

Whole-school provision for Academic Support and Academic Extension at Bedford Modern School

Please note that in-class support, as offered by teachers on a daily basis to all pupils, is not included in the provision list below as this is something that is offered in every lesson.

Academic Support – what do we do to help those who need extra help, irrespective of ability, whether that be inside or outside the classroom?	Academic Extension	
	Academic Extension for all – how do we extend and inspire <i>all</i> pupils, both within and outside the classroom?	Academic Extension for the most able – what do we do to extend our most able pupils both within and outside the classroom?
<u>Y7 and Y8</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Academic Support lessons in the Academic Support department for individuals • Links to external individuals to provide appropriate additional support outside of school • Study support sessions open to anyone and offered after school on a drop-in basis every week: please consult the Academic Support department for details 	<u>Y7 and Y8</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Whole-year extension days • Trips run by various departments or faculties throughout the year • Clubs and societies run by departments • Independent Reading Scheme run by English but applicable whole school • ECDL Driving Licence for ICT skills but applicable whole school 	<u>Y7 and Y8</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Academic Performance Programme's on-site activities • Specific trips for those on the Academic Performance Programme
<u>Y9, Y10 and Y11</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Academic Support lessons in the Academic Support department for individuals • Links to external individuals to provide appropriate additional support outside of school • Departmental support sessions 	<u>Y9, Y10 and Y11</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Whole-year extension days • Trips run by various departments or faculties throughout the year • Clubs and societies run by departments • Independent Reading Scheme run by English but applicable whole school 	<u>Y9, Y10 and Y11</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Academic Performance Programme on-site activities • Specific trips for those on the Academic Performance Programme • Gifted and Talented conference day

<p>arranged and provided by departments themselves</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Study support sessions open to anyone and offered after school on a drop-in basis every week: please consult the Academic Support department for details 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ECDL Driving Licence for ICT skills but applicable whole school • The HPQ qualification in Y10 	
<p><u>Sixth Form</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Academic Support lessons in the Academic Support department for individuals • Links to external specialists to provide additional support outside of school • Twilight sessions in the Wilden Room with dedicated subject teachers on a weekly timetable • Departmental support sessions arranged and provided by departments themselves • The Sixth Form Learning Mentors, who are able to guide and support pupils • Study support sessions open to anyone and offered after school on a drop-in basis every week: please consult the Academic Support department for details 	<p><u>Sixth Form</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Sixth Form enrichment programme, offered in both Y12 on Friday 1 period 4s, and Y13 on Friday afternoons • The Y12 enrichment days, held in June each year • The EPO qualification • Trips run by various departments or faculties throughout the year 	<p><u>Sixth Form</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Extension classes run by departments or faculties • Circulation of relevant essay and prize competitions • 'The Philosophy of Academia' extension series for pupils applying to competitive university (an 11 part programme delivered between January to November of the Y12 – Y13 year) • Specific preparation programmes for those applying to competitive courses – namely Oxbridge, Vet and Medical applicants • External academic courses like the Debate Chamber and Villiers Park