

Clubs and Activities

A Guide for pupils 2018-19

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This Booklet...

...is a guide to all of the extra-curricular activities which are available to you, this year at Forest. We of course expect you to work hard during your time as a Forest pupil however we equally know how important it is to learn, play and develop outside of the classroom too.

Your teachers strive to create and provide extra-curricular opportunities for you to explore your interests whether that be in music, cooking, coding or politics and as you can see from this booklet there are a vast range of clubs and activities to choose from.

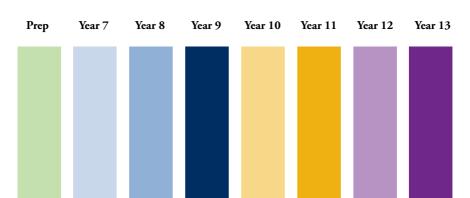
We want you to try new things and potentially develop skills which you may have not explored before. However, you won't be good at everything and certainly not straight away so do choose your clubs carefully and always aim to stick with something for at least a term before switching and trying something new if you wish

We expect you to be self-motivated, independent and committed to the school community both inside and outside of the classroom. Joining a club, team, ensemble or society is a great way to get involved and take full advantage of all that Forest has to offer.

Miss G Van Praagh Head of Co-Curricular

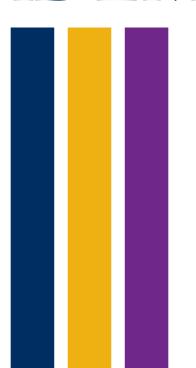
Year Group Key

Each year group is represented by one of the following colour tabs, indicated below. Each clubs within this booklet will have one or more coloured tabs to inform you as to which year groups are welcome to join that club or activity. Please note that some clubs, despite the year group, are for scholars only.





ACADEMIC





Book Group

Department/Area of Focus: English

Lead Teacher:
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Email: ?

Period: ?

Day: Monday (Year 7-8) & Friday (Year 9-11)

Time: 1.00pm - 1.45pm Venue: Martin Centre PQ1

Description

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Book Group.

Classics Society

Department/Area of Focus:
Classics

Lead Teacher:

Mrs Adrienne Gould Email: AGG@forest.org.uk

Period: ?

Day: Thursday (Week A) Time: 4.00pm - 5.00pm

Venue: F4

Description

Classics Society is open to any pupils from Year 7 upwards who are interested in the Ancient World.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Classics Society.



Computing Society

Department/Area of Focus:
Computing

Lead Teacher:
Mr Andrew Lindsey
Email: accl@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Monday Time: Lunchtime Venue: F9

Description

Using sources like Project Euler and Informatics Olympiad papers to provide problems which could be worked through. Also presentations on current Computing issues by society members. Proposed and organised by a pupil.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Computing Society.



English@University

Department/Area of Focus: Sixth Form English Enrichment

Lead Teacher:
Mrs Catherine Nightingale
Email: CLN@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Monday Time: 1.00pm Venue: W8

Description

Enrichment reading and discussion for those keen to extend their understanding of literature.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join English@University.



Geography Clinic

Department/Area of Focus: Geography IGCSE

Lead Teacher:
Ms Helen Cole
Email: HC@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Monday Time: 1.00pm - 1.30pm Venue: G5

Description

Students can attend on an ad-hoc basis to go through any of the IGCSE topics where they feel they need extra support or for practise of exam-style questions or skills.

Sign Up Procedure

No sign up required.

Capacity: 10
Target: Geography Pupils Only



Historical Society

Department/Area of Focus: History

Lead Teacher: ?

Email: ?

Period: ?
Day: Monday

Time: 4.15pm - 5.15pm

Venue: G4

Description

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Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join History Society.



The Jackson Club

Department/Area of Focus: Science & Engineering

Lead Teacher: ?
Email: ?

Period: ?
Day: Tuesday
Time: 4.15pm - 5.15pm
Venue: Lab 5

Description

Science and Engineering for girls.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join the Jackson Club.

Capacity: ?
Target: Girls Only



Linguistics Society

Department/Area of Focus: Modern Foreign Languages

Lead Teacher: Mr Richard Lokier Email: rl@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year
Day: Tuesday
Time: 1.00pm - 1.50pm
Venue: G14

Description

A lunchtime club looking at different world languages and solving linguistic data problems using resources from the Linguistics Olympiad.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Linguistics Society. Proposed and organised by a Year 12 pupil.



Politics Society

Department/Area of Focus:
Politics

Lead Teacher: Ms Jyoti Atwal Email: aja@forest.org.uk

> Period: All Year Day: Thursday Time: 1.00pm Venue: SFC3

Description

A place where every week where students can have bi-partisan discussions and debates about topical political issues.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Poitics Society and to order a Grab and Go lunch.

Capacity: 20 Approx Target: All Pupils





Russian Language Club

Department/Area of Focus: Modern Foreign Languages

Lead Teacher:

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Email: ?

