

Year 8 Curriculum Overview

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English	William Shakespeare's Richard III		Synoptic Assessment	Writer's Intent: Jane Eyre by Charlotte Bronte		Window the world: Dystopian Literature	Synoptic Assessment	Window the world: Dystopian Literature
Maths	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Indices Prime factorisation Rounding and estimation Fractions Percentages 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Solving Linear Equations Coordinates and basic graphs 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Units of measurement Angles Circumference 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Proportional reasoning Fractions, decimals and percentages Ratio 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Area of composite shapes Presenting and interpreting data Averages 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3-D visualisation Volume
Science	Physics – Space and light Chemistry – The periodic table Biology – Digestion and nutrition			Physics – Electricity and magnetism Biology – Plants and photosynthesis Chemistry – Materials, the earth and recycling		Review and re-teach		Revision for end of year exams Working scientifically – Practical skills
Religious Studies	Islam as a living religion			History of Christianity		Revision in preparation for the assessment		Assessment feedback
History	Henry VIII, the Reformation and Elizabeth I			The English Civil War		The Slave Trade		Civil Rights Movement
Geography	Coasts			Population and migration		Tectonics		Review and re-teach
MFL	My life and free time	Arranging to go out		Healthy living	Work	Holidays		Assessment feedback Project related to Spanish culture
Music	Form and Structure			Remixes		Blues		Assessment preparation and feedback
Art	Exploring fine art: Rembrandt	Exploring design: Andy Warhol and Julian Opie		Graphic design	Product design	Product design and construction		Production of a soft toy
Physical Education	Netball, football, rugby		Fitness training, handball, basketball			Rounders, softball, athletics, cricket, games from around the world		