Academic Year 2023-2024



Year 7 Curriculum

The long-term curriculum plans present an overview of the topics covered each half term. They also provide information on the nature of the assessments and offer suggestions on extra resources which can be used to support learning.

It is important to emphasise that these plans are working documents and departments actively use them as a guide to plan the teaching and assessments throughout the year. However, departments are also flexible enough to respond to the needs of the learners.

In addition to the curricula for the individual academic subjects outlined in the following pages, students in Year 7 also have one lesson of PSHE, 2 lessons of PE and three lessons of Games per week.

Starting secondary school is an exciting time in your child's learning and we are very much looking forward to working with you and your son to ensure success during their time at Halliford. The purpose of this guide is to provide you with the full details of what your child will be studying this year, expectations of home learning, how and when your child will be assessed and how you can further support your child's learning.

In Year 7 we offer a broad and balanced curriculum, which provides pupils with key knowledge and understanding but also encourages students to be enthusiastic learners who take responsibility for their own learning. The curriculum also provides opportunities to develop the skills and attitudes that will set them up to be effective learners- not only while they are at Halliford, but throughout their lives.

In Year 7, homework will be set for three subjects each day. Pupils will be given a timetable to see when each subject's work will be assigned. It is crucial that students get into the habit of taking responsibility for their learning and they will be provided with a diary to help organise their work and record essential information and deadlines. Each homework task should take a maximum of 30 minutes and is usually a mixture of consolidation, research, and preparation for future lessons. To aid the transition to secondary school, for the first half term homework will only be set for the core subjects of English, Mathematics, and Science. Please be aware that most homework tasks will be set will be set using Microsoft Teams (our digital platform).

Throughout the year students will receive regular grade cards and there will be two formal Parent's Evenings where you will be invited to discuss progress with your child's teachers. However, we would like to encourage you to raise with us any concerns as they arise. If you have any questions about a particular subject, please do not hesitate to contact your child's subject teacher, a list of email addresses can be found within this curriculum guide. If your questions are about a range of subjects, your child's form tutor should be your first point of contact and then me as Head of Year, Mr. Fulford, Deputy Head Academic and Mr. Norman, Deputy Head Pastoral are also available.

Miss Helen Foster Head of Year 7

Autumn 1 2023	<ul> <li>Pop Art Flags</li> <li>Students will: <ul> <li>develop design ideas, taking inspiration from existing flags of the world;</li> <li>be encouraged to individualise their design to represent their own background or interests;</li> <li>widen their use of malleable materials through the experimentation and the use of different techniques with clay;</li> <li>further their understanding of Pop Art and understand its influence on Modern art; and</li> <li>experiment with a variety of media to evaluate their effectiveness in this process.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Supporting materials: Art Assignments folder on Microsoft Teams.</li> <li>Assessment: <ul> <li>Knowledge and understanding of art, craft &amp; design, including major movements.</li> <li>Investigating and making using a range of techniques, media and materials.</li> <li>Analysis and evaluation of work.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Autumn 2 2023	Students will continue to work on their Pop Art Flags	<ul> <li>Supporting materials: Art Assignments folder on Microsoft Teams.</li> <li>Assessment: <ul> <li>Knowledge and understanding of art, craft &amp; design, including major movements.</li> <li>Investigating and making using a range of techniques, media and materials.</li> <li>Analysis and evaluation of work.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Spring 1 2024	<ul> <li>Hybrid Insects</li> <li>Students will: <ul> <li>gain an appreciation for natural history and will understand what an arthropod is;</li> <li>learn how to record and analyse first-hand observations of insects, working directly from observation;</li> <li>challenge their preconceptions and promote a creative approach in redesigning insect forms;</li> <li>develop skilful use of materials and tools; and</li> <li>extend their ability to analyse and evaluate their own and other's work to be able to adapt and refine work as it develops.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Supporting materials: Art Assignments folder on Microsoft Teams.</li> <li>Assessment: <ul> <li>Knowledge and understanding of art, craft &amp; design, including major movements.</li> <li>Investigating and making using a range of techniques, media and materials.</li> <li>Analysis and evaluation of work.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

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Spring 2 2024	Students will continue to work on their Greek history work	<ul> <li>Supporting materials:</li> <li>Art Assignments folder on Microsoft Teams.</li> <li>Assessment:</li> <li>Knowledge and understanding of art, craft &amp; design, including major movements.</li> <li>Investigating and making using a range of techniques, media and materials.</li> <li>Analysis and evaluation of work.</li> </ul>
Summer 1 2024	<ul> <li>Aboriginal Art</li> <li>Students will: <ul> <li>understand the key aspects of Aboriginal culture and the important role of art;</li> <li>explore symbols, patterns and colour found in Aboriginal Art;</li> <li>discover Aboriginal Dreamtime stories;</li> <li>build on and continue to develop observational drawing skills;</li> <li>understand natural pigments and where they come from; and</li> <li>develop their awareness of various types of media that are available to them, such as pencil, pastels, paint, collage etc.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Supporting materials: Art Assignments folder on Microsoft Teams.</li> <li>Assessment: <ul> <li>Knowledge and understanding of art, craft &amp; design, including major movements.</li> <li>Investigating and making using a range of techniques, media and materials.</li> <li>Analysis and evaluation of work.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Summer 2 2024	Revision & preparation for the end of year examination. Feedback	<ul> <li>Supporting materials:</li> <li>Art Assignments folder on Microsoft Teams.</li> <li>Assessment: <ul> <li>Knowledge and understanding of art, craft &amp; design, including major movements.</li> <li>Investigating and making using a range of techniques, media and materials.</li> <li>Analysis and evaluation of work.</li> <li>End of year examination</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

Autumn	Powerpoint	Supporting Materials:
1	Presentation project 'About Me'	Exemplar Work
2023	Formatting	
	Using images	Assessment:
	Use of colour palates	Module test
	Use of textboxes	Project assessment
	Combining text and images to create an	
	effective message	
	E-Safety	
	<ul> <li>Staying safe on the internet using the Smart Rules</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Ie Don't meet up with people online,</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>People may not be who they say they are</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Be careful of attachments</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Keeping Personal information safe</li> <li>Don't trust everything that you read online</li> </ul>	
	• Don't trust everything that you read online	
Autumn	Scratch	Supporting Materials:
2	Movement	Exemplar Work
2023	The Pen tool	The online Scratch Community
	Detecting interaction	Online tutorials
	Introducing randomness	Step by Step Instructions
	Use of repetition	
	Modelling Shapes	Project Assessment
	Colours and backgrounds	
Spring	Excel	Supporting Materials:
1	Mathematical Formulae	Online tutorials
2024	Research Skills	Exemplar Work
	Multiple cells formulae	Step by Step Instructions
	Cell references	
	Data collection and manipulation	Assessment:
	Formatting	Project Assessment
Spring	Programming (Small Basic)	Supporting Materials:
2	Introduction to the interface	Online tutorials
2024	Simple Inputs and outputs	
	The concept of a variable	Assessment:
	Select Statements	
	Programming Practice	

