

## GRAMMAR SCHOOL

# SCHOOL DEVELOPMENT PLAN 2023-2026

### **CHILD-CENTRED PROVISION**

	2023-2024	2024-2025	2025-2026
Making decisions that reflect the needs and aspirations of pupils	• to investigate and further develop strategies to ensure effective communication with pupils	• to review and further develop strategies to ensure effective communication with pupils	
Promoting equality, concern for individual pupils and a respect for diversity	• to further develop awareness of equality and diversity issues (through the delivery of the revised RSE Curriculum)		
Developing a culture of achievement, improvement and ambition	<ul> <li>to review and implement changes to Prize Distribution and Junior Certificate Ceremonies</li> <li>to review and develop the use of earlier targeted intervention strategies to support pastoral and academic needs</li> <li>to pilot Gifted &amp; Talented provision within the Year 13 Enrichment Programme</li> <li>to conduct a review of the Honours Policy</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>to embed the use of earlier targeted intervention strategies to support pastoral and academic needs</li> <li>to review and embed Gifted &amp; Talented provision within the Year 13 Enrichment Programme</li> </ul>	
Overcoming barriers to learning	<ul> <li>to review and develop the effective use of Behaviour Management data to overcome barriers to learning</li> <li>to review the whole-school provision and training in relation to the Revised SEND and Inclusion Framework</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>to further develop the effective use of Behaviour Management data to overcome barriers to learning</li> <li>to embed and implement changes to the whole-school provision and training in relation to the Revised SEND and Inclusion Framework</li> </ul>	• to embed the effective use of Behaviour Management data to overcome barriers to learning
Listening to the views of pupils		• to review and evaluate the effectiveness of student voice to effect whole-school improvement	• to implement the recommendations of the review in order to enhance the effectiveness of student voice
Ensuring pupils follow an appropriate educational pathway	• to implement changes to the CEIAG provision with regard to Work Related Learning		
Ensuring the highest standards of pastoral care and safeguarding	• to investigate the Solihull Approach	• to conduct a Pastoral review	• to implement the recommendations following the Pastoral review
Supporting healthy children	• to continue to develop links with external agencies to support healthy children	• to continue to develop links with external agencies to support healthy children	<ul> <li>to continue to develop links with external agencies to support healthy children</li> </ul>
Providing a wide range of extra and co-curricular opportunities	<ul> <li>to review and further develop strategies to ensure the long-term sustainability of the extra-curricular programme</li> <li>to investigate opportunities to develop and promote STEAM</li> </ul>	• to plan and co-ordinate the celebrations associated with the 80th anniversary of the School	

## HIGH-QUALITY LEARNING AND TEACHING

	2023-2024	2024-2025	2025-2026
Providing a broad and relevant curriculum for the pupils	• to review the KS 4 & KS 5 curricula	• to implement changes to the KS 4 & KS 5 curricula	
Developing Cross-Curricular Skills	<ul> <li>to embed Year 3 of the whole-school Numeracy strategy</li> <li>to review the whole-school Digital Strategy and develop a 3-Year Plan to further enhance the digital skills of both pupils and staff</li> <li>to review the whole-school Literacy Strategy and develop a 3-Year Plan to further enhance literacy standards throughout the School</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>to review Year 1 and implement Year 2 of the whole-school Digital Strategy</li> <li>to implement Year 1 of the whole-school Literacy Strategy</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>to review Year 2 and implement Year 3 of the whole-school Digital Strategy</li> <li>to review Year 1 and implement Year 2 of the whole-school Literacy Strategy</li> </ul>
Using adaptable, flexible teaching and learning strategies	<ul> <li>to develop the use of Retrieval Practice to enhance pupil outcomes</li> <li>to continue to develop the sharing of good practice to enhance pedagogy and improve pupil outcomes</li> <li>to review and develop the use of earlier targeted intervention strategies to support underachieving pupils</li> <li>to review and further develop the use of digital technologies</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>to embed the use of Retrieval Practice to enhance pupil outcomes</li> <li>to review the use and effectiveness of earlier targeted intervention strategies to support underachieving pupils</li> <li>to review and further develop the use of digital technologies</li> </ul>	• to review and further develop the use of digital technologies
Making effective use of data	• to further develop and implement the effective use of Behaviour Management data	• to amend and further develop the Target Setting process	<ul> <li>to implement changes to the Target Setting process</li> <li>to review and implement the effective use of pupil tracking</li> </ul>
Conducting rigorous self-evaluation	<ul> <li>to further develop a holistic approach to monitoring and evaluating outcomes at whole-school, departmental, and individual teacher level</li> <li>to undertake the self-evaluation of departmental standards</li> </ul>	• to undertake the self-evaluation of departmental standards	to undertake the self-evaluation of departmental standards
Supporting learning and teaching through effective staff development	<ul> <li>to implement a Learning &amp; Teaching training programme to support the development of Retrieval Practice</li> <li>to further develop a training programme for Middle Leaders and aspiring Senior Leaders</li> </ul>		

