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# Why is Allenbourn Middle School right for your child?





## Our Senior Leadership Team

## Our Year 5 Teaching Team

## Our Academy Committee and Wimborne Academy Trust

- Mr R. Dent – Chair of Academy Committee

### Wimborne Academy Trust

- Mrs L. West – Chief Executive Officer
- Mr J. Kingston OBE – Chair of Trustees

### Queen Elizabeth's School

- Mrs K. Boyes – Headteacher



# Pupil Leadership

Introducing our Senior Pupils  
2022 - 2023

Irene Berko  
Georgina Chevis  
Nicole Stylianou

- 19 School Council representatives
- A pupil Anti-bullying Champion
- House Captains



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WIMBORNE  
Academy Trust

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## Academic Excellence

**Seeking** new knowledge and skills.  
**Learning** to problem solve, make decisions  
and be courageous.



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## All Inclusive

**Valuing** diversity, tolerance and the  
views of others. **Growing** in self belief  
in a nurturing environment.



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## Responsible Individuals

**Developing** value and responsibility  
within our community. **Understanding** the  
importance of keeping healthy and safe.







A rights respecting school



## Our Vital Statistics

9 – 13 Middle School – Graded 'Outstanding' by Ofsted in 2012

559 pupils

A part of Wimborne Academy Trust

Consistently good standards of achievement

Excellent facilities

An extensive range of extra-curricular clubs and opportunities

Good attendance at school





## Our facilities and resources

### Library

Two full sets of Chromebooks and further sets ordered

Interactive teaching panels and visualisers in all teaching areas

Two science laboratories

### Sports facilities

ICT Suite

Art, Product Design and Textiles rooms

Online rewards and awards system

Music Room



## Why Wimborne Academy Trust?

Curriculum design

Shared vision and ethos

Collaboration and partnership

Capacity to continue to grow

CPD and pedagogy

Investment in teaching resources

Achievement of all groups

"CHANGE WILL NOT COME  
IF WE WAIT FOR SOME  
OTHER PERSON OR SOME  
OTHER TIME....  
WE ARE THE ONES  
WE'VE BEEN WAITING FOR;  
WE ARE THE CHANGE  
THAT WE SEEK."