Period: ?
Day: Tuesday

Time: 1.00pm - 1.50pm

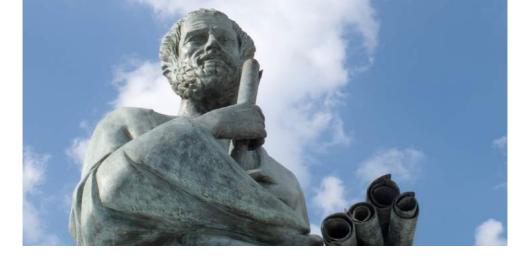
Venue: G17

Description

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Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Russian Language Club.



Socratic Dialogue Society

Department/Area of Focus:

Religious Studies and Philosophy

Lead Teacher:

Miss Rhona Mackie Email: RM@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Thursday Time: 1.25pm - 1.50pm

Venue: F12

Description

A weekly discussion club where we debate topical moral, social and philosophical issues. Go beyond the curriculum and develop important skills. Debating will help to develop essential critical thinking skills, the ability to make reasoned and well thought out arguments and to question the evidence behind a particular stance or conclusion.

Sign Up Procedure

Anyone can turn up throughout the year but if students want an early lunch pass they should get this from their RS teacher or from Miss Mackie.



S.T.E.A.M

Department/Area of Focus: Science

Lead Teacher:
Ms Katherine Vidos
Email: KEV@forest.org.uk

Day: Wednesday Time: 4.10pm - 4.50pm Venue: Lab 3

Description

STEAM Society is a combination of Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts and Mathematics. Pupils attend on a weekly basis to inspire and engage their interest in cross-curricular subjects and ideas. There will be termly lectures held by members of the public talking about their field of work. Sixth Form pupils carry out practicals, providing excellent opportunities for team work, learning how to follow instructions and broaden pupils interest in these subjects.

Sign Up Procedure

No sign up required. Opperates on a first come, first serve basis.





Creative Writing Club

Department/Area of Focus: English

Lead Teacher: Mr Alex Gillham Email: AG@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year
Day: Tuesday (Week A)
Time: 1.10pm - 2.00pm
Venue: W2

Description

A quiet space for pupils to develop their creative writing outside of the classroom. Pupils will have the opportunity to write their own material (including fiction, non-fiction and poetry); play creative writing and word games; improve their own writing through peer discussion; enter writing competitions, and help to put together the Creative Writing magazine. An excellent opportunity for all interested in writing and reading.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Creative Writing Club.

Design Clinic

Department/Area of Focus:

GCSE and Year 13, Design and Technology

Lead Teacher:

Mr Luke Barker Email: Your Art Class Teacher

Period: Lent

Day: Monday to Thursday Time: 4.05pm - 5.30pm

Venue: DT

Description

An opportunity to have access to the workshops outside lesson time.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email your Class Teacher to join Design Clinic.

Film Club

Department/Area of Focus: Library

Lead Teacher:
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Email: ?

Period: ?
Day: Tuesday
Time: 4.15pm - 5.45pm

Venue: Martin Centre Ground Floor

Description

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join the Film Club.

GCSE Art Clinic

Department/Area of Focus:
Art

Lead Teacher:

Mr Luke Barker Email: Your Art Class Teacher

Period: Michaelmas & Lent Day: Tuesday Time: 4.00pm - 5.00pm Venue: Art 5

Description

An opportunity for studnets to have access to the Art rooms outside class time.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email your Class Teacher to join GCSE art Clinic.

Junior Art Club

Department/Area of Focus:
Art

Lead Teacher: (Pupil Led) Mr Luke Barker Email: LDB@forest.org.uk

Day: Monday Time: 1.00pm - 1.50pm Venue: Art1

Description

Year 7 and Year 8 Art Club that is run by Year 12 students.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Junior Art Club.

Lego Man Construction

Department/Area of Focus: Science & Engineering

Lead Teacher:

Mr Luke Barker and Mr Richard Greasley
Email: LDB@forest.org.uk

Period: Trinity Day: ?

Time: 0.00pm - 0.00pm Venue: DT

Description

A chance to make a large wood replica of a Lego character.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join the Lego Man Construction.



Life Drawing

Department/Area of Focus:
Art

Lead Teacher:
Ms Sharon Mitchell
Email: SAM@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Thursday Time: 4.10pm - 5.30pm Venue: Art 1

Description

A chance to draw a real model, practice and develop key skills needed to succeed in Art, Textiles, Design and Architecture.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Life Drawing.

Capacity: 15
Target: All Pupils (or 16+ parental permission)



Man Food

Department/Area of Focus: Cooking

Lead Teacher:

Mr James Whitmee Email: JACW@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year

Day: Thursday (Week A) Time: 4.00pm - 6.00pm Venue: A1 and A2

Description

Cooking a range of dishes, learning new skills and making friends.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Man Food. Pupil names are picked from a hat. Waiting list operates. New group each term.

Capacity: 20
Target: Boys Only



Robotics Club

Department/Area of Focus: Design and Technology

Lead Teacher: Mr Andy Eckton Email: <u>AE@forest.org.uk</u>

Period: Trinity Day: ?

Time: 0.00pm - 0.00pm Venue: DT

Description

Learn to design, make and program robots

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Robotics Club.



