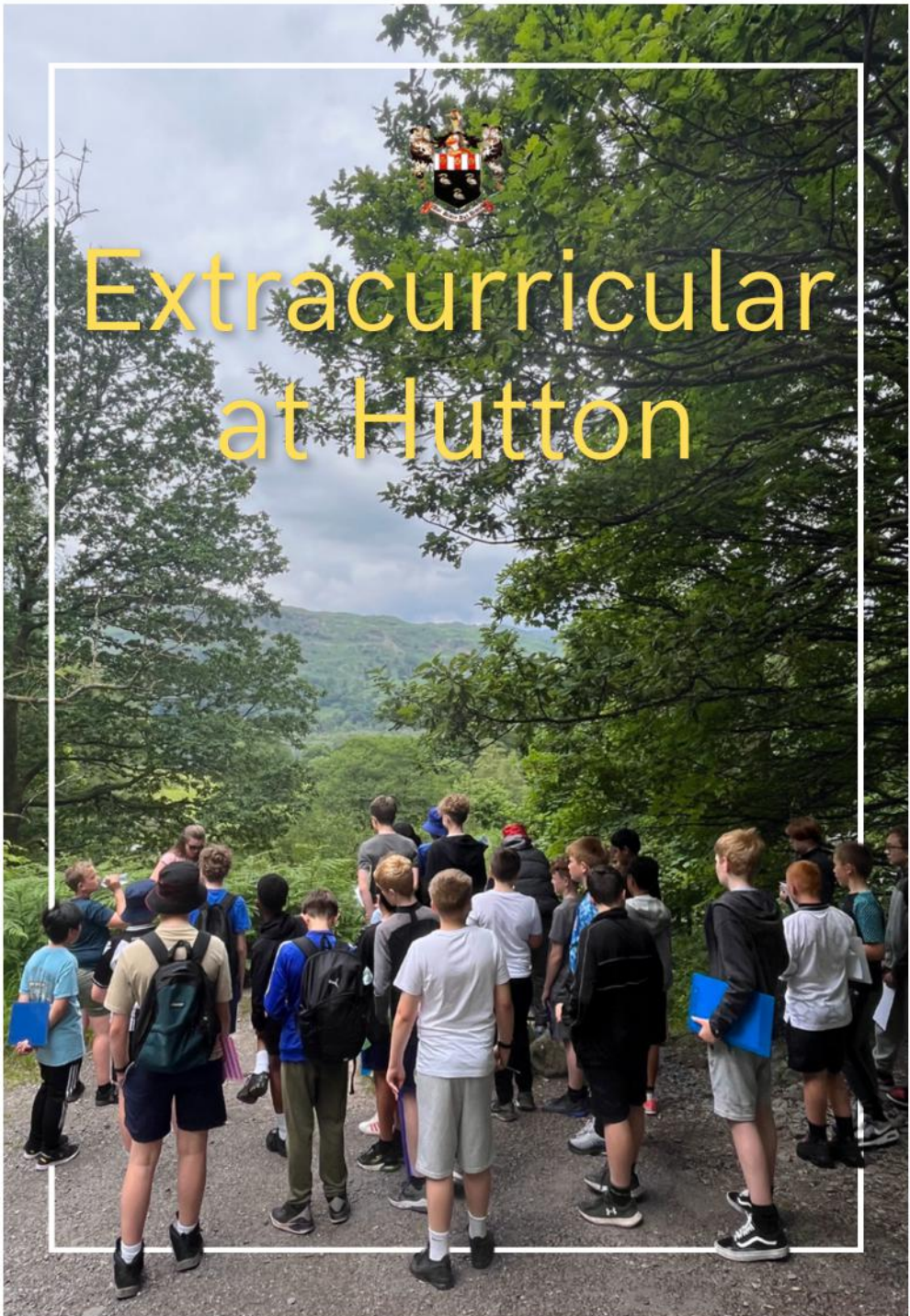




# Extracurricular at Hutton



# Introduction

At Hutton, our extra curricular clubs and events enable pupils to take an interest in the welfare of others, to address current issues and to develop a strong social conscience. Pupils also have an array of opportunities to immerse themselves in the wider life of the school through sport and activities. We encourage all of our pupils to engage in the holistic experiences that Hutton offers, across and beyond the school curriculum.





