EN RICHMENT

YEAR 12 2019-2020

WHAT IS ENRICHMENT?



ENRICHMENT AT TRINITY...

This is chance to broaden your experience at Sixth Form rather than just your studies. To become a well rounded person you need a wide variety of opportunities to be able to develop the skills that will make you desirable to universities and employers. It's not enough anymore to just have good grades – you need to do other things to make your applications for university or apprenticeships or jobs as competitive as possible.



TRINITY ENRICHMENT PROGRAMME

- At Trinity we value the importance of enrichment and have allocated Wednesday afternoons for you to participate in a variety of different activities.
- All students have to choose one of the following options;



- Honours programme academics
- Honours programme medics
- Honours programme maths extension
- Volunteering
- Duke of Edinburgh gold
- Sport development







HONOURS - ACADEMICS



- This options is for students who are aiming for high grades and hope to attend one of the higher tier universities (Russell Group/Top ranking).
- ➤ If you are studying *non-scientific* subjects (Social sciences [Politics, Sociology, Law], Humanities, English, Languages, Business, Economics) or have an interest in studying any related subject at university then this is the option for you.
- You will participate in a variety of activities, including academic research, writing, volunteering/work experience related to you interests.
- ➤ You will have the opportunity to complete an EPQ (Extended Project Qualification) which will give you valuable UCAS points.
- Full completion of the course means you will graduate from Trinity Sixth Form With Honours. This means you will be part of our Roll Of Honour and will be able to use this in your applications for UCAS etc

HONOURS - MEDICS



- This options is for students who are aiming for high grades and hope to attend one of the higher tier universities (Russell Group/Top ranking) specifically for medicine, healthcare, nursing or veterinary science or related subjects.
- If you are studying scientific subjects (Any of the Sciences, Applied Science, Health and Social Care, Psychology, or any other STEM subjects) or have an interest in studying any related subject at university then this is the option for you.
- ➤ You will participate in a variety of activities, including academic research, writing, volunteering/work experience related to you interests.
- ➤ You will have the opportunity to complete an EPQ (Extended Project Qualification) which will give you valuable UCAS points.
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HONOURS - MATHS EXTENSION

- This is compulsory option for any students who are studying any Science or Psychology at A Level but are either NOT taking A Level Maths or only have a 5 or below at GCSE.
- ➤ If you fit this category you will have to complete the Honours Maths Extension programme. This will only last for I hour a week and therefore you can join any of the other options for the second hour of enrichment.
- Statistics have found that students without a strong grounding in Maths or who are not continuing their studies, achieve on average a grade lower than their classmates who continue with their Maths education.
- This programme is specifically devised to support the Maths skills needed for each subject and will allow students to combat any gaps in their knowledge and give them the best

possible opportunity to succeed at the end of year 13.

VOLUNTEERING



- Does exactly what it says on the tin.
- ➤ You will find a placement that is linked to your interests and you will spend Wednesday afternoons at this placement.
- In previous years students have been to Manchester University Hospitals, Primary Schools, Elderly Care Homes, Nurseries, Museums, Disabled Riding Centres and Charity Shops amongst others.
- It is your responsibility to find a placement but we will support you and are always able to find opportunities at some of our feeder primary schools.
- This is a perfect opportunity to develop the interpersonal skills you will need for life!

 Communication, teamwork, initiative etc

SPORT DEVELOPMENT

- This enrichment activities gives students the chance to participate in some sporting activities at school during Wednesday afternoons. There are a variety of sports available.
- As part of this option you will be required to work as a team to deliver some sporting activities with either students in lower years or at local primary schools. You will be expected to volunteer on Sports Day and to be an additional member of the PE department if they need volunteers for any major activities/events.
- This option is only available to those students who are genuinely prepared to commit to sporting activity. You will need to bring kit and take part in all sessions. If you do not you will be moved into another option.

DUKE OF EDINBURGH GOLD AWARD

- This is open to all students who have completed previous Duke of Edinburgh awards. Preferably Silver awards, however, if you have completed a Bronze Award but are still interested please discuss your suitability with Mr Davis.
- This is an excellent opportunity for students to learn new skills, to work as a team and to develop their interpersonal skills.
- This option will require you going on overnight expeditions and also using Wednesday afternoons for volunteering.
- ➤ NB if you are interested in any of the Honours Programmes and would still like to be part of D of E you can combine the two. Please discuss this with Mr Davis.

HOW TO CHOOSE

- Complete the form stating your choices in order 1st, 2nd, 3rd.
- We will endeavor to give students their first choices however, in some cases this may not be possible at places are limited to 25 per option.
- Enrichment will start this Wednesday I Ith September.

Enrichment Choices 2019-2020	
Name	<u>Form</u>
Option	Ordei
Honours – Academics	
Honours – Medics	
Honours – Maths Extension	
Volunteering	
Sports Development	
Duke of Edinburgh Gold	

Make your decision carefully because you will be in these groups until the end of year 12.