Textiles Catch Up

Department/Area of Focus: Textiles

Lead Teacher:

Ms Rosemary Nolan Email: rn@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Wednesday Time: 4.00pm - 5.30pm

Venue: Textiles Room / Art 6

Description

An opportunity to catch up on textiles work, receive guidance and have access to the textiles equipment.

Sign Up Procedure

No sign up required.

Capacity: 25
Target: Textile Pupils Only



Textiles Club

Department/Area of Focus: Textiles

Lead Teacher:

Ms Savpreet Dhanjal Email: SXD@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Monday Time: 4.00pm - 4.45pm

Venue: Art 5

Description

An after school club aimed to introduce year 7 and 8 pupils to textiles processes. The club will be run by various year 12 pupils who will host workshops in different textile processes throughout the year projects may last between two to three weeks.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Textiles Club.

3D Printing Club

Department/Area of Focus: Design and Technology

Lead Teacher: (Pupil Led)
Mr Luke Barker
Email: LDB@forest.org.uk

Day: Thursday Time: 4.15pm - 5.15pm Venue: DT4

Description

A chance to learn about and use the school' 3D printers. This club will be run by year 12 students.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join 3D Printing Club.



Warhammer Painting

Department/Area of Focus:
Art

Lead Teacher:

Mr Archie Black Email: <u>ABlack@forest.org.uk</u>

Period: All Year Day: Monday Time: 1.00pm - 1.45pm

Venue: ?

Description

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Sign Up Procedure

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Grade 2/3 Ballet

Department/Area of Focus:
Dance

Lead Teacher:

Ms Fiona Tolland-Woodley Email: ftolland@forest.org.uk

Day: Tuesday Time: 4.45pm - 5.45pm

Venue: Martin Centre Second Floor

Description

A class that follows the ISTD Classical Ballet Syllabus

Sign Up Procedure

No sign up required.

Cost: £6

Capacity: 15

Target: Pupils that have attained their grade 1 ballet, grade 2 ballet or are returning to ballet

Cheerleading

Department/Area of Focus:
Dance

Lead Teacher:

Ms Nicola Savill and Ms Fiona Tolland-Woodley Email: nsavill@forest.org.uk & ftolland@forest.org.uk

Day: Wednesday Time: 1.05pm - 1.50pm

Venue: Martin Centre Second Floor

Description

A fun and energetic cheerleading session working towards performance

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Cheerleading.

Cost: £5.50

Choreography Club

Department/Area of Focus:
Dance

Lead Teacher: (Pupil Led)

Organised and led by pupils Lyla Bowers and Pearl Findlay.

Email: LBowers@forestsch.org.uk

Day: Tuesday
Time: 1.10pm - 1.50pm
Venue: Upper Library

Description

A pupil led creative dance class focussing on choreography.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Choreography Club.



Creative Ballet

Department/Area of Focus:
Dance

Lead Teacher:
Ms Fiona Tolland-Woodley
Email: ftolland@forest.org.uk

Day: Monday
Time: 4.15pm - 5.15pm
Venue: Martin Centre Second Floor

Description

Ballet class focusing on free work, choreography and PBT.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Creative Ballet.

Cost: £6

Capacity: 15

Target: All Pupils Grade 3 + Above

Drama Club

Department/Area of Focus:
Drama

Lead Teacher: Mr Dyfed Potter Email: DRP@forest.org.uk

Period: Michaelmas Only Day: Wednesday Time: 4.10pm - 5.10pm Venue: D1 Green Room

Description

Informal weekly club which focuses on drama games and exercises including improvisation, some script work and developing performance skills.

Sign Up Procedure

No sign up required.

Lyrical Contemporary

Department/Area of Focus:

Dance

Lead Teacher:

Ms Jade Noverre and Ms Fiona Tolland-Woodley Email: ftolland@forest.org.uk

> Day: Monday Time: 1.05pm - 1.50pm

> > Venue: ?

Description

A fun and expressive lyrical class working towards performance.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Lyrical Contemporary.

Cost: £5.50

Pointe

Department/Area of Focus:
Dance

Lead Teacher:

Ms Fiona Tolland-Woodley Email: ftolland@forest.org.uk

Day: Monday Time: 5.15pm - 5.45pm

Venue: Martin Centre Second Floor

Description

A beginners Pointe class. Must be taken alongside Creative Ballet and one technical class per week minimum.

Sign Up Procedure

Invitation only.

Cost: £4

Capacity: ?

Target: All pupils must be assessed before attending

Street Competition Crew

Department/Area of Focus:
Dance

Lead Teacher:

Ms Fern Crosbie and Ms Fiona Tolland-Woodley Email: fcrosbie@forest.org.uk & ftolland@forest.org.uk

Day: Friday

Time: 4.00pm - 5.30pm Venue: Gilderdale Hall

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Sign Up Procedure

Audition are held annually.

Capacity: ?

Target: Pupils Year 4 to 7

Street Dance

Department/Area of Focus:
Dance

Lead Teacher:

Ms Fern Crosbie and Ms Fiona Tolland-Woodley Email: fcrosbie@forest.org.uk & ftolland@forest.org.uk

Day: Tuesday Time: 1.05pm - 1.50pm

Venue: Martin Centre Second Floor

Description

Street dance class with our resident professional street dancer.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Street Dance.

