

KS3 CURRICULUM MAP 2023-2024

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Key: Reading	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
opportunities	TOPIC	TOPIC	TOPIC			
Assessment				TOPIC	TOPIC	TOPIC
Numeracy						
<u>English</u>	We aim to provide our pupils v	with many purposeful opportunit	ies for reading, writing and discu	ssion. We want all of our pupils t	o be proficient readers, writers, s	pellers and speakers, who can
	transfer their English skills to o	other curriculum subjects and wh	o are prepared for the next step	s in their education. Our English l	essons develop pupils' spoken lar	nguage, reading, writing,
	grammar and vocabulary, teac	thing them how to write within sp	pecific genres and which structur	al and language features to inclu	de to be successful. Example tex	ts are used to start this process
	to enable pupils to use other s	imilar writing as models for their	own.			
				ing of writing with a sharp focus o		
				elebrated and examples used to	form a large class Sentence Stack	. This Sentence Stack should
		unit to display the whole piece o	,	1	T	
	Reading novel- Kensuke's	Non-fiction writing -	Non-fiction Reading -	Non-fiction	Non-fiction	Intro to Shakespeare/
	Kingdom- Jan Considine	Supersize Me documentary	equality and diversity	texts looking at CV's and	Texts will be based on British	Macbeth and Hamlet
	writing- narrative text	used as a vehicle to reinforce	including debate about	covering letters for the pupil	values including democracy,	Reading skills: literary
	Opportunities for pupils to	and consolidate KS2	racism in football;	development topic of careers	The Houses of Parliament	devices; interpreting
	do extended writing on this	grammar and punctuation	Non-fiction writing-	guidance.	and crime and punishment;	quotations; understanding
	text	skills including simple,	Biography about David	Non-fiction writing:	The children will have an	plot and character; PEE
	Reading skills: VIPERS- vocabulary, infer, predict,	compound and complex sentences; fronted	Attenborough Opportunities for pupils to	The topic of Mount Everest will provide an opportunity	opportunity to debate about carrying knives.	Written: empathic writing (as character) literacy building
	explain, retrieve, summarise	adverbials, relative clauses	extend their writing;	to refine and consolidate	Fiction Text: Holes using	character) literacy bulluling
	explain, retrieve, summarise	and parenthesis.	reinforce and consolidate	skills of paragraphing for	VIPERS questions.	Reading texts will be based
	Statistics- population-	Non-fiction reading texts	previous sentence level skills	cohesions within and across	Fiction writing opportunities	on narrative poems including
	prisoners of war/ Japanese	based on pupil development	using wildlife documentary	their paragraphs.	will encourage blending	The Highwayman and The
	Units of time/ distance/	aspect- healthy living	clips.	Focus on a formal writing	description, action, speech	Raven
	direction/ map reading (to	(including, healthy eating,	Statistics of population with	style in order to write a	and how the character feels	If Macbeth and Banguo left
	travel around the world)	smoking, vaping	various disabilities- ADHD,	covering letter. Pupils will	(DASH) to add impact to the	the battlefield thirty minutes
	,	Reading Novel- The Nowhere	ASD, dyslexia, What is a	create their own covering	overall piece of writing as	before meeting the witches
		Emporium narrative based	disability? etc	letter and CV.	well as writing cohesively	and they were riding at
		on this narrative text.	Time- Chronological order	Fiction reading and writing-	throughout a fictional text.	seventeen miles per hour,
		Opportunities for pupils to		Gothic novel- A Monster	Writing narrative texts	what is the distance between
		do extended writing on this		Calls	including The Assassin; The	the battlefield and the heath?
		text.		Opportunities for pupils to	Crash which will build	Macbeth rode from the heath
		Maths- statistics obesity		extend their writing.	tension in their writing.	where he met the witches to
		(population USA); Health		Layout- measurements-	Time- Chronological order	his castle in Inverness. If the
		statistics- weight etc		boxes- order and sequence		distance is thirty five miles
		Size differences in				and it took him two hours,
		McDonalds drinks(ounces);				how fast was he riding?
		burgers etc over time. Units				How long did Malcolm 1
		of measure				reign?