## Computer Science cont.

	Supporting Materials:
<ul> <li>Drawing simple shapes</li> </ul>	Exemplar Work
The fill and stroke tools	
Transparency	Help sheets
GIFS	
Combining Paths	Assessment:
Resizing	Project Assessment
Common interface tools	
Stop Frame Animation	Supporting Materials:
Backgrounds	Exemplar Work
<ul> <li>Speeding up and slowing down</li> </ul>	
Use of sound effects	Assessment:
Camera effects	Project
	End of Year Examination
	<ul> <li>The fill and stroke tools</li> <li>Transparency</li> <li>GIFS</li> <li>Combining Paths</li> <li>Resizing</li> <li>Common interface tools</li> </ul> Stop Frame Animation <ul> <li>Backgrounds</li> <li>Speeding up and slowing down</li> <li>Use of sound effects</li> </ul>

Autumn	Workshop Introduction & Health and Safety	Supporting materials:
1	Workshop machinery	www.technologystudent.com
2023	<ul> <li>Health and Safety</li> </ul>	http://www.design-technology.org/
LULJ	<ul> <li>Machine and tool selection</li> </ul>	http://www.mr-dt.com/
		http://www.nn/uccom/
	Photo Frame Project	Assessment:
	• H&S	Focused practical task
	Designing	Homework / Class Booklet
	Material selection	
	Hand tools	
	Scroll saws	
	Pillar drill	
Autumn	Photo Frame Project	Supporting materials:
2		www.technologystudent.com
2023	Work to continue on the photograph frame	http://www.design-technology.org/
2025	project	http://www.mr-dt.com/
	project	<u>mtp.//www.mr-ut.com/</u>
		Assessment:
		Focused practical task
		Homework / Class Booklet
Spring	Laser Cutter / Coaster Project	Supporting materials:
1		www.technologystudent.com
2024	• H&S	http://www.design-technology.org/
	Designing	http://www.mr-dt.com/
	CAD/CAM	
	<ul> <li>Setting up &amp; use of Laser CAM</li> </ul>	Assessment:
	<ul> <li>Engraving / cutting</li> </ul>	Focused practical task
	<ul> <li>Material Finishing</li> </ul>	Homework / Class Booklet
Spring	Laser Cutter / Coaster Project	Supporting materials:
2		www.technologystudent.com
2024	Work to continue on the coaster project	http://www.design-technology.org/
		http://www.mr-dt.com/
		Assessment:
		Focused practical task

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Summer	Business Card Project	Supporting materials:
1		www.technologystudent.com
2024	• H&S	http://www.design-technology.org/
	Designing and Developing	http://www.mr-dt.com/
	Laminating	
	Graphics	Assessment:
	Nets	Focused practical task
	• 3D Shapes	Homework / Class Booklet
	Evaluation	
Summer	End of year assessment	Supporting materials:
2		www.technologystudent.com
2024	Focus practical task on CAD/CAM	http://www.design-technology.org/
		http://www.mr-dt.com/
		Assessment:
		Focused practical task
		Homework / Class Booklet
		End of year examination

#### Drama

Autumn	Building Drama skills thematically	Supporting materials:
1	Students will learn the following Drama conventions	https://www.bbc.co.uk/education/su
2023	through a topic of the teacher's choosing.	bjects/zbckjxs
	<ul> <li>Freeze frames</li> </ul>	
	Narration and mime	Assessment:
	Role play	Students are continually assessed and
	<ul> <li>Hot seating</li> </ul>	given feedback during the course of
		the term, building to a final
	Characterisation (Facial expression, Tone of voice, Body language, Movement, Gestures and Vocal	assessment performance
	modulation)	
	Thought tracking	
Autumn	Students will continue to build on their drama skills	Supporting materials:
2		https://www.bbc.co.uk/education/su
2023		bjects/zbckjxs
		Assessment:
		Students are continually assessed and
		given feedback during the course of
		the term, building to a final
		assessment performance
Spring	Play Script	Supporting materials:
1	Students will analyse a play script chosen by their	https://www.bbc.co.uk/education/su
2024	teacher for performance. Students will have to think	<u>bjects/zbckjxs</u>
	about both performance and design elements focusing	
	on:	Assessment:
	• Lighting	Students are continually assessed and
	• Set	given feedback during the course of
	Costume	the term, building to a final
	Props	assessment performance
	Characterisation	
	<ul><li>Characterisation</li><li>Vocal skills</li></ul>	
	<ul><li>Vocal skills</li><li>Physicality</li><li>Working as part of a group</li></ul>	
Spring	<ul><li>Vocal skills</li><li>Physicality</li></ul>	Supporting materials:
Spring 2	<ul><li>Vocal skills</li><li>Physicality</li><li>Working as part of a group</li></ul>	Supporting materials: https://www.bbc.co.uk/education/su
	<ul><li>Vocal skills</li><li>Physicality</li><li>Working as part of a group</li></ul>	
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2	<ul><li>Vocal skills</li><li>Physicality</li><li>Working as part of a group</li></ul>	https://www.bbc.co.uk/education/su bjects/zbckjxs Assessment:
2	<ul><li>Vocal skills</li><li>Physicality</li><li>Working as part of a group</li></ul>	https://www.bbc.co.uk/education/su bjects/zbckjxs Assessment: Students are continually assessed and

#### Drama cont.

Summer	Devising	Supporting materials:
1	Students will apply skills learnt this year in devising and	https://www.bbc.co.uk/education/su
2024	<ul> <li>play scripts in a thematic unit. Performance will use a range of stimuli and there will be a focus on:</li> <li>Analysis of a stimuli</li> </ul>	bjects/zbckjxs Assessment:
	<ul> <li>Role Play</li> <li>Physical theatre</li> <li>Characterisation</li> <li>Devising</li> <li>Working on and off text</li> </ul>	Students are continually assessed and given feedback during the course of the term, building to a final assessment performance
Summer 2 2024	Students will continue work from Summer 1	Assessment: Students are continually assessed and given feedback during the course of the term, building to a final assessment performance

### English

Autumn	Myths and Legends	Wider reading:
1		
2023	Students will study a wide range of myths and legends	Heroes: The Myths of the Ancient
	from different cultures. They will focus on the following	Greek Heroes retold by Stephen Fry
	skills:	
	<ul> <li>To consolidate and develop sentence structure,</li> </ul>	Percy Jackson or Heroes of Olympus
	punctuation and spelling	by Rick Riordan
	<ul> <li>To widen vocabulary and to use it for effect</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>To plan and create a complete story</li> </ul>	Writing Assessment:
	To form a knowledge base for making intertextual	Students will write their own myth.
	references	
Autumn	The study of the play <i>Frankenstein</i> adapted by Philip	Wider reading:
2	Pullman. Students will focus on the features of a play,	
2023	including:	Mary Shelley's Frankenstein
	Dramatic techniques	
	Genre	Reading Assessment:
	Characterisation	Essay question on how the Monster is
	Themes	presented in the play.
	Language and structural devices	
	Audience response	
Spring	The study of the novel 'A Monster Calls' by Patrick	Wider Reading:
1	Ness. Students will focus on the following skills:	
2024	• To explore the development of themes, settings and	The Rest of Us Just Live Here by
	characters in a novel	Patrick Ness
	• To select key words, phrases and devices, and	
	identify them by their correct term	Wonder by R. J. Palacio
	<ul> <li>To write an effective description, using a range of</li> </ul>	
	language features.	Assessment:
		Descriptive writing
Spring	The study of the novel 'A Monster Calls' by Patrick	
2	Ness. Students will focus on the following skills:	
2024	• To explore the development of themes, settings and	Assessment:
	characters in a novel	Essay exploring the theme of grief.
	• To select key words, phrases and devices, and	
	identify them by their correct term	
	<ul> <li>To develop detailed explanations of multiple</li> </ul>	
	meanings created in a text	
	<ul> <li>To analyse how the writer uses language and</li> </ul>	
	structure to achieve effects	

