



MIDDLEWICH
HIGH SCHOOL

Year 6 Transition Evening



Lydia Naylor
Headteacher



MIDDLEWICH
HIGH SCHOOL

ASPIRE

BELIEVE

BELONG

Grow your future at **Middlewich High School**

The **Sir John Brunner** *Foundation*

*“Every child’s life enhanced and advanced by the
highest quality of education”*



The
COUNTY
HIGH SCHOOL
Leftwich



THE MACCLESFIELD
ACADEMY

> Keys to Success



MIDDLEWICH
HIGH SCHOOL



**Ensure 97%
attendance**



**Active involvement
in your child's
education – praise
and support**



**Name
everything**



**Encourage
your child to
read!**



MIDDLEWICH
HIGH SCHOOL

➤ What **our students** say

“
Teachers really
care ”

“
The trips and visits
make us closer to each
other ”

“ A wide range of
strategies are used to
create a sense of
belonging ”



MIDDLEWICH
HIGH SCHOOL

> What an Ofsted inspector said

“ The school has made **significant and sustained progress in behaviour and culture** over the last three years, particularly since the behavioural reset in 2023. The shift has been underpinned by a whole-school commitment to consistency, stronger relationships, and tailored interventions. ”



MIDDLEWICH
HIGH SCHOOL

Year 7 Curriculum

Mrs Colclough
Deputy Headteacher

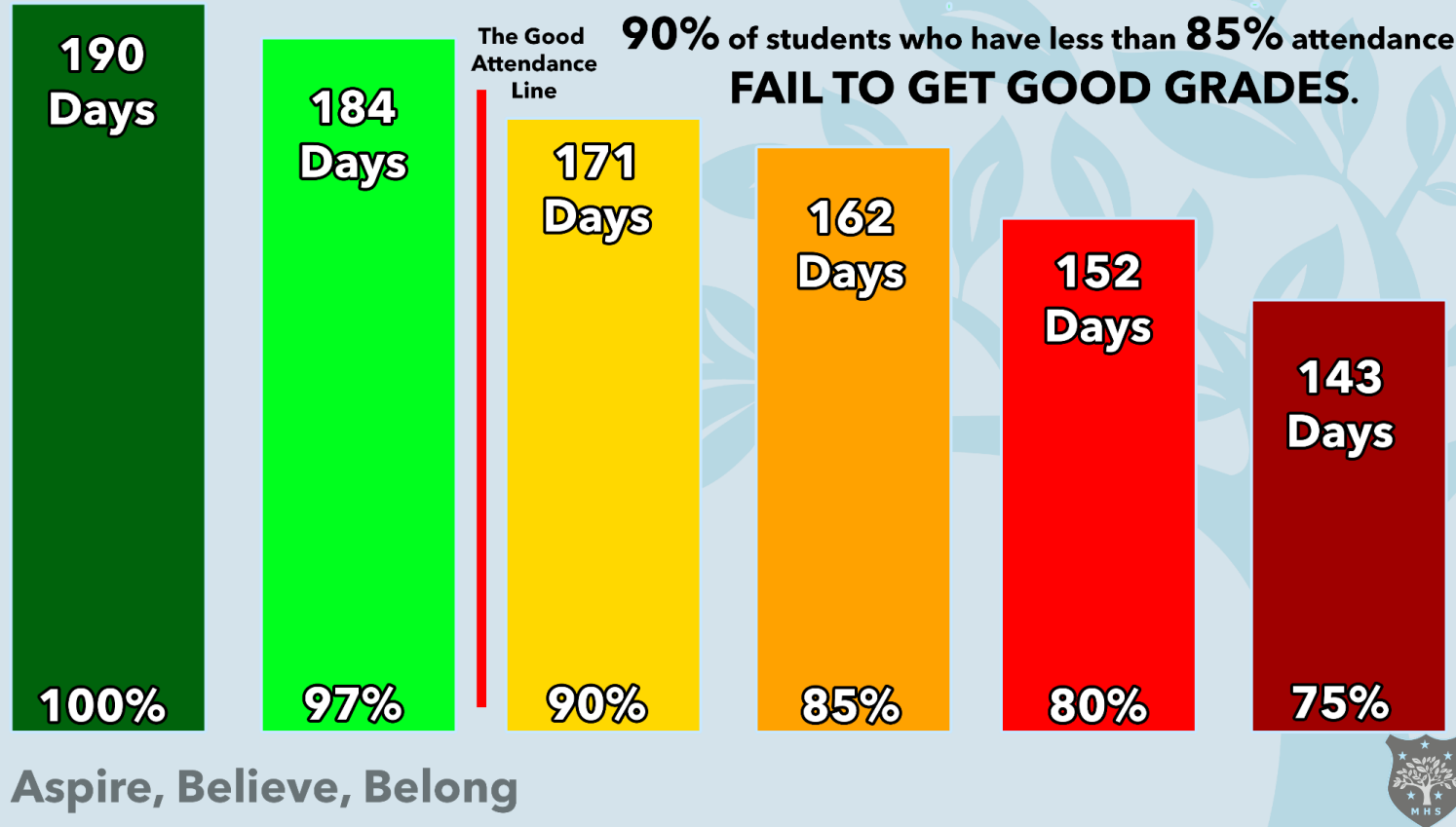


EVERY DAY COUNTS.

Why is attendance important to my education?

You have **175** days not
in school.

Plenty of time for appointments and holidays!



> Fortnightly Curriculum



MIDDLEWICH
HIGH SCHOOL

English (8 lessons)

Maths (7 lessons)

Science (6 lessons)

Modern Foreign Languages -

Spanish/French (4 lessons)

Geography (4 lessons)

History (3 lessons)

World Studies (2 lessons)

Personal Development (1 lesson)

Design and Technology (2 lessons)

Computing (3 lessons)

Art (2 lessons)

Drama (2 lessons)

Music (2 lessons)

PE (4 lessons)

› Learning the Middlewich Way



MIDDLEWICH
HIGH SCHOOL



> Learning the Middlewich Way



MIDDLEWICH
HIGH SCHOOL

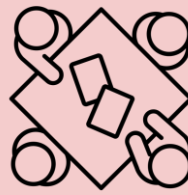
Do Now



