Year 8 Curriculum – Term 3

<u>Subject</u>	Summer term 1	Summer term 2
Art	Topic: Pop Art!	Topic: Pop Art!
	Explore different application	Explore different application methods and
	methods and develop skills and ideas	develop skills and ideas together. Create a
	together. Create a final piece using	final piece using successes from developed
	successes from developed ideas and	ideas and personal input.
	personal input.	·
Computing	Topic: Python Programming	Topic: Python Programming
	What is Programming, Print and	What is Programming, Print and Input
	Input statements, Arithmetic, Data	statements, Arithmetic, Data Typesm IfElse
	Typesm IfElse statements, Loops	statements, Loops and Python Turtle.
	and Python Turtle.	
Dance	Topic: Bollywood	Topic: Bollywood
	Bollywood dance is explored through	Bollywood dance is explored through the use
	the use of motif and motif	of motif and motif development. Students will
	development. Students will give	give detailed constructive feedback to
	detailed constructive feedback to	improve on their prior skills.
	improve on their prior skills.	·
Design and Technology	DT Project: USB LED light	DT Project: USB LED light
	or	or
	Engineering project:	Engineering project:
	Electric race car	Electric race car
	or	or
	Food Projects - Mac & Cheese,	Food Projects - Mac & Cheese, Meatballs,
	Meatballs, Cheesecake, Banana	Cheesecake, Banana Bread, Fresh pasta
	Bread, Fresh pasta	
Drama	Topic: Arson About	Topic: Arson About
	Within this topic students will be	Within this topic students will be working on
	working on the same script for the	the same script for the whole term in order
	whole term in order for them to get	for them to get used to working with scripts
	used to working with scripts for both	for both GCSE/BTEC units as well as English
	GCSE/BTEC units as well as English GCSE.	GCSE.
English	Topic: Romeo and Juliet	Topic: Romeo and Juliet
211611311	Students will have the opportunity	Students will have the opportunity to read a
	to read a whole play by Shakespeare,	whole play by Shakespeare, exploring themes
	exploring themes linking Jacobean.	linking Jacobean.
Enterprise	Topic: Building a new business	Topic: Building a new business Introduction
•	Introduction to a new business idea,	to a new business idea, Business Plan, Skills of
	Business Plan, Skills of an	an entrepreneur, Market research and Target
	entrepreneur, Market research and	market.
	Target market.	
Food Technology	Topic: Beans, Pulses, fish, eggs,	Topic: Beans, Pulses, fish, eggs, meat and
	meat and other proteins.	other proteins.
	Product: Meatballs. This is the most	Product: Hambugers. This is the most complex
	complex dish the students make this	dish the students make this year. A lot of
	year. A lot of emphasis is based on	emphasis is based on making sure the
	making sure the students know	students know when their meatballs are
	when their meatballs are cooked.	cooked.
Geography	Topic: Africa: A single story	Topic: Africa: A single story
	We will explore the concept of a	We will explore the concept of a single story
	single story and where they exist	and where they exist around the world. This
	around the world. This will be	will be focused on the continent of Africa, and

	focused on the continent of Africa, and they challenges they face, often as a result of single stories.	they challenges they face, often as a result of single stories.
History	Topic: The Civil Rights Movement The development of civil rights following the American Civil War. Jim Crow Laws and their impact on the Black population.	Topic: World War One Trench warfare & the Soldier's experience, Propaganda and Commonwealth soldiers.
Mathematics	Topic: Statistics: Representing Data II, Averages & Range II Probability II	Topic: Geometry: Volume & Surface Area II Transformations
Media	Topic: TV and Film marketing Plan and Create a Film Poster using the visual and technical aspects /representation/ audience areas that have been learnt.	Topic: TV and Film marketing Plan and Create a Film Poster using the visual and technical aspects /representation/ audience areas that have been learnt.
Music	Topic: Film Music Listening tasks on film music, Identify the instruments of the orchestra aurally and visually and students will learn to identify features of film music aurally.	Topic: Film Music Listening tasks on film music, Identify the instruments of the orchestra aurally and visually and students will learn to identify features of film music aurally.
Photography	Topic: Distortion Research photographers that use distortion to alter their imagery and explore these skills to develop your own understanding and outcomes.	Topic: Distortion Research photographers that use distortion to alter their imagery and explore these skills to develop your own understanding and outcomes.
Personal, Social and Development	Topic: Puberty Physical changes during puberty, Menstrual cycle, Dealing with teenage issues including sexuality and LGBT and Healthy relationships including sexual harassment.	Topic: Puberty Physical changes during puberty, Menstrual cycle, Dealing with teenage issues including sexuality and LGBT and Healthy relationships including sexual harassment.
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: Sikhism Sikh Beliefs, Practices, Key figures and places of worship.	Topic: Sikhism Sikh Beliefs, Practices, Key figures and places of worship.
Science	Chemistry 3 – Chemical Reactions and Biology 4 - Evolution and Biodiversity	Physics 4 - Astronomy and Radioactivity and Chemistry 4 – Earth Chemistry
Spanish	Topic: What are we doing? Arranging to go out: Places to go, where you will meet and at what time.	Topic: Summer holidays Describing what kind of property you prefer to stay in when on holiday. Activities you do on holiday. Asking for directions.

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.	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.