Cost: £5.50

Grade 5 Ballet

Department/Area of Focus:
Dance

Lead Teacher:

Ms Fiona Tolland-Woodley Email: ftolland@forest.org.uk

Day: Thursday

Time: 5.00pm - 5.45pm

Venue: Martin Centre Second Floor

Description

A class that focuses on Grade 5 ISTD Classical Ballet.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Grade 5 Ballet.

Cost: £5.50

Capacity: ?

Target: All Pupils depending on previous training





Chess Club

Department/Area of Focus: Chess

Lead Teacher:
Mr Mike Taylor
Email: MJT@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Monday Time: 4.00pm - 5.00pm Venue: A15

venue: A1)

Description

We play Chess.

Sign Up Procedure

No sign up required.



Chinese Chess Club

Department/Area of Focus:

Chess, Modern Foreign Lanuages and Chinese Culture

Lead Teacher:

Ms Li Chen

Email: LC@forest.org.uk

Period: Michaelmas Day: Thursday Time: Lunchtime

Venue: G10

Description

It is a fun and stimulating game which helps students develop their thinking and analytical power. Moreover, playing Chinese chess frequently would improve students' decision-making ability, as well as keeps them alert and attentive. Students also can learn some Game related Chinese language and history.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Chinese Chess Club.



Drum Corp (CCF)

Department/Area of Focus: Combined Cadet Force

Lead Teacher:

Mr Dave Collett

Email: DCollett@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Wednesday

Time: 4.00pm - 5.15pm
Venue: The Acorn / Todd Rooms

Description

Established in 2011, the Drum Corps is a CCF-only activity for cadets who wish to try their hand at marching drums. Learn how to play snare, bass or bugle as part of a military band!

Sign Up Procedure

No sign up required.

Capacity: N/A

Target: CCF Members Only



First Aid Club

Department/Area of Focus: Science

Lead Teacher:

Mr Wayne Bishop Email: WBishop@forest.org.uk

Period: ?

Day: Thursday
Time: 1.15pm - 1.50pm

Venue: Todd Room

Description

Learn how to act in an emergency and learn how to save someone's life. The course will cover everything from unconscious, non-breathing causalities to those having an asthma attack. The full syllabus matches formal qualifications and pupils will gain a certificate and first aid kit upon completion.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join First Aid Club.



Girls Who Code

Department/Area of Focus: Coding and Computer Science

Lead Teacher:

Ms Louise Golding-Hann Email: lgh@forest.org.uk

Period: ?

Day: Thursday
Time: 4.00pm - 5.00pm

Venue: G19

Description

A club to address the need to have more girls in computer science and to introduce them to coding via fun projects.

Sign Up Procedure

Advertised on Daily Bulletin and posters can be found in Gilderdale. Pupils are also spoken to during their Digital Induction.

Capacity: 12
Target: Girls Only



Jummah

Department/Area of Focus:

Friday Islamic Prayer - Religious Observance

Lead Teacher:

Mr Jas Sundhu

Email: js@forestsch.org.uk

Period: All Year

Day: Friday

Time: 1.00pm

Venue: Pavillion (above the staffroom)

Description

An opportunity to perform your Friday Islamic prayer.

Sign Up Procedure

No sign up required. Please just ensure you turn up on time.



Mindfulness

Department/Area of Focus: Pastoral and Wellbeing

Lead Teacher:

Mr Tom Barlow
Email: TAB@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Tuesday Time: 1.30pm Venue: A6

Description

A lunchtime meditation class for students and staff. A chance to stop, reset and learn about mindfulness.

Sign Up Procedure

No sign up required.

Capacity: 25
Target: All Pupils & Staff



Puzzle Society

Department/Area of Focus:

Lead Teacher:
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Email: ?

Period: ?
Day: Wednesday
Time: 1.00pm - 1.45pm
Venue: Martin Centre PQ1

Description

The aim is to try to solve as many types of puzzles (including Rubik's cude), to word puzzles (including crosswords, riddles, cipher and anagrams), to logic puzzles (a man, a boat, a chicken and a goat), to number puzzles (KenKen, Sudoku and more). The goal is to encourage thinking outside the (puzzle) box, to develop lateral thinking skills and to have fun!

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Puzzle Society.



Warhammer Games

Department/Area of Focus: Library

Lead Teacher:

Mr Archie Black
Email: ABlack@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year

Day: Wednesday (open) & Friday (by invitation)

Time: 4.15pm - 5.45pm

Venue: Martin Centre Ground Floor

Description

Warhammer Club plays Games Workshop table-top wargames. Full range of main ones is played, with an emphasis on whichever games are played in the "School league" national competition for schools. We have recently started a programme of "friendly" Saturday fixtures with other schools.

Sign Up Procedure

Drop in and talk to Mr Black during a Wednesday session. Friday club is by invitation by its participants, who look for those pupils who demonstrate maturity and skill.