I Do



We Do



You Do





MIDDLEWICH
HIGH SCHOOL

Assessment and Academic Intervention

Mr Lal

Assistant Headteacher



MIDDLEWICH
HIGH SCHOOL

➤ Progress and Assessment

- Low Stakes Assessment embedded into all lessons to ensure that your child is making progress
 - Mid Stakes Assessments at the end of topics or sequences to provide a safe chance for your child to succeed or highlight areas of improvement
 - Student Tracker assessments - twice a year - summative assessments that are reported home
-

> Literacy and Oracy



MIDDLEWICH
HIGH SCHOOL



- > All students access literacy activities across the curriculum - not just down to English!
- > Reading assessments - test reading age
- > Specific Reading interventions
- > New oracy framework to ensure that students can communicate effectively and within the right context

> Numeracy



MIDDLEWICH
HIGH SCHOOL



- > All pupils access numeracy activities across the curriculum - not just down to Maths!
- > Financial literacy planned and delivered in the Maths curriculum as well as Personal Development
- > **Preparing students for life - not just for qualifications**

> Home Learning



MIDDLEWICH
HIGH SCHOOL



- > MHS Home-Learning Policy
Power Hour
- > Google Classroom
- > Variety of tasks - Knowledge, application and practice
- > Online learning tools - MathsWatch, Educake



MIDDLEWICH
HIGH SCHOOL

Support and Wellbeing

Mrs Blackburn

Assistant Headteacher

➤ Students in year 7 will be supported by:



MIDDLEWICH
HIGH SCHOOL

- Form Tutor - First point of contact and key staff member
- Education Support Worker - Miss Adams
- Achievement Lead - Miss Hogg

> Uniform Expectations



Grey blazer with school badge

Black school trousers, tailored in style and not jeans or skinny fit. (Tailored shorts in the summer)

Students may also wear a grey skirt. A white shirt with top button to collar in a standard style

A school tie with silver and blue stripe

Black tights or black/white socks.