~ Barack Obama



## A relentless focus on Teaching and Learning

Whole Class Reading

Accelerated Reader

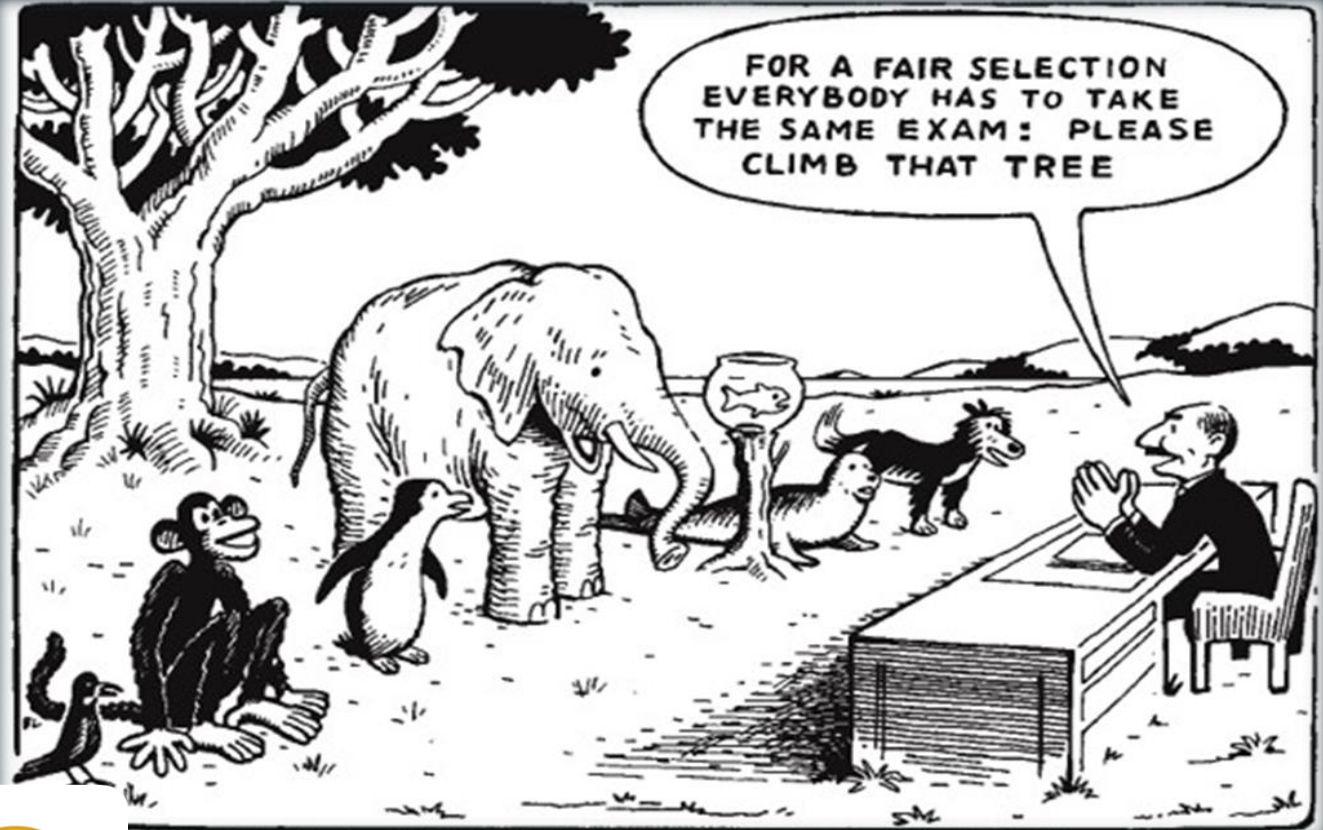
Hegarty Maths

Tassomai at Key Stage 3

Innovation within our shared curriculum

Teaching to the top - achievement for all





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## Our Curriculum

Subject specialist teaching

A well-planned transition across years 5 to 8

Mixed-ability teaching supporting collaboration

High quality feedback

Assessment and tracking – partnership with other schools

Maintaining a focus upon skills in reading, writing and mathematics

High quality support and provision for vulnerable groups



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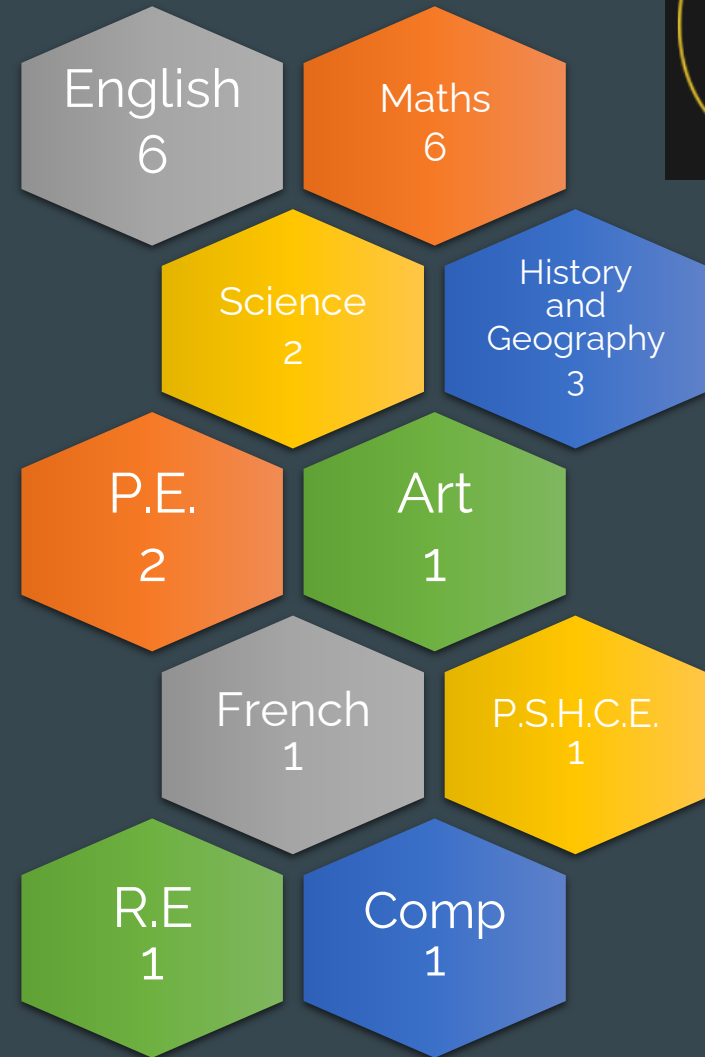
Subject specialist teaching

Class teacher teaching the majority of year 5 lessons. Your child's timetable changes as they move through the school.

