

**Inter House Competition Timetable**  
**Autumn Term 1 (September to October)**

Department	Competition	Details	Staff Contact
Head of House			Head of House
Head of House	“Wear your cause” awareness campaign	Students design a t-shirt or accessory that raises awareness for a local charity or community issue they care about.	Head of House
Head of House	Chess Competiton (All Years)	Will you be the chess champion?	Head of House and Mr Yeoman
History	About Time (All Years)	Who can place the events in chronological order from 799BC to 2007.	Miss Weir

**Autumn Term 2 (October through to Christmas)**

Department	Competition	Details	Staff Contact
Head of House	Pumpkin Carving (All Years)	Can you carve a great pumpkin? You should submit your design to the relevant Heads of House. Send in a picture of your creation, with a short sentence describing the theme or person created.	Head of House
Art	Christmas Card competition (All Years)	Design a card to reflect Christmas and the meaning of the season. Can you make the artwork, design and greeting inside fantastically suitable for print.	Mrs Hall and Mrs Perrett
Head of House	It’s starting to look a lot like Christmas (All Years)	Christmas door decorating competition linked to key themes – Form Tutors	Head of House
Head of House	Christmas Jumper Competition (All Years)	Which teacher has the best Christmas jumper?	Head of House
Geography	Guess the flag and capital city (All Years)	Do you know the world’s flags?	Miss Covill
Food	Decorate an Xmas design on a biscuit (All Years)	Can you decorate an Xmas themed biscuit?	Miss Norman

### Spring Term 1 (January to February)

Department	Competition	Details	Staff Contact
Head of House	Debating (Year 7-8 & Year 9-11)	Two competitions. Debating matters because ideas matter. This is the premise of the Debating Matters Competition, which emphasises substance, not just style, and the importance of taking ideas seriously. Topical debates and a challenging format will push your thinking to a new level. Are you ready to challenge yourself? Can you think on your feet and counter a point made by the opposition?	HOHs
Biology	Bio Spelling Bee (All Years)	Teams made up of all years with a spelling bee both orally and written	Dr Gorst
History	Eggstravaganza (All Years)	Use an egg to recreate a significant historical figure.	Miss Weir
MFL	¡Fiestas! (All Years)	Create a depiction of a famous Spanish festival. Use your artistic imagination to demonstrate / portray the famous festival.	Mr. Hardy
Textiles/History	Fashion Through Time – Design Challenge (All Years)	Students research a specific historical period and design a garment or accessory reflecting the fashion trends and textiles used during that time. They can present their designs through sketches, mood boards, or even historical re-enactments	Miss Simpson

### Spring Term 2 (February to Easter)

Department	Competition	Details	Staff Contact
Head of House	Penalty Shoot out (All Years)	Can you beat the Heads of House with a Rabona, no look strike or the Pogba stutter?	HOHs
Head of House	Comic Relief (All Years)	Fundraiser – who can raise the most money for our chosen charities?	HOHs
Food	Tunnock Tea cake challenge (All Years)	Can you create an Easter themed food design incorporating in a Tunnock teacake?	Miss Norman
English	Poetry (All Years)	Either write your own poem on a theme given by the English department or choose a poem written in English, writing a paragraph to persuade us that this is a fantastic poem.	Miss Cook
DT Textiles	Character costume design (All Years)	Students read a specific book or play and design a costume for a character, reflecting their personality and role in the story. This can be presented through sketches or even creating a miniature costume using fabric scraps.	Miss Simpson

### Summer Term 1 (April to May)

Department	Competition	Details	Staff Contact
Head of House	Connect 4 Tournament (All Years)	Four in a row! That's easy I hear you cry. Then why not come along and give it a try.	HOHs
RE	Poster (All Years)	Design a poster focusing on tolerance and respect focusing on the Spirit Arts competition theme.	Miss Weir
DT Textiles	Waste Not, Want Not (All Years)	Students design and create an outfit using only recycled materials like plastic bags, newspapers, fabric scraps or old clothes.	Miss Simpson
DT Textiles	Positive Vibes Patchwork (All Years)	Students create fabric squares with positive messages or illustrations promoting mental health awareness. These squares can be sewn together into a larger piece to display.	Miss Simpson

### Summer Term 2 (May to July)

Department	Competition	Details	Staff Contact
Head of House	End of Year Quiz (All Years)	Let the games. Answer the questions correctly to win a pot of gold or a chance to take some from another forms stash. Who will earn the most gold and conquer all other form groups. Let your gold quest commence	HOHs
All	Sports Day (All Years)	Who will emerge victorious in the end of year school sports day? Can anyone defeat House Victoria, our current reigning sports day champions?	All teachers
Science/Physics	Sunflower Competition (Year 7)	Science's Eco Club presents 'Grow the tallest sunflower' Competition.	DSS And Year 7 form tutors
Science / STEM	Science Fair Competition (All Years)	Students are to complete a project and present their work in a science fair.	AMR
Science / STEM	Rocket Challenge (Year 7 & 8)	Students are to design, build and test their rockets.	AMR