Capacity: 10-14 (at any one time)
Target: All Pupils



Big Band

Department/Area of Focus:
Music

Lead Teacher:

Mr Phil Knights and Mr Simon Golding
Email: pknights@forest.org.uk and sgolding@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year
Day: Tuesday
Time: 4.15pm - 5.30pm
Venue: Recital Room

Description

Plays a selection of old and new music in the big band style. Ranging from Jazz to Latin with many in between!

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Big Band.

Capacity: approx 17 (maximum 20) Target: Year 10 and above (Grade 5)

Brass Quintet

Department/Area of Focus:
Music

Lead Teacher:

Mr Andrew White Email: awhite@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Monday Time: 1.00pm - 1.30pm

Venue: Room 6

Description

Advanced Brass Quintet.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Brass Quintet.

Capacity: 5
Target: All Pupils (Grade 6+)



Chamber Orchestra

Department/Area of Focus:Music

Lead Teacher:

Susan Sheppard

Email: ssheppard@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Thursday

Time: 8.15am - 8.55am Venue: Recital Room

Description

Intense rehearals, high quality string Ensemble music of Classical Symphonic and Concertos.

Sign Up Procedure

Places are by invitation only.

Capacity: ?

Target: All Pupils (Grade 7+)



Chapel Choir (Boys)

Department/Area of Focus:
Music

Lead Teacher:

Mr James Clements
Email: jrwc@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year

Day: Monday / Thursday

Time: 8.15am - 8.55am / 4.15pm - 5.15pm

Venue: JMR / Chapel

Description

An auditioned choir of boys from Years 5-9, the Boys Chapel Choir trains choristes in vocal technique as well as providing a grounding in liturgical singing.

Sign Up Procedure

Places are by audition/invitation only.

Capacity: N/A
Target: Boys Only

Chapel Choir (Girls)

Department/Area of Focus:
Music

Lead Teacher:

Mr Ewan Stockwell
Email: eigs@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year

Day: Monday / Tuesday

Time: 4.15pm - 5.15pm / 8.15am - 8.55am

Venue: Recital Room / JMR

Description

Perfroming in occasional chapel services and at concerts throughout the year. For girls from Year 5 to Year 9, this choir sings a variety of sacred secular repertoire and often joins forces with the Boys Chapel Choir.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Concert Orchestra. See Mr Marie at rehearsal or elsewhere.

Capacity: N/A
Target: All Pupils (Years 5-9)



Clarinet Club

Department/Area of Focus:Music

Lead Teacher:
Niall Webb
Email: njwebb@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Wednesday Time: 12.50pm - 1.20pm Venue: Limpet

Description

Clarinet Club is open to all clarinettists.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Clarinet Club.

Capacity: N/A
Target: All Pupils (Grade 1+)

Close Enough

Department/Area of Focus:
Music

Lead Teacher:

Helen Meyerhoff
Email: hmeyerhoff@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Monday Time: 1.10pm - 1.55pm Venue: JMR

Description

An advanced acappella ensemble whihe sings a range of pop, jazz and commercial classics. The singers are often singing complex harmonies, one to a part and so require high levels of sight - singing and musicianship skills.

Sign Up Procedure

Places are by audition/invitation only.

Contemporary Ensemble

Department/Area of Focus:
Music

Lead Teacher:

Mr Darren Bloom

Email: Dbloom@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Thursday

Time: 1.20pm - 2.00pm Venue: Recital Room

Description

An ensemble unique to this school specialists in music written from the 20th Century to the present day - including works by student composers.

Sign Up Procedure

Places are by invitation only.

Capacity: 4 -15 (depending on repertoire)
Target: All Pupils

Daphne Foxall

Department/Area of Focus:
Music

Lead Teacher:

Mr James Clements
Email: jrwc@forest.org.uk

Period: Michaelmas Day: Friday Time: 8.00am - 8.30am

Venue: Recital Room

Description

Forest Prep School Symphony Orchestra perform a wide range of music from classic to Jazz and pop arrangements.

Sign Up Procedure

Places are by invitation only.

Capacity: 40

Target: Prep School Pupils Only (Grade 1+)

Double Reed Ensemble

Department/Area of Focus:
Music

Lead Teacher:

Ruth Berresford

Email: RBerresford@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Friday

Time: 12.50pm - 1.20pm Venue: The Chapel

Description

A fun way to enjoy ensemble playing with endangered species instruments.

Sign Up Procedure

No sign up required.



Flute Group

Department/Area of Focus:
Music

Lead Teacher:
Ken Bartels
Email: kbartels@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year
Day: Friday
Time: 12.55pm - 1.55pm
Venue: Room 7

Description

Flute Group is an informal ensemble for those who enjoy playing in a relaxed atmosphere. We also take past in one concert per year.

Sign Up Procedure

No sign up required.

Capacity: 20
Target: All Pupils (Grade 1-8)

Forest Brass

Department/Area of Focus:
Music

Lead Teacher:

Dave Clewlow

Email: dnc@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year

Day: Tuesday

Time: 1.10pm - 1.55pm Venue: Recital Room

Description

Elite large Brass Ensemble.

Sign Up Procedure

Places are by invitation only.

Capacity: 10
Target: ?

