**House Events 2019-20**

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| **Week beg.** | **House event** | **Description** | **Year group(s)** |
| 4.11.19 | Silent Film – Media | Create a booklet outlining key information about the silent film era. The creativity, as well as the content of your booklet, will be judged! This will run across the term. | 7 |
| Samba and Musical Theatre Song Writing Competition – Performing Arts | House points will be rewarded for quality of homework and going above and beyond in the Samba and Musical Theatre Song Writing competition. Check the score board for your position! Please note this will run throughout the autumn term. |
| 18.11.19 | Static Tug of War – Science | Use the power of static electricity to win a tug of war! | All |
| 2.12.19 | Table Tennis and Basketball – PE | An interhouse sport event focusing on table tennis and basketball. | 7-10 |
| 9.12.19 | Sudoku Competition – Maths | A puzzle competition which trains your mind to process various forms of information, details, images and strategies at lightening speeds. While you devise strategies to win the game, it also helps in extending connections in your brain cells which help improve memory. | 7 and 8 |
| **Christmas Holiday** | | | |
| 6.1.20 | Castles Building Competition - History | Who can design and build the best castle? This will be an extended homework task across the term. | 7 |
| 13.1.20 | Art Competition – Art & Design | Use any media to produce the best artwork around the given theme. | All |
| 20.1.20 | The Great Big Geography Quiz | How good is your general geographical knowledge? Have it tested in our Great Big Geography Quiz and see if you can be the winner! | 7 and 8 |
| 27.1.20 | Modern Language Spelling Bee - MFL | Compete in house teams to be the best MFL speller. | 7 and 8 |
| 10.2.20 | Boys & Girls Football and Indoor House Challenges - PE | An interhouse sporting event focusing on football and a variety of indoor sporting challenges. | 7-10 |
| UKMT Intermediate Maths Challenge - Maths | The Intermediate Mathematical Challenge is a 60-minute, multiple-choice national competition. It encourages **mathematical reasoning**, **precision of thought**, and **fluency** in using basic mathematical techniques to solve interesting problems. | 9-11 |
| **Half term** | | | |
| 24.2.20 | Design and Make a Personalised Project – D&T | Design and make a personalised project from your brief. The best product wins! | 9-11 |
| 2.3.20 | Spelling Bee – English | How good is your spelling? Members of each house will go head to head in a spelling competition where the words get progressively harder until the winner is crowned. | 7-10 |
| 23.3.20 | Girls Netball and Boys Rugby - PE | An interhouse sporting event focusing on netball and rugby. | 7-10 |
| **Easter holiday** | | | |
| 27.4.20 | Advanced Manufacturing Research Centre Competition – Science | Can you design the best solution to an everyday problem? Winning entries for each house will go forward into a national competition organised by the AMRC in Sheffield. | All |
| UKMT Junior Maths Challenge - Maths | The Intermediate Mathematical Challenge is a 60-minute, multiple-choice national competition. It encourages **mathematical reasoning**, **precision of thought**, and **fluency** in using basic mathematical techniques to solve interesting problems. | 7 and 8 |
| 11.5.20 | Badminton Tournament - PE | If you attend badminton enrichment, be sure to nominate a member of your house to participate in our badminton house tournament. | All |
| **Half term** | | | |
| 1.6.20 | Future Chef Competition – D&T Food | Make a delicious two course menu of your choice and be tested in a ‘Master Chef’ style competition. | 9-11 |
| 8.6.20 | Mario Kart Tournament – Computing | Go head to head in a Mario Kart competition on the Nintendo Switch. | All |
| July 2020 (date TBC) | Sports Day | The final House event of the year and a celebration of all sporting activities. | 7-10 |

Please note that the RE department’s house competition, REwards, runs throughout the year. Students who produce additional homework, read around the subject or discover relevant news articles will receive a stamp on their REwards card. They will receive 100 house points for a full card.