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# Senior School: Regular clubs and activities

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### Monday lunchtime

Ingrams Astronomy Club (CMH) 13:40-14:10 P3 1st and 2nd Form	The Ingrams Astronomy club is student-led society. We look at interesting topics, some of which figure on the Astronomy GCSE curriculum. Stars, Constellations, Comets, Meteors, Black Holes, Planets, Big Bang, Galaxies and more!
Tycoon 6th Form Business Competition (JAP) 13:30-14:10 KW8 L6th Form	Tycoon is a L6th national competition set up by Peter Jones (Entrepreneur/Dragon's Den). Teams set up a business, make products to sell via Christmas fair, ETSY, local shops, etc. They then complete an evaluation document which is judged by the Tycoon team. Five finalists are invited to London in the following September for a lunch, speaker and presentations. Winning team receives £1,000. Kimbolton has won the overall competition once in recent years and has also won a category award.
French Club (NFH) 13:40-14:10 FR1 All years	We talk about events in France, play games from France, listen to music, watch clips and play quizzes. It's all about French but it's not all in French. It's a great opportunity to improve your knowledge of French language and culture, and have lots of fun!
Chamber Choir (DCG) 13:15-13:50 Rehearsal Room 4th Form and above	Open to keen singers! There is an expectation to also participate in the school choir.
Chess Club (IKA / KWA) 13:10-13:40 M2 1st and 2nd Form	The school chess club offers a fun and supportive environment for students of all skill levels to learn, practise and compete in chess. Members engage in friendly matches, strategic discussions and tournaments. They develop critical thinking and problem-solving skills. Whether you're a beginner or an experienced player, the club helps students sharpen their chess skills while fostering a love for the game.

## Monday after-school (1/2)

Homework Club 16:20-17:45 E4 for Ingrams (1st and 2nd Form) Vanbrugh Library for 3rd Form and above	Ingrams pupils are welcome to attend homework club every day after school in E4. Similarly, the library is open after school to all pupils from 3rd-6th Form as a place to come and do their homework.
Canoeing Team Fitness (JS) 16:30-17:30 5th and 6th Forms	This is a team gym / fitness / circuit session for the 5th and 6th form who are canoe teams members training for the annual Devizes - Westminster race.
Fencing (KWA) 16:30-17:30 Small gym/Sports Hall All Years	Fencing club is for all abilities and age groups. The club focuses on the foil. A typical session involves footwork exercises, group and individual lessons. There will also be an opportunity to use the electronic equipment.
6th Form Couch to 5K (LAL) 16:30-17:15 6th Form	A fun running club to work towards being able to run 5K by Easter. Great for fitness, self-confidence, motivation and happiness.
Open Art (CEH) 16:30-17:30 Pellegrini Art Centre All Year	Open Art is an opportunity for students to come and use the Art facilities after school to provide more time to work on coursework.
Ingrams Ceramic Club (ACF) Week A only 16:30-17:30 Pellegrini Art Centre 1st and 2nd Form	Ingrams Ceramics club is a fun opportunity to learn clay techniques and even use the pottery wheels.

## Monday after-school (2/2)

Duke of Edinburgh Training (ARL) 16:30-17:55 G1 / WBLT 3rd Form	These sessions for DofE pupils in the 3rd form take place across the term. Each session focuses on a key skill such as navigation, cooking outdoors, First Aid and preparedness for adventurous expeditions.
LAMDA - London Academy of Music and Dramatic Art (NLA) 16:30-17:30 Lewis Hall All Years	LAMDA (London Academy of Music and Dramatic Art) is a prestigious institution offering recognised qualifications in drama and communication. These exams help students build confidence, develop performance skills, and improve their public speaking. In LAMDA Club, led by Miss Beau in the Lewis Hall on Mondays, students work towards these qualifications, which include monologues, group pieces, and speech exercises. The club provides a supportive environment for personal growth, encouraging creativity and effective communication.

