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After School Enrichment Programme September – December 2017



In partnership with  **ACTIVE4TODAY**TM



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Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s)

At Newark Academy we are committed to providing all students with a rich and balanced education. A significant aspect of this, and one we are rapidly developing, is to ensure all children can access a diverse range of high quality enrichment activities. Our enrichment sessions are also open to the wider community and we welcome children from Year 5 upwards to come along to any of our after school sessions.

We are thrilled to be working directly in partnership with Active4Today and are excited to launch our new enrichment programme. All sessions begin week commencing 18th September – with the exception of our homework and study support sessions which begin when students return to school at the beginning of our new academic year.

We also have an exclusive offer for students at Newark Academy to enjoy a FREE induction at Active4Today's Newark Sport and Fitness Centre. See the voucher below for full details.

As well as a varied sporting offer including rugby, tennis and football students also have the opportunity to get involved with a multitude of exciting extracurricular opportunities including; journalism, graffiti art, media, gardening, Japanese, photography, rock school and many more! Attendance at all clubs will enable students to earn credits towards their Newark Youth College portfolios.

As a reminder to parents, the school will be open for students both before and after school (until 5pm) with supervised revision/homework areas that can be used to complement classroom based studies. There will be no need to pre-book these and the supervised study sessions will commence on the first day of term September 4th in the open ICT areas on the ground, first and second floors.

If you do have any questions regarding our enrichment programme please do not hesitate to get in touch. My direct email is kvause@newarkacademy.co.uk

With kind regards,
Katie Vause - School Leader - Enrichment

Exciting offer for Students at Newark Academy!



Take this voucher to Newark Sports and Fitness Centre to book your induction in the fitness suite for free when you sign up to an active card.

For those that have already had an induction in the fitness suite, there are dedicated Junior Gym times available Monday to Friday 3.30pm – 5.30pm for ages 8+.

Terms and conditions apply

Only available to students at Newark Academy and their siblings, doesn't apply to existing active card holders, must make an appointment to book induction and bring parent/guardian

Call 01636 655780 or visit www.active4today.co.uk for more details



Monday

Activity	Time	Lead/External Provider	Number of Students?	Room	Summary
Graffiti Art Club	3.15 - 4.15pm	James Mayle (local artist)	All Year Groups	Room 1.026	Renowned local urban artist, James Mayle, will help you develop your creative side! Learn a variety of artistic skills using a range of materials. In a matter of weeks you will be creating graffiti masterpieces. Previous groups have painted Newark Academy walls as well as bridges in the local community! What could you be painting next?
Journalism Club	3.15 - 4.15pm	Mrs Hamilton-Smith	All Year Groups	Open ICT area 2nd floor	Calling all budding journalists! Interested in a career in the media? They this is the activity for you! Working with the English Department you will develop your investigative and reporting skills as well as learning all about the world of print and design. As a team you will be editors of our school newspaper and will update our school website with news of events in school.
Netball Academy	3.15 - 4.15pm	Miss R Beardsmore, Miss F Clarke & Mrs J Hamilton-Smith	All Year Groups	Sports Hall	Our netball academy is open to all year groups. Led by Mrs Beardsmore, Miss Hamilton-Smith and Miss Clarke, the netball academy offers students a chance to develop their skills and abilities in netball. Games will be played on a Wednesday afterschool. Please remember this when selecting your activities!
Newark Canoe Club	3.30 - 5pm	External Provider (Transport provided)	All Year Groups	Witham St Hughes	In partnership with Newark Canoe Club we are delighted to offer students the opportunity to learn how to canoe in a safe and controlled environment. Students will all receive a safety talk before being able to have a go in the canoes. All safety equipment will be provided. Students will need to wear warm clothes which they don't mind getting wet! Students need to be confident in water although do not need to be strong swimmers. Please note - sessions for Canoeing are charged at £6 per session due to transport and specialist instruction costs.
Leadership Academy	3.15 - 4.15pm	Active4Today	Year 7-9	Activity Studio	Could you be the next Tracey Neville or Gareth Southgate? The Sports Leadership programme offers a unique chance for you to sample what it is like to take charge of a group and lead a sporting activity. The 12 week programme looks at improving your communication, organisation, confidence and knowledge to deliver a mini sports session. It is perfect for anyone who has a keen interest in sport and a willingness to improve on their skills as a leader; as well as preparing you for Sports Leaders UK Awards.
Study Support - Homework and Revision	3.15 - 4.15pm	Senior Prefects	All Year Groups	Open ICT area 1st floor and ground floor	Open every day after school the open ICT areas are there for you to complete homework/revision in a supportive environment. Each area will be supervised by our team of senior prefects who will be on hand to help and advise if needed. You will be able to use quiet work spaces, our ICT facilities including PCs and printers. All welcome. No need to book in advance.
Warhammer	3.15 - 4.15pm	Warhammer	All Year Groups	Library	Join Mr Maxwell and Miss Richardson and embark on an exciting fantasy battle! Warhammer is a tabletop war game. The game is designed for regiments of miniatures of various fantasy races such as humans, elves, dwarfs, orcs and goblins.
Media Club	3.15 - 4.15pm	Positive Change	All Year Groups	Music Corridor	Right Here, Right Now! We are launching two exciting initiatives at Newark Academy and we need you to be a part of them! The Media group will be leading and developing our very own radio station in school. We will broadcast each lunchtime and you could be in charge of the songs, content and news! We are also developing our very own school record label. Could you be the next Simon Cowell? If you are interested in the media and music this is the group for you!

