





At Simon Balle we are passionate about education and learning about the world around us. We know from talking to so many of you that you already have many passions but part of the joy of coming to secondary school is that you have a chance to develop even more interests. This is why we wanted to give you the chance to explore some of the subjects you will experience with us so you have a chance to perhaps begin to kindle a passion in a new topic or even just keep that curiosity that is so important in learning, burning brightly over the summer. Remember, we are looking for you to express yourself so in your work we are looking forward to seeing creativity, quality, originality, engagement and effort. You might then see some of your work displayed around the school in classrooms and corridors come the autumn term.

How much you get involved is up to you but, with nearly two months until we return to school, this is a wonderful way to throw yourself into the challenge and start to explore some new secondary school subjects.

- It is expected that every student completes at least **ONE** passion project.
- Students will need to bring these in with them on their first day in September.
- During form time on the first day, the students will be able to showcase their projects to their form tutor and share with the rest of their form. It is a great opportunity for the form tutors to get to know their tutees on an individual level and will enable students to establish connections with other members of the form through sharing similar passions and interests.
- Students will be recognised for their hard work and creativity on these passion projects.

How to submit:

• Bring in a paper copy on the first day of school. If you do not have access to a printer, please email your passion project(s) to the relevant form tutor.

Form	Teacher	Email address	
7A	Mr Dear	dearj@simonballe.herts.sch.uk	
7B	Mr Brinicombe	brinicombed@simonballe.herts.sch.uk	
7L	Ms Booth	boothm@simonballe.herts.sch.uk	
7M	Ms Garrett	garrette@simonballe.herts.sch.uk	
7N	MiSs Tridgell	tridgella@simonballe.herts.sch.uk	
7R	Mrs Gorman- Gajewski	gorman-gajewskir@simonballe.herts.sch.uk	