French Horn Ensemble

Department/Area of Focus:
Music

Lead Teacher:
Jamie Thomas
Email: jthomas@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Thursday Time: 12.30pm - 12.50pm Venue: Brass Room

Description

Fun varied music for 2-4 parts

Sign Up Procedure

French Horn Ensemble is Invitation only. Please register your interest by emailing the Lead Teacher.

Capacity: 2-4
Target: Prep School Pupils Only



Guitar Ensemble

Department/Area of Focus:
Music

Lead Teacher:
Gina Cooney
Email: gcooney@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year
Day: Friday
Time: 12.30pm - 1.00pm
Venue: Prep School Music Room

Description

Plays a variety of well-known fun pieces for guitarists of all ages.

Sign Up ProcedureNo sign up required.

Capacity: 10+
Target: Prep School Pupils Only

Junior Strings

Department/Area of Focus:
Music

Lead Teacher:

Ronan MacManus

Email: rmacmanus@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Wednesday

Time: 8.00am - 8.30am Venue: Recital Room

Description

Forest Prep School string players learn to play fun and challenging music, while developing their understanding of string playing.

Sign Up Procedure

Places are by invitation only.

Capacity: 30

Target: Prep School Pupils Only (Grade 1+)



Lower School Brass

Department/Area of Focus: Music

Lead Teacher:
Andy White
Email: awhite@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Wednesday Time: 4.00pm - 4.30pm Venue: JMR

Description

Beginner to lower intermediate players.

Sign Up ProcedureNo sign up required.

Musical Theatre

Department/Area of Focus:
Music

Lead Teacher:

Georgia Oldman Email: goldman@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Wednesday Time: 1.00pm - 1.45pm Venue: Recital Room

Description

Come and learn songs and routines from some of your favourite musicals.

Sign Up Procedure

No sign up required.

(Years 7-9) Pop Choir

Department/Area of Focus:
Music

Lead Teacher:

Mr Nicolas Marie
Email: nm@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Monday Time: 1.15pm - 1.45pm Venue: SMR

Description

A band specialising in popular music genres.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Pop Choir. Informal audition required, see Mr Marie for details.

(Years 10-13) Pop Choir

Department/Area of Focus: Music

Lead Teacher:

Mr Nicolas Marie Email: nm@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Friday Time: 1.15pm - 1.45pm Venue: JMR

Description

A band specialising in popular music genres.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Pop Choir. Informal audition required, see Mr Marie for details.

Prep School Brass

Department/Area of Focus:
Music

Lead Teacher:Andrew White

Email: AWhite@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year
Day: Wednesday
Time: 12.30pm - 1.00pm
Venue: Recital Room

Description

Brass ensemble for Prep School pupils.

Sign Up Procedure

No sign up required.

Capacity: N/A
Target: Prep School Pupils Only

Prep Musical Theatre

Department/Area of Focus:
Music

Lead Teacher:

Georgia Oldman

Email: goldman@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year
Day: Tuesday
Time: 12.30pm - 1.00pm
Venue: Recital Room

Description

An energetic Session where you can learn songs and dances from you favourite west end shows. From School of Rock to Mary Poppins.

Sign Up Procedure

No sign up required.

Capacity: N/A
Target: Prep School Pupils Only

Prep School Theory

Department/Area of Focus:
Music

Lead Teacher:

Mr James Clements
Email: jrwc@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Wednesday Time: 12.30pm - 1.00pm

Venue: PS Computer Room

Description

Differenticated classes for students who wish to advance their knowledge of music theory.

Sign Up Procedure

No sign up required.

Capacity: N/A
Target: Years 3 - 6 Only

Scholars' Strings

Department/Area of Focus:
Music

Lead Teacher:

Susan Sheppard

Email: ssheppard@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Monday

Time: 8.15am - 8.55am Venue: Recital Room

Description

This group is not just for music scholars. In fact, it is just the next group up from Junior Strings/.

Sign Up Procedure

Places are by invitation/audition only.

Sax Club

Department/Area of Focus:
Music

Lead Teacher:
James Arben
Email: ja@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Tuesday Time: 8.20am - 8.50am Venue: Room 6

Description

Group where intermediate Sax students learn ensemble skills, playing different repertoire.

Sign Up Procedure

No sign up required.

Capacity: 10
Target: All Pupils (Grades 3-5/6)

Senior Chapel Choir

Department/Area of Focus:
Music

Lead Teacher:

Mr Iain McGregor Email: iam@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year

Day: Monday / Wednesday / Friday

Time: 4.10pm - 5.30pm (M) / 8.00am - 8.30am (W)

/ 8.00am - 8.35am (F)

Venue: Chapel

Description

The school's most prestigious choir, performing regular at Chapel services as well as extra services throughout the year.

Sign Up Procedure

Places are by invitation/audition only.



Senior Guitar Ensemble

Department/Area of Focus:
Music

Lead Teacher:
Gina Cooney
Email: gcooney@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Thursday Time: 1.10pm - 1.55pm Venue: JMR

Description

Plays a variety of guitar arrangements from film scores (Mission Impossible) and well-known classical repertoire.

Sign Up ProcedureNo sign up required.