Find to multiple common number fraction why common fraction who should be shown as a find the first force of	e numbers the lowest common iple (LCM) and highest mon factor (HCF) of two bers. tions — Because it follows the textbook and it is a d way to start. ding — reading and erstanding lesson ctives and questions. ssment — End of half- runit test based on ious learning. heracy — how LCM and are used in everyday	Negative Numbers. Using and interpreting inequality statements. Algebra. Solve linear equations. Sequences. Why – Because it builds and consolidates on the previous work. Reading – reading and understanding lesson objectives and questions. Assessment – End of halfterm unit test based on previous learning. Numeracy – investigating how sequences are found in everyday life.	Measure and Draw Angles Construct triangles. Calculate angles in triangles and quadrilaterals. Covert between units length. Find the area and perimeters of composite shapes. Why – Because the pupils will start to learn new skills. Reading – reading and understanding lesson objectives and questions. Assessment – End of halfterm unit test based on previous learning. Numeracy – how to convert imperial to metric measurement in everyday life such as weight and length.	Covert between Fractions, Decimals and Percentages. Calculate percentage increase and decrease. Ratio. Apply the relationship between speed, distance and time. Why – Because it helps pupils improve their skills and consolidates previous learning. Reading – reading and understanding lesson objectives and questions. Assessment – End of half- term unit test based on previous learning. Numeracy – How fractions are used in everyday life, such as cutting up food etc.	Approximate values Rounding numbers Estimate answers. Apply appropriate formula to calculate the area and circumference of a circle. Why – Because the pupils learn new skills related to their previous learning. Reading – reading and understanding lesson objectives and questions. Assessment – End of half-term unit test based on previous learning. Numeracy – How rounding numbers can help estimate an answer in everyday life such as shopping bill.	as king? Which king reigned the longest and for how many years? Looking at the diagram, which king had the shortest reign? Can you conjecture why? Visualise and identify 3D shapes from their nets. Calculate the surface area of a cube, cuboid, triangular prism and cylinder. Design a data collection sheet. Collate and organise results using a bar chart. Construct and interpret pictograms and pie charts. Calculate averages and spread of a set of data. Why – Because it builds on the skills the pupils learnt last term. Reading – reading and understanding lesson objectives and questions. Assessment – End of halfter unit test based on previous learning. Numeracy – How reading bar charts can help you understand information.
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		rough the completion of an inte Recognising and dealing	ernally created and internally ass Beliefs & values	essed assessment Booklet for ea Understanding relationships	ch module Families and parenting,	Intimate relationships
estee		with bullying	Week 1 – Introduction to	Week 1 - meaning of the	healthy relationships,	Week 1- Relationships and
		Week 1 – What is bullying?	what is meant by beliefs with	term 'relationship' and the	conflict resolution, and	sex education including
		Week 2 – forms of bullying	examples of some beliefs of	importance of relationships	relationship changes	consent, contraception, the
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Perso	•		other people/groups	Week 2 - different types of	Week 1- about different	risks of STIs, and attitudes to
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Perso includ eleme	ding identifying		other people/groups Week 2 - what is meant by values	Week 2 - different types of relationships and the term "consent" in a relationship	Week 1- about different types of families and parenting, including single	risks of STIs, and attitudes to pornography Week 2- about readiness for



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	Week 2 - Factors that	Week 4 – Intervention	Week 3 – Look at our own	Week 3 - characteristics of	blended families, adoption	delay sex, or enjoy intimacy
