



Baines School

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Cookie Policy

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Cookies

To make this site work properly, we sometimes place small data files called cookies on your device. Most big websites do this too.

What are cookies?

A cookie is a small file of letters and numbers that is downloaded on to your computer when you visit a website. Cookies are used by many websites and can do a number of things, e.g. remembering your preferences, recording what you have put in your shopping basket, and counting the number of people looking at a website.

How do we use cookies?

We use the following cookies:

Necessary cookies – This is a cookie which we use to make you aware that the website uses cookies.

Google Analytics – The cookie used by Google Analytics calculates visitor, session and campaign data and also keeps track of site usage for the site's analytics report. The cookie stores information anonymously and assigns a randomly generated number to recognize unique visitors.

How to control cookies

You can use your web browser to:

- delete all cookies;
- block all cookies;
- allow all cookies;
- block ‘third-party’ cookies (i.e. cookies set by online services other than the one you are visiting);
- clear all cookies when you close the browser;
- open a ‘private browsing’ / ‘incognito’ session, which allows you to browse the web without recording your browsing history or storing local data such as cookies (you should however be aware of the limitations of this feature in a privacy context); and
- install add-ons and plugins that extend browser functionality.

You may refuse to accept cookies by activating the setting on your browser which allows you to refuse the setting of cookies, however if you choose this, the functionality of the website may become limited.

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