Daily whole class reading and Accelerated Reader session 3 times per week with class teacher

Additional hours of English and Maths teaching in Years 5 and 6

P.S.H.E. Programme





## Timings of the school day

am reg and whole class reading

**Lesson 1**

**Lesson 2**

Break

**Lesson 3**

**Lesson 4**

Lunch

pm registration

**Lesson 5**

**Tutor time/Assembly/AR**

8:40am – 9:10am

**9:10am – 10:00am**

**10:00am – 10:50am**

10:50am – 11:10am

**11:10am – 12:05pm**

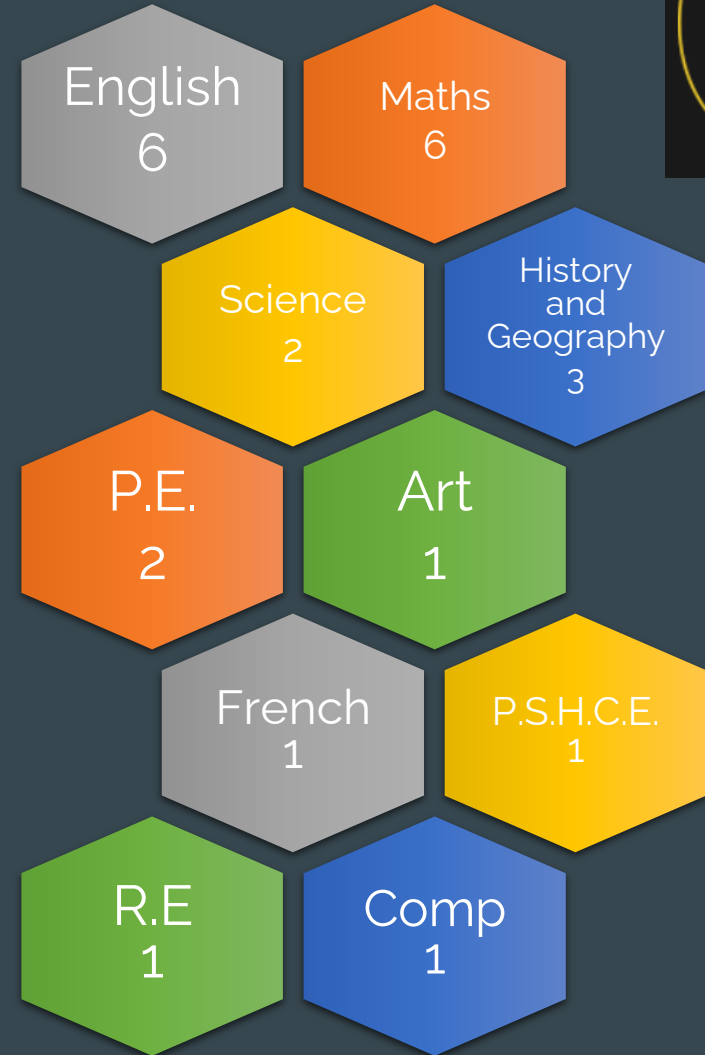
**12:05pm – 12:55pm**

12:55pm – 1:35pm

1:35pm – 1:45pm

**1:45pm – 2:35pm**

**2:35pm – 3:05pm**







Cross  
Country  
League

Dorset  
Coding  
Event

Opportunities

Christmas  
Musical

Theatre  
Visit  
Lion King  
Years 7  
and 8

Author  
Visit  
Years 5  
and 6

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Sporting  
Clubs

Music Lessons

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Music  
Lessons

Sport

Clubs

Trips

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Careers  
Event  
@QE



## Our Expectations

A Rights Respecting School

Positive attitudes to learning and exceptional behaviour

A culture that is supported by all of our school community

Excellent attendance at school – 96% as a minimum requirement

Uniform

Partnership with home

Pupils contribute to their school – attend clubs, school council

Achieve the highest possible standards – enjoy success

Open Evening  
Wednesday 28th September 2022

**The journey starts here ... making an informed choice**

Tour our school

Follow us on Twitter and Facebook. Use our website

Pupil visits

**Make an application by 15th January 2023**

**Contact us if you have any questions**  
**[mlegge@allenbournmiddle.org](mailto:mlegge@allenbournmiddle.org)**

Transfer Day and Transfer Evening  
*New tutor groups*





## Parent Tours

Sign up for a tour of our school at the following times:

Wednesday 5th October

Friday 7th October

Monday 9th October

Wednesday 12th October

Thursday 13th October

**Please contact the school office to arrange a tour at a different time**





Meaningful connections

A Rights Respecting School

Standards

Attention to detail

Opportunities for All

The flagship Middle School

Article 29: Education should develop each child's personality and talents to the full.



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