### English cont.

Summer	Introduction to Poetry	Assessment:
1 2024	<ul> <li>To explore a range of poetry from different centuries and cultures</li> </ul>	Write an essay on an unseen poem.
	<ul> <li>To select key words, phrases and identify them by their correct term</li> <li>To develop detailed explanations of the emotions</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>and meanings created in a poem</li> <li>To analyse how poets use language and structure to achieve effects</li> </ul>	
Summer 2 2024	Preparation for end of year examination.	Assessment: Presentation End of year examination

### French

La rentrée	
	<i>Dynamo 1</i> , Pearson
Point de départ Pronounce key sounds, numbers	www.languagesonline.org.uk
Unit 1: Talking about brothers, sisters, age	www.classtools.net
Unit 2: Describing a classroom	www.Edpuzzle.com
Unit 3: Likes, dislikes	www.wordreference.com
Module 1 (continued)	Supporting materials:
Unit 4: Describing yourself & others	Dynamo 1, Pearson
Unit 5: Saying what you do	www.languagesonline.org.uk
Unit 6: Creating a video about yourself	www.classtools.net
	www.Edpuzzle.com
	www.wordreference.com
	Assessment:
	An end of Module 1 test covering at
	least 2 language-based skills.
Modulo 2	Supporting materials:
	Dynamo 1, Pearson
	www.languagesonline.org.uk
-	www.classtools.net
	www.Edpuzzle.com
-	www.wordreference.com
En plus: Christmas in France	
Module 2 (continued)	Supporting materials:
En classe	Dynamo 1, Pearson
	www.languagesonline.org.uk
	www.classtools.net
	www.Edpuzzle.com
	www.wordreference.com
	Assessment:
	An end of Module 2 test covering at
	least 2 language-based skills.
-	<ul> <li>Unit 1: Talking about brothers, sisters, age</li> <li>Unit 2: Describing a classroom</li> <li>Unit 3: Likes, dislikes</li> <li>Module 1 (continued)</li> <li>Unit 4: Describing yourself &amp; others</li> <li>Unit 5: Saying what you do</li> <li>Unit 6: Creating a video about yourself</li> <li>Module 2</li> <li>En classe</li> <li>Point de départ</li> <li>Talking about colours and time</li> <li>Unit 1: School subjects</li> <li>Unit 2: School uniform</li> <li>Unit 3: Describing a school day</li> <li>En plus: Christmas in France</li> <li>Module 2 (continued)</li> </ul>

### French cont.

Summer 1	General revision of all topics studied thus far	Supporting materials:
2024	Exam techniques	Dynamo 1, Pearson
		www.languagesonline.org.uk
		www.classtools.net
		www.Edpuzzle.com
		www.wordreference.com
Summer 2	End of Year 7 Examination	Supporting materials:
2024	of Modules 1-2	Dynamo 1, Pearson
		www.languagesonline.org.uk
		www.classtools.net
		www.Edpuzzle.com
		www.wordreference.com
		Assessment:
		End of year examination covering all
		language-based skills

### Geography

Autumn 1 2023	<ul> <li>Introducing Geography Map skills + Our World</li> <li>What is Geography?</li> <li>Learning the names and locations of continents, oceans, mountain ranges, deserts and rivers</li> <li>Developing understanding of maps including: longitude and latitude, compass points, map symbols, 4 and 6- figure grid references, measuring distances on maps and the use of contours</li> </ul>	Supporting materials: Online resources shared with students through Microsoft Teams <u>https://www.ordnancesurvey.co.uk/</u> mapzone/ Educake Assessment: Several short tests on knowledge and skills throughout the half term.
Autumn 2 2023	<ul> <li>Rivers</li> <li>Learning the water cycle and main parts of a river; the processes of erosion, transportation and deposition.</li> <li>Developing an understanding of how these processes create a variety of distinctive landforms.</li> <li>Beginning to examine the role of fieldwork in Geography</li> </ul>	Supporting materials: Online resources shared with students through Microsoft Teams <u>https://www.ordnancesurvey.co.uk/</u> mapzone/ Assessment: A range of short tests on key term definitions and practice exam questions.
Spring 1 2024	<ul> <li>Rivers</li> <li>River case-study.</li> <li>Examining the causes and effects of flooding.</li> <li>Examining ways of managing flooding.</li> </ul>	Supporting materials: Online resources shared with students through Microsoft Teams <u>https://www.ordnancesurvey.co.uk/</u> <u>mapzone/</u>
Spring 2 2024	<ul> <li>Resource Reliance</li> <li>Learning the different components of Earth's Systems including the Hydrosphere, Biosphere, Atmosphere and Lithosphere to understand what the Earth's natural resources are.</li> <li>Examining how these resources can be used to make electricity and the advantages and disadvantages of each form.</li> </ul>	Supporting materials: Online resources shared with students through Microsoft Teams <u>https://www.ordnancesurvey.co.uk/</u> mapzone/ Assessment: A range of short tests on key term definitions and practice exam questions.

## Geography cont.

Summer	Resource Reliance	Supporting materials:
1	• Understanding the history of the UK's Energy mix and	Online resources shared with students
2024	debating the various options for providing energy in the future including nuclear, fracking and renewable energy.	through Microsoft Teams https://www.ordnancesurvey.co.uk/ mapzone/
		Assessment: Completing a fieldwork river project.
Summer	Revision lessons for the End of Year Examination	Supporting materials:
2 2024		Online resources shared with students through Microsoft Teams <u>https://www.ordnancesurvey.co.uk/</u> <u>mapzone/</u>
		Assessment: End of year examination

#### German

Autumn	Module 1	Supporting materials:
1	Meine Welt und ich	www.languagesonline.org.uk
2023	<ul> <li>Unit 1: Introducing yourself. Learning how to pronounce German words.</li> <li>Unit 2. Counting to 19. Using verbs with 'sein' To be Unit 3: Using the German Alphabet. Using the verb 'wohnen' to say where you live</li> <li>Unit 4: Describing your character. Using 'mein(e)' 'dein(e)'</li> </ul>	www.wordreference.com
Autumn 2 2023	<b>Unit 5:</b> Q&As about your belongings. Using the verb 'haben' + indefinite article <b>Unit 6</b> Preparing a poster presentation. Writing skills. Checking work.	Supporting materials: www.languagesonline.org.uk www.wordreference.com
		Assessment: An end of Module 1 test covering at least 2 language-based skills.
Spring	Module 2	Supporting materials:
1	Familie und Tiere	www.languagesonline.org.uk
2024	<ul> <li>Unit 1: Talking about pets. Using pronouns</li> <li>Unit 2: Talking about 'superpets'. Using 'kann' + infinitive</li> <li>Unit 3: Talking about family members and age.</li> <li>More practice of present tense verbs.</li> </ul>	www.wordreference.com Assessment: An end of Module 2 test covering at least 2 language-based skills.
Spring 2 2024	<ul> <li>Unit 4: Describing family members. Using adjectives with nouns.</li> <li>Unit 5: Talking about birthdays. Using ordinal numbers (1<sup>st</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup> etc).</li> <li>Unit 6: Developing speaking skills. Practising asking and answering questions</li> </ul>	Supporting materials: www.languagesonline.org.uk <u>www.wordreference.com</u> Assessment: An end of Module 2 test covering all 4 language-based skills.

