

Year 9 – Autumn Half Term 4

| | | English | Maths | Science | Geography | History | Spanish |
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| Topic | | The Influence of the Media | Geometry and Measures 2 – Perimeter, Area and volume of shapes and Pythagoras' Theorem Statistics – Averages and graphs to represent Data | Bio 2 – Cell structure and transport Chem 2 – Rates of reaction Phys 2 – Energy | What is an economy, from local to global? | Democracy to Dictatorship: Germany in the 1920s and 1930s. | Jobs & Future Careers |
| Assessment / Key Pieces | | 2x progress checks Speech writing SSA2 | Progress checks in Geometry and Statistics SSA 2 | SSA 2 X 1 progress check | Standardised Summative Assessment | Standardised Summative Assessment | X1 Progress Check: Role-Play – arranging to go to the cinema |
| Homework | | Homework project set by teachers related to media and digital footprints | Set Weekly on sparx maths www.sparxmaths.com | Weekly spellings and homework for Bio2/Chem2/Phys2 | Once every three weeks- key terms, retrieval practice, research. | Once every three weeks linked to Knowledge Organisers – key terms, spelling tests, research. | Weekly learning from Knowledge Organiser / Quizlet |
| Personal Development/careers | | Careers within the media Racism Knife crime Fake news | What careers use Averages and how? | Careers in science | Careers linked to the different economic sectors | Be able to recognise the difference between right and wrong. | Post-16 pathways |
| Going the extra mile | Read  | Bias in the media – spotting 'fake news' https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/search?q=bias | Revision guides and class notes | Bio: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zd7qnrd Chem: https://sciencenotes.org/examples-of-chemical-reactions-in-everyday-life/ Phys: https://www.thermalearth.co.uk/blog/175/How-Do-Home-Heating-Methods-Vary-Around-the-World? | Why doesn't Britain make things any more? https://www.theguardian.com/business/2011/nov/16/why-britain-doesnt-make-things-manufacturing | <i>When Hitler stole Pink Rabbit</i> by Judith Kerr. | Job adverts in Spanish |
| | Visit  | Bradford Media and Film Museum https://www.scienceandmediamuseum.org.uk/ | Mathmagicland https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=U_ZHsk0-eF0 | Drax power station or Blackburn meadows energy plant | Magna Science and Adventure Centre - Rotherham | Imperial War Museum, Manchester. | Showroom cinema, Sheffield to watch a Hispanic film. |
| | Research  | The way the royal family are presented by different news organisations | Who was Pythagoras and what other things did he do? | Bio 2 – Electron microscopes and how they are useful Chem 2 – What is the difference between an industrial and biological catalyst? Phys 2 – What is the best insulator for your home? | Explore 'Coca Cola' a Trans National Corporation. https://www.worldofcoca-cola.com/explore/ | Research key Nazis – Goebbels, Rohm, Goering: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zqmyhv4/revision/1 | Careers where languages are important/an asset |
| | Watch  | 'The Social Dilemma' on Netflix about the impact of social media on society Understanding your digital footprint https://www.common sense.org/education/ideas/whats-in-your-digital-footprint The influence of social media on politics https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/clips/z7qwmp3 | Can maths help you win at Monopoly? https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ubQXz5RBBtU | Bio: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vtYv-9fWOz4 Chem: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1i4kJKFXBKw Phys: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=f62o9SNwmEU | How Containerization Shaped the Modern World – Ted Talk https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Gn7IoT_WSRA | Andrew Marr – 'Hitler's Rise to Power 1919-1933' https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/andrew-marr-history-hitler-rise-power/zn3r8xs | https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9X9I6bLGLXk&t=35s Jobs of the Future |
| Extra-curricular | | Creative Writing Club – Weds in EN3 | N/A this half term | N/A this half term | SSA preparation- - dates TBC | Please see timetable. | MFL Film Club, dates TBC |

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| | RE | PE | ADT | Drama | Music | ICT | |
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| Topic | What is philosophy? Meeting the ancient thinkers and delving into the world of philosophical thought | DANCE/ RUGBY/ NETBALL/ FOOTBALL/ HOCKEY | Out of this world. | Devising from a stimulus | Band Skills | Programming | |
| Assessment / Key Pieces | Key question as a key piece and assessment | Anatomy - Heart & Lungs Blood & Oxygen circulation How the heart and lungs work to supply muscles with oxygen | Practical, written and design assessments in food, construction and art. | To create a didactic performance applying the realistic drama techniques of Stanislavski | Lyric writing Instrumentation Performance Recording | Scratch Mini Quiz Python Assessment MCQs | |
| Homework | Knowledge organiser work set Questions from the lesson KS3 homework tasks Preparation for assessment | Research the sport that you are covering in PE lessons. Learn the rules. Could you be an expert in this sport? | Set every 2 weeks – research, design and collection homework. | Research, Rehearsal Reflection | Listening to different genres of music Composition Once every 2 weeks | Fortnight covering a wide range of skills, flipped learning to bring new knowledge into lessons prior to new content. | |
| Personal Development/ careers | Questioning the world and asking big questions Mindfulness/wellbeing – using the right mindset to change the way we think. Careers – links to A level Philosophy | PERSONAL TRAINER https://nationalcareers.service.gov.uk/job-categories/sports-and-leisure https://www.topendsports.com/resources/