



YOUR GUIDE TO MOVING UP TO THE LADIES' COLLEGE SENIOR SCHOOL

2022-23

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Our College motto

"Fais ce que dois advienne que pourra"

(Do what is right come what may)

Our College Aims

To **encourage** each girl to grow in confidence, develop her talents to the full and value the qualities of others.

To **create** an environment in where each girl can be happy, love learning and make lifelong friends.

To **inspire** each girl to be the best she can be.



Welcome to The Ladies' College community

We hope that you enjoyed the two -day transition and you managed to meet new students, get to know some of the teachers and that you begin navigate your way around the campus.

Moving to a new school is both exciting and can be a little scary; the biggest worry is not knowing what to do or where to go. We are all keen to help and support you to make it as easy as it can be so that you are happy and confident and look forward to returning after the summer break. Your **Year Co-ordinator**, **Form Tutor** and **Sixth Form prefects** are the most obvious people to speak to, for help or advice in College, but absolutely anyone will help....we were all new here once!

Our motto is 'Fais ce que dois advienne que pourra' (Do what is right come what may) and this reflects the attitude that we think best describes everyone at The Ladies' College. We want you to be happy here and know that this happens when we all work hard to do our best but remember we are also prepared to talk about the things that we are finding a challenge. In Remove (Year 7), there may be more students than your current school, more subjects, more teachers, more movement between classes and perhaps a little more homework!

Embrace all of the opportunities that will present themselves to you whilst you are at College and we are really excited about getting to know you.

Ms Harford-Fox Principal



HELPFUL TIPS FROM CURRENT REMOVE STUDENTS

It is FUN having more independence so try not to worry beforehand!

l was nervous on my first day... but so was everyone. It's natural!

Have a talk to your parents about lunches: if you look at the Core menu in advance you'll see what days you want to buy food. Get involved in clubs– they're fun and you make friends.

The teachers want you to do well and so they will help you! I worried about getting lost but actually you find your way really quickly and at the start there's lots of help- you aren't on your own!

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HELPFUL TIPS FROM CURRENT REMOVE STUDENTS

Don't be afraid to

ask questions.

Subject teachers, your Form Tutor, the Year Coordinator, classmates, prefects, Office Staff or ANYONE! Peers Mentors Be prepared for more homework.

- Use your planner
- Remember to spend
- 20 minutes on a task



Take all the correct equipment to classes.

- Pens, pencil, ruler, rubber
- Scissors and glue are handy to have

Be who you are you will make friends!



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YOUR FIRST DAY IN REMOVE

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The Remove Co-ordinator is **Mrs King** Her office is near **Room 11**.

The staff in Reception are Mrs Moakes and Mrs Strawbridge. I can ask them for help if I am lost, or if I feel unwell.

The Head Girl is **Ria Thapliyal** and her deputies are **Sophie Kent** and **Julia Madden**. I can speak to them if I have any questions about College.

Other people and places that I need to know are....

Reflecting on my transition day experience

The things I am most looking forward to on Transition Day are...

The things I hope to find out about The Ladies' College during transition day are...

The things I learnt about The Ladies' College during Transition day are...



ART

'Don't think about making Art, just get it done. Let everyone else decide if it's good or bad, whether they love it or hate it. While they are deciding, make even more Art.'

Andy Warhol



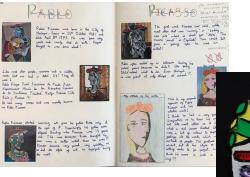
The focus for Remove students is line and colour in 'portraits' and 'structures'.

By looking at work of artists and discussing how they may influence our work, students are encouraged to explore their understanding, and experiment with new techniques and materials.

AIMS

The Department's purpose is to enable students to explore and express concepts, imagination and feelings. A rich and vibrant Art and Design

curriculum is in place for all students across all ages. A balanced course provides a broad base to enable students to fulfil their potential according to their individual needs.





- To employ teaching methods and resources that allows all students to have an equal access to Art and Design; to experience success and enjoyment
- \Rightarrow To develop creativity and imagination through a range of media and processes
- ⇒ To improve students ability to control materials, tools and techniques
- ⇒ To increase students critical awareness of the roles and purposes of Art and Design in History
- ⇒ To foster an enjoyment and appreciation of the visual arts and knowledge of artists, craftspeople and designers by attending school trips to galleries and museums, visiting artists, and workshops.