Tuesday

Activity	Time	Lead/External Provider	Number of Students?	Room	Summary
Japanese	3.15 - 4.15pm	Miss C Williams	All Year Groups	Room 1.010	Fancy giving yourself a challenge this year? Come along and learn Japanese! You'll also delve into the culture of this fascinating country as you develop valuable linguistic skills which may well set you on a path for an exciting future career!
Sports Leaders	3.15 - 4.15pm	Active4Today	Years 9, 10 and 11	Activity Studio	The Sports Leaders UK Level 1 course is a nationally recognised qualification that enables successful learners to assist in leading purposeful and enjoyable sport/physical activity, under direct supervision. The young people will work on their leadership skills including organisation, planning, communication and teamwork through sport.
Football	3.15 - 4.15pm	Mr Fisher, Mr Crompton and Mr Wells	All Year Groups	Sports Hall	Could you be the next David Beckham? Then Newark Academy needs you! Football training will take place on Tuesdays after school. This is open for all year groups and fixtures will be played on Wednesday's after school. Get involved and represent your school in a variety of local and regional competitions.
Photography	3.15 - 4.15pm	Positive Change	All Year Groups	Music Corridor	Interested in photography? This club is for you! You will learn all about the complexities behind taking the perfect photograph. All sessions will be delivered by a professional photographer. You will investigate how photos are developed from film using traditional 'dark room' methods as well as be able to use a variety of high specification equipment to produce your own portfolio.
Study Support - Homework and Revision	3.15 - 4.15pm	Senior Prefects	All Year Groups	Open ICT area 1st floor and ground floor	Open every day after school the open ICT areas are there for you to complete homework/revision in a supportive environment. Each area will be supervised by our team of senior prefects who will be on hand to help and advise if needed. You will be able to use quiet work spaces, our ICT facilities including PCs and printers. All welcome. No need to book in advance.
Polo	3.15 - 4.15pm	Leadenham Polo Club (Transport provided)	All Year Groups	Leadenham Polo Club	This is a wonderful opportunity to learn the game of kings in a friendly atmosphere. HPA registered coaches will guide you through the basics, working at your pace. Once confident in the saddle you will move on to stick and ball practice and finally chukkas. All equipment (and the horse) will be provided! Please note - sessions are charged at £35 each due to the specialist coaching and equipment hire.
Digital Leaders	3.15 - 4.15pm	External Provider	All Year Groups	ICT room 1-013	Digital Leaders is the group for you if you love playing with technology! Learn all about the digital world and develop your knowledge of systems involved with media production and much more!
Choir	3.15 - 4.15pm	Mrs A Brown, Mrs K Vause and Mrs S Goodman	All Year groups	Drama Studio	The Newark Academy choir will be launching this year with a view to building up to local performances and putting our Academy on the map for talent! Come and join us if you love singing and would like to be a part of an enthusiastic group with a unique edge!!

Wednesday

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Community Art	3.15 - 4.15pm	Elaine Winter - Local Artist	All Year Groups	Room 1.026	The Community Art Group is lead by Elaine Winter, a very talented local artist who is passionate about young people having the opportunity to express themselves through art! Working towards running workshops in the community, it's a great way to showcase your skills or learn new ones.
Netball Fixtures	From 3.15pm	Mrs R Beardsmore	All Netball Academy Students	Sports Hall	For all members of the Newark Academy Netball Academy (Mondays afterschool). You will be required to play fixtures on a Wednesday after school. Please remember this when signing up for your activities.
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Couch to 5K	3.15 - 4.15pm	Active4Today / Newark Mind	All Year Groups	School Field	12 weeks!!! that's all it takes to be able to run 5k, this session is designed to get complete beginners from walking to running a 5k distance with friends. So grab your trainers and join us each week as we work our way through the programme
Tag Rugby	4.00 - 5.00pm	Active4Today	Years 7, 8 and 9	Field	Throw, catch, dodge and weave your way to the try-line in this introduction to Rugby. This non-contact game with no tackling is a perfect taster, where each week you will learn a rule about this popular team sport. You'll be calling offside, passing the ball inside and outside (not forward) and shouting TAG!
Band	3.15 - 4.15pm	External Provider (funded through Ali B)	All Year Groups	Music Rooms	The local area band challenges you to come along and learn an instrument! The Notts Music Hub teacher will guide you through the basics of reading and playing music.



