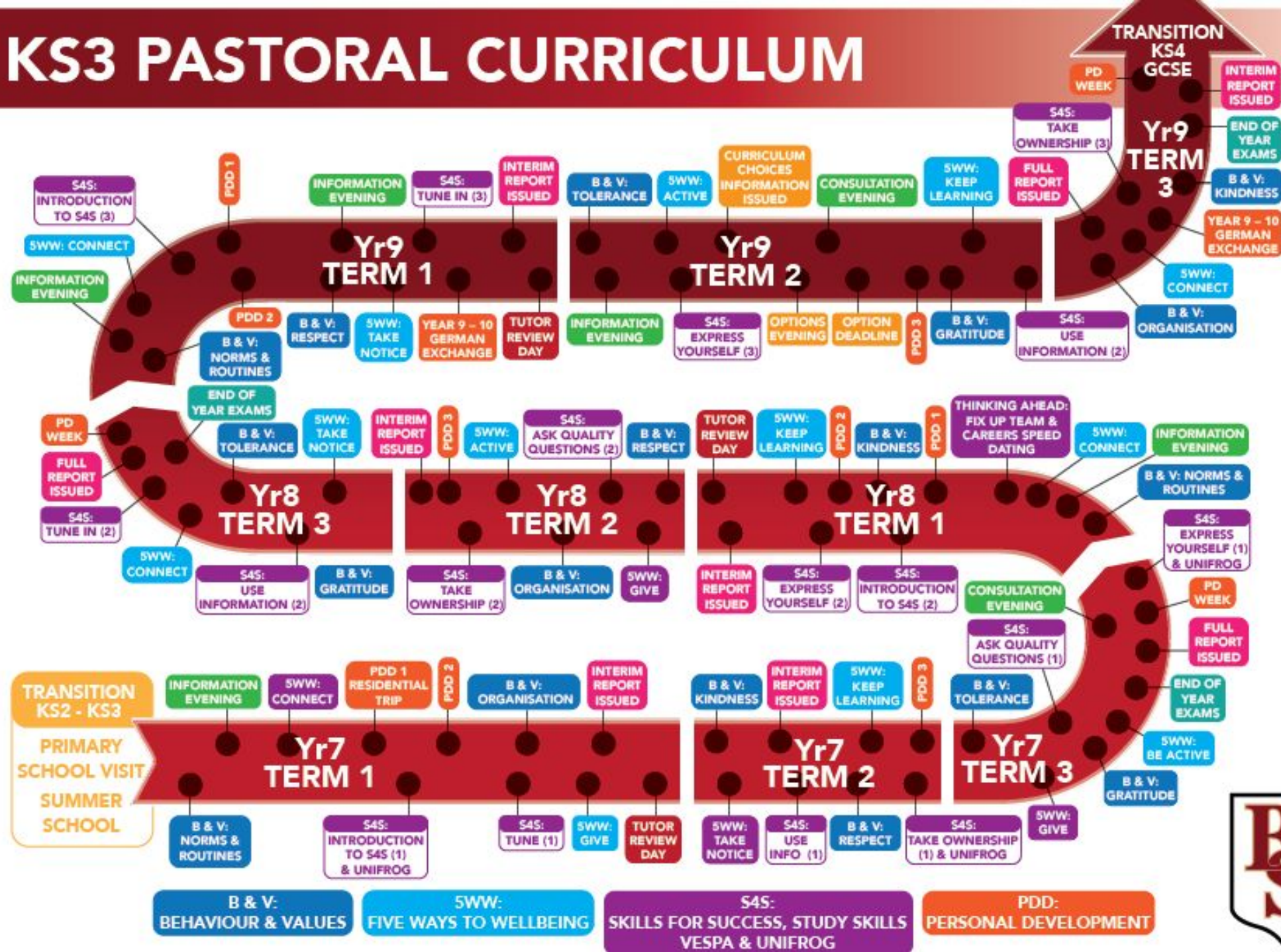
	Positives	Negatives	Ratio	Ave +ve's	Ave -ve's
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Year 9 Pastoral Team

Head of Year: Mrs Stockman-Black				
B	Ms O’Brien	R	Mrs Shute/ Mrs Lloyd	
L	Mr Laws	N	Mr J Gautrey	
E	Mrs Owen–Brown/Mr Trodden	S	Mrs Denton/Ms Hopkin	
A	Mrs Bettison/ Ms Thomson			
Wider Pastoral Team				
Mrs Y Powdrell Deputy Headteacher <i>i/c Students</i>	Ms E Dundjerovic Assistant Headteacher <i>i/c Mental Health Lead</i>	Ms D Irving Assistant Headteacher <i>Attached to Year 9</i>	Ms A Afilaka Head of Key Stage 3	Mrs Smith/Ms Shekho Pastoral Assistant

KS3 PASTORAL CURRICULUM





KS3 Pastoral Curriculum

- **Skills for Success (S4S):**

These are the tools and approaches for developing the non-cognitive skills of students in order to increase student success.

