Faculty Website Curriculum Information

Name of subject – Criminology

## **Subject vision**

Our vision is to get students ready for one of the fastest growing A levels and degrees.

This course will allow you to explore and learn about the fascinating and diverse world of criminology; exploring areas from the causes of the crimes to the investigation, the courtroom and finally the punishment. In criminology you will be able to apply your learning to real life cases. Criminology will give you a different perspective of the world, allowing you to experience the social, psychological and biological differences that create the criminal. Alongside we will discover problems with the criminal justice system, such as wrongful convictions and punishments that often fail to work.

Criminology will teach you to reach judgements, evaluate ideas and clearly articulate your views through lessons, wider reading and research.

## Topics/ units being studied

Key Stage 5

Y12	Y13
<ul><li>Changing Awareness of Crime</li><li>Criminological theories</li></ul>	<ul><li>Crime Scene to Courtroom</li><li>Crime and Punishment</li></ul>

## **Contact information**

If you have questions on the curriculum that your daughter will be studying, please contact one of the following:

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