#### German cont.

Summer	Module 3	Supporting materials:
1	Freizeit – Juhu!	www.languagesonline.org.uk
2024	<b>Unit 1:</b> Talking about which sports you play. Using 'gern' with spielen.	www.wordreference.com
	Unit 2: Talking about leisure activities. Giving your	Assessment:
	opinions.	none
	Unit 3: Talking about how often you do activities.	
	Using correct word order.	
	General revision of all content covered thus far.	
Summer	Revision	Supporting materials:
2		Revision Guide
2024	End of Year 7 examination of all content covered	www.languagesonline.org.uk
	thus far	www.wordreference.com
	Feedback	Assessment:
		End of year examination covering all 4 skills

## History

Autumn	Movement and Settlement	Supporting materials:
1	How did early invaders influence Britain?	SHP History Year 7- Ian Dawson and
2023	• Did people love or hate living in the Roman empire?	Maggie Wilson
	What was England like in the 1060s?	Rediscovering Medieval Realms- Colin
		Shepherd
		KS3 History - BBC Bitesize
		Assessment – writing a report:
		How easy would it be to invade
		England?
Autumn	Why was 1066 a turning point in British history?	Supporting materials:
2	• Who should be king of England?	SHP History Year 7- Ian Dawson and
2023	• Why did William win the Battle of Hastings?	Maggie Wilson
	How did William gain control of England?	Rediscovering Medieval Realms- Colin
	• What was the impact of the Norman Conquest?	Shepherd
		KS3 History - BBC Bitesize
		Assessment essay:
		Why did William win the Battle of
		Hastings?
Spring	Could a medieval king do whatever he liked?	Supporting materials:
1	How did monarchs keep control?	SHP History Year 7- Ian Dawson and
2024	Who were the best kings in the Middle Ages?	Maggie Wilson
	Why did the Barons rebel against King John?	Rediscovering Medieval Realms- Colin
		Shepherd
		KS3 History - BBC Bitesize
		Assessment essay:
		Why did the Barons rebel against King
		John?
Spring	What was it like to live in the Middle Ages?	Supporting materials:
2	What was medieval village life like?	SHP History Year 7- Ian Dawson and
2024	Did people have fun in the Middle Ages?	Maggie Wilson
	Did farmers have a hard life?	Rediscovering Medieval Realms- Colin
	Were punishments cruel and violent?	Shepherd
		KS3 History - BBC Bitesize
		Assessment:
		Produce a guidebook to life in the
		Middle Ages

## History

Summer 1	How did ordinary life change in the Middle Ages?	Supporting materials:
2024	<ul><li>What was the Black Death?</li><li>What was the impact of the Black Death?</li></ul>	SHP History Year 7- Ian Dawson and Maggie Wilson
		Rediscovering Medieval Realms- Colin Shepherd <u>KS3 History - BBC Bitesize</u> Assessment: Writing historical fiction: How I survived the Black Death
Summer	How did ordinary life change in the Middle Ages?	Supporting materials:
2	Why did people rebel in 1381?	SHP History Year 7- Ian Dawson and
2023	• Were the rebels of 1381 heroes or villains?	Maggie Wilson
	Revision	Rediscovering Medieval Realms- Colin Shepherd
	Feedback	KS3 History - BBC Bitesize Assessment: End of year examination

### Latin

Autumn	De Romanis Chapter 1: The Olympian Gods	Supporting materials:
1		The Textbook
2023	Content and sources	De Romanis Companion Site
2020	Vocabulary 1	De Romanis Companion site
	Nouns and adjectives	
	Verbs	A
	Case endings	Assessment:
	Nominative and accusative	Various vocabulary tests and
	• Stems, declensions and gender	translations (both Latin into English
	Singular and plural	and English into Latin).
Autumn	De Romanis Chapter 2: Roman Heroes	Supporting materials:
2		The Textbook
2023	<ul> <li>Sources and content</li> </ul>	Interactive Program on school
	Vocabulary 2	network.
	<ul> <li>Nouns in 3 genders</li> </ul>	
	2-1-2 adjectives	Assessment:
	<ul> <li>3<sup>rd</sup> declension adjectives</li> </ul>	Various vocabulary tests and
	Prepositions	translations (both Latin into English
		and English into Latin).
Spring	De Romanis Chapter 2: Roman Heroes	Supporting materials:
1		The Textbook
2024	Adjectives without nouns	De Romanis Companion Site
	The perfect tense	De Kontanis companion site
	Irregular verbs	
		Assessment:
		Various vocabulary tests and
		translations (both Latin into English
		and English into Latin).
Spring	De Romanis Chapter 3: Roman Gods	Supporting materials:
2		The textbook
2024	Sources and content	De Romanis Companion Site
	Vocabulary 3	
	The ablative case	
	Prepositions and compound verbs	Assessment:
	<ul> <li>Conjugations and principal parts</li> </ul>	Various vocabulary tests and
	<ul> <li>Infinitives</li> </ul>	translations (both Latin into English
		and English into Latin).

#### Latin cont.

Summer 1 2024	<ul> <li>De Romanis Chapter 3: Roman Gods</li> <li>Sum, eo and possum</li> <li>Adverbs</li> <li>Verb stems and imperfect tense</li> <li>Imperfect tense and person endings</li> <li>Further uses of ablative</li> </ul>	Supporting materials: The Textbook De Romanis companion site Assessment: Various vocabulary tests and translations (both Latin into English and English into Latin).
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#### Mathematics

