



# YEAR 6-7 TRANSITION



**Chichester  
Free School**  
Nurture • Challenge • Inspire

**Mrs Louise New, Executive Principal**

# Back to School Section on Website

- Parent Pack
- Home School Agreement
- Pupil Code of Conduct
- Rhythm of the Year
- Uniform Policy



# Year 7 Groupings

- Tutor Group of approximately 30 pupils. Four all in one House. One mixed – our new Chimera Class with Mr Dean!
- Teaching groups of approximately 30 pupils – most lessons taught in these groups in the first year.
- DT, Food Tech and Art in smaller groups.
- English and Maths every day.
- High level of challenge and rigour, building on primary curriculum whilst preparing pupils for GCSE studies.





# The CFS House System

Enrichment, fun, competition and celebration!

- **House Ambassadors**
- **House Events** nearly every week.
- **House Points**
- **Community/family feel;** each tutor group will be from one house
- **Sports Day and Arts in the House** - pivotal event in the year.

**AQUILA**

**NOCTUA**

**PEGASUS**

**PHOENIX**



# Pupil Leadership

- Pupil Ambassadors
- House Ambassadors
- Sports Leaders
- Mental Health Ambassadors
- STEM Ambassadors
- Librarians
- Eco Leaders
- Beat Bullying Mentors



# Who's Who?

- Executive Principal - **Mrs Louise New**
- Head of Secondary - **Mr Ben Phillips**
- Vice Principal: Behaviour and Pastoral - **Mr Lee Hardwick**
- Vice Principal: Inclusion- **Mrs Cathryn Halton**
- Assistant Principal: Teaching and Learning – **Mrs Claire Tunnicliffe**
- Assistant Principal: Pupil Development – **Mr Rob Angell**
- Assistant Principal: Secondary SENDCo and Disadvantaged – **Mr Phil Fowler**



# Who's Who?

- Head of Year 7: **Miss Oxley**
  - Assistant Head of Year 7
    - Aquila Tutor: **Miss Seal**
    - Noctua Tutor: **Miss Carhart**
    - Pegasus Tutor: **Mrs Haylett**
    - Phoenix Tutor: **Mr Newman**
    - Chimera Tutor: **Mr Dean**

Who should I  
contact if...?



# Secondary School Day

- **Start of the day** at 8.20 (pupils welcome on site from 7.45)
- 30 minute **morning tutor time**: register, tutor notices, uniform and equipment checks, group support, Year group assemblies, mentoring
- **6 x 55 minute lessons** each day
- **30 minute morning break**
- **40 minute lunch break**, house events to happen every day
- **Compulsory school day ends at 15.30** for all
- **Voluntary extended day runs from 15.30 to 16.30**: clubs, supervised study, interventions, revision clinics, fixtures, production rehearsals etc