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# Academic

Our academic clubs offer students the chance to extend their learning beyond the classroom. We are fortunate to have a vibrant sixth form where students collaborate with younger pupils on initiatives like Axiom Maths and Early Aspire. In addition, we offer a range of clubs designed to support students in enhancing their classroom learning. Our Homework Club runs every lunchtime, providing a dedicated space for students to complete their assignments. We also offer GCSE Booster Lessons, giving students the opportunity to dedicate extra time and make use of school facilities as they prepare coursework.

- Aspireplus group
- Axiom Maths
- Book Club
- Coding club
- Design Techology Catch up
- Early Aspire
- GCSE Art Catch up
- GCSE PE Booster
- Homework club
- Library

We have been delighted with the school's examination preparation and support; at both GCSE and A level, particularly in English and Maths. My son has made friendships that will last a lifetime.

Parent



# Creative

Drama and performance have strong traditions at Hutton. There are many ways in which you can become involved with theatre and performance, both as a curriculum subject and as an extra-curricular activity. As an extra-curricular activity, you have opportunities throughout the year to act, direct or work backstage. Every year there is a school production, along with further opportunities to perform in concerts and seasonal events. In recent years, alongside the Christmas Concert and performances at St Andrews Church in Longton, productions have included 'Macbeth', 'The Wizard of Oz' and 'Treasure Island'. Shows are often put on in conjunction with our local primary schools. There are also opportunities for pupils to learn about Stage Lighting and Sound through the productions. All pupils enjoy opportunities to attend theatre trips and visits during their time at Hutton. The Art and Technology departments offer project work opportunities where pupils can work independently with the guidance of specialists. Previous work includes socially conscious developments to improve our school community, as well as developing individual interests and ideas.

- 3D printing workshop
- Art Club
- Hutton Grammar Collective
- Rock School
- School Choir
- School Production

The teachers are incredibly approachable and supportive. Our son enjoys the choice of extra curricular activities and we believe we have made a great choice in high school.

Parent





# Games

Lots of pupils are often keen to set up their own clubs and societies; as a result of pioneering pupils, we host a wide range of games and activity clubs throughout the week. Such activities include Coding Club, Pokemon club, Rock School and University Challenge, as well as more traditional favourites like Chess club and Dungeons and Dragons club. We are always looking for new ideas from pupils!

- Pokemon club
- Chess Club
- Dungeons and Dragons
- Year 11, 12 and 13 University Challenge

Through the school's dedication and commitment to developing the whole student, my son has grown into being a confident, well-rounded young adult ready to leave Sixth Form and start university.

Parent



# Sports

Sporting activity is at the heart of our school. Renowned for our sporting success, Hutton owes much of its sporting status to the significant participation of so many pupils in sporting activities throughout and beyond the school day. There really is something for everyone; recreational swimming, netball, volleyball, weights club, athletics and table tennis are all very popular... badminton, cricket, football and rugby; the list really is endless. Our pupils represent their school and clubs and local, regional and national levels, and we are very proud of all of their achievements.

- Badminton
- Basketball
- Darts Club (year 9)
- Football
- Friday Fitness Club
- Netball (years 11-13 mixed)
- Recreational Swimming
- Running Club
- Rugby
- Table Tennis
- Volleyball
- Weights Club (years 10&11)



The best thing about Hutton is our community; both students and teachers. My teachers look out for me. I have thoroughly enjoyed competing for my school in sporting events too.

# Volunteering

The school's charitable activities are co-ordinated by our Heads of House. Recently, pupils have raised funds for WaterAid, Penwortham Food Bank, Francis House Children's Hospice and the Hutton Grammar School Association. Pupils at Hutton know that they have a role to play in making the world a better place, and they are always keen and enthusiastic in their contributions to the wider life of the school through courageous advocacy.

- Huttonian Award
- Head boy and prefect roles
- Year 10 Primary School's leadership
- School Council
- Head of House
- Prom Committee
- Brickcroft
- Sixth Form Santa Dash
- Paired Reading
- Sixth Form Litter Pickers

Not only do we have the confidence that he will achieve academically, it has also been a pleasure to see him develop the confidence to embrace leadership opportunities within school.