Senior String Chamber

Department/Area of Focus:
Music

Lead Teacher:

Susan Sheppard

Email: ssheppard@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Friday

Time: 1.15pm - 1.45pm Venue: Recital Room

Description

Ensemble music foe external events / exam prep / aural prep

Sign Up Procedure

No sign up required.

Capacity: N/A

Target: All String Players

Soul Band

Department/Area of Focus:
Music

Lead Teacher:

Mr Simon Golding

Email: sgolding@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Monday

Time: 1.10pm - 1.55pm Venue: Blue Room

Description

Plays soul band classics from the 60s to the 70s combining vocal harmony and vocal solos.

Sign Up Procedure

No sign up required.

String Ensemble

Department/Area of Focus:
Music

Lead Teacher:

Susan Sheppard

Email: ssheppard@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year
Day: Friday
Time: 1.10pm - 1.55pm
Venue: Recital Room

Description

Ensemble for various events and some small groups quartets etc.

Sign Up Procedure

Ask to join or by invitation.

Capacity: N/A
Target: String Players (Grade 5+)

Symphony Orchestra

Department/Area of Focus:
Music

Lead Teacher:

Mr Iain McGregor and Mr Darren Bloom

Email: iam@forest.org.uk and dbloom@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Thursday Time: 4.00pm - 5.15pm Venue: Recital Room

Description

The largest school ensemble, performing everything from classic symphonic repertoire to film scores and works by living composers.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Symphony Orchestra.

Capacity: 60+
Target: All Pupils (Grade 5+ ABRSM)



Theory Club

Department/Area of Focus: Music

Lead Teacher:
Mr Iain McGregor
Email: music@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Wednesday / Friday

Time: 1.25pm - 1.55pm / 12.55pm - 1.25pm

Venue: SMR

Description

All musicians are encouraged to attend theory lessons, which are held twice a week. In order to enter an instrumental exam higher than Grade 5, it is a requirement that you will have passed Grade 5 theory.

Sign Up Procedure

No sign up required.

TRAD

Department/Area of Focus: Music

Lead Teacher:

Ronan MacManus

Email: rmacmanus@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Wednesday Time: 8.30am - 8.55am Venue: Recital Room

Description

Students learn to play Traditional Folk Music in a fun and friendly environment. All traditional instruments welcome.

Sign Up Procedure

Places are by invitation only.

Capacity: 40

Target: All Pupils (Grade 2+)

Tuba Club

Department/Area of Focus:Music

Lead Teacher:

Mr Chris Barrett

Email: cbarrett@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Thursday

Time: 12.50pm - 1.20pm

Venue: Chapel

Description

Tuba Club offers additional low brass tuition for all grade levels.

Sign Up Procedure

No sign up required.

Wind Band

Department/Area of Focus:
Music

Lead Teacher:

Ms Jenetta Hurst Email: jdh@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Wednesday Time: 4.15pm - 5.30pm Venue: Recital Room

Description

For pupils who play a wind instrument. Alarge ensemble with players from Brass, Woodwind and Percussion.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Wind Band. See Ms Hurst at rehearsal or elsewhere.

Capacity: Depending which instrument section Target: All Pupils (Grades 1-4)

Year 7 Choir

Department/Area of Focus: Music

Lead Teacher:

Mr Iain McGregor and Mr Nicolas Marie Email: iam@forest.org.uk and nm@forest.org.uk

Period: Michaelmas Term Only

Day: Monday

Time: 12.55pm - 1.25pm Venue: Guilderdale Hall

Description

All the Year 7 pupils form a choir during their first term at Forest and sing at the end of the term in the Michaelmas Concert.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Year 7 Choir.





Badminton

Department/Area of Focus:
Sport

Lead Teacher: Anan Amirthananthar Email: AA@forest.org.uk

Period: Michaelmas & Lent

Day: Friday

Time: (Year 7-9) 4.00pm - 5.00pm, (Year 7-13) 5.00pm - 6.00pm

Venue: Sports Hall

Description

Supervised Badminton.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Badminton.



Basketball (Boys)

Department/Area of Focus: Sport

Lead Teacher:

Mr Ben Phillips and Mr Will O'Brien

Email: BMJP@forest.org.uk and WOBrien@forest.org.uk

Period: Michaelmas & Lent

Day: (Year 9&10) Wednesday / (Seniors) Thursday
Time: 4.00pm - 5.15pm / 5.00pm - 6.00pm

Venue: Sports Hall

Description

With experienced coache, the boys consistently work on a vriety of technical and tactical skills, in line with the senior basketball programme, where they will progress to a standard where they can compete with and against some of the best schools in the area.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Basketball (Boys)

Capacity: 15 (per year)
Target: Boys Only



Basketball (Girls)

Department/Area of Focus: Sport

Lead Teacher:

Ms Charlotte Barras
Email: CAB@forest.org.uk

Period: Michaelmas

Day: (Year 7-8) Tuesday (Year 9-10) Friday Time: 1.00pm - 1.45pm / 1.00pm - 1.30pm

Venue: Sports Hall

Description

Work on a variety of technical and tactical skills.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Basketball (Girls)

Capacity: 30
Target: Girls Only

Cross Country

Department/Area of Focus:
Sport

Lead Teacher:
Ms Paige Cooper
Email: PCO@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year
Day: Friday
Time: 1.00pm - 1.30pm
Venue: Epping Forest School

Description

Open to all abilities. However would need to be prepared to run minimal 2K or more on mixed terrain.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Cross County Club.