Implementing effective assessment	• to embed effective assessment	
arrangements	arrangements to support Learning &	
	Teaching	

#### **EFFECTIVE LEADERSHIP**

	2023-2024	2024-2025	2025-2026
Setting realistic targets for improvement (school development planning)	• to implement the new SDP	• to review the implementation of the SDP	<ul> <li>to continue to be a self-reflective school and, in consultation with stakeholders, formulate a new SDP</li> <li>to review the implementation of the SDP</li> </ul>
Involving Governors in strategic planning	• to involve the Board of Governors in the monitoring, evaluating and review process	• to involve the Board of Governors in the monitoring, evaluating and review process	• to involve the Board of Governors in the new School Development Planning process
Promoting opportunities for the dissemination of good practice	• to review the annual programme of Staff Development Days and pilot the use of twilight training sessions	• to review the effectiveness of twilight training sessions and implement changes to the annual programme of Staff Development Days	
Providing opportunities for staff to share in the leadership of the school	• to encourage and support relevant staff to participate in external leadership training programmes	<ul> <li>to encourage and support relevant staff to participate in leadership training programmes</li> <li>to review the role of the Senior Development Team and implement any changes required to ensure effective distributed leadership</li> </ul>	• to encourage and support relevant staff to participate in leadership training programmes
Managing resources effectively	<ul> <li>to continue to review staff workload and wellbeing, e.g. timing of examinations and reporting</li> <li>to further develop a training programme for Middle Leaders and aspiring Senior Leaders</li> <li>to introduce a training programme that further develops capacity within and beyond the Senior Leadership Team</li> <li>to undertake a cost-benefit analysis of the School's legacy computer network</li> </ul>	• to review and implement changes to the training programmes that further develops capacity within and beyond the Senior Leadership Team	
Monitoring and evaluating outcomes	<ul> <li>to further develop a holistic approach to monitoring and evaluating outcomes</li> </ul>	• to review and develop the role of the Steering Group	

## A SCHOOL CONNECTED TO ITS LOCAL COMMUNITY

	2023-2024	2024-2025	2025-2026
Engaging with parents	• to investigate and further develop strategies to ensure effective communication with parents	• to review and further develop strategies to ensure effective communication with parents	
Encouraging the support of the local community	• to further develop and implement a community plan for the Third Party Use of the School's premises	• to formalise the association with Alumni	• to review and further develop links with the Alumni
Meeting the needs of the community and other schools	• to investigate and further develop collaborative arrangements with EBALC and other partner schools/colleges in order to enhance learning, training and capacity building [see also EBALC Implementation Plan]	• to review and further develop collaborative arrangements with EBALC and other partner schools/colleges in order to enhance learning, training and capacity building [see also EBALC Implementation Plan]	• to review and further develop collaborative arrangements with EBALC and other partner schools/colleges in order to enhance learning, training and capacity building [see also EBALC Implementation Plan]
Developing relationships with outside agencies	<ul> <li>to investigate funding streams in order to enhance the School's Facilities</li> <li>to investigate and further develop links with outside agencies in order to support the needs of all pupils</li> </ul>	• to utilise external support in order to plan and co-ordinate the celebrations associated with the 80 <sup>th</sup> anniversary of the School	
Developing internationalism	<ul> <li>to further develop the Confucius Classroom Programme</li> <li>to investigate and establish links / language exchanges with partner schools</li> </ul>		
Developing environmentalism	• to establish a pupil working group to focus on an environmental strategy		