Autumn	Module 1: Using numbers	Supporting materials:
1 2023	<ol> <li>to carry out calculations from information given in charts and tables</li> <li>to know and use financial vocabulary</li> <li>to order positive and negative numbers using a number line</li> <li>to use and apply comparison symbols such as &gt; (greater than) and &lt; (less than) - these symbols will be seen in biology</li> <li>to calculate addition, subtraction and multiplication problems involving directed numbers</li> <li>use and apply directed number calculations in a real-life context</li> </ol>	STP & Collins textbooks <u>DrFrostMaths.com</u> <u>Corbettmaths</u> <i>Assessment:</i> 1 Class Test 1 online homework weekly 1 written homework weekly
	Module 2: Angles	
	<ol> <li>to use a protractor to measure an angle</li> <li>to use a protractor to draw an angle</li> <li>to understand and recognise notation for angles and straight lines</li> <li>to know the properties of parallel and perpendicular lines</li> <li>to calculate angles on a straight line</li> <li>to calculate angles around a point</li> <li>to identify vertically opposite angles</li> <li>to calculate angles in parallel lines</li> <li>to know that the angle sum of a triangle is 180°</li> <li>to know that the angle sum of a quadrilateral is 360°</li> <li>to know and use the properties of triangles</li> <li>to use angles, construction and measuring skills with confidence, fluency and accuracy (constructing triangles and quadrilaterals)</li> <li>Module 3: Perimeter, area and volume</li> <li>to use a simple formula to work out the perimeter of a rectangle</li> <li>to vark out the perimeter and area of compound rectilinear shapes by using simple formulae</li> <li>to calculate the area of a triangle</li> <li>to calculate the volume of cubes and cuboids</li> <li>use and apply knowledge of areas and perimeters in a real- life context</li> <li>Emphasise that all formulae MUST be learnt.</li> <li>Module 4: Decimal numbers</li> <li>To understand ideas of place value – with particular emphasis on numbers on a number line</li> <li>to multiply and divide decimal numbers by powers of 10 with particular emphasis on how the digits of the numbers move around – NOT the decimal point.</li> </ol>	

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	3. to use rounding to estimate answers to calculations, to spot	
	possible errors	
	4. to order decimals, including numbers with different decimal	
	places	
	5. to add and subtract decimal numbers	
	6. to multiply and divide decimal numbers	
	7. solve multi-step problems involving decimals in a familiar	
	context	
Autumn	Module 7: Statistics	Supporting materials:
2		STP & Collins textbooks
2023	1. to calculate and use the mean, mode, median and range of a	DrFrostMaths.com
	set of raw data	<u>Corbettmaths</u>
	2. to solve problem style questions involving mean, mode,	
	median and range e.g., mean from 2 sets of data	Assessment:
	3. to identify types of data – qualitative, quantitative, discrete	1 Class Test
	and continuous	
	4. to create an ungrouped frequency table from a set of raw,	1 online homework weekly
	discrete data by tallying and represent the information on a	1 written homework weekly
	line graph.	
	5. to understand the link between a set of raw data and the	
	corresponding ungrouped frequency table in order to	
	calculate mean, mode and median from a simple ungrouped	
	frequency table	
	6. to be able to read and interpret different statistical diagrams	
	7. to develop a greater understanding of data collection	
	8. to apply data handling skills to a real-life situation	
	Many of the above ideas will be met and used in Biology	
	Module 6: Working with numbers	
	1. to recognise and use square numbers up to 225 (15 <sup>2</sup> ) and	
	corresponding square roots	
	2. to round numbers to more than one decimal place	
	3. to round numbers to one or two significant figures	
	4. to use the conventions of BIDMAS to carry out calculations	
	5. to use an efficient written method of multiplication without	
	a calculator	
	6. to use an efficient written method of division without a	
	calculator	
	7. to convert between common metric units	
	8. to use measurements in calculations	
	9. to recognise and use appropriate metric units	
	10. to apply number skills in real-life contexts	
Spring		Supporting materials:
1	Module 7: Algebra	STP & Collins textbooks
2024	1. to use algebra to write simple expressions and recognise	DrFrostMaths.com
2024	equivalent expressions	<u>Corbettmaths</u>
	2. to substitute numbers into expressions to work out their	corpetimatils
	value	
	3. to apply arithmetic rules to algebraic expressions	Assessment:
	4. to use substitution in the context of formulae	1 Class Test
	5. to construct formulae from contextual situations to use a	1 online homework weekly
	formula to calculate costs	1 written homework weekly

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Module 8: Fractions	
1. to find common equivalent fractions	
2. to write fractions in their simplest form	
3. to compare and order two fractions	
4. to add and subtract fractions with different denominators	
5. to covert between mixed numbers and improper fractions	
<ol><li>to add and subtract simple mixed numbers with different denominators</li></ol>	
<ol><li>to explore fractions in the context of the part-whole relationship</li></ol>	
Module 9: Sequences	
1. to use function machines to generate inputs and outputs	
2. to use given inputs and outputs to work out a function	
<ol> <li>to recognise, describe and generate linear and geometric sequences</li> </ol>	
4. to identify missing terms in a sequence	
5. to identify the nth term of a linear sequence	
6. to use the nth term to work out any term in a sequence	
7. to explore square and triangular numbers as sequences	
8. to know and generate the Fibonacci sequence and Pascal's	
triangle	
9. use and apply knowledge of sequences in a context	

Module 10: Coordinates and graphs	Supporting materials:
<ol> <li>to use coordinates to identify and locate position points in all four quadrants</li> <li>to draw a graph using a simple linear rule</li> <li>to know the connection between pairs of coordinates and the relationship shown in an equation and a graph</li> <li>to recognise and draw linear graphs with values of x and y</li> <li>to recognise and draw the graphs of y = x and y = -x</li> <li>to recognise and draw graphs of the form x + y = a</li> <li>to draw and use real-life graphs to know how graphs can be used in real-life situations</li> <li>to apply graphing skills in a real-life situation – please use</li> </ol>	STP & Collins textbooks <u>DrFrostMaths.com</u> <u>Corbettmaths</u> Assessment: 1 Class Test 1 online homework weekly 1 written homework weekly
worksheet in the Maths and Science folder	
Module 11: Percentages	
<ol> <li>to know equivalences between common fractions, decimals and percentages</li> <li>to understand and use percentages greater than 100%</li> <li>to calculate a fraction of a quantity without a calculator</li> <li>to calculate a percentage of a quantity with a calculator using the idea of multipliers</li> <li>to know when it is appropriate to use a calculator</li> <li>to calculate the result of a percentage change</li> <li>to apply percentage skills in a real-life context</li> <li>Many of these ideas will be met and used in Biology</li> </ol>	
Module 12: Probability	
<ol> <li>to know the vocabulary of probability</li> <li>to know and use the 0-1 probability scale</li> <li>to use sample space diagrams to work out the probability of a combined event</li> <li>to know the difference between theoretical and experimental probability</li> <li>to calculate and use experimental probability</li> <li>to use experimental and theoretical probability in a real-life context</li> </ol>	
Module 13: Symmetry	
<ol> <li>to recognise shapes that have reflection symmetry</li> <li>to draw lines of symmetry on a shape</li> <li>to recognise shapes that have rotational symmetry</li> <li>to find the order of rotational symmetry of a shape</li> <li>to be able to transform a shape by reflection in vertical and horizontal mirror lines</li> <li>to use a coordinate grid to reflect shapes along lines described using y = a, x = a y = x and y = -x,</li> <li>to be able to transform a shape by rotation</li> <li>to be able to transform a shape by translation</li> <li>to understand that reflections, rotations and translations</li> </ol>	
	<ol> <li>to use coordinates to identify and locate position points in all four quadrants</li> <li>to draw a graph using a simple linear rule</li> <li>to know the connection between pairs of coordinates and the relationship shown in an equation and a graph</li> <li>to recognise and draw linear graphs with values of x and y</li> <li>to recognise and draw the graphs of y = x and y = -x</li> <li>to recognise and draw the graphs to know how graphs can be used in real-life situations</li> <li>to apply graphing skills in a real-life situation - please use data provided in tables 1, 2 and 3 on the Maths in Physics worksheet in the Maths and Science folder</li> <li>Module 11: Percentages</li> <li>to know equivalences between common fractions, decimals and percentages</li> <li>to calculate a fraction of a quantity without a calculator</li> <li>to calculate a percentage of a quantity with a calculator using the idea of multipliers</li> <li>to know when it is appropriate to use a calculator</li> <li>to calculate the result of a percentage change</li> <li>to know the vocabulary of probability</li> <li>to know the vocabulary of probability</li> <li>to know the difference between theoretical and experimental probability</li> <li>to know the difference between theoretical and experimental probability</li> <li>to calculate and use experimental probability</li> <li>to recognise shapes that have reflection symmetry</li> <li>to find the order of rotational symmetry</li> <li>to be able to transform a shape by reflection in vertical and horizontal mirror lines</li></ol>

