THALES ROLESVILLE CLUBS

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KEY CLUB

This club exists to help students build character through leadership and service. In partnership with the Kiwanis Club, Key Club will enable student to develop service projects in the local community and meet their service hours graduation requirement. This club is open to students grades 9-12; see Mrs. Franco for details. This club will meet on a day TBD during lunch in Mrs. Franco's room.

BOOK CLUB

Book Club is open to all readers in grades 6-12. They meet during lunch in Mrs. Cheng's room.

TUE

SPEECH & DEBATE

This club exists to develop competitive speech and debate skills allowing students to find success at local, regional, and nationals competitions. Students will meet once per week to identify competition events, practice skills, and prepare for competitions. This club is open to all students grades 6-12. It meets from 3:45-5pm in room 203 on Tuesday afternoons.

ROBOTICS CLUB

First Tech Challenge/Robotics Club is oriented around designing and building a competitive robot according to yearly competition specs from First Tech Robotics. Students meet twice a week in Mrs. Tully's LIT room from 3:45-5:30pm. Students compete in regional, state, and national competition bringing their technical skills to compete against some of the best schools in the country.

QUIZ BOWL

This club enables students 6-12 to prepare for competition in the NCASA Quiz Bowl tournament schedule. This club meets on alternating Tuesdays in Mrs. Chappell's room from 3:45-4:30pm. Interested students should contact Mrs. Chappell.

OUTSIDE

We strive to plan and develop school-wide acts of kindness and compassion. As virtuous leaders, it is our responsibility to express compassion and care for all members of the Thales community. This club is open to students grades 8-12, and meets on Tuesdays from 3:45-4:30pm. See Ms. Cheng for more information

SCIENCE OLYMPIAD

This club is a team competition in which students compete in 23 events pertaining to various scientific disciplines, including earth science, biology, chemistry, physics, and engineering. This club gives students the tools to prepare for the contests, and organizes them in teams to work on their contests at home. Every two weeks, the club will gather before the school day begins to check in with the club sponsors. Interested students grades 6-12 should contact Mr. Beck for details.

HISTORY CLUB

Theodore Roosevelt once said, "The more you know about the past, the better prepared you are for the future." The Thales Rolesville History Club takes this advice to heart. Whether club members are watching a movie, enjoying a field trip, or participating in a debate, they devour as many interesting facts as they can. They are inspired not only by personal pleasure but also by a desire to understand why the world is as it is today and what it may be like in the future. The club is open to any high school student who has an interest in history, contributing to the club's diversity. This year, the club will aim to be active in their pursuit of historical understanding. We will have opportunities to do research, debates and hands-on-learning and discovery through field trip opportunities. History Club meets in Mrs. Kelly's room during lunch on alternating Wednesdays. See Mrs. Kelly for more details.

YEARBOOK CLUB

This club will gather to learn the process of developing a yearbook, choose assignment of events in the life of the school to document, and work with Mr. Begley to produce a yearbook for the 2021-2022 school year. This club will meet every two weeks for Q1 and Q2, and weekly during Q3 and Q4 and is open for 6-12 students. See Mr. Begley for specific details

ART CLUB

This club exists to help students learn new art techniques and develop self-driven projects. Art Club will meet every two weeks, in Mr. Begley's room, on Wednesdays from 3:45-4:30PM. See Mr. Begley for more details.

JUNIOR CLASSICAL LEAGUE

The Junior Classical League (JCL) exists to promote learning about Latin, Greek, and the ancient world in secondary schools and universities. Through the JCL and our state chapter, the North Carolina Junior Classical League, students attend annual conventions, compete in a variety of contests, and work in their local communities with the common goal of keeping alive the study of the ancient past. JCL meets on Thursdays from 3:45-4:30p.

FIRST TECH

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KNIGHTLY NEWS

This club will develop the skills required to produce a morning news show that will periodically replace morning announcements for the student body. This club is open to high school students, and will meet on Thursdays in Mrs. Fischer's room from 3:45- 4:30pm.

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FELLOWSHIP OF CHRISTIAN ATHLETES

The Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA) seeks to encourage students and athletes in their Christian Faith/Community/Fellowship by gathering weekly on Fridays before school for a brief devotional/encouragement talk, donuts, and coffee. For more details, contact Mr. Taylor or Mrs. Jones.

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BIRD CLUB

This club exists to observe the beauty of nature in the birds near Thales Academy Rolesville. On certain mornings, to be determined by the Bird Doctor (Begley), students and teachers will arrive at school early and watch birds together. See Dr. Begley for more information about this club. It is open to students 6-12, but all members must have the skills of silence and patience lest they scare away the birds.

GARDEN CLUB

This club exists to cultivate the raised garden plots next to the soccer field. Members will work with Mrs. Gruber to learn about the plants, how to care for them, and gather occasionally to weed the garden plots. Contact Mrs. Gruber for details about how to be part of this club dedicated to increasing the beauty and order of our campus' gardens!

ODYSSEY OF THE MIND

The purpose of this club is to participate in competition oriented around solving a problem given at the beginning of the school year following the guidelines/rules provided. Teams are responsible for building items, building sets, designing/making costumes, coming up with a script and then performing at competition in March. This club promotes critical thinking, creativity, public speaking, and collaboration. Contact Mrs. Polomik or Mrs. Bahor for more information.