



Year 11 Curriculum Overview



Subject	Year 11 Autumn 1	Year 11 Autumn 2	Year 11 Spring 1	Year 11 Spring 2	Year 11 Summer 1	Year 11 Summer 2
Art	<p>Exam question practice - Students have a choice out of 3 previous exam questions. They will choose one and create a project from it. Viewing a range of artists/designers, techniques, presenting methods and workshops to showcase a full sketchbook with some large scale artwork and/or three dimensional work. All students are constantly following the four assessment objectives and aim to make original artwork that represents their chosen topic project.</p>				<p><i>(Starting from Spring 1 not summer 1 - please can the table layout be altered)</i> Externally Set GCSE Exam. Students are given the 2023 GCSE exam paper in January and spend around 3 months working on their chosen exam question which culminates in a ten hour practical exam.</p>	
Art Assessment	<p>Ongoing - whole class feedback in line with exam board and JCQ expectations.</p>					
Child Development	<p>NEA task - Planning and completing child activities and observations of developmental norms.</p>	<p>NEA task - Analysis of developmental norms. Equipment selection for a creche scenario.</p>	<p>NEA task - Nutritional requirements of babies and children. Feeding stages. Comparison of manufactured and homemade foods.</p>	<p>NEA task - Practical assessment and nutritional analysis of feeding products.</p>	<p>NEA task - Comparison and evaluation of feeding solutions.</p>	N/A
Child Development Assessment	1 x individual feedback sheet on the development of NEA task work.	1 x individual feedback sheet on the development of NEA task work.	1 x individual feedback sheet on the development of NEA task work.	1 x individual feedback sheet on the development of NEA task work.	1 x individual feedback sheet on the development of NEA task work.	
Computer Science	Network security, Networks, Connections & protocols.	Ethics & Legislation, Programming Languages.	Algorithms and revisiting key knowledge.	Revision: Revision focused on the class needs.	Revision: Revision focused on the class needs.	
Computer Science Assessment	Classwork, homework, exam questions, low stakes quizzing. Use of	Classwork, homework, exam questions, low stakes quizzing, Use of	Classwork, homework, exam questions, low stakes quizzing, Use of	Classwork, homework, exam questions, low stakes quizzing, Use of	Classwork, homework, exam questions, low stakes quizzing, 1 x STAR sheet.	



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	assessment through Progression matrix	assessment through Progression matrix	assessment through Progression matrix	assessment through Progression matrix		
D & T	Exam board N.E.A and Core examination preparation - Responding to a brief set by the examination board by investigating, designing, making and evaluating.				Targeted revision: Revision focused on the class needs.	External GCSE exams
D & T Assessment	Ongoing - whole class feedback in line with exam board and JCQ expectations.					
English	Macbeth: Exploration of Shakespeare's Macbeth with a focus on language, structure, form and context.	Revision of Literature texts: Recap and analysis of An Inspector Calls, Jekyll and Hyde and Poetry.	Revision of Language skills: Recap and practice of language skills including language analysis, structure analysis and writing.		Targeted revision: Revision focused on the class needs.	External GCSE exams
English Assessment	Practice essay response - marked by teachers and improved. 1 x written feedback using the progression matrix for an assessed response	1 x written feedback using the progression matrix for an assessed response	1 x written feedback using the progression matrix for an assessed response			External GCSE exams
Film Studies	Exam board WJEC coursework preparation: Students will produce one genre-based film extract with a detailed storyboard and one evaluative analysis of the production.	Component 1 US Film: Study Rebel Without A Cause and Ferris Bueller's Day Off with comparison on both films. Recap indie film Little Miss Sunshine and film technology.	Component 2 Global Film: Recap and revise all texts from this exam paper - Skyfall, Let The Right One In and Slumdog Millionaire, and practise exam style questions.		Targeted revision: Revision focused on the class needs.	External GCSE exams
Film Studies Assessment	Coursework- continuously checked and students respond to verbal feedback through their drafting process.	1 x STAR sheet on a practice exam response.	1 x STAR sheet on a practice exam response.			External GCSE exams
Geography	Rivers - A study into the processes, landforms and	The Challenge of resource management -	Fieldwork - Planning for, carrying out and analysing two local	Issue Evaluation - A geographical issue (given to us in a	Targeted revision: Revision focused on the class needs.	External GCSE exams