DESIGN AND TECHNOLOGY



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> **Design and Technology** is a problem solving subject which involves students in designing in a practical context with a focus on making their solution using resistant materials such as wood, metal and plastics.

> Everything that we use on a daily basis has had to be designed by someone somewhere, then made by someone somewhere too! This is something that we take for granted!

> Some designs become iconic and easily recognised worldwide. How many things can you think of that might be classed as iconic in their design?

Can you name the iconic designs shown below?

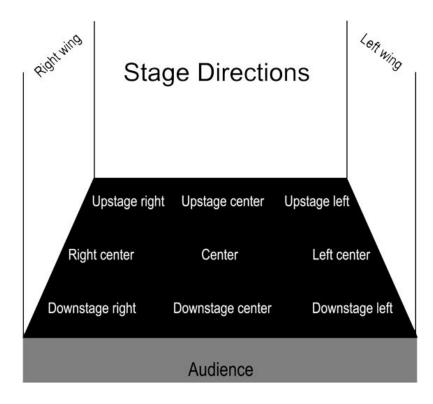


At The Ladies' College, we work with woods, metals and plastics to realise (or make) our designs. We use hand tools, such as those shown around this page and machines to help us, from a pillar drill to make holes, to the latest CAD/CAM laser cutter and 3D printers to cut, engrave and make our designs. Throughout the year you will also rotate between DT and Food Technology in the food block to make tasty dishes, meals and learn basic food hygiene skills. Graphics and CAD will also be covered in these lessons.

- Find out what CAD and CAM mean.
- How many of the tools on this page can you name?

DRAMA

Can you learn the stage directions?



The words 'upstage' and 'downstage' are used because traditionally stages slope downwards from the back towards the front. This is known as a 'rake' and is used so the audience have a better view of the actors at the rear of the stage.

- Centre Stage is usually the most important position as it is the area of central focus
- Downstage is closest to the audience making intimacy easier.
- Upstage is a position that allows the actor to do things which a character in front of them cannot see





ENGLISH

Reading Survey

Answer the following questions to be discussed in your lessons.

I think reading is important because

I enjoy reading because

I read a lot because

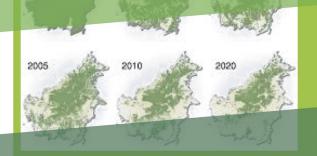
What purpose does reading serve?



GEOGRAPHY

GEOGRAPHERS ARE NOSEY! THEY ASK LOTS OF QUESTIONS TO FIND OUT ABOUT THE WORLD WE LIVE IN

SO MANY QUESTIONS...
What is happening here?
Why is this happening?
Where is this place?
Who is responsible?
Who is affected?
What can we do about it?



GEOGRAPHY DEPARTMENT

HISTORY

How can pictures make us think differently about the past?

What work is this person doing? (Their job begins with "B")

Look closely at how the person is shown: is this a man or a woman?

What era or time period do you think this picture was made? How can we know if this was typical men's or women's work at the time?



In History at The Ladies' College, we use evidence to help us to understand the past and all its complexity. As these pictures suggest, we need to be careful not to jump to conclusions– there is one male and one female in these two images but they are not shown as we might expect!

Studying History is about you being a curious and questioning person.

This photograph of a young child was taken in New York in the 1880s.

The child grew up to be president of the USA.

Why does the picture look so unusual to our eyes today?



FRENCH

When reading or listening to a foreign language, we can often figure out what is being said by just recognising a few key words. See if you can match up these fairy tales with the correct picture

Le petit chaperon rouge

La petite sirène

La belle et la bête

Jacques et le haricot magique

Les trois petits cochons









Which key words helped you to figure these out?

DID YOU KNOW...

When French people greet their friends, or are being introduced to new people, they **faire la bise** - lightly kiss one another on the cheek.

It depends where you live as to how many times you kiss when you meet. In Paris, they kiss twice - once on each cheek, in the north and in Brittany it's three times and in the south, FOUR times!