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	<ol> <li>to recognise and fully describe reflections, rotations and translations</li> <li>to apply aspects of symmetry in real-life contexts</li> </ol>	
Summer 1 2024	<ol> <li>Module 14: Equations</li> <li>to find missing numbers in simple calculations</li> <li>to solve equations involving one operation</li> <li>to solve equations involving two operations</li> <li>to use algebra to set up and solve equations – this could include substituting numbers into the GCSE Physics Equations in the Maths and Science folder and solving the resulting equations</li> <li>to identify and solve multi-step linear equations</li> <li>Module 15: Ratio</li> </ol>	Supporting materials: STP & Collins textbooks DrFrostMaths.com Corbettmaths Assessment: Revision assessment 1 online homework weekly 1 written homework weekly
	<ol> <li>to know ratio notation</li> <li>to use ratios to compare quantities</li> <li>to write a ratio in its simplest terms - could calculate surface area : volume ratios from data on the Maths in biology worksheet in the Maths and Science folder</li> <li>to write ratios in the form 1:x - could calculate surface area : volume ratios from data on the Maths in biology worksheet in the Maths and Science folder</li> <li>to use ratios to find totals and missing quantities - e.g., divide 24 in the ratio 1:3 or Joe and Jim share £24 in the ratio 1:3, if Joe gets £5 how much doe Jim get?</li> <li>to use and apply the connection between ratios and fractions as a proportionality relationship</li> <li>to use ratios in a real-life context - e.g. in chemistry CO<sub>4</sub> could be represented as the ratio of carbon to oxygen being 1:4.</li> </ol>	
	<ul> <li>Module 16: Interpreting data</li> <li>1. to read and interpret data from pie charts</li> <li>2. to draw a pie chart – with exact and inexact angles</li> <li>3. to use the averages and range to compare and interpret data sets</li> <li>4. to carry out a statistical survey</li> <li>5. to use charts and diagrams to interpret data and write a report</li> <li>6. to apply data interpretation skills in everyday situations</li> <li>Many of the ideas above will be met and used in Biology</li> <li>Module 17: 3D shapes</li> <li>1. to know the names and properties of common 3D shapes</li> <li>2. to establish the rule connecting faces, edges and vertices in 3D shapes (Euler)</li> <li>3. to use isometric paper to represent shapes made from cubes</li> <li>4. to draw nets for 3D shapes</li> </ul>	

#### Mathematics cont.

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Summer	•	Revision	Supporting materials:
2	•	Review of examination	STP & Collins textbooks
2024	•	Feedback	DrFrostMaths.com
			Corbettmaths
			Assessment:
			End of year examination
			Two 1hr examinations.
			Results will determine Year 8 set

### Music

Autumn	UNIT 1: Musical Elements & Samba	Supporting materials:
Autumn 1	UNIT 1. Musical Elements & Samba	Class workbook
-	• What are the key musical elements?	
2023	What are the key musical elements?	PowerPoints on MS Teams
	How do you perform and compose polyrhythms     and cross-rhythms?	Samba drums
	What is syncopation?	Assessment:
	What are the main musical features and	1) Group performance and
	instruments of Samba music?	composition of a Samba drumming
	How do you compose and structure a Samba	piece
	piece?	2) Samba music listening test
Autumn	UNIT 2: Singing techniques	Supporting materials:
2	own 2. Singing teeningues	Class workbook
2023	• How and why do we warm up before we sing?	PowerPoints on MS Teams
2020	<ul> <li>How do you sing smoothly and with articulation?</li> </ul>	Song recordings
	<ul> <li>How do you sing smoothly and with a fituation:</li> <li>How do you show good stage presence during a</li> </ul>	YouTube demonstration videos
	vocal performance?	
	<ul> <li>Perform a song in the Halliford Song Contest</li> </ul>	Assessment:
	• Perform a song in the namoru song contest	1) Group singing performance of a
		chosen song (Song Contest)
		2) Singing techniques listening test
Spring	UNIT 3: Understanding notation	Supporting materials:
1		Class workbook
2024	What are the notes of the treble and bass clef?	PowerPoints on MS Teams
	<ul> <li>What are rhythm note values?</li> </ul>	https://www.instructables.com/id/H
	What are time signatures?	ow-to-Read-Sheet-Music-for-
	What are key signatures?	Beginners/
	Composition of a four-bar rhythm	
		Assessment:
		Music theory test
Spring	UNIT 4: Composing a melody & Introduction to the	Supporting materials:
2	keyboard	Class workbook
2024		PowerPoints on MS Teams
	How do you perform using a range of keyboard	Keyboards
	playing techniques, including playing with both	YouTube demonstration videos
	hands together?	
	<ul> <li>How do you use appropriate fingering on the</li> </ul>	Assessment:
	keyboard?	Keyboard performance of chosen
	<ul> <li>How do you form and play a chord?</li> </ul>	study piece
	<ul> <li>How do you compose an effective melody?</li> </ul>	- / 1

### Music cont.

Summer 1 2024	<ul> <li>UNIT 5: Listening &amp; Analysing</li> <li>What are the musical instrumental families?</li> <li>What is timbre?</li> <li>What is the layout of the orchestra?</li> <li>What are the main musical features of classical, jazz, pop and rock music?</li> <li>How do you analyse music using key terms?</li> </ul>	Supporting materials: Class workbook PowerPoints on MS Teams Assessment: Listening and analysing questions on a variety of different musical styles
Summer 2 2024	Revision Feedback from examinations	Supporting materials: Class workbooks PowerPoints on MS Teams Revision guide Assessment: End of year examination