## Monday sports

After-school	
Senior Boys' Hockey (until 3rd March) (JKN) 16:30-17:45 Duchess Astro 5th and 6th Form	Our regular after school games-based Hockey training session for pupils. ALL 5th and 6th Form pupils are welcome and those representing teams are expected.
Senior Girls' Netball (until 3rd March) (CJE) 16:30-17:45 Sports Hall/Iron Gates 5th and 6th Forms	Our regular after school games-based Netball training session for pupils. ALL 5th and 6th form pupils are welcome and those representing teams are expected.
Senior Boys' & Girls' Cricket (from 10th March) (MSG) 16:30-17:45 Sports Hall 5th and 6th Forms	Pre-season Cricket training open to ALL 5th and 6th Form pupils and those wanting to represent teams are expected to attend.
Senior Boys' & Girls' Tennis (from 10th March) (AJR/ASL) 16:30-17:45 Iron Gates 5th and 6th Forms	Pre-season Tennis training open to ALL 5th and 6th Form pupils and those wanting to represent teams are expected to attend.
Canoeing: Team Training 16:30-17:45 Roger Peel Sports Centre (JS) 5th and 6th Forms	Strength & Conditioning session for the Devizes - Westminster team.

### Tuesday lunchtime

Spanish Conversation Club (SMJ) 13:10-13:40 SP2 All years	An opportunity for GCSE and A Level students to practise their Spanish speaking, improving in targeted skills.
Technical Theatre Club (NEP) 13:10-13:40 Lewis Hall All years	We do all elements of technical theatre, from prop making, set painting and costumes to lighting, sound and special effects. We are always working towards the next show so you get to see your props and lighting design in all its glory in a production.
Ingrams Craft Club (HFG & CS2) 13:15-13:45 B4 1st and 2nd Form	We make various different crafts such as friendship bracelets, origami, cards, Christmas cork reindeer decorations and more. It is a nice opportunity to meet others in Ingrams with a similar interest in craft and learn some new skills.
KimPride (HMM) 13:10-13:40 M5 All years	KimPride a safe space for LGBTQ+ people and their allies to relax, chat, play games and, if keen, to plan wider school Pride events such as Assemblies, etc.
Flute Group 13:15-13:35 /Various - speak to CJH for details. Guthrie Room (Senior and Junior)	Chamber ensemble open to all flautists.
Guitar Group (MH) 13:15-13:35 Music Classroom 3	Open to all guitarists.
Ingrams Voices (EMW) 13:15-13:50 Rehearsal Room 1st and 3rd Forms	Open to all 1st-3rd Form keen singers.
Musicianship & Theory (EMW) 13:15-13:50 Music Classroom	Open to all, includes opportunity to prepare for ABRSM grade 5 theory exam.

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Kimbolton Astrophysics Society (CMH) 16:30-17:30 P3 3rd and 4th Form	These sessions prepare pupils for the optional GCSE in Astronomy at end of 4th Form. We use telescopes on the roof of the QKB to observe the stars and planets. We aim to help the pupils to understand the structures of the Earth, Moon and Sun, how their interactions produce many of the astronomical cycles and phenomena of our natural world, and much, much more. We also offer the opportunity for pupils to go to the Cavendish Lab in Cambridge University to attend lectures on Astronomy and Astrophysics.
Open Art (CEH) 16:30-17:30 Pellegrini Art Centre 4th and above	Open Art is an opportunity for students to come and use the Art facilities after school to provide more time to work on coursework.
Wellbeing Club (LEJ)	Unwind at the end of a busy school day to take part in all manner of fun, sociable and relaxing activities. We may be taking a dog for a walk, doing yoga, playing board
16:30-18:00 FN1 All years	games, baking cookies, making bird feeders, singing karaoke and so much more. All years welcome. Bring your ideas and we will happily turn them into another Wellbeing session. Warningyou will leave with a smile on your face!
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### Tuesday after-school (2/2)

#### **REGULAR ACTIVITIES**

MedSoc (PJW) 16:30-17:30 B1 5th and 6th Form MedSoc is a club that supports and connects those students aspiring to pursue medicine or related healthcare degrees at university. Led by Upper Sixth students, MedSoc is open to students from Fifth Form and above. The club offers a range of activities, with members exploring guidance on UCAS applications and interview preparation, as well as engaging in extension topics, practical sessions, and talks from former students and guest speakers. Whether you're seeking application support or a deeper understanding of healthcare careers or the world of medical research, MedSoc provides valuable resources and a supportive community for our future healthcare professionals.