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	management of the UK's rivers.	Investigating the provision of the UK's water, energy and food resources. Then a focused study on water as a resource around the world.	fieldwork studies (one physical and one human).	booklet by the exam board, AQA) we investigate and debate.		
Geography Assessment	1 x whole class feedback	One formal assessment (that will draw on previous knowledge as well as the current topic)	1 x whole class feedback	One formal assessment (that will draw on previous knowledge as well as the current topic)	Continual marking of exam style answers.	External GCSE exams
Global Values	2 lessons CEIAG followed by: RE: Is life sacred? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Fertility, pregnancy, miscarriage ● Abortion ● Euthanasia ● Genetic engineering 	LWW: CEIAG (various) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Level 3 options ● Finance ● Applications ● Pay and conditions 	RSE/H&W: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Consent ● Sexual abuse ● Chem sex ● Dark web ● Gambling 	Student Voice Curriculum: Students given the opportunity to tell us what information they need in order to prepare them for the future. This will vary depending on each year group and will be decided through student voice.		
Global Values Assessment	Whole class feedback with the focus of compare and contrast	Live marking	Live marking	Live marking		
Hospitality & Catering	NEA preparation work <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The impact of different cooking 	NEA task <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Functions of nutrients ● Nutritional needs of groups 	NEA task <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● selecting dishes for a menu ● evaluating nutrition for 	NEA task Preparation for and completion of practical assessment.	NEA task Completion of all assessed units for NEA assessment.	



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	<p>methods on nutrition</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Planning menu dishes • Environmental considerations <p>Practical techniques: desserts and presentation techniques.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explaining how their bistro will reduce environmental impact. <p>Practical techniques: Meat and fish.</p>	<p>customer needs</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Planning production of dishes - dovetailing <p>Practical techniques: testing of proposed dishes & presentation skills.</p>			
Hospitality & Catering Assessment	1 x individual feedback sheet on the development of NEA task work.	1 x individual feedback sheet on the development of NEA task work.	1 x individual feedback sheet on the development of NEA task work.	1 x individual feedback sheet on the development of NEA task work.	1 x individual feedback sheet on the development of NEA task work.	
History	The American West - Studying the settlement of the West, including The California Gold Rush, The Transcontinental Railroad, and the American Civil War.	The American West - Studying law and order in the 'Wild West'. Explain the impact of the cattle industry and how this led to cow towns. Finishing with the deconstruction of the Plains Indians way of life and the Plains wars.	Early Elizabethan England - Studying who Elizabeth was, her government and the crisis of Religion between 1558-69.	Early Elizabethan England - Studying the challenges Elizabeth faced at home and abroad between 1569-88 (including Catholic plots).	Early Elizabethan England - Early Elizabethan England - Studying Elizabethan Society in the age of Exploration 1558-88. Including the Spanish Armada.	External GCSE exams
History Assessment	1 x whole class feedback	One formal assessment (that will draw on previous knowledge as well as the current topic)	1 x whole class feedback	1 x STAR sheet on the extended writing focus of "how far do you agree".	1 x STAR sheet on the extended writing focus of "writing a narrative account".	External GCSE exams



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Maths	Gradients and lines, non-linear graphs and using graphs.	Expanding and factorising, changing the subject of a formula and functions.	Multiplicative, geometric and algebraic reasoning.	Transformations and construction, listing and describing and proofs.	Targeted Revision.	External GCSE exams
Maths Assessment	End of topic review after each topic taught (3 this half term). Whole class marking and feedback.	End of topic review after each topic taught (3 this half term). Mock exams (full series) with individual feedback given.	End of topic review after each topic taught (3 this half term). Whole class marking and feedback.	End of topic review after each topic taught (3 this half term). One paper used as a mock exam with individual feedback given.		External GCSE exams
Music Practice (BTEC)	Component 2 Practising and developing individual skills and techniques	Component 2 Practising and developing individual skills and techniques	Component 3 Exploring and responding to a brief	Component 3 Exploring and responding to a brief	Component 3 Exploring and responding to a brief	
Music Practice Assessment	Whole class feedback.	Component 2 - Coursework Formal Assessment Deadline.	Whole class feedback.	Whole class feedback.	Component 3 - External Assessment.	
PE (Core)	Invasion League/ Basketball	Invasion League/ Basketball/ Fitness	Alternative Activities/ Fitness/ Basketball	Alternative Activities/ Fitness	Softball/ Rounders/ Tennis	
Groups rotate around the listed activities throughout the year to enable access to specific facilities.						
PE (Core) Assessment	Attitude to Learning assessment based upon observation.	Attitude to Learning assessment based upon observation.	Attitude to Learning assessment based upon observation.	Attitude to Learning assessment based upon observation.	Attitude to Learning assessment based upon observation.	
Performing Arts (BTEC)	Component 3: Mock assessment and preparation for final performance.	Component 3: Mock assessment and preparation for final performance.	Component 3: Research and initial ideas based upon set task issued by Exam Board.	Component 3: Rehearsal and development of performance in preparation for assessment.	Component 3: Performance and Evaluation (EXTERNAL ASSESSMENT) .	