Autumn	Rugby:	Supporting materials/ websites:
1	Core skills	BBC Sport, RFU,
2023	• Tackle technique – if comfortable to try	Assessment:
	Basic passing	Formative
	Evaision skills	Summative
	Basic rucking	Peer
	Game awareness	
	Focus on safety	
Autumn	Basketball:	Supporting materials/ websites:
2	Core skills focus	BBC Sport, England basketball
2023	Dribbling	
	Passing – Chest and bounce pass	Assessment:
	<ul> <li>Shooting – Set, jump, layup</li> </ul>	Formative
	Basic man-to-man defence concept	Summative
		Peer
Spring	Cross-country:	Supporting materials/ websites:
1	Warm up and cool down	BBC Sport, UK Athletics
2024	Idea of pacing	
	Awareness of fitness levels	Assessment:
	Various routes and distances completed	Formative
	Team pursuit	Summative
	Concepts of training progression introduced	Peer
	Phases of a warm up and cool down	
	Exercise effects on the body	
Spring	Indoor Cricket:	Supporting materials/ websites:
2	Catching and throwing	BBC Sport, ECB
2024	<ul> <li>Chase and retrieve – short and long barriers</li> </ul>	
	Batting (grip, front foot, back foot, pull and cut	Assessment:
	shots)	Formative
	Bowling	Summative
	<ul> <li>Application of skills to indoor game formats</li> </ul>	Peer

# Physical Education (cont.)

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Summer	Throughout the Summer term athletics takes place.	Supporting materials/ websites:
1	Two events are looked at in each lesson from a	BBC Sport, UK Athletics
2024	selection of throwing, jumping and track.	
	<ul> <li>Throwing events: safety measures, grip and stance, low to high, trajectory, power and control, rules.</li> <li>Jumping events: safety, run up, take off, body position, landing, power and control.</li> <li>Track: safety, pacing, starts, phases, technique, breathing, psychological aspects.</li> </ul>	Assessment: As the boys go through the years the input and technical language used is developed and peer assessment and feedback becomes more prominent as the boys become more independent with their learning. Times, distances and heights are regularly recorded, and the emphasis is on personal
		development.
Summer 2 2024	Athletics will continue to take place. Two events are looked at in each lesson from a selection of throwing, jumping and track.	
	Sports Day	

#### **PSHE**

Autumn	Summer Projects
1	
2023	New students, having completed their summer projects will present these, in lessons.
Autumn	Being Me
2	
2023	Who am I? What influences me? What makes me unique? Are just some of the questions explored during this topic. Students look at exploring individual identity and how this helps relationships develop.
Spring 1	Diversity
2024	In this topic, we explore how people are different, why people are different and why being different actually helps us in life. We discuss the idea of tolerance, understanding, acceptance and discrimination.
Spring	Health Matters
2 2024	Food, exercise and a healthy mind is explored during this topic. We research and analyse how our daily intake of food, fitness and our minds can impact our health.
Summer	Risk
4 2023	With an ever-growing online work, it is important to look at safety when using online platforms. Students develop safety techniques, what to do if something does not seem safe and how to protect yourself online. We also touch upon road safety and how to stay safe in certain circumstances.
Summer 2	Relationships
2024	<ul> <li>Throughout our lives we will have a multitude of different relationships with different people.</li> <li>Students will explore the importance of relationships and how they influence us as individuals.</li> <li>We look at: <ul> <li>Family</li> <li>Friends</li> <li>Peers</li> <li>Teachers</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
	End of year examination

Autumn	Ultimate Questions	Supporting materials/ websites:
Autumn 1	This unit will be the students first introduction to	Class PowerPoints
2023	Philosophy and will cover the whole of Autumn term.	
2023		Book excerpts
	- Introduction to RS at Halliford	YouTube Clips
	- What are ultimate questions?	Digital and online resources
	- Free will	
	- God's existence	Assessment:
	- Identity	In-class assessment
	- Eschatology	
Autumn	(continuing)	Supporting materials/ websites:
2		Class PowerPoints
2023	- Meaning of life	Book excerpts
	- Scholarly views on the meaning of life (e.g.	YouTube Clips
	Confucius, Bentham, Camus)	Digital and online resources
	- Speech writing	Assessment support
	- Speech performance	
		Assessment:
		Debate writing and performance
Spring	Judaism	Supporting materials:
1		Class PowerPoints
2024	This unit will cover the beliefs and practices with the	Book excerpts
2024	faith. This will continue for the entire term.	YouTube Clips
		Digital and online resources
	lows and Judaism today	Religious texts
	<ul> <li>Jews and Judaism today</li> <li>The TaNaKh</li> </ul>	-
	- Creation stories in Genesis	Assessment guidance and support
	- Abraham, Isaac and the covenant	
	- Moses and the Exodus	A
		Assessment:
		Reasearch and comprehension
		assignment
		Short written answers assignment
	(continuing)	Supporting materials/ websites:
Spring 2	(continuing)	Class PowerPoints
_	- The Ten Commandments	
2024		Book excerpts
	<ul> <li>Jacbo's Dream and Making Israel</li> </ul>	YouTube Clips
	- The Synagogue	Digital and online resources
	- Passover	Religious texts
	- Bar/Bat Mitzvah	Assessment guidance and support
		Assessment:
		Evaluative essay
		Jewish sacred space assignment
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# Religious Studies cont.

Summer	Faith in the world	Supporting materials:
1		Class PowerPoints
1 2024	<ul> <li>This unit focuses on the global pattern of faith and non-faith and will include an independent project.</li> <li>Faith and non-faith in the world today</li> <li>Independent Project: Religious around the world (looking further than the major six world religious e.g. Daoism, Baha'i, Humanism) with students working on different beliefs</li> <li>Project presentation to class</li> </ul>	Class PowerPoints Book excerpts YouTube Clips Digital and online resources Religious texts Assessment guidance and support <i>Assessment:</i> Research produced and the presentation to the class
Summer 2	(continuation)	Supporting materials/ websites: Class PowerPoints
2024	<ul> <li>Final knowledge exchange for the projects</li> <li>Exam skills prep</li> <li>Revision</li> <li>Feedback and reflection</li> </ul>	Book excerpts YouTube Clips Digital and online resources Religious texts Assessment guidance and support Assessment: End of Year Examination on all topics

