

English

The theme for this term is 'Inspirational journeys'. Students will study a range of texts linked to the theme and focus on informative writing.

Students will continue developing their skillset for the qualification they are working towards (Entry Level Functional Skills, Functional Skills Level 1 / 2 or GCSE Language)

Creative Arts

Pupils will develop their performance skills in preparation for the performance of their spring term project. This will include set, prop and costume design, as well as developing promotional materials such as programmes and fliers.

Learning for Life

Healthy Lifestyles: Identify medicines that are good for us, who prescribes these and dangers if abused. Understanding the consequences of drinking alcohol, smoking, vaping and using illegal substances.

The World We Live In: Future education and career options after Year 11. Preparing for adulthood and tasks/jobs adults undertake daily/weekly/monthly. Managing finances and knowledge on credit and debt.

Preparation for Adulthood

A carousel of work related activities changing every term, including a work placement at Restore Hope Latimer (a local community charity), a British Safety Council Hazard Awareness course and a group Enterprise project using Design Technology to create benches.

ICT

Pupils will focus on developing Digital Literacy & Online Safety skills which will contribute towards the attainment of an Entry Level 3 Essential Digital Skills qualification, certified by the British Computer Society. Pupils will also learn how to use Digital Devices to facilitate communication and online transaction safely.

Science

Students will complete any outstanding assessment for their AQA Entry Level Certifications including assessment exams and practical coursework.

PE

Pupils will look at Summer sports such as: Netball, Cricket, Tennis, Rounder, Golf, Ultimate Frisbee and Athletics ready for Sports Day.

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Year 10

Summer Term

Life Skills

Pupils are on a termly rotation between: Creating music on the iPads using Garage Band. Working together on a group Woodwork project like making a bench for the playground, or completing grounds maintenance like clearing paths, cutting back bushes or painting fences.

RE

Pupils will consider discrimination within the world. These will include discussions around gender, sexual, race and religious discrimination. Debates and discussions will be had around, these discriminations and equalities. Studies will include some socio-economic disparities within the world and reflect on the causes.

World Around Us

Pupils will look at events of the holocaust and how it happened followed by a look at current day prejudice and discrimination, how people are affected and what can be done to stop it.

Maths

Most students focus on achieving a maths qualification.

Maths Entry Level Certificate provides basic and relevant mathematical skills. It demonstrates confidence in maths. The exams cover practical information for the following topics: Number and Calculation; Money; Time and Calendar; Measures; Statistics; Fractions; and Geometry.

Functional Skills Maths qualifications explores real life mathematical contexts. Everyday mathematics forms the basis the specification. The topics covered are use of number and the number system; use of measures, shape and space; and handling information and data.

Completing a qualification may be spread out over one to four years depending on the needs of the student.

Resistant Materials

Pupils in this term will complete their footstool projects with precision and accuracy using various hand and marking out tools. They will also practice using finishes such as linseed oil in order to enhance the appearance of woodwork projects. Once finished students will begin a Group Furniture Project where they identify a need around the school and as a group construct a piece of bespoke furniture.

Food Tech

Pupils in Year 10 will be cooking every lesson. This lesson is about getting pupils ready and confident to live independently. Pupils will plan, create, cook and evaluate dishes. We expect all pupils to try new things and participate in the theory as well as the practical based content.

Art

As part of the Bronze Arts Award they are following, pupils will be starting their sculpture project. This involves making sculpture in the style of a few artists. We will be using card construction, wire and plaster bandages, clay figure work, found object sculpture and a sculpture of choice. Pupils will also be making a project about their favourite creative person who has been an inspiration/ hero.