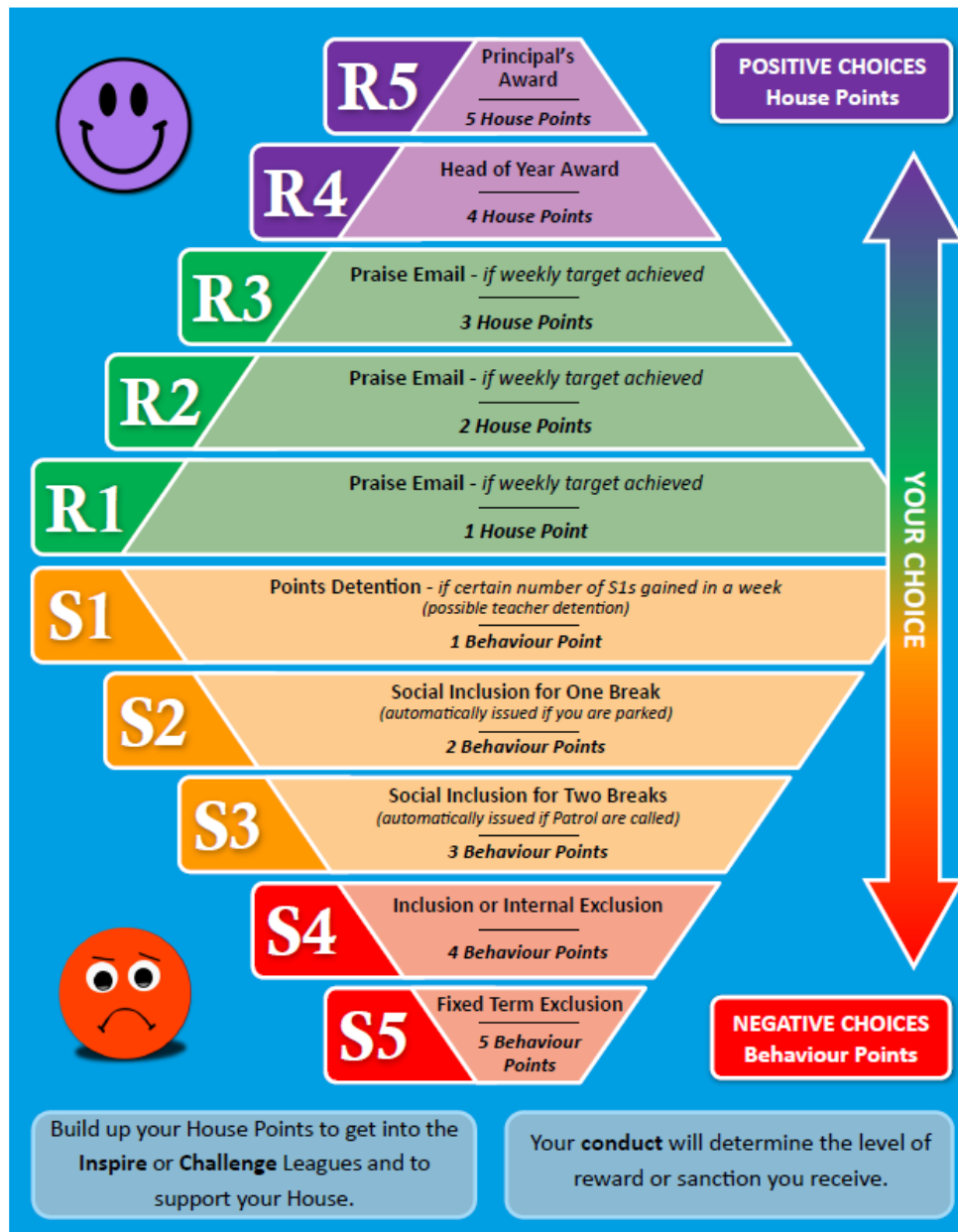
# Extended Day Provision

## *An Example Day*

Supervised Study  
Revision Clinics for Key Stage 4  
School Production Rehearsal  
Football Club  
Cross Country Club  
Touch Typing  
Bespoke Interventions from LSA Team  
Fantasy Games Club  
Years 5-8 Art Club  
House Events  
Beat Bullying Mentors  
Jazz Band  
Leadership of Primary Clubs



# Rewards and Sanctions



# Monitoring and Reporting Progress

- Progress based system
- Formative feedback
- Five year unique academic journey to GCSE
- **3 progress reports a year – at the end of each term.**
- Meet the Head of Secondary, Tutors and English/Maths teacher Evening: **19<sup>th</sup> September 17:00-18:30**
- Pupil Progress Consultation (PPC - virtual): **19<sup>th</sup> March 17:00-20:00**

Exceptional

Good/On  
Track

Area for  
Development

Cause for  
Concern



# A Few Other Points

- Canteen and the cashless system
- Uniform and equipment – Games Set and Match
- Bring your own device
- Mobile Phone policy
- CFS PTA and Parent Ambassadors
- Summer School – deadline **today!**



**First day of term  
(Settling in Day)  
9.00am  
5<sup>th</sup> September**

