



Montgomery Academy 'Learning Journey' 2024-2025

Year 9



	Cycle 1	Cycle 2	Cycle 3
English	Mini Baseline Steinbeck's 'Of Mice and Men' Intrepid Travellers	An Introduction to Modern Drama - 'Blood Brothers' Dystopian Worlds	Voices in Poetry Survival Fiction/Non-fiction 'Why English?'
Maths	Measures of location, Straight line graphs, Forming and solving equations and inequalities, Testing conjectures, Three dimensional shapes, Numbers	Pythagoras' theorem; Using percentages; Maths and money, Deduction, Transformations	Solving ratio and proportion problems; Rates; Probability, Algebraic representation, Constructions & congruency / Circle & polygon geometry
Science	Practical Skills & Safety Ecology, Inheritance & Evolution	Waves Atomic Structure & the Periodic Table	Cellular Biology Energy & Resources
History	The Suffrage Movement/impact of WW1	WW2/The Holocaust	The Holocaust/The American Civil Rights Movement
Geography	China & Globalisation	Globalisation & Tourism	Tourism & Coasts
French	Teenage life and interests	Careers and future plans	Healthy lifestyles
Music and Drama	Music: Introduction to Film music & composition. Leitmotifs, scales and Minimalism. Drama: Devising Theatre - Exploring narrative themes within Romeo and Juliet, Macbeth, physical theatre, and Game Shows developing techniques for devising and creative theatre.		
Art (Ceramics, Print and Markmaking taught in rotation)	-Art movements study- Dadaism, Pop Art, Pointillism and Art Nouveau - Either Mark-making/ Print-making/Clay	- Formal drawing - Either Mark-making/ Print-making/Clay	- Either Mark-making/ Print-making/Clay - 3D modelling
D.T. Students study Food and nutrition and DT on a carousel system	DT: Food: Food provenance & manufacturing; DT: Timbers : Design and manufacture a train DT:Electronics: Sensing project		
P.E	Students study a range of activities throughout the year that aim to develop their knowledge of different skills, tactics and rules associated with each activity, inclusive of: badminton, football, netball, gymnastics, fitness, rugby union, handball, athletics, rounders and basketball		
Computing	Data Representation	Programming with python	Animation, Computers in our society
PSHE	Essential Lifeskills / Physical Health and wellbeing	Contraception and STI's/ Sex, Law and consent	Drugs / Combatting Extremism and Terrorism
R.E.	Creation: Science vs Religion Ultimate questions	Technology: Beauty or Beast Inspirational People	Evil and Suffering