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Performing Arts Assessment	Whole class feedback.	Year 11 Mock Termly Assessment using BTEC criteria.	Whole class feedback.	Whole class feedback.	Component 3 - External Assessment.	
Triple Science AQA	Biology Paper 2 AQA- Ecology Chemistry Paper 2 AQA- Using Resources & organic chemistry	Physics Paper 1 AQA - Atomic Structure Physics Paper 2 AQA- Magnetism and Electromagnetism, and Space.	Chemistry Paper 1 AQA - Energy changes Revision and preparation for GCSE exams.	Revision and Preparation for GCSE exams. Biology paper 1 AQA, Chemistry Paper 1 AQA and Physics Paper 1 AQA.	Revision and Preparation for GCSE exams. Biology paper 2 AQA, Chemistry Paper 2 AQA and Physics Paper 2 AQA.	GCSE EXAMS- 6 100 minute papers. Biology Papers 1 and 2 Chemistry Papers 1 and 2. Physics Papers 1 and 2
Assessment	Whole class feedback on skills based tasks (including exam questions).	1 x Pre-Public Examinations (PPE) 70 minute exam style assessment on Biology Paper 2.	Whole class feedback on skills based tasks (including exam questions).	Mock - 70 minute exam style assessment on Chemistry Paper 2.	Whole class feedback on skills based tasks (including exam questions).	GCSE EXAMS- 6 x 100 minute papers. Biology Papers 1 and 2. Chemistry Papers 1 and 2. Physics Papers 1 and 2.
Combined Science AQA (Trilogy)	Chemistry Paper 1 AQA- Quantitative Chemistry Chemistry Paper 2 AQA- Organic chemistry	Revision and Preparation for GCSE exams. Biology paper 1 AQA, Chemistry Paper 1 AQA.	Revision and Preparation for GCSE exams. Physics paper 1 AQA, Biology Paper 2 AQA.	Revision and Preparation for GCSE exams. Chemistry paper 2 AQA, Physics Paper 2 AQA.	Reflection, Recapping and Reteaching. Bespoke for each teaching group based on analysis of performance in each topic over the GCSE course.	GCSE EXAMS- 6 x 75 minute papers. Biology Papers 1 and 2. Chemistry Papers 1 and 2. Physics Papers 1 and 2.
Assessment	Whole class feedback on skills based tasks (including exam questions).	1 x Pre-Public Examinations (PPE) 70 minute exam style	Whole class feedback on skills based tasks (including exam questions).	Mock - 70 minute exam style assessment on Chemistry Paper 2.	Whole class feedback on skills based tasks (including exam questions).	GCSE EXAMS- 6 x 75 minute papers. Biology Papers 1 and 2.



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		assessment on Biology Paper 2.				Chemistry Papers 1 and 2. Physics Papers 1 and 2.
Spanish	Jobs and Ambitions - A unit to extend ability to discuss job descriptions, work experience and learn how to write a formal job application letter.	My People - This unit is designed to enable students to talk and write about people in greater depth using a range of language.	Daily Life - A unit to explore daily life, including routines, health and diet.	A Better World - Discussion includes environmental issues and world problems such as poverty, world hunger and war torn countries.	Targeted Revision - During this half term, the focus is on individual target setting and working towards perfecting skills for the exams.	External GCSE exams
Spanish Assessment	1 x whole class feedback	One formal assessment (that will draw on previous knowledge as well as the current topic)	1 x whole class feedback	One formal assessment (that will draw on previous knowledge as well as the current topic)	All Skills Assessed - Assessment of all MFL skills across a range of topics (speaking, listening, reading and writing).	External GCSE Exams Speaking Listening Reading Writing (Foundation or Higher tier)
Sport (BTEC)	Unit 2: Rules and Regulations of Sport.	Unit 2: Skills and Tactics in Sport.	Unit 2: Practical Sports Performance.	Unit 5: Adaptations to Exercise.	Unit 5: Energy Systems in Sport.	
Sport Assessment	Whole Class Feedback Sheet	BTEC Unit 2 Assignment 1 Formal Assessment Deadline	BTEC Unit 2 Coursework Formal Assessment Deadline.	Whole Class Feedback Sheet	BTEC Unit 2 Coursework Formal Assessment Deadline.	
Travel & Tourism (BTEC)	Unit 1: The UK Travel and Tourism Sector and its importance to the UK Economy. (Learning Aim A)	Unit 1: Know about the Industries within the Travel and Tourism Sector (Learning Aim B)	Unit 1: The Roles of Consumer Technology in the Travel and Tourism Sector (Learning Aim C)	Unit 3: Investigating Customer Service and Consumer Needs (Learning Aim A & B)	Unit 3: The Importance of Customer Service (Learning Aim C)	
Travel & Tourism Assessment	Whole class feedback sheet	Termly assessment using BTEC Mock exam paper.	<i>BTEC External Assessment (EXAM) in January</i>	Whole class feedback and Formal Coursework	Whole class feedback and Formal Coursework	



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		Feedback using exam wrapper.		Assessment Deadline using BTEC Feedback Sheet.	Assessment Deadline using BTEC Feedback Sheet.	
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