	contribute to a positive	strategies that may help the	values & British values	personal and social	and fostering/ about positive	without sex
	sense of self	victim	Week 4 – Look at the values	relationships and what is	relationships in the home	Week 3- about facts and
	Week 3 – self-esteem and	Week 5 – strategies that may	held by other people/groups	meant by a healthy	and ways to reduce	misconceptions relating to
	confidence	help the bully.	Week 5 - how values and	relationship	homelessness amongst	consent
	Week 4 - The relationship	Week 6 – sources of help	beliefs have an influence on	Week 4 - the importance of	young people	Week 4- about the
	between personal identity	and support available	attitude and behaviour	knowing and respecting	Week 2 - about conflict and	continuous right to withdraw
	and self-esteem	Students will display this	Week 6 - how accepting	boundaries within a	its causes in different	consent and capacity to
	Week 5 - Building	information in different	others' beliefs and values	relationship	contexts, e.g. with family and	consent
	confidence and self-esteem	tables.	can contribute to a diverse	Week 5 - skills needed to	friends/conflict resolution	Week 5- about STIs, effective
	Week 6 – Assertiveness		society	develop and maintain	strategies	use of condoms and
	Week 7 – Different gender		Students will display this	relationships and the	Week 3 – how to manage	negotiating safer sex / about
	identities		information in different	importance of trust and	relationship and family	the consequences of
	Students will fill in different		tables.	honesty within a relationship	changes, including	unprotected sex, including
	tables to show the			Week 6 - possible causes of	relationship breakdown,	pregnancy
	information that they have			conflict within a relationship	separation and divorce /how	Week 6- how the portrayal of
	found.			and how these might be	to access support services	relationships in the media
				overcome		and pornography might affect
				Students will display this	Isolation and Ioneliness	expectations
				information in different	Week 4 - What is loneliness	Week 7- how to assess and
				tables.	and isolation- different ways	manage risks of sending,
					in which people experience	sharing or passing on sexual
					loneliness and isolation	images /how to secure
					Week 5 - the different	personal information online
					causes of loneliness and	Students will consolidate
					isolation/ the potential	knowledge on all pervious
					consequences of loneliness	units filling in different tables
					and isolation	and adding statistics where
					Week 6 - ways to reduce	needed.
					feelings of loneliness and	
					isolation/ support services	
					for those experiencing	
					loneliness and isolation	
					Students will research	
					different phone numbers	
					and ways to contact services	
					if they are struggling with	
					isolation and loneliness.	
Food Tech	Nutritional analysis and food	Health and Safety in Food	Healthy Eating	Healthy Eating	Where does food come	Nutritional analysis and food
	<u>labels</u>	preparation- (practical	The Eatwell Guide, its food	Energy; Energy	from?	<u>labels</u>
	Food labels; Using food labels	<u>based)</u>	groups and the concepts it	balance; Energy and nutrients	Food Seasonality and the	Food labels; Using food
	to make healthier choices;	Use of date marks and food	delivers; Applying the	(including fibre); Nutritional	origin of food: Cereal; Dairy;	<mark>labels to make healthier</mark>
	Allergen labels	labels; Allergen and food	Eatwell Guide; The	needs throughout life.	Eggs; Fish and shellfish; Fruit	choices; Allergen labels;
		intolerance awareness; Knife	importance of being well		and vegetables; Meat;	Comparing food labels; High,



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Studies This unit looks at Identifying Students will be able to state in a visit State at least 3 Tourism Information Identify and Demonstrate	te
reasons for keeping fit, what functions of the muscular This unit allows students to responsibilities for assisting Investigate how a travel equipment needed for 3	3
could be done and and skeletal system, be able carry out research to plan a in sports coaching sessions. agent displays information. indoor team games.	