Black leather type shoes (not boots or training shoes).

School jumper (optional). This does NOT replace the blazer but can be worn underneath it (no other jumpers or sweatshirts are permitted).



MIDDLEWICH
HIGH SCHOOL



MIDDLEWICH
HIGH SCHOOL

Behaviour Expectations

Safe

*Attend regularly and punctual for all lesson
Follow expectations for health and safety
Act responsibly to prevent risk of harm to
oneself and others*

Ready

*Be organised, equipped and dressed smartly
Listen, question, think and work hard, showing
initiative, commitment and resilience*

Respectful

*Respect oneself, others and the environment
Understand, appreciate and celebrate diversity,
showing kindness and empathy*





MIDDLEWICH
HIGH SCHOOL

Attitude to Learning

ATL	Description	Outcome
Excellent 4	Achieving Excellence in learning - going above and beyond	Students rewarded with 1 achievement point
Good 3	Consistently meeting expectations	Student is praised
Rapid Improvement Required 2	Falling short of our expectations	Teacher will use Chance and Choice to support student Behaviour point is recorded on Edulink
Serious cause for Concern 1	Despite interventions student is not meeting expectation or there has been a serious breach of the behaviour expectations	Teacher will request on call Student removed to a Buddy room Placed with SLT Restorative Meeting is arranged for the following day.



MIDDLEWICH
HIGH SCHOOL

Rewards and Recognition

- Attendance
- Achievement in excellence - in lessons, through home learning and when representing the school
- Work of the week
- Nominations from staff
- Rewards range from vouchers, early lunch passes, breakfast with the Headteacher, excellence certificates, Amazon vouchers, team building events and trips.





MIDDLEWICH
HIGH SCHOOL

Personal Development

Mrs Anderson

Associate Assistant Headteacher



MIDDLEWICH
HIGH SCHOOL

Personal Development

- Spiritual, moral, social and cultural (SMSC) development
- Personal, social, and health education (PSHE) education
- Careers information, education, advice and guidance





MIDDLEWICH
HIGH SCHOOL

Personal Development

- Supports students in developing 'character' traits such as resilience, confidence and independence
 - Helps students to understand how to keep physically and mentally healthy
 - Ensures that students are prepared for success in the next step of their education journey
 - Supports students to be prepared for life in modern Britain; specifically:
Being responsible, respectful, active citizens who contribute positively to society
 - Have an understanding of fundamental British values
Appreciate diversity and respect people different from themselves
-



MIDDLEWICH
HIGH SCHOOL

Personal Development

- Form periods - Motivational Monday, Challenge Tuesday, Wellness Wednesday, Thoughtful Thursday, Feelgood Friday.
- Weekly assemblies with Senior Leaders or Achievement Leads
- Curriculum enrichment & enhancement activities.
- PD Curriculum delivered by Specialist teachers once a fortnight.
- External visits, visitors, presentations.



Enrichment



MIDDLEWICH
HIGH SCHOOL





MIDDLEWICH
HIGH SCHOOL

Year 7's Journey at MHS

Cade Norbury
Willow Hoole



MIDDLEWICH
HIGH SCHOOL

Transition Days

Miss Hogg

Year 7 Achievement Lead

Year 7 Team



Miss Hogg
Achievement Lead



Miss Adams
Educational Support Worker



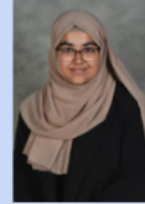
MIDDLEWICH
HIGH SCHOOL

Year 7 Team

7B - Bostock

Miss Shaukat

Art 2



7K - Kinderton

Mrs Fitzgibbon

Room 22



7N - Newton

Mr Bennett

Room 13



7R - Ravenscroft

Mr Reynolds

Room 26



7S - Stanthorne

Mrs Bennett

Room 4



MIDDLEWICH
HIGH SCHOOL

Transition Visit 2nd/3rd July



- Get to know tutor and teachers
 - School map and moving confidently
 - Break routines / Lunch routines / Prefects
 - MHS Habits, Routines and Values
 - Personal Development Programme
 - Meet teachers and experience a sample of subjects
-

