

Our Lady Queen of Peace

Catholic High School

Curriculum Overview

Y11 GCSE Citizenship

Careers

Local Market Information

Digital/cyber security
Education
Professional and business services
Health and Social Care
Tourism and Culture

Skills

- Ability to follow instructions / Attention to detail
- Ability to learn and apply new information and skills
- Commitment / Strong Work Ethic / Reliability
- Ability to work in a group or team
- Communication
- Accountability.
- Time management
- Problem Solving

Jobs

- Member of Parliament (MP)
- Councillor,
- Civil Servant
- Parliamentary Assistant,
- Political Researcher
- Policy Adviser,
- Diplomat
- Border Force Officer
- Immigration Officer
- Charity Worker
- Community Engagement Officer
- Political Correspondent
- Campaign Manager,
- Teacher ,
- Humanitarian Aid Worker
- International Development Officer
- NGO Project Officer

	Knowledge & Understanding			Subject Specific Literacy Development	Cultural Capital / Enrichment Opportunities
	Topics (Bigger Picture)	Knowledge (Key Concepts)	Recall & Retrieval Practice Focus	Key Vocabulary	
Half Term 1	Active Citizenship Project Paper 1 Section A	• Topic Primary Research • Action planning • Resource creating	Y10 Cz project knowledge Last lesson Designated termly key words AQA key words	• Advocacy • Devolution • Direct Democracy • Government • House of Commons • House of Lords • Local Government • Prime Minister • Referendum • Representative Democracy	• Through Read Like a task • Citizenship Class Library • Active Citizenship GCSE Project
	Politics & Participation Paper 1 Section B	• Systems of government • How UK democracy operates • Democratic values • The British Constitution • Separation of Powers	<u>Exam retrieval and recall practice</u> Active Citizenship – linked to Y10 secondary research		
Half Term 2	Politics & Participation Paper 1 Section B	• Local Government • Devolution • Central Government • Taxation and spending • Role of the PM and Cabinet	Last lesson Last half term Last year Designated termly key words AQA key words	• Advocacy • Devolution • Direct Democracy • Government • House of Commons • House of Lords • Local Government • Prime Minister • Referendum • Representative Democracy	• Through Read Like a task • Citizenship Class Library • Online Workplace tour – House of Parliament • Presentation via Teams/ in person with local MP
	Active Citizenship Project Paper 1 Section A	• Ongoing campaigning	<u>Exam retrieval and recall practice</u> Source – linked to the constitution		
Half Term 3	Politics & Participation Paper 1 Section B	• UK election candidates • UK elections and systems • Political Parties • The Civil Service	Last lesson Last half term Last term Designated termly key words AQA key words	• Active Citizen • By-election • Civil Service • Executive • First Past the Post • General Election • Legislature • Parliament • Public Spending • Representative Democracy • Taxation • Union	• Through Read Like a task • Citizenship Class Library • Online with the Lords session (if it can fit with the timetable) • Active Citizenship GCSE Project • Exploring the work of an MP's constituency team with a member of local MP's team.
	Active Citizenship Project Paper 1 Section A	• Analysis and evaluation of the project • Active Citizenship specific exam skills practice	<u>Exam retrieval and recall practice</u> Source – linked to elections		

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Half Term 4	Exam preparation and Revision	- Life in Modern Britain - Rights and Responsibilities - Politics & Participation - Active Citizenship	Whole course recall and retrieval	All AQA key words	- Through Read Like a task - Citizenship Class Library
Half Term 5	Exam preparation and Revision	- Life in Modern Britain - Rights and Responsibilities - Politics & Participation - Active Citizenship	Last lesson Last half term Last term Designated termly key words AQA key words Exam retrieval and recall practice Source – linked to the UK legal system	All AQA key words	Revisiting project and links with the wider world

Key Assessments

When	What will be assessed?	Why is this being assessed?	How will results be stored & students receive feedback?
Half Term 1	Active Citizenship Project Politics & Participation – Democracy & Constitution	To ensure that the students remember the basis of the Active Citizenship Project. To examine the knowledge gained and retained so far in Y11 on Democracy and the application of it in the skills being tested such as explanation, analysis and evaluation	• Feedback in markers feedback form which is then tailored further to them (green Sheet) • Stored on Subject mark book
Half Term 2	Politics & Participation – Democracy: Councils and Devolution	To examine the knowledge gained and retained about local councils and other forms of devolution in the UK. To explore if students have mastered the application of it in the skills being tested such as explanation, analysis and evaluation	• Feedback in markers feedback form which is then tailored further to them (green Sheet) • Stored on Subject mark book
Mock Exam	Rights and Responsibilities – Y10 Half Term 5 & 6 Content Politics & Participation – Y11 Half Term 1 & 2	To examine the knowledge gained and retained on Rights and Responsibilities in Y10 and Politics & Participation so far in Y11. To identify any overall weaknesses in knowledge or skill before Final Exam. To explore if students have mastered the application of it in the skills being tested such as explanation, analysis and evaluation	• Feedback in markers feedback form which is then tailored further to them (green Sheet) • Stored on Subject mark book • Entered into SIMS
Half Term 3	Politics & Participation – Political Parties and Voting	To examine the knowledge gained and retained about political parties, voting systems and participation of the citizen e.g voting. To explore if students have mastered the application of it in the skills being tested such as explanation, analysis and evaluation	• Feedback in markers feedback form which is then tailored further to them (green Sheet) • Stored on Subject mark book
Half Term 4	Active Citizenship – All content and Project MOCK EXAM 2	To ensure that the students remember the basis of the Active Citizenship Project. To examine the knowledge gained and retained across the topic of Active Citizenship and the application of it in the skills being tested such as explanation, analysis and evaluation	• Feedback in markers feedback form which is then tailored further to them (green Sheet) • Stored on Subject mark book • Entered into SIMS