History Curricular/Extra Curricular Enrichment Programme 2024-25

The curricular enrichment programme at All Hallows Catholic College is designed to complement the academic curriculum, ignite a spark, encourage students to try something new and extend their aspirations and interests beyond the classroom. These opportunities help form students spiritually, socially and emotionally so they can grow in maturity and self-confidence.

Termly Activities	**Activity**	**Target Group**	**Student Development**	**Student Take up**
Term 1	Year Hardwick Hall visit	Year 11	To compliment their GCSE study of Elizabethan England. As part of their examination students must study a historic environment. This academic year the focus is on Hardwick Hall. This will be an excellent opportunity for students to apply their learning in the classroom to investigate the site itself	Expect 110
Term 2	GCSE exam buster preparation for year 11.	Open to all of year 11 history students	• Inspire, inform and equip students for the GCSE Paper.Prepare students for the upcoming exams, seeing revision as long-term.	Expect 45+
	Year 10/ 11 Auschwitz/Krakow trip	All year 10 and 11 history students	• Compliments GCSE history topic but also an opportunity to visualize the horrors of the Holocaust and meet a Holocaust survivor	40
	Year 8 visit to Quarry Bank Mill		• To investigate life in 19th century Macclesfield and the local area. To handle artefacts and explore the function of Mills in Industrial Britain.	150+

		Open to all year 8 students		
Term 3	-Evening revision classes for year 11 and 13.	All are open to every student, though attendance of GAP group and pupil premium monitored.	• Final exam preparation	Expect 80+ at GCSE and 20+ at A Level.
	Year 7 Beeston Castle trip	All of year 7	• To explore a medieval fortress and study life in Medieval England	150+
	A level Houses of Parliament and Tower of London trip	All A level history students	• To understand how the Houses of Commons and Lords function. To attend a talk on the Wars of the Roses and explore the Tower of London as a medieval fortress.	All A level history students
Weekly Activities				
When? Where?				
GCSE History Revision Class Tuesday after school F9	This takes place from November until May.	All students with emphasis on pupil premium and GAP students. Text messages and phone calls home.	• Improve student confidence and preparation for the exams.	Expect 20-30 per session
A level revision class – lunch times – discretion of individual teachers.	This takes place from November until May.	All students with emphasis on pupil premium and GAP students.	• Improve student confidence and preparation for the exams.	15