



# 2026-2027

## Scholar Offer

For pupils entitled to Pupil Premium Grant

### Our standard offer includes

- A full set of uniform on joining George Abbot and an annual top-up (£50) each year, managed via Valentino's Uniform Shop
- Access to the School Sustainable Shop for additional uniform needs, prom dresses, suits and clothes appropriate for interviews.
- A full set of stationery, including scientific calculator, on joining George Abbot and top-ups through the year as needed.
- All additional resources and equipment needed for day-to-day lessons, for example, ingredients for Food and Nutrition, supplies for GCSE Art and Design, compulsory theatre trips for GCSE Drama.
- A laptop (one per family, on request as needed)\*
- Textbooks and revision guides, as recommended by teachers, in Y10+
- Examination costs for additional qualifications, including Heritage Languages (Arabic, Chinese, Italian, etc.) and any costs associate with post-result reviews of marking at GCSE.
- Mentoring by Scholar Advocates, with a focus on academic achievement.
- Supervised homework club after school until 5pm every day.
- Extra guidance at transition points including Y9 and Y11 options, including visits to local colleges and prioritisation in our Careers process.
- Y11 celebration merchandise (2 from: yearbook, hoody, prom ticket)

### Enrichment, including

- Music lessons\*\* and instrument loan from Y7 upwards, moving into Surrey Arts lessons as progress is made. Cost of all music examinations.
- Participation in trips and visits that enrich the curriculum but are not compulsory, including year group team building trips and reward trips.
- Participation in Summer Schools (online and in person)\*\*\*
- Tokens for GAbbot Fest and RAG week.





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### **Academic enrichment & intervention provision, including:**

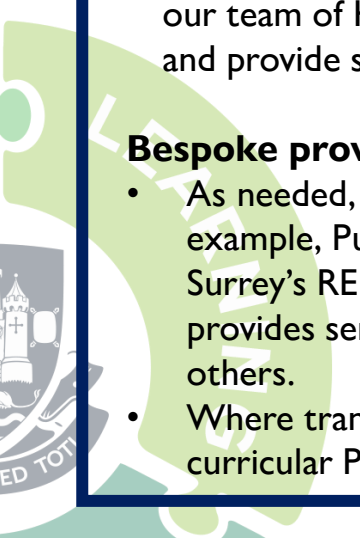
- Scholars in Y7-9 are prioritised for academic interventions including Reading Buddies; Reading with Community Volunteers; SPARX peer support; peer maths tutoring etc.
- Scholars in Y10-11 are prioritised for academic interventions including peer tutoring; small group tutoring in English, History, Sociology and maths; online tutoring in English, Maths and Science; other tutoring opportunities according to need.
- High attaining Scholars are invited to join our Brilliant Club, through which they are tutored by an academic from a local university.

### **Social, Emotional and Mental Health & Wellbeing services, including:**

- Scholars are prioritised for support when referred by their HoYs to our in-school Wellbeing services including:
  - Youth Workers from Matrix Trust
  - Counselling
  - Body Coach (body image and identity)
  - Home School Link Workers
- Parents and carers of Scholars are also encouraged to make contact with our team of Home School Link Workers, who are able to make home visits and provide support and signposting to onward services.

### **Bespoke provisions**

- As needed, Scholars are supported with bespoke provisions. For example, Pupil Premium Grant can be used to pay for support from Surrey's REMA team (Race Equality and Minority Achievement), which provides services for refugees and families of Traveller heritage, among others.
- Where transport is an issue (e.g. staying late to participate in extra-curricular Performing Arts), we are often able to help.





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Much of the time, Scholars are provided with the resources, equipment and provisions from the 'Standard Offer' list automatically. If additional items are needed, parent/carers can email their child's Head of Year, (HoY) or Scholar Advocate.

### Notes

\* **Laptops** – the school has a supply of laptops that can be issued on long-term loan to students. Our basic offer is for one laptop per family, if needed. If this is not sufficient, please make contact with the HoY.

\*\* **Music Lessons** – Scholars are offered lessons on a variety of instruments, taught by members of the Music department from Y7 onwards. We are able to provide support for lessons for other instruments via Surrey Arts. Surrey Arts also provide free membership of a number of instrumental groups, (orchestras, bands etc.).

\*\*\* **Summer Schools** - we are able to support students attending a wide range of summer schools, e.g. 'Aspiring Medics' and 'Philosophy', which we publicise as information is sent to us.





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## Scholar Contacts



### Scholar Advocates:

Year 7: Ali Hunt [ahunt@georgeabbot.surrey.sch.uk](mailto:ahunt@georgeabbot.surrey.sch.uk)

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Year 10- 11: Claire Burford [cburford@georgeabbot.surrey.sch.uk](mailto:cburford@georgeabbot.surrey.sch.uk)

### Finance Team:

Our friendly and supportive finance team, Andrea and Laura can be reached via the school office, 01483 888000 or by email:

[Finance@georgeabbot.surrey.sch.uk](mailto:Finance@georgeabbot.surrey.sch.uk)

**We want to support Scholars so that they thrive during their time at George Abbot.** Please make contact with the Scholar Advocates if financial hardship is preventing you from being able to give your child the experiences and opportunities you know would benefit them and we will try to help.

**If you are able to contribute to any costs,** for example, part-paying for a school trip or visit, this helps us with our limited budget. Please talk to our Finance team about ways to contribute.

**This list of provisions is not exhaustive, and throughout we have to juggle costs and demand, so not all Scholars will necessarily receive everything on these lists. Where a pupil has particular interests or needs, we will do our best to support them – please contact their year group Scholar Advocate.**





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## Don't miss out!

Look out for the annual email from school which asks you to renew your application for your child's Pupil Premium Grant.

From 2026, a new application must now be made for every school year.

If you don't know whether your child is eligible, if your circumstances change, or if you think you may have missed our email, please contact our friendly finance team:

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The government has recently expanded **Free School Meals** so that more children are now eligible. If you don't know whether your child is now eligible, please contact us.

