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HUDDERSFIELD GRAMMAR



IGNITE HANDBOOK

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ACADEMIC YEAR

Welcome to Huddersfield Grammar School's IGNITE programme.

IGNITE takes place on Wednesday afternoons and involves students from Year 7 - 11. It is a chance for you to customise a lesson a week in your timetable to suit your interests by choosing from a plethora of activities!

We hope that you thoroughly enjoy your IGNITE experiences and perhaps discover a hidden talent!

WHAT'S ON OFFER?



Introduction to British Sign Language

Learn basic greetings, colours and numbers to help kick start a conversation using sign language. A useful life skill in today's society.



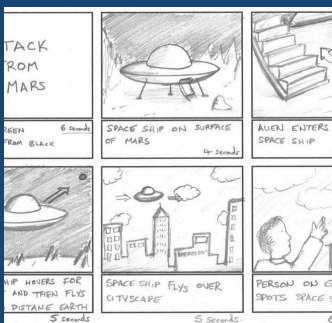
Formula 1 Club

F1 in Schools is a competition bringing elements of engineering, digital design, brand creation, marketing and business management. 5 Teams of up to 6 students will enter regional finals with the opportunity to reach national and international events.



German

Embrace the opportunity to learn another language and have the ability to communicate and understand the basics of German.



Computer Animation

Taking your ideas from paper to the screen and exploring each stage of the process in-between. All you need is a pencil and an idea!

WHAT'S ON OFFER?



Percussion Group

Come and make music using percussion instruments. Explore different sounds from World Drumming. You don't need any musical experience just a willingness to have a go and have some fun!



Golf Skills

Perfect your putting, solidify your swing and hit a hole in one in this club which is suitable for beginners to scratch golfers.



Origami

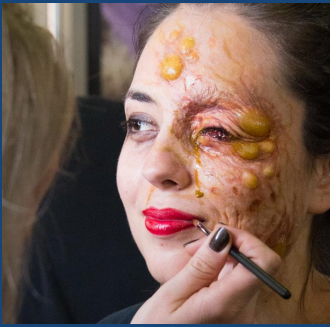
Learn how to make models of flowers, animals, holders, baskets and more for them to be distributed to others as an act of appreciation and kindness to family, friends, other pupils and teachers. It is a great activity to do as part of mindfulness too.



My Magazine

Discover a range of media and writing skills to design and create a magazine about a topic of your choice.

WHAT'S ON OFFER?



Special FX makeup

Get to grips with the art of special effects makeup, this SFX makeup course will teach you how to create ageing techniques, realistic wounds, bruising, burns, and skin diseases. Develop themed face painting looks and get creative with photography and photo editing skills.



Stop Motion Animation

Create your own stop motion short film and become the next Nick Park or Aardman Animations.



Creative Writing

Are you a budding author? Whether you enjoy writing short stories, poems, essays, speeches, reviews, letters, blog posts or even video game design concepts, this could be the enrichment activity for you. Build a portfolio of writing and create entries for competitions such as BBC Radio 2's 500 Words and the Orwell Youth Prize.



CREST Award Club

Work towards a CREST Bronze Award as you improve your enquiry, problem solving and communication skills.

WHAT'S ON OFFER?



Cross Stitch

Relaxing and easy to master, with a little patience you will soon be creating your own mini-masterpieces from old-fashioned samplers to more complex old masters.



Unique Minds

An exploration of hidden disabilities to develop deeper awareness and understanding of the effects, the brain structure and the gifts that come with them, including a look at famous people who have used them to support their successful careers.



Lather and Craft

Learn how to make soaps, bath bombs and other toiletries. Package and market them to make a profit. Where science and business combine, you will learn the skills to develop your own crafts and create personalised, eye-catching and environmentally friendly gifts and treats.



Media Studies

From screenwriting, camera work and storyboarding, learn what goes into making a film from the very beginning and how themes and concepts are woven into the globe's most popular films.

WHAT'S ON OFFER?



Mindfulness

Do you want to relax, destress and reconnect your body, mind and soul?

If you have an open mind, and want to try a few new techniques to help you find calm and enjoyment in some of the most simplest things in life, then lets get Mindful.



Lego Therapy

Fun, collaborative, play-based session where you will be encouraged to practise your skills of social communication, teamwork, problem-solving and emotional regulation.



Product Development

Students are employed by HGS Does Food and they are tasked to investigate and trial food products for school lunch. This will involve identifying what students want for lunch and producing some new and exciting products. This project requires a resilient approach with a creative flair.



Glee Club

Research your favourite musical, learn a musical number and the choreography.

WHAT'S ON OFFER?



Big Question Debate

Exploring some of the big questions from around the world, looking at different sources of information to inform healthy and productive debate and debating skills.



A PROGRAMME TO

IGNITE

PASSIONS, HEARTS AND MINDS