### **Tuesday sports**

Lunchtime	
Table Tennis Club (ASJ & JKRG) 13:10-14:00 Sports Hall All Years	Open to ALL pupils who want to play table tennis at lunchtime.

After-school	
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Ingrams Boys' & Girls' Tennis (from 11th March) (AJR/ASL) 16:30-17:45 Iron Gates 1st and 2nd Form	Pre-season Tennis training open to ALL Ingrams pupils and those wanting to represent teams are expected to attend.

### Wednesday lunchtime

Mindfulness Workshop (ECW) 13:15-14:00 The Wellbeing Room All years	The workshops focus on practical activities to increase wellbeing and mindfulness in every day life both in and out of school. Each week there is a different focus and we will explore different locations at times depending on the activity.
Classics Club (HM) 13:10-13:40 Headmaster's Study All years	Do you want to know more about ancient Greece and Rome, their peoples, cultures and languages? Perhaps you love Greek myths, or Roman politics, or want to find out more about characters like Sappho, Hannibal, Socrates and Livia. Perhaps you just love Gladiator. Classics Club is an opportunity to indulge your curiosity in the ancient world for half an hour every week, whatever your year-group. Open to up to 10 pupils per term.
Kimbolton Editorial Team (SAS) 13:30-14:00 E3 All years	This opportunity is for students in any year group who want to write for the Kimboltonian magazine. We publish 3 digital editions and 1 print edition each year and run 5 student-led newsdesks.
Creative Writing Club (LLD) 13:40-14:10 E1 All years	In Creative Writing Club, pupils can take part in local and national writing competitions and writing games, or write their own pieces. It is a friendly environment where pupils can ask for advice on their writing and share their work.
Ingrams Rifle Club (DVG) Session 1 13:10-13:40 (up to 6 pupils) Session 2 13:40-14:10 (Up to 6 pupils) 1st Form only	Ingrams Rifle club every Wednesday lunch is open to 1st form Ingrams pupils only . At the start of term it is open to the whole year group for a taster session. After which, dependent on numbers, they are allocated a session on a fortnightly rotation. There are two sessions, one from 1310-1340, and one from 1340-1410. The club's aim is to give the pupils an introduction to rifle firing on the School indoor 25 yard range. Members are taught all aspects of weapon safety and the marksmanship principles. Once trained, they have the opportunity to qualify for shooting medals. Due to the nature of what the pupils are doing, we are a Home Office approved club.
Clarinet Ensemble (TWC) 13:15-13:45 Rehearsal Room	Chamber ensemble for keen clarinettists.
Musicianship & Theory (EMW) 13:15-13:50 Music Classroom	Open to all. Includes opportunity to prepare for ABRSM grade 5 theory exam.
Sax Ensemble (SCR) 13:15-13:45 Music Classroom 2	Chamber ensemble open to all saxophonists.

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Canoeing Team Time (JS) 16:30-17:30 5th and 6th Form	Includes a mixture of additional training, running, boat maintenance, race preparation etc., for the 5th and 6th form who are canoe / DW team only.
Open Art (CEH) 16:30-17:30 Pellegrini Art Centre 4th and above	Open Art is an opportunity for students to come and use the Art facilities after school to provide more time to work on coursework.
Philosophy for Children (P4C) (SEP) 16:30-17:30 E2 All years	P4C attracts pupils from all year groups. Each week, we reflect about a chosen stimulus, which could be a song, an object, a quote or a picture, and then from this reflection, vote on an enquiry question the whole group wants to discuss. Questions have ranged from the straightforward such as: 'How far do the media influence us?' and 'What is racism?' to the far reaching: 'How do you know someone is really your friend?', 'Is it possible to hold a fair race?' 'What's the difference between telling a lie and keeping a secret?' and 'Is it ever ok to steal?' P4C builds higher order thinking, questioning, speaking and listening skills. It creates respect for others, promotes engagement with learning and enhances educational development.
Essay Writing Club (KGD) 16:20-17:20 H1 6th Form	Supervised essay writing sessions where A level English students can practise writing timed exam responses as valuable revision and preparation exams.