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Thursday & Friday

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School Production	3.15 - 4.15pm	Mrs A Sadler	All Year groups	Theatre	We have a record of putting on fantastic school productions at Newark Academy. This is your opportunity to be a part of the next one! We need singers, dancers, actors as well as back stage crew and helpers to make everything run smoothly on the night.
Study Support - Homework and Revision	3.15 - 4.15pm	Senior Prefects	All Year Groups	Open ICT area 1st floor and ground floor	Open every day after school the open ICT areas are there for you to complete homework/revision in a supportive environment. Each area will be supervised by our team of senior prefects who will be on hand to help and advise if needed. You will be able to use quiet work spaces, our ICT facilities including PCs and printers. All welcome. No need to book in advance.
Glass Art	3.15 - 4.15pm	Emma Mayle	All Year Groups	Room 1.026	In the glass workshop students will have the opportunity to learn about the processes of cold-working and kiln-fusing, and have a go at these themselves using sheet glass, frit, glass powder, pens and metal inclusions. Each student will create their own unique coaster to take home as well as an additional free standing piece. In small groups students will then combine what they have learnt through their research and experimentation to work in a team to produce final large scale pieces, which will be displayed within school. The club will involve several design sessions as well as the hands on practice to develop their craft skills.
Rock School	3.15 - 4.15pm	External Provider (funded through Ali B)	All Year Groups	Music Corridor	In partnership with County Youth Arts, Rock School is an exciting club to join, offering an opportunity to learn instruments, write songs or sing as part of a group. With a view to performance at local showcases, it's a great way to build confidence and be a part of something fantastic!
Short Tennis	3.00 - 4.00pm	Caunton Tennis Club (Maria)	All Year Groups	Sports Hall	Try your hand at Short Tennis, a fast version of the game that tests your speed, strength and stamina. Under the guidance of a qualified coach, learn how to play many different shots and compete against your friends. No experience is needed, and you will soon pick up the racquet and smash it like Andy Murray!
Dance	3.15 - 4.15pm	External Provider (funded through Ali B)	All Year Group	Dance Studio	In partnership with County Youth Arts, the Black Thunder Street Dance Group are a passionate group of dancers who welcome newcomers, no matter how limited your experience. Working towards local performances, come along and show us what you got!!
Gardening Club	3.15 - 4.15pm	Lizzie & Doug - our gardening gurus!	All Year Groups	School Garden	If you have green fingers or want to get back to nature, this is the club for you! Join our group in working on our wonderful school garden. Lots of exciting ideas but we're keen to have student input!

Friday

Activity	Time	Lead/External Provider	Number of Students?	Room	Summary
Drama - KS3	3.15 - 4.30pm	Mrs D Williams	Years 7, 8 and 9	Theatre	A fun and active way to enjoy drama and end the week on a high! You will have the opportunity to take part in school productions throughout the year as well as develop your skills as a performer, singer, actor - the list goes on! Meet new friends and grow your confidence along the way.
Study Support - Homework and Revision	3.15 - 4.15pm	Senior Prefects	All Year Groups	Open ICT area 1st floor and ground floor	Open every day after school the open ICT areas are there for you to complete homework/revision in a supportive environment. Each area will be supervised by our team of senior prefects who will be on hand to help and advise if needed. You will be able to use quiet work spaces, our ICT facilities including PCs and printers. All welcome. No need to book in advance.

NewArts – Saturday sessions at Newark Academy in Dance & Music



Dear Parent/Carer

Newark Academy are delighted to be working with County Youth Arts and NSDC to offer creative arts sessions on a Saturday morning, 10.00am - 12.00pm - 'NewArts'

We fully believe that enrichment opportunities such as this are key to building confidence, raising self-esteem and enabling young people to explore and develop skills.

You are able to sign your child up for either a 2 hour dance workshop or a 2 hour music workshop @ £2 per session and we are asking that you sign up for a block of sessions for each half term at a time.

NewArts will run every Saturday, during term time. Therefore a half term block will be 6 weeks and be an inclusive cost of £12. This fantastic opportunity is open to all children across the District from school years 6 – 11.

Payment for the session and the attached details slip should be handed to the Reception at Newark Academy, prior to Wednesday 13th September.

If you have any questions or would like to discuss this further, please do not hesitate to contact me on 07951 937366 or call the school office on 01636 615000.

Yours sincerely

Ali Brown
Community Engagement Co-ordinator

Interested? Sign up for your chosen clubs as soon as possible to avoid disappointment.

All clubs and activities are FREE*

Parent(s)/Guardian(s) – please complete the form below to secure your child's place on their chosen enrichment activities. Forms must be handed to reception by September 13th. Confirmation of places allocated will be communicated on Friday 15th September.

I would like to sign my child / myself up for the following club / class. My child will be collected at the end of the session from Newark Academy, unless otherwise stated in writing. By signing this I am also giving consent for photographs.

Attending Child's Name

Child's School

Year Group

Activity/Activities requested

Parent / Carer Name

Telephone Number

Email Address

Signature

Date

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**Polo sessions are charged at £35 per lesson. Canoe sessions are charged at £6 per session. This is to cover the specialist coaching and equipment hire costs.*

Please make cheques payable to Newark Academy