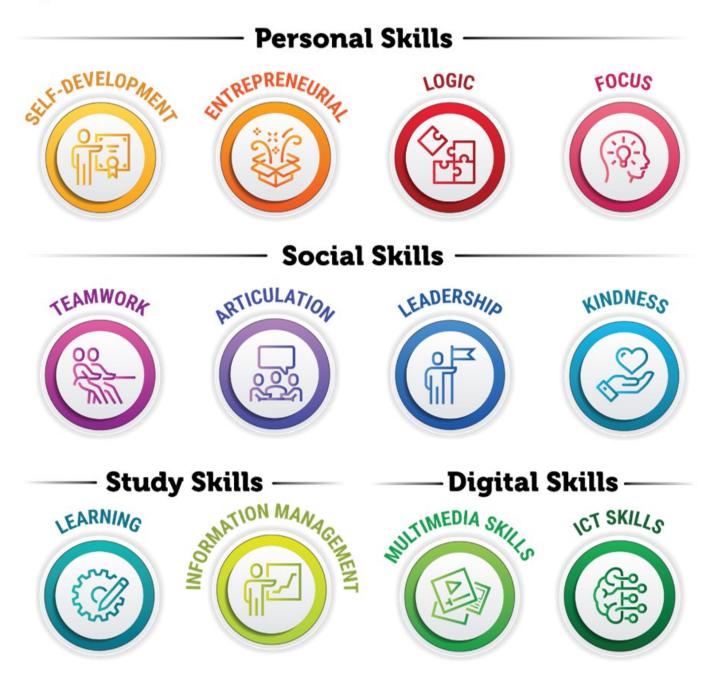
Visit the following link for some fun games: <u>http://</u><u>www.french-games.net/</u>



Future-Ready Skills

These lessons will help develop the skills and competencies that will ensure that you are ready for whatever the future may hold!

This will include creative problem solving, teamwork and leadership tasks, as well as using your devices and other IT to develop your digital skills!



INFORMATION COMMUNICATION TECHNOL-

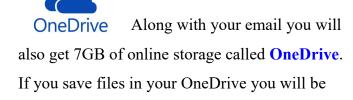
What Makes a good Password? To access the College Computer Network you will need a username and password. Your user name will usually be your surname and your first initial. So if your name was Susan Bloggs, your username would be **bloggss**. A good password is one that is complex enough so that no one will be able to guess it but not too complex so that you might forget it. Your password should contain a mixture of upper and lower case letters, numbers and another character such as a symbol. A symbol would be something like the - (dash). In the space below write down an example of a bad password and then a good password. **Bad Password :** Good Password:



You will also have a college email address this will be of the type username@ladiescollege.ac.gg You should always use this email address for

College work, communicating with teachers and students.

My school email address is:



able to access them from any device anywhere in the world where you can get an Internet connection.

Office 365 You also will have access to Microsoft Office 365 which are the online versions of Word, Excel and PowerPoint which you will be able to run on any internet enabled device.



Microsoft Teams is where a lot of your online classwork will be set, both in ICT and for other subjects. In

Remove you will be taught how to work with this modern education software effectively. Each class you have will have a Team where you can complete online assignments, communicate with teachers and classmates, and learn using modern technology. Teams support the use of the OneDrive and Office 365 documents.

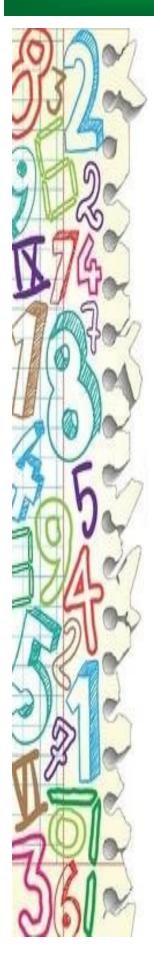
Wifi network

The College has a site wide wifi



network. This means that if you can use your laptop to connect to the College network and access the Internet. This means that every classroom can be IT room. Other mobile devices can connect as well.

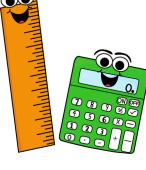
MATHMATICS

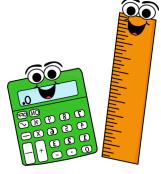


How many different methods do you know to calculate 27 x 43?

In Year 6 you should have played the 24 game. See if you can do these. Remember you need to use all four numbers

Easy	6	2	2	4
Not so easy	7	6	8	2
Nearly difficult	7	7	3	4
Genius level	21	2	16	2







MUSIC

'Music is a moral law. It gives soul to the universe, wings to the mind, flight to the imagination, and charm and gaiety to life and to everything.'



A curriculum is in place for students to reach their potential. All will perform, compose and appraise the work of existing musicians. Music lessons involve a lot of practical work and the composition of new music.

