

Year 9 Curriculum – Term 3

<u>Subject</u>	<u>Spring term 1</u>	<u>Spring term 2</u>
Art	Topic: Portraiture Analyse various artists that explore different application methods in portraiture.	Topic: Portraiture Analyse various artists that explore different application methods in portraiture.
Computing	Topic: User Interfaces What is a User Interface? Audience Needs, UI Design Principles, UI Efficiency.	Topic: User Interfaces What is a User Interface? Audience Needs, UI Design Principles, UI Efficiency.
Dance	Topic: Site sensitive choreography In this topic students will develop their choreography skills by creating their own dance for camera sequence. They will explore different settings and work as a team to produce a dance video that explore choreographic devices.	Topic: Site sensitive choreography In this topic students will develop their choreography skills by creating their own dance for camera sequence. They will explore different settings and work as a team to produce a dance video that explore choreographic devices.
Design and Technology	Product design Project: Design styles clock or Engineering Project: Pewter casting or Combined skills Project: Sweet dispenser or Food projects: Breakfast Muffins, Chicken Stir-Fry, Sausage rolls and Potato Wedges.	Product design Project: Design styles clock or Engineering Project: Pewter casting or Combined skills Project: Sweet dispenser or Food projects: Breakfast Muffins, Chicken Stir-Fry, Sausage rolls and Potato Wedges.
Drama	Topic: Mugged This topic will help students apply devising skills and character features to a new script. The play 'Mugged' will allow students to understand how characterisation and skills are used to show various characters on stage and to emphasise key character and plot moments in scenes.	Topic: Mugged This topic will help students apply devising skills and character features to a new script. The play 'Mugged' will allow students to understand how characterisation and skills are used to show various characters on stage and to emphasise key character and plot moments in scenes.
English	Topic: Noughts and Crosses Study of the whole novel in preparation for GCSE Literature. The skills we will cover will be those that are assessed at GCSE level.	Topic: Noughts and Crosses Study of the whole novel in preparation for GCSE Literature. The skills we will cover will be those that are assessed at GCSE level.
Enterprise	Topic: Building a new business Introduction to a new business idea, Business Plan, Skills of an entrepreneur, Market research and Target market.	Topic: Building a new business Introduction to a new business idea, Business Plan, Skills of an entrepreneur, Market research and Target market.
Food Technology	Topic: Beans, Pulses, fish, eggs, meat and other proteins. Product: Chicken Stir-fry Students will learn about cross contamination and how to minimise	Topic: Beans, Pulses, fish, eggs, meat and other proteins. Product: Chicken Stir-fry Students will learn about cross contamination and how to minimise it, preparing their chicken and vegetables ready to be stir-fried.

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Geography	Topic: Rivers Location and processes including erosion, transportation and deposition.	Topic: Around the world We end with distinctive landscapes around the world to link learning from across KS3 in terms of locations and physical and human processes whilst also ensuring that students have strong foundations to begin a GCSE in geography.
History	Topic: Crime and Punishment Part 2 The Abolition of Bloody Code, Transportation, The Clink and changes to crime.	Topic: A Case Study: Jack the Ripper Fear of crime in the East End, The Metropolitan Police, Policing in Whitechapel and the difficulties of policing Whitechapel.
Mathematics	Topics: 9Higher Algebra: Linear Graphs, Geometry: Right-angled Triangles (Pythagoras theorem). Topics :9Foundation: Numbers: Ratio, Speed & Proportion, Geometry: Perimeter & Area .	Topics:9 Higher Geometry: Right-angled Triangles. Statistics: Probability Topics: 9Foundation: Geometry: Perimeter & Area, Transformations & Vectors.
Media	Topic: Advertising and Marketing Exploring how advertising and marketing of products is used within media now and over time.	Topic: Advertising and Marketing Exploring how advertising and marketing of products is used within media now and over time.
Music	Topic: Song Writing Listening activities, Lyric writing, Chord sequences. Students will learn to identify the features of songs aurally and contribute to a group composition creating their own song.	Topic: Song Writing Listening activities, Lyric writing, Chord sequences. Students will learn to identify the features of songs aurally and contribute to a group composition creating their own song.
Photography	Topic: Manipulation Explore photographers that use different manipulation skills to alter their outcomes. Students will then capture their own images and create their own outcomes inspired by this research.	Topic: Manipulation Explore photographers that use different manipulation skills to alter their outcomes. Students will then capture their own images and create their own outcomes inspired by this research.
Personal, Social and Development	Topic: Sex and Healthy Relationships Biology of sex, Body variation including pornography and body image and Contraception and STD prevention.	Topic: Sex and Healthy Relationships Biology of sex, Body variation including pornography and body image and Contraception and STD prevention.
Physical Education	Rounders, Athletics & Cricket Fit to Perform – skills, techniques, attacking principles, defending principles. Fit to Compete – tactics, sportsmanship, attitude, impact. Fit for Life – leadership, officiating, organisation, healthy active lifestyle and lifelong participation.	Rounders, Athletics & Cricket Fit to Perform – skills, techniques, attacking principles, defending principles. Fit to Compete – tactics, sportsmanship, attitude, impact. Fit for Life – leadership, officiating, organisation, healthy active lifestyle and lifelong participation.
Religious Education	Topic: Conflict	Topic: Conflict

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Science	Biology 3 –Genetics and Inheritance and Physics 4 - Astronomy and Radioactivity	Chemistry 4 – Earth Chemistry and Biology 4 - Evolution and Biodiversity
Spanish	Topic: What are we doing? Arranging to go out: Places to go, where you will meet and at what time. Making excuses for not being able to go out. Getting ready to go out – routine. What you are going to wear – clothes and colours. Revision of present, past and future tenses, adjective agreements.	Topic: Summer holidays Describing what kind of property you prefer to stay in when on holiday. Activities you do on holiday. Asking for directions. Talking about summer camps. Application of comparatives and superlatives, using 'se puede' (you can), introduction of the imperative, revision of present, past and future tenses.