

YEAR 9	Lessons per 2-week timetable cycle	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
English	8	Unseen Poetry — studying and comparing a range of poems from different authors who present diversity in viewpoint and culture	Reading Literary Heritage – studying either 'Animal Farm', or 'Of Mice and Men' students will consider context and how it affects an author and audience	Writing Inspired by genre - studying the conventions and context of the Dystopian genre of fiction	Islands project — completing a range of different fiction and non- fiction reading, writing and speaking and listening tasks in groups around the theme of 'Island Survival'. Students will read extracts from 'Lord of The Flies'	Shakespeare study — reading 'Romeo and Juliet', looking at character, themes and plot along with context and writer's intentions	History of the English Language – studying how the language developed and why it varies
Maths	7	Number:	Ratio and Proportion: Proportional reasoning Algebra: Pattern sniffing Algebra: Solving inequalities and equations 1	Shape:	Algebra: • Algebraic proficiency – visualising Algebra: • Solving inequalities and equations 2	Probability: • Understanding risk 1 Data: • Presentation of data	Probability: • Understanding risk 2 Shape: • Calculating space 2
Science	7	Making SaltsReaction of metalsContact forcesMotion	Contact ForcesMotionCellsSeparating mixtures	Materials we useRates of reactionElectricityRespiration	 KS3 - plants KS3 - electricity Bioenergetics Particle Model 	Electricity Atomic structure and periodic table	Cells Atomic structure and periodic table Practical Skills
History	3	War and conquest (Modern) e.g. WWI causes, trenches, Treaty of Versailles	War and conquest (Modern) e.g. Rise of the Nazis Nazi Dictatorship	War and conquest (Modern) e.g. Holocaust World War II	War and conquest (Modern) e.g. Atomic Bomb & Cold War including Vietnam	Medicine Through Time (Medieval-Renaissance) e.g. Black Death -Great Plague/Fire of London	Medicine Through Time (Renaissance-Industrial) e.g. Cholera, germs, surgery
Geography	3	Tectonics: to include volcanoes, earthquakes and tsunamis.	Globalisation: trade, TNCs, food, diseases and medicine, and consumerism.	China: major issues facing the country including trade and development.	Africa: including ecosystems such as savannah, deserts and rainforests.	Fire and Ice: glaciation, cold environments and wildfires across the world.	Practice pre-release skills: to demonstrate the skills of GCSE in the context of one topic
Religious Studies	3	 What is humanism? Humanist views towards life, death and the purpose of life 	How can we become a more tolerant society? Human rights and freedom of speech How people have responded to racism within our society	What do religions teach about relationships? What is the family? Religious views towards cohabitation, marriage, divorce and remarriage Same sex relationships	Are religions a source of peace or a cause of conflict? Sikh and Muslim attitudes towards conflict and peace. Child soldiers How leaders have responded to conflict around the world	Ethical decisions about: IVF, designer babies, Genetic engineering, saviour siblings and organ donation	GCSE Unit: Religion and Life Issues The origins of the universe according to Christianity and science How should we treat animals?

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MFL Main Language Other Language	2	About me School	LeisureEnvironment	 Vacations Festivals	SchoolsAbout me	EnvironmentLeisure	FestivalsVacations
PSHE	1	Being me Perceptions about intimate relationships, consent, sexual exploitation, peer approval, child on child abuse	Being Me Grooming, radicalisation, county lines, risky experimentation, positive and negative self-identity, groups, influences, social media, abuse and coercion, coercive control	Healthy me Misperceptions about young people's health choices, physical and psychological effects of drugs and alcohol, alcohol and the law, alcohol and drug poisoning, addiction	Healthy me Smoking, vaping, drug classification, supply and possession, legislation, emergency situations, substances and safety, sources of advice and support	Relationships Healthy relationships, Power and control in intimate relationships, risk in intimate relationships, importance of sexual consent, child on child abuse, assertiveness skills	Relationships Sex and the law, pornography and stereotypes, contraception choices, age of consent, family planning, consequences of unprotected sex, STIs, support and advice services.
Art	2	Fine liner: Cross hatching: Paul Kenton – Buildings	Pencil crayon blending: Theatrical make-Up 'Glow Up'-Jekyll & Hyde	Block printing: Spanish cultural patterns	Ceramic sphere: Carole Venables – Sea life	Water colour wet on wet & blending: Agnes Cecile Transposition – Crying women	Soft pastel: Claude Monet – London Bridge skylines
Music	2	Horror Music: • Analyse horror themes and devices • Create own compositions	Keyboard module, including: Full chord playing Playing alongside backing rhythm Hand position changes	Perform music from the past six decades in small groups Understand how performances are created	Minimalism: Expand knowledge of how small motifs can be exploited for maximum effect	Song writing: Analysis and evaluation of song structure and chord patterns Composition Performance	Band training II: Drawing upon skills developed during Years 7, 8 & 9, students select a piece of music and:
Drama	2	'Dr Korczac's Example' by David Greig: Set design Developing performance		'Lord of the Flies' adapted from the William Golding novel: • Performing characters • Creating symbolism • Developing lighting techniques		Development of skills - workshop sessions:	
DT	3	Two rotations of each D.T. Subject: Food Preparation and Nutrition; Product Design; Textiles: Food preparation and Nutrition will cover: High level cooking skills, sensory analysis and sustainability. Product Design will cover: Electronics, Sustainable design and how to work with aluminium Textiles will cover: Poly printing and 3D construction					

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Computing	2	Cryptology: The history of cryptology and how it has influenced the development of computers		Logic: Gates, truth tables, Boolean logic	The Future: Impact of technology and possible considerations for the future	Digital artwork: Vector and bitmap images	Digital natives: Ethical and environmental considerations of ICT
PE	4	FitnessRugbyBadmintonNetball	FitnessRugbyBadmintonNetball	BasketballFootballNFLHockey	Basketball Football NFL Hockey	AthleticsRoundersTennis	Tennis Striking and fielding Strategy Games