### Wednesday after-school (2/2)

MUN Society (TLP) 16:30-17:45 H2	The Model United Nations (MUN) Club is a student-run organisation that simulates the workings of the United Nations, offering members a chance to engage in global diplomacy, debate, and problem-solving. Students research global issues, represent different countries, and work together to draft resolutions. MUN fosters critical thinking, public speaking, leadership, and teamwork, preparing students for future roles in international relations, politics and global advocacy.
2nd Form Bushcraft Club (ARL)	Bushcraft members take part in a range of activities including cutting tools, fire
16:25-17:55	lighting, fireplace gadget making, outdoor food and cooking, woodland crafts, and
Outdoor Pursuits	other skills practice leading to an overnight exercise in March where pupils will bring
2nd Form	together all the skills they have learnt.

### Wednesday sports

Lunchtime	
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After-school	
Middles Boys' Hockey (until 5th March) (JKN) 16:30-17:45 3rd and 4th Form	The regular after school games-based Hockey training session for pupils. ALL Middles pupils are we welcome and those representing teams are expected to attend.
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### Thursday lunchtime

Kimbookworms (BEB) 13:10-13:40 Vanbrugh Library 1st and 2nd form	In Kimbookworms, we don't just pick out a book to read and then gather in a circle to discuss our thoughts. (Although we have been known to do exactly that when a book comes out that we all really want to read!) Instead, what we try to do in Kimbookworms is to encourage pupils to stay excited about reading through games, debates, discussions, crafts, and all sorts of fun activities centred on books. If you have a bookworm in the family, Kimbookworms is the place for them to be!
Kimunity (LAH) Every other Thursday 13:10-13:40 E4 All Years	In this student-led society, we meet to talk about Equality, Inclusion and Diversity, and the things we'd like to do to make a difference.
Spanish Club (SMJ) 13:10-13:40 French 3 All years	An opportunity to learn about the Spanish language and Hispanic world culture. Examples of session topics include: Sign language in Spanish, Music and Culture of Andalucia, Christmas in Spain, and the UNO Competition.
Knit, Stitch and Natter Club (HRH) 13:10-13:40 Wellbeing Room All years	This is a club open to all year groups and each half-term we will do a different themed activity. A great place to learn to knit and enjoy creativity!
CCF Band & Corps of Drums (CAH) 13:35-14:15 Rehearsal Room 4th and above	Open to woodwind, brass players and percussionists, whether or not they are currently in the CCF.
Enlightenment Society (AEO, OJC, RCC, EES) 13:35-14:10 PRE2 4th and above	Enlightenment Society is a group that allows you to step into a world of ideas and debates which have shaped the modern world! The Enlightenment Society is where History, PRE and English Literature come together to: • Explore influential and groundbreaking ideas, people and events • Uncover powerful stories of bold thinkers • Debate big questions and challenge the status quo. Whether you're curious about how ideas shaped the world you live in, or just love stories of change – come and be enlightened!
Musicianship & Theory (RSS) 13:15-13:50 Music Classroom All Years	Open to all, includes opportunity to prepare for ABRSM Grade 5 theory exam.

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Orchestra (EMW) 16:30-17:30 Lewis Hall / Rehearsal Room	Open to all musicians.
String Orchestra (RSS) 17:30-18:00 Lewis Hall / Rehearsal Room	Open to all string players.
Sixth Form Play Rehearsal (NLA) 16:30-17:30 Lewis Hall	In preparation for the summer term performance, sixth form members will meet every Thursday after school from January 23rd until the end of Spring.

### Thursday sports

After-school	
Swimming Club (KMG) 16:30-17:45	Open to pupils who want to develop their swimming strokes and technique. Pupils who wish to represent the school are recommended to attend.
Cricket Development Squad (invited pupils) (MSG) 16:30-17:45	Training session for invited pupils only.
1st XI Hockey (invited pupils) (JKN) 16:30-17:45	Training session for invited pupils only.
Girls' Football Club (from 27th February) (CKL) 16:30-17:45	Open to girls who want to develop their football skills in a fun, inclusive and games- based environment.
Boys' Football Development squad (invited pupils) (CJH) 16:30-17:45	Training session invited pupils only.
Table Tennis Club (ASL) 16:30-17:45 Sports Hall All Years	Open to ALL pupils who want to play table tennis.