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<u>Art</u>	Graffiti Art Creating work on the style of graffiti artists. Research a different artist each week such as Banksy and Kenny Scharf to understand their style and use it to develop your own ideas. Pupils will experiment with various materials to express their ideas. Why — To help the pupils recognise there are different ways of creating art and styles. Reading — reading texts associated with graffiti art and using subject keywords from sheet. Assessment — Continual assessment of work produced by pupils. Numeracy — basic measuring and working out proportions.	Experiment with different materials. Practising creating work using the 8 basic technical terms – line, form, shape, tone, value, pattern, texture and colour. Why – To give the pupils an introduction into the basic concepts of art. Reading – reading texts associated with important works of art that use the basic technical terms and using subject keywords from sheet. Assessment – Continual assessment of work produced by pupils. Numeracy – basic measuring and working out proportions.	Changing Styles Creating work in the style of famous artists and art movements. Research a different artist / art movement each week to understand their style and use it to develop your own ideas. Dali / Warhol / Picasso / Van Gogh Surrealism / Pop Art / Cubism / Impressionism. Why — To help the pupils develop their ideas further. Reading — reading texts associated with important works of art that use the basic technical terms and using subject keywords from sheet. Assessment — Continual assessment of work produced by pupils. Numeracy — basic measuring and working out proportions.	Portraits Pupils learn how to draw a human face to the correct proportions. Pupils then research different types of portraiture throughout history to influence their ideas. Pupils will get to make a mask influenced by African and Oceanic designs. Create distorted portraits and create a face from magazine cuttings. Why — To help the pupils improve their observational drawing skills. Reading — reading texts associated with portraiture that use the basic technical terms and using subject keywords from sheet. Assessment — Continual assessment of work produced by pupils. Numeracy — basic measuring and working out proportions	Human Figure Pupils understand how to draw the human figure in proportion and make a model using modroc. Why — To help the pupils develop their ideas and create work in different materials. Reading — reading texts associated with the human figure art that use the basic technical terms and using subject keywords from sheet. Assessment — Continual assessment of work produced by pupils. Numeracy — basic measuring and working out proportions to scale. Looking at different techniques to measure proportions of a human body.	Mosaic Understand how to design a mosaic from the initial drawing to the completed finish piece. Why – To help the pupils develop their ideas and create work in different materials. Reading – reading texts associated with mosaics that use the basic technical terms and using subject keywords from sheet. Assessment – Continual assessment of work produced by pupils. Numeracy – looking at symmetry, rotation and using compasses to create patterns.



				to scale. Looking at different techniques to measure proportions of a face.		
Science	To support students to obtain To encourage students to adv arguments and practical exper To think analytically, critically a Reading opportunities include Numeracy Opportunities: Labo		kills to solve problems and make and carry out practical tasks usin vays. judge arguments and make decionational booklets; PowerPoints (tables/graphs), Measurements bllowing throughout the module.	informed decisions in scientific on ag a variety of different apparatus sions in scientific and other controls, activities, worksheets, KS3 Scie s, time, variables, graphs (line, sca	s and draw relevant conclusions. exts once Study Guide for each module atter, histogram, bar etc) and pre	e. Senting Data
	Unit: Introduction to Science & Biology This unit aims to give students an introduction to the science laboratory and practical investigation skills. In this unit students will: become familiar with hazard symbols and ways to work safely in a science laboratory; learn to identify and use laboratory equipment; carry out investigations within a biology, a chemistry and a physics context. This unit then moves on to give KS3 students an overview of the organisation of living things. In this unit students will: Plant & Animal Cells Bacterial Cells Specialised Cells Levels of organisation The Skeleton The muscles	Unit: Energy This unit aims to give students an introduction to Energy and how it can be described as being in different stores 'and how Energy can be transferred from one store to another. In this unit students will: Look at energy in food; Thermal Energy; Insulation; Energy Stores; Renewable and non- renewable energy and Energy from fuel	Unit: States of Matter The first part of this unit aims to give pupils an understanding of; the particulate nature of matter the difference in arrangements of particles in solids, liquids and gases based on the particle model how matter can change from one state to another the movement of particles in terms of diffusion. The second half of this unit focuses on mixtures solubility and how mixtures can be separated using a variety of techniques including filtration, evaporation, distillation and chromatography.	Unit: Forces This unit aims to introduce students to forces by including hands-on investigations in each lesson. There is a focus on evaluating the investigations throughout the unit. Initially, students are guided step-by-step through writing an evaluation, then scaffolding is gradually reduced in subsequent lessons. Students are supported to rearrange equations and there are several opportunities to practice calculations through the unit.	Unit: Space This unit's aim is to give pupils a basic overview of Earth and its place in our Solar System. In this unit students will learn about the following: Spherical Bodies Space and the solar system Geocentric Versus Heliocentric Night and Day Investigating gravity and mass Movement of the Moon Mars Rover Colonising Mars Orbits	Unit: Scientists & Inventors This 'Scientists and Inventors' unit will teach students about famous scientists and inventors linked to the science curriculum. They will learn about; the life and work of Stephen Hawking, and carry out an investigation into Hawking's theories on black holes. Libbie Hyman, a zoologist whose work on invertebrates informs much of what we know about the characteristics and classification of these creatures. the effects of cholesterol on the heart and blood vessels in the footsteps of Marie Maynard Daly. Alexander Fleming and his discovery of penicillin, and will interpret data in a scatter graph They will look at the evidence for human evolution, and will learn about Mary Leakey and her role in finding significant fossil evidence, and what her fossils prove about evolution.