Personal Development

Personal Development:

Character Development

Debates

Assemblies with ACL/SLT (once a week, alternate days)

Student voice

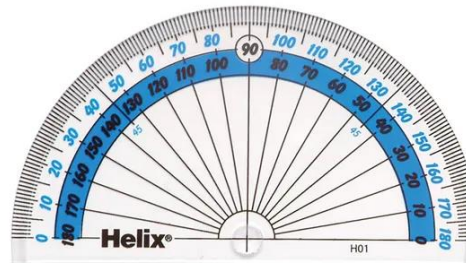
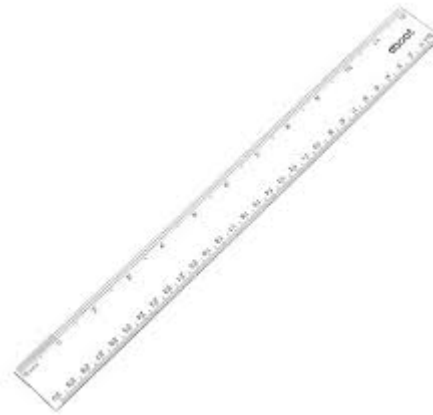
Attendance

Y 7	
WEEK A	
Motivational Monday	House updates / Growth Mindset / Careers
Challenge Tuesday	Character Development / Challenges
Wellness Wednesday	Wellbeing / Kindness
Thoughtful Thursday	Debates / What's going on in the wider world
Feel-good Friday	Weekly recognition
WEEK B	
Motivational Monday	House updates / Growth Mindset / Careers
Challenge Tuesday	Character Development / Challenges
Wellness Wednesday	Wellbeing / Kindness
Thoughtful Thursday	Debates / What's going on in the wider world
Feel-good Friday	Weekly recognition



MIDDLEWICH
HIGH SCHOOL

Equipment



MIDDLEWICH
HIGH SCHOOL



Enrichment



Year 7 London trip



MIDDLEWICH
HIGH SCHOOL

Key Information for transition Days 2nd/3rd July

Please review your **online starter packs** at your earliest convenience - **complete the online student details form** asap.

You will need to provide a snack and drink at break-time both days - we recommend a refillable water bottle which can be refilled at the water stations around school.

For the lunchtimes your child will need a **packed lunch** from home, or can **pre-order a meal** from the canteen via the Google Form for either one or both of the days.

If your child is having a lunch from the canteen they will need to bring **£2.50** (or **£5** if they are having canteen lunch both days) in a named, sealed envelope to pay on the first Transition day (Wednesday 2nd July). The payments will be collected from the children first thing before they all split off to follow their timetable for the day.

Please be aware that you will need to bring the correct money as we won't have change available. Students will **enter and exit through the sports hall**. They will be expected to wear school uniform on Wednesday and School PE kit on Thursday. We will dismiss the children each day at 3pm to make their own way home.



MIDDLEWICH
HIGH SCHOOL

Key Information for transition Days 2nd/3rd July

"I made loads of new friends within the first couple of weeks who have remained my friends. The teachers are lovely. If I could go back to September I wish I would have been less nervous and more brave as there is so much to be a part of."

"Don't worry too much because before you know it it will feel normal."

"I love the trips we get to go on and all the rewards we get. If I were to go back I would tell myself to enjoy and not to stress."

"Don't be antisocial and try to talk to people. It helps 100%. Don't be nervous! It is chill and the teachers are kind."

"Teachers are supportive and kind. They look after us."

"When you first join, speak to people in your lessons and outside of your lessons. The teachers really care and are nice."

"Be yourself always"



MIDDLEWICH
HIGH SCHOOL



MIDDLEWICH
HIGH SCHOOL

Thank you