- **Behaviour and Values (B & V)**

- i. Our Behaviour Chart
- ii. Expectations, Awards and Consequences
- iii. Norms and Routines

- **Five Ways to Wellbeing (5WW)**

These are 5 steps to help improve mental health and wellbeing



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Extra Curricular Programme





Support for Students

Your Support Network

In the spaces in the cartoon hand, identify the five people that you will go to if you are worried about something or need support and guidance with a specific issue.

It could be someone at home, like a parent, carer or sibling. Alternatively, it could be a member of staff at school like a teacher or TA.

If you are ever in need of support, refer back to this page for ideas on who to go to.

1 2 3 4 5

Express Yourself
Take Ownership

Support at Beaumont

There is a dedicated team of staff to support and guide you through your time here. Identify who they are and where they can be found in the boxes below.

Head of Year		Form Tutor	
Medical		Pastoral Support	
Deputy Headteacher (Students)		Assistant Headteacher (Welfare)	
		Other Staff Member	

External Support

In addition to the people you go to for support at home and at school, there are a number of external organisations that could be of help too. Here are the details of a selection of recognised services that could form part of your wider support network.

Youth Talk	01727 868684 www.youthtalk.org.uk
ChildLine	0800 1111 www.childline.org.uk
Samaritans	116 123 www.samaritans.org
Mind	0300 123 3393 www.mind.org.uk
YC Herts	www.youthconnexions-hertfordshire.org
Kooth	www.kooth.com
Chat Health NHS	07480635050 (Text)
Frank	0300 123 6600 www.talktofrank.com

- Head of Year
- Form tutor
- Student Services – Mrs Smith/Ms Shekho
- Ms. Afilaka
- Ms Irving
- Ms. Dundjerovic
- Mrs Powdrell
- Outreach workers
- Friends and family



Safeguarding

The school and all staff work to the 'Keeping Children Safe in Education September 2023' document

The school and all staff have a duty of care to safeguard children. If we have a concern we will discuss this with you, however if we do feel it necessary we may contact Children's Services for advice and guidance

If you have any concerns about your child/another child/an adult please contact Ms Irving or Mrs Afilake or Mr Atkinson.



Safeguarding – key areas and partners

Key Areas

Child-on-Child abuse

Online safety/Social Media

Mental Health

Healthy relationships, inc consent

Criminal Exploitation, inc County Lines

Key Partnerships

Police

Hertfordshire County Council

Health Services

Safeguarding – child on child abuse

What is child-on-child Abuse?

- Bullying/harassment- inappropriate comments- Sexist/ homophobic/ transphobic/ racist
- Abuse in intimate personal relationships between peers;
- Physical abuse such as hitting, kicking, shaking, biting, hair pulling, or otherwise causing physical harm
- Sexual violence and sexual assault; (this may include an online element which facilitates, threatens and/or encourages sexual violence);
- Sexual harassment, such as sexual comments, remarks, jokes and online sexual harassment
- Causing someone to engage in sexual activity without consent
- Consensual and non-consensual sharing of nudes and semi nudes images and or videos
- Upskirting
- Initiation/hazing type violence and rituals



Safeguarding – child on child abuse

What is the school's stance?

- Zero Tolerance Approach; it will not be tolerated. There will be sanctions and consequences
- It is not “just banter”, “just having a laugh”, “part of growing up” or “boys being boys”
- We want students and parents to report to us
- We want parents to work with us to support both sides



Safeguarding – online and social media

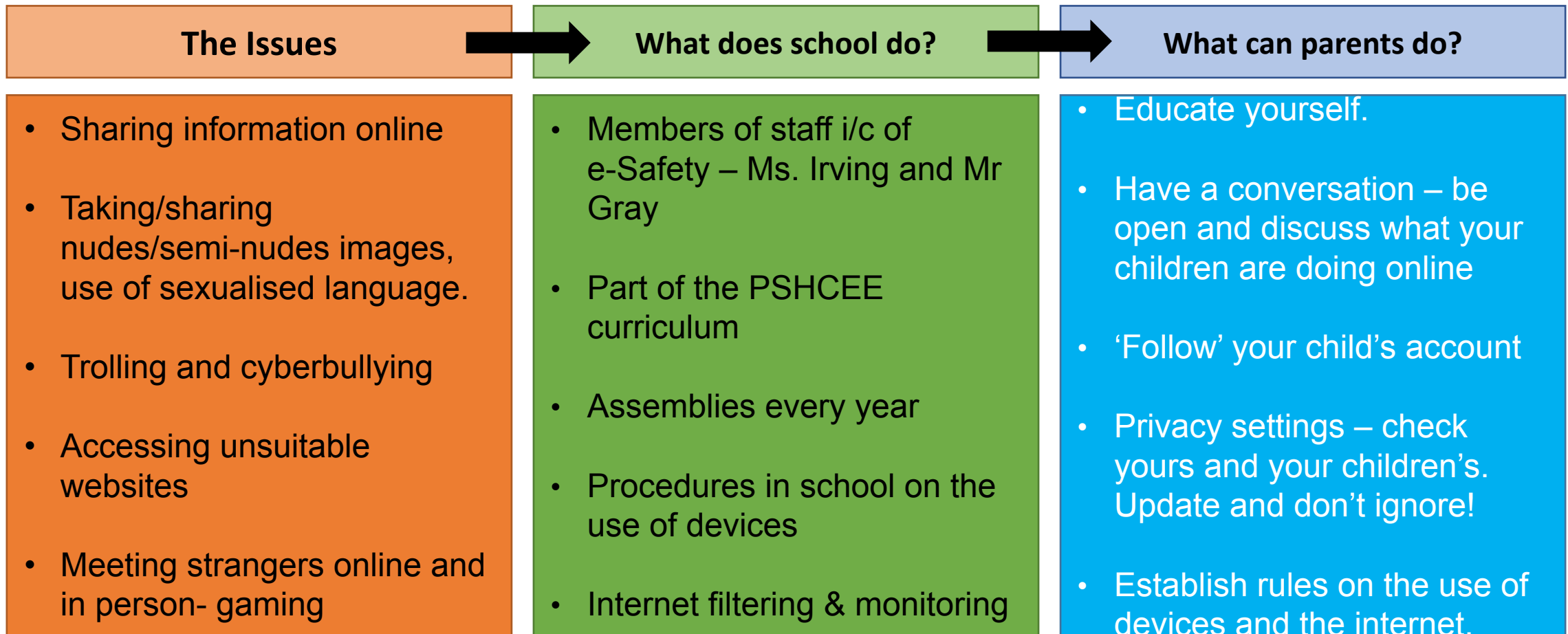
content: being exposed to illegal, inappropriate or harmful content, for example: pornography, fake news, racism, misogyny, self-harm, suicide, anti-Semitism, radicalisation and extremism.