explore the circulatory system and find out about the medical, and social, advancements made by Dr Daniel Hale Williams. the life and work of Steve Jobs, and his development of new electronics and technologies **Princes Trust** Reading opportunities include: research; articles; websites; informational booklets; PowerPoints, activities, worksheets, KS3 Science Study Guide for each module. Assessment of this unit will be through the completion of the following throughout the module: Verbal conversation; Peer/ Self assessments; Completion of worksheets; Written feedback; End of unit assessment; Booklet for each module Aspirations **Customer Experience** Budgeting Wellbeing- Healthy Eating Q Personal Development Q Noticing Nature A The aim of this unit is to This unit takes a look at how This unit enables learners to The aim of this unit is for This unit takes a look at the The unit explores customer experience. Learners will support learners to believe to budget for personal and explore and understand the learners to assess their connection between nature they can achieve their goals. discover what customer business finances. There are benefits of a balanced diet as strengths and weaknesses and wellbeing. The sessions The unit guides the learner experience means and what activities that look at how to part of a healthy lifestyle. It and to set manageable, are designed to be taught to recognise what is meant high quality customer track incoming and outgoing also encourages learners to achievable goals for work outside in a quiet, green by personal strengths and experience looks like. They money and others that get develop independent living and/or their personal life. A space. Learners engage with supports them to work will also take a look at young people to consider skills that they can take into key part in any action plan is nature and discuss how it how to effectively manage towards a goal, customer needs and how the future. the review so changes can be makes them feel. understanding how their businesses can meet them, and save their own or **Beating Peer Pressure and** made along the way or Sustainability Q as well as how to deliver **Building Relationships** motivation affects them. business money. adaptations used for future The aim of this unit is for Learners will experience the good customer service. **Breaking Habits A** In this unit, young people targets. learners to develop an Students will look at learn about the different Students will predict and value of acknowledging This unit takes a look at understanding of the basic achievement and take part different figures of customer habits: what they are, how ways they can build positive assess targets that they have principles of sustainability. in an activity which satisfaction and analysis how they are formed and what relationships with others and set themselves and provide The unit aims to introduce celebrates their effort. this can be improved. explanation of how they can young people can do to explores what peer pressure learners to key issues in the overcome them. It will help Following a positive Wellbeing Q is and how it can be improved. natural world and encourage experience in developing By undertaking this unit, learners understand managed. **Personal Resilience** them to consider their role as their aspirations, the learner learners will become more themselves more and decide The aim of this unit is for an individual in making will look to the future and aware of their own which habits of theirs need learners to experience an sustainable choices. Learners plan short- and long-term wellbeing. They will build to be broken. appropriate challenge which will undertake a project aspirations. their understanding by enables them to explore which promotes It is not necessary to achieve exploring practical their personal resilience and sustainability; examples could the personal goal that has techniques and strategies observe how their emotions include (but are not limited are affected. The learner will to) food and drink, renewable been set to pass the unit, it that promote good is sufficient to show wellbeing. Learners will look increase their resilience by energy, recycling, travel and at their self-esteem and traffic, purchases and waste commitment to working trying a helpful habit to towards the goal. confidence, emotional and develop their ability to cope and buildings. Students will research facts Students will use prediction physical wellbeing and how with the challenge. methods and evidence to and figures within their to manage situations that By developing their prove aspiration goals. awareness of their personal sustainability project. may cause stress. Career Planning Q resilience and strategies to cope with adversity, learners



With high demand for jobs,		should feel more confident	
learners need to be aware of		to face future challenges.	
where to search for suitable			
roles and how to best			
present themselves through			
their CVs, applications or at			
an interview. This unit gives			
learners a better			
understanding of the jobs			
market and their career			
interests, as well as equips			
them with skills and			
knowledge to support their			
job hunt.			