Parents





# Wellbeing

Staff and students alike recognise how important it is to care for both mind and body; we offer a range of wellbeing activities to provide inclusive, reflective spaces for all. From Christian Union to Knit and Natter, Islamic Prayer to Snack and Chat, all pupils can take advantage of opportunities to develop their whole selves during their time at school.

- Islamic Prayer
- Christian Union
- Knit and Natter
- Breakfast Club

Hutton have been amazing in their support of us as a family. Teachers and support staff have listened, offered empathy and support to my son.

Parent

If your child is facing any challenges, we encourage parents to reach out to their child's form tutor first. From there, we will ensure the appropriate support is provided to help them succeed.



# Beyond the School Day

## Trips and visits

Pupils' work in the classroom is supplemented by a variety of educational trips and events throughout the year, including visits to places of interest and in-school workshops. Overseas trips are always popular, with destinations including Folgarida in Italy for our biannual ski trip, the battlefields trip with the History Department and Modern Foreign Language visits across Europe. At Hutton, learning doesn't stop when you leave the classroom!

- Coldwell Music Residential
- Creative Arts Trip to London
- Creatives day trip to Manchester
- Cyberfirst @ media city
- Dove Cottage
- Duke of Edinburgh's Award
- Geography and Biology field trips
- Haydock Park Cambridge University Conference
- London day trip (Politics)
- Maths Feast
- Places of Worship
- Royal Society of Biology Competition
- Rugby Team Italy Tour
- Ski Trip
- Theatre Trips
- UCAS exhibitions
- UKMT Maths Team Challenge

The curriculum is particularly suited to keeping boys engaged and focused. There are super sporting opportunities and lots of competitions and inter house events. There is a very good range of extra curricular activities too. We would highly recommend Hutton.

Parent





# What's on in each year group?

## Key Stage 3 (years 7, 8 and 9)

### Sports

Rugby  
Running Club  
Football, Badminton  
Basket Ball  
Friday Fitness Club  
Table Tennis  
Year 9 Darts  
Recreational Swimming

### Extra Curricular

Rock Club  
School Choir  
Art Club  
Islamic Prayer  
Homework Club  
Pokemon Club  
Coding Club  
Library, KS3 Christian Union  
The Hutton Grammar Collective  
Chess Club  
Axiom Maths  
Dungeons and Dragons Club  
Warhammer Club

### Trips and Visits

Creative Arts London Trip  
Places of Worship visits  
UKMT Maths Team Challenge  
Cyberfirst at Media City  
3D Printing Workshop  
Dove Cottage Trip  
Ski Trip  
Coldwell Music Trip

## Key Stage 4 (years 10 and 11)

### Sports

GCSE PE Booster  
Weights  
Table Tennis  
Running Club  
Basketball  
Recreational Swimming  
Rugby  
Year 11-13 Volleyball  
Year 11-13 Netball

### Extra Curricular

Year 10 Primary School's Leadership  
Year 11 University Challenge  
Design Technology Catch Up  
GCSE Art Catch Up  
School Choir  
Coding Club  
KS4 Christian Union  
Islamic Prayer  
Library  
Homework Club  
Headboy and Prefect Opportunities

### Trips and Visits

Duke of Edinburgh's Award  
Maths Feast  
Theatre Trips (with English and Drama)  
Ski Trip  
Rugby Tour  
Coldwell Music Trip

## Key Stage 5 (Sixth Form)

### Sports

Basketball Squad  
Recreational Swimming  
Volleyball  
Mixed Netball  
Interhouse Sports  
Rugby team  
Football team

### Trips and Visits

London Trip (Politics and History)  
Prom  
Cambridge University Conference  
UCAS Exhibitions  
Lancaster University visit  
Preston Crown Court  
EPQ trip to UCLAN  
Ski Trip  
Royal Society of Biology  
Competition  
Longton Brickcroft Volunteering  
Ryland Library  
Field Trips (Biology and Geography)  
Creatives Trip to Manchester  
Metropolitan  
Theatre Trips  
UCLAN Physics Trip

### Extra Curricular

Knit and Natter  
Islamic Prayer  
KS5 Christian Union  
The Hutton Collective  
Sixth Form Council  
Aspire Plus Group  
University Challenge  
Prom Committee  
Book Club  
Chess Club  
Paired Reading  
Leadership Roles