contact: being subjected to harmful online interaction with other users; for example: child to child pressure, adults posing as children with the intention to groom or exploit them for sexual, criminal, financial or other purposes’.

conduct: personal online behaviour; for example, bullying others, commenting on other people, whatsapp groups, tiktok, chat rooms, making, sending and receiving explicit images and/or pornography, sharing other explicit images;

commerce: risks such as online gambling, inappropriate advertising, phishing and or financial scams.

e-Safety





Information for parents/carers

- Childnet
- Commonsensemedia
- Government advice
- Internet Matters
- Let's Talk About
- London Grid for Learning
- Stopitnow resource from The Lucy Faithfull Foundation
- National Crime Agency/CEOP Thinkuknow
- Net-aware provides support for parents and carers from the NSPCC
- Parentzone
- UK Safer Internet Centre

Mobile Phones

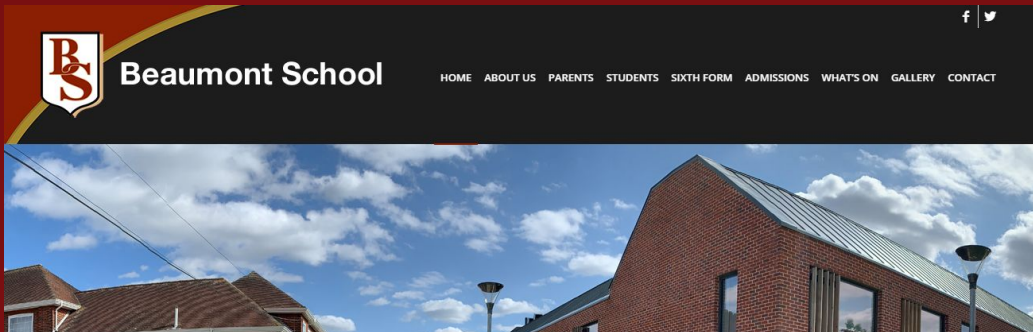
- Should be switched off and on at the school gates
- A student's phone is their responsibility
- **1st confiscation** – returned at the end of the school day
- **2nd confiscation** – returned at the end of the school week
- **3rd confiscation** – returned after 10 school days (or until the next holiday)
- This also applies to tablets and smart watches
- **No Mobile phones will be allowed on school residential trips for Years 7-9**





School-Home Communication

School Website



An up to date and comprehensive source of information, such as: term dates, calendar, policies and staff information.

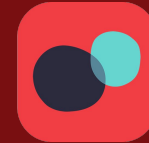
'What's On' section for letters home
'Resources & Useful links' under 'School life' for information and guidance

Email – admin@beaumont.school



School Calendar

On Google. Regularly updated and can be added to personal calendar



Email

Letters home are sent home via email or 'Parent Mail'. Please check regularly.



Facebook

Used to communicate whole-school messages, promote events and to celebrate and share.



Twitter

Used to communicate whole-school messages and reminders.

@BeaumontKs3



Beaumont App

Year-specific or whole school alerts/reminders. Available on iOS and Android.



Reports Issued

1st November 2023

Tutor Review Day

2nd November 2023

Year 9 Options Evening

25th January 2024

Parents Consultation Evening

30th January 2024

Year 9 Options Deadline

2nd February 2024

Reports Issued

20th May 2024

PD Week

1st-5th July 2024

Reports Issued

July 2024 TBC



Thank you for listening

If you have any questions, please approach one of the members of staff at the front of the hall.