## Friday lunchtime

Feminist Society (SEP) 13:15-13:40 E2 All years	Feminism is the belief in and advocacy of the political, economic, and social equality of the sexes expressed especially through organised activity on behalf of women's rights and interests. The society is open to all ages and genders and is a safe space to celebrate and explore feminism. It's a mix of student speakers, staff lead discussion and guest speakers.
Charities Committee (CCE) 13:40-14:10 E3 All years	Charities Committee is pupil-led. We plan fun activities to raise funds for a wide range of local, national and international causes. Some of our fund-raising events include cake sales, Pudsey's Pampering Parlour, Sale of Moustaches for Movember, Christmas Jumper Day, Kimbolton Presents and Ingrams Ball. We are always looking for new innovative ways to raise funds and awareness for those less fortunate than ourselves. We can arrange an early lunch pass for any younger pupils that would like to join.
Warhammer Club (CIJ) 13:10-13:40 B2 All years	Model making, painting and strategic tabletop game.
Ingrams Drama Club (NLA) 13:15-13:40 Lewis Hall 1st and 2nd Form	The Drama Club is aimed at Ingrams pupils who want to grow their confidence and teamwork skills beyond the classroom through games, role play, and scene building.

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School Choir (DCG) 16:30-17:45 Rehearsal Room All Years	Open to all keen singers from 1st - 6th form

## Friday sports

Lunchtime	
Dodgeball Club (ELRL) 13:10-13:40 Sports Hall 1st-4th Form	The activity has a party vibe with pop classics playing in the background. Lots of fun is had by all and the rules allow for quick turn overs and lots of game play. Over arm throwing strength and accuracy are skills that are developed when playing dodge ball, along with tactical play and agility. So much fun.
Netball Shooting Club (CJE) 13:10-13:40 Iron Gates All Years	Training session for all pupils.

After-school	
Girls' Cricket Development Training (EJH/MSG) 16:30-17:45	Training session for invited pupils only.

# Occasional activities and clubs

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#### **ACTIVITIES AND CLUBS**

Curiosity Club (HFG) Various before-school, after- school, lunchtime and weekend sessions. Speak to HFG for details.	We are curious to find out more about the nature that shares the Kimbolton School campus with us and understand what we need to do to look after our biodiversity. We are using wildlife cameras and bird identification apps to see what visits our site. We will also try to survey for different species and learn to take good photographs of Wildlife for a Wildlife Photography Competition with a deadline in the Summer. There may also be an opportunity to visit local Nature Reserves in the Spring/Summer terms.
Manchester Group (EJD) Form WBLT Various - speak to EJD for details. 5th and 6th Form	Manchester Group is a forum for students to engage with ideas beyond the classroom and to stimulate their academic interests in a huge variety of areas. This may be through lectures from visiting speakers, discussion activities, or by students delivering talks on a chosen topic themselves. No subject is outside of the scope of Manchester Group! We have had recent talks on the East India Company, the influence of Reggaeton music, how to make money from social media, and a historical recontextualisation of the lives of Henry VIII's wives. And we always have croissants to finish!
Junior School Production Rehearsal Lewis Hall 1st - 3rd Form	Rehearsals for the spring term production of Chitty Chitty Bang Bang will take place at various lunchtimes and after-school sessions Monday to Thursday which pupils will be invited to as they are required. Contact Mrs Lace and Miss Wilson for more details.
Law Society (TLP)	The Law Society provides students the chance to simulate real-life courtroom scenarios. They learn to develop their legal research, writing, and advocacy skills. Members engage in mock trials. This hands-on experience fosters critical thinking, public speaking and teamwork, helping students gain practical insi profession while building confidence in their legal abilities. Meetings held at various times throughout the term, please contact Mr Pithers for details.
Politics Society (DRK)	Politics Society meets occasionally, usually to host a speaker. In recent years, we've hosted, MPs, academics, dignitaries and statesmen from the UK and abroad. Talks are normally advertised a few weeks in advance. All Politics students are expected, but pupils from any year group are always welcome to attend!
Book Club (SEP) One meeting each half term 16:30-17:30 Vanbrugh Library 5th and 6th Form	Fifth and Sixth Form pupils read and discuss books over the course of the term. It's a great chance for pupils to share a love of reading.