

## English

Students will look at the genre '**Adventure**' and study a novel (e.g. Treasure Island, Kidnapped, The 3 Musketeers).

They will also be using the 'Talk for Writing' structure to complete two pieces of writing: a journey story and a diary entry.

## Performing Arts

Performing arts this term will continue to develop the communication and interaction skills of pupils through group based drama and music projects as well as team games.

## Learning for Life

Students will be covering topics such as relationships; stereotypes, prejudice, discrimination, types of relationships and bullying. They will also re-visit hygiene and puberty.

## Speech and Language Therapy (SALT)

Social skills within conversations - turn taking, initiating a conversation, ending a conversation and extending the conversation

## Work Related Learning

Introduction to and understanding of different practical skills, including use of basic hand tools.

Basic presentation and word document creating. Class project; basic planning and recording.

**Community Art** Spring based activities based on working together in teams or towards a common goal.

**Science** – Pupils will be learning about our bodies, what makes up our body and how they work and why hygiene is important. They will also be looking at classification of animals and their features.

**ICT** - Pupils will be introduced to Online Safety and the concept of interaction and information sharing on the internet. Specific emphasis will be placed on Stranger Danger and restricted sharing of Private & Personal information.

**PE** – Pupils will continue to visit the gym each lesson, with inside sports being table tennis and badminton, and outside sports being hockey and football.

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## Year 7

## Humanities

Students will be looking at maps and the physical geography of selected areas across the United Kingdom including: Windsor, Giants Causeway, Snowdonia and Arthur's seat. In history, they will be focusing on Windsor Castle throughout the ages. The Humanities curriculum supports writing skills and teaches pupils how to use sources of information wisely.

**RE** - Pupils will be discovering how lives and cultures differ around the world. They will gain an insight into different religious beliefs and consider how these affect behaviour. Within this module, the students will look at Leaders and what makes a good or bad Leader. They will

## Maths

Students will continue to have a focus on the four operations of addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. Some students will be working with numbers up to 1000 and learning the column method of multiplication.

All groups will do a unit about using measurement. Topics will include area, and money, as well as exploring mass and volume. Mass and volume are linked with the work students do in Science and Food Technology.

The last few weeks of the term will include a statistics project. Students will practice gathering, recording and interpreting data about a topic. Year 7's will be investigating Smarties!

## Art and Technology Rotation – 1 subject per term

**Resistant Materials** - Pupils are introduced to working with plastics such as acrylic as they make a key ring. They will also develop skills using hand tools, working with wood as they design and make a maze project.

**Art** - This term it's all about recycling! We will be looking how different cultures reuse plastics and how we can recycle materials to make new sculptures. Pupils will be learning different construction techniques and turn rubbish into works of art!

**Food Tech** - Pupils will be introduced to the fundamentals of food technology. This will include understanding the importance of good kitchen hygiene and kitchen safety. Pupils will then go on to making a number of dishes including sandwiches (toasted and non-toasted).