Dodgeball

Department/Area of Focus: Sport

Lead Teacher:

Mr James Whitmee Email: JACW@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Wednesday Time: 1.25pm - 1.55pm Venue: Gymnasium

Description

Sport for all - participation club, open to all levels. Proposed and organised by a Year 8 pupil.

Sign Up Procedure

Will be advertised on dashboards. All welcome but cut off at 40 each time.

Capacity: 40
Target: Boys Only



Fencing Club

Department/Area of Focus:
Sport

Lead Teacher:
Mr Giles Morris
Email: GXM@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year
Day: Monday
Time: 4.00pm - 5.30pm
Venue: Gymnasium

Description

Fencing club for all ages and abilities.

Sign Up Procedure

No sign up required.

Capacity: 10-20
Target: All Pupils



Forest Sub Aqua Club

Department/Area of Focus:
Sport

Lead Teacher:

Mr Martin Bassett-Jones
Email: mgb@forest.org.uk or scuba@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Thursday Time: 7.45pm - 9.15pm Venue: SLC

Description

To provide an opportunity to learn and develop scuba diving experience and qualifications.

Sign Up Procedure

http://webserver.forest.org.uk/scuba

Capacity: 12 (at any one time)
Target: All Pupils



Fun Swim

Department/Area of Focus:
Sport

Lead Teacher:

Mr Aidan Hargitt
Email: AH@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Friday

Time: 4.00pm - 5.15pm Venue: Swimming Pool

Description

Fun supervised swim.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Fun Swim.



High Jump

Department/Area of Focus: Sport

Lead Teacher:

Miss Paige Cooper Email: PCO@forest.org.uk

Period: Lent Day: Tuesday

Time: 1.00pm - 1.30pm Venue: Gymnasium

Description

Open to all pupils of any ability who would like to try high jump in preparation for the summer term.

Sign Up Procedure

No sign up required.



Indoor Hockey (Girls)

Department/Area of Focus:
Sport

Lead Teacher:

Ms Charlotte Barras Email: CAB@forest.org.uk

Period: Lent
Day: Wednesday
Time: 1.00pm - 1.30pm
Venue: Sports Hall

Description

Opportunity to develop skills

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Girls Hockey.

Capacity: 30
Target: Girls Only



Indoor Hockey (Boys)

Department/Area of Focus: Sport

Lead Teacher:

Mr Dillet Gilkes

Email: DGilkes@forest.org.uk

Period: Michaelmas

Day: Monday

Time: 4.00pm - 6.00pm

Venue: Sports Hall

Description

Hockey club is for teams U16 & U18 taking part in indoor competitions during Michaemas term. Lent term it by invitation mainly.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Boys Hockey.

Capacity: 30
Target: Boys Only



Netball Club

Department/Area of Focus: Sport

Lead Teacher: Ms Claire Risk Email: CR@forest.org.uk

Period: 1st half Michaelmas

Day: (Year 9-10) Monday, (Year 8) Wednesday & (Year 7) Thursday Time: (M) 4.00pm - 5.30pm, (Weds & Thurs) 4.10pm - 5.30pm Venue: Gilderdale Courts / Sports Hall

Description

Squad players are expected to attend but all girls are welcome and are encouraged to come. Focus on skill development, game and understanding and tactical play.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Netball Club.



Squad Swimming

Department/Area of Focus:
Sport

Lead Teacher:
Mr Mike Bush
Email: Mbush@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year

Day: Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday
Time: (T) 4.00pm - 5.30pm, (W) 7.15am-8.45am, (F) 4.00pm-5.00pm
Venue: Swimming Pool

Description

Swim squad training session

Sign Up Procedure

By invitation only.



Table Tennis

Department/Area of Focus:
Sport

Lead Teacher:

Mr Ben Adams
Email: bda@forest.org.uk

Period: Michaelmas & Lent

Day: Monday Time: 1.00pm - 1.30pm

Venue: Sports Hall

Description

Open to all abilities to learn and adapt skills.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Table Tennis.

Trampolining

Department/Area of Focus:
Sport

Lead Teacher:

Ms Charlotte Barras Email: <u>CAB@forest.org.uk</u>

Period: Michaelmas & Lent

Day: Monday

Time: 1.00pm -1.30pm Venue: Sports Hall

Description

Open to all regardless of ability. Come along to learn new skills.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Trapolining.



Water Polo

Department/Area of Focus:
Sport

Lead Teacher:

Mr Aidan Hargitt
Email: AH@forest.org.uk

Period: All Year Day: Wednesday Time: 4.00pm - 5.00pm Venue: Swimming Pool

Description

Water Polo is an exciting, fast-paced sport that combines the best features of ball games and water sports; it's great fun and great for your fitness.

Sign Up Procedure

Please email the Lead Teacher to join Water Polo.