### Science

Autumn	Organisms: Movement	Supporting materials/ websites:
1	8.1 Exploring the human skeleton	Textbook used: Collins AQA KS3
2023	8.2 Understanding the role of joints and muscles	Science Student Book Part 1
2023	8.3 Examining interacting muscles	
	<b>0 0</b>	Chapter 8
	8.4 Exploring problems with the skeletal system	
		Online resources:
	Organisms: Cells	Doddle
	8.5 Understanding organisation of organisms	• Twig
	8.6 Describing animal and plant cells	BBC Bitesize
	8.7 Understanding adaptations of cells	
	8.8 Exploring cells	Assessment:
	8.9 Understanding unicellular organisms	Ongoing assessment of classwork and
		homework
		Practical assessments
		Cell model
		Unit test
Autumn	Introduction to Science and the Laboratory	Supporting materials:
2	Safety	Textbook used: Collins AQA KS3
2023	Equipment	Science Student Book Part 1
		Chapter 5
	Matter: Particle Model	
	5.1 Using particles to explain matter	Online resources:
	5.2 Understanding solids	Doddle
	5.3 Understanding liquids and gases	• Twig
	5.4 Exploring diffusion	BBC Bitesize
	5.5 Explaining changes of state	o bbe bitesize
		Assessment:
	Matter: Separating Mixtures	Ongoing assessment of classwork and
	5.6 Separating mixtures	homework
	5.7 Exploring solutions	Practical assessments
	5.8 Understanding distillation	
	5.9 Exploring chromatography	Unit test
Spring	Forces: Speed	Supporting materials:
1	1.1 Understanding Speed	Textbook used: Collins AQA KS3
2024	1.2 Describing journeys with distance-time graphs	Science Student Book Part 1
	1.3 Exploring journeys on distance-time graphs	Chapter 1
	1.4 Investigating the motion of a car on a ramp	
	1.5 Understanding relative motion	Online resources:
		• Doddle
	Forces: Gravity	• Twig
	1.6 Understanding forces	BBC Bitesize
	1.7 Understanding gravitational fields	
	1.8 Understanding mass and weight	Assessment:
	1.9 Understanding gravity	Ongoing assessment of classwork,
		homework and project work
		Practical assessments
		Unit test

### Science cont.

Spring	Reactions: Metals and Non-metals	Supporting materials:
2	6.1 Using metals and non-metals	Textbook used: Collins AQA KS3
2024	6.2 Exploring the reactions of metals with acids	Science Student Book Part 1
	6.3 Understanding displacement reactions	Chapter 6
	6.4 Understanding oxidation reactions	
		Online resources:
	Reactions: Acids and Alkalis	Doddle
	6.2 Exploring the reactions of metals with acids	• Twig
	6.5 Exploring acids	<ul> <li>BBC Bitesize</li> </ul>
	6.6 Exploring alkalis	
	6.7 Using indicators	Assessment:
	6.8 Exploring neutralisation	Ongoing assessment of classwork,
	6.9 Investigating neutralization	homework and project work
		Practical Assessments
		Unit test
Summer	Energy: Energy Costs and Transfers	Supporting materials:
1	3.3 Looking at the cost of energy use in the home	Textbook used: Collins AQA KS3
2024	3.5 Using electricity responsibly	Science Student Book Part 1
2024	3.1 Understanding energy transfer by fuels and food	Chapter 3
	3.2 Comparing rates of energy transfers	
	3.4 Getting the electricity we need	Online resources:
	3.6 Energy stores and transfers	Doddle
	3.7 Exploring energy transfers	• Twig
	3.8 Understanding potential energy and kinetic energy	BBC Bitesize
	3.9 Understanding elastic energy	
		Assessment:
		Ongoing assessment of classwork,
		homework and project work
		Practical Assessments
		Unit test
Summer	Revision, Test and Examination Technique	Supporting materials:
2	······································	Textbook used: Collins AQA KS3
2024	Introduction to Ecosystems: Interdependence and	Science Student Book Part 1
	Plant Reproduction	Chapter 9
	9.1 Understanding food webs	
	9.2 Understanding the effects of toxins in the	Online resources:
	environment	Doddle
	9.3 Exploring the importance of insects	• Twig
		<ul> <li>BBC Bitesize</li> </ul>
		Assessment:
		Year 7 End of year examination
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## Spanish

Autumn	Module 1 Mi vida	Supporting materials:
1		¡Viva! Libro 1
2023	<b>Unit 1:</b> Introducing yourself, greetings, pronunciation	www.languagesonline.org.uk,
	<b>Unit 2:</b> Talking about your personality, using	www.classtools.net,
	adjectives	www.Edpuzzle.com,
	<b>Unit 3:</b> Talking about age, brothers and sisters, using	www.wordreference.com
	"tener"	www.linguascope.com
		Assessment:
		Continuous evaluation throughout
		Module 1 covering all 4 language-based
		skills.
Autumn	Module 1 Mi vida	Supporting materials:
2		¡Viva! Libro 1
2023	<b>Unit 4:</b> Saying when your birthday is, using numbers	www.languagesonline.org.uk,
	and the alphabet	www.classtools.net,
	Unit 5: Talking about your pets	www.Edpuzzle.com,
	Unit 6: Developing writing skills	www.wordreference.com
		www.linguascope.com
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		Assessment:
		An end of Module 1 test covering all 4
		language-based skills.
Spring	Module 2 Mi tiempo libre	Supporting materials:
1	·	¡Viva! Libro 1
2024	<b>Unit 1:</b> Saying what you like to do, giving opinions	www.languagesonline.org.uk,
	using "me gusta" + infinitive and justifications	www.classtools.net,
	Unit 2: Saying what you do in your spare time, using –	www.Edpuzzle.com,
	ar verbs in the present tense	www.wordreference.com
		www.linguascope.com
		Assessment:
		Assessment: Continuous evaluation throughout
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		Continuous evaluation throughout Module 1 covering all 4 language-based skills.
Spring	Module 2 Mi tiempo libre	Continuous evaluation throughout Module 1 covering all 4 language-based skills.
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2	Module 2 Mi tiempo libre Unit 3: Talking about the weather, using "cuando" Unit 4: Saying what sports you do, using "hacer" and	Continuous evaluation throughout Module 1 covering all 4 language-based skills. Grammar test – present tense –ar verbs Supporting materials: ¡Viva! Libro 1
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Summer	Revision of Modules 1 & 2	Supporting materials:		
1		¡Viva! Libro 1		
2024	General revision of	www.languagesonline.org.uk		
	Modules 1 – 2	www.classtools.net		
		www.Edpuzzle.com		
		www.wordreference.com		
		www.linguascope.com		
		Assessment:		
		No assessment		
Summer	End of Year 7 examination of Modules 1-2	Supporting materials:		
2		¡Viva! Libro 1		
2024		www.languagesonline.org.uk,		
		www.classtools.net		
		www.Edpuzzle.com		
		www.wordreference.com		
		www.linguascope.com		
		Assessment:		
		End of Year Examination		

Class	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Design & Technology	Art	Mathematics	Science	Mathematics
7J	Geography	Computer Science	History	Latin	English
	MFL	Music		Religious Studies	MFL
	Art	Design & Technology	Computer Science	Science	Mathematics
7K	MFL	Music	Mathematics	History	English
	Religious Studies		Latin	Geography	MFL
	Computer Science	Art	Religious Studies	Design & Technology	Mathematics
7L	MFL	Geography	Mathematics	Science	English
	Music		Latin	History	MFL

- Initially, Year 7 students are only set homework in Mathematics, English and Science. Homework for the other subjects commences after a settling in period.
- The approximate time for homework in Year 7 is 30 minutes per subject.
- Year 7 homework for Art, Religious Studies, Music and Computer Science is set fortnightly.
- Year 7, 8 and 9 homework for Latin, Music and Design & Technology is set fortnightly.
- In addition to the one English homework a week set in Year 7, students are expected to spend 20 minutes per weekday reading their accelerated reader text. They are also expected to have their accelerated reader text with them at all times whilst at school.
- Students who are entitled to extra time in tests and examinations should practise using extra time when doing their homework.