AIMS

- Develop an enjoyment and appreciation
- Increase awareness of music in a variety of traditions
- Improve technique and ability on a range of musical instrument
- Understand the development of artists and their careers



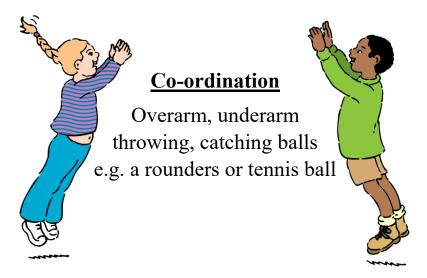




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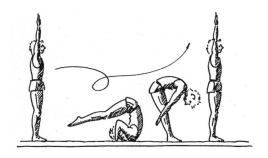
Can you practise the fundamental movement skills?







Swimming 25m unaided is helpful. *Don't be worried about swimming.*



Simple balances: forward rolls, controlled jumping and landing



Knowledge of rules of tennis, rounders, netball, hockey, football etc.

P.S.H.C.E.

Have you learnt this in Primary School?

- * Components of a balanced diet
- * What factors contribute to good physical Health?
- * How to stay safe
- * What a drug is and medicinal drugs are good for us when used properly?
- * What makes friendships work and the qualities of a good friend?
- * The role of a good citizen in society
- * How to be a good citizen in their School Community
- * What organisational skills you will need to be a successful student
- * That bullying is unacceptable
- * The different forms bullying can take

Here are the main topics we will learn about in Remove

- * Health and well-being
- * Relationships
- * Living in the wider world

Here are a few skills we will work on in Remove

- * Active Listening skills
- * Communication skills
- * To be able to express an opinion
- * To be able to work in a group
- * To be able to work independently
- * To contribute to class discussions
- * To respect the opinions of others
- Recognise and tolerate differences of individuals



RELIGIOUS STUDIES



If you knew you would never be caught, what would you do?



Is being happy the only really important thing in life?



Can a bad action ever be good?

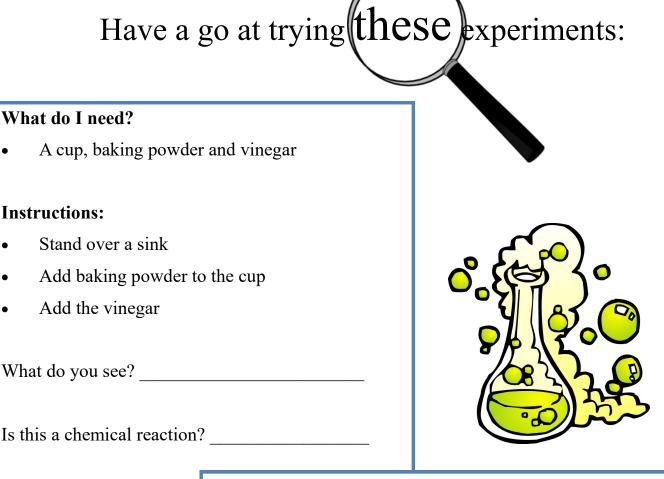


Should we always obey the law?



Are all your actions basically selfish?

SCIENCE



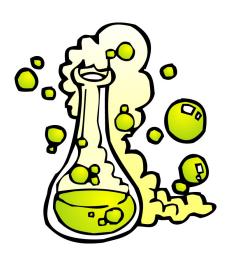
What do I need?

A cup, baking powder and vinegar

Instructions:

- Stand over a sink
- Add baking powder to the cup
- Add the vinegar

Is this a chemical reaction?



What do I need?

A jug, red cabbage, toothpaste, lemon juice and boiling water (and an adult supervising)

Instructions:

- Squeeze the juice from the lemon into a bowl
- Add cabbage to the jug
- Add boiling water to the cabbage
- Add the toothpaste to the lemon juice
- Add the red juice from the cabbage to the lemon and toothpaste

What colours do they go? _____

THINGS TO REMEMBER FOR SEPTEMBER

My first day at The Ladies' College in September:

- ⇒ On Thursday 8th September, I should be in College for 8.20am.
- \Rightarrow When I arrive, I should go to my Form Room.
- \Rightarrow I will need to bring my bag, pencil case, water bottle and lunchbox or Core Card.
- \Rightarrow I will need to wear College uniform.
- ⇒ I will enter the grounds through either Rocquettes Lane or Brock Road entrance, as on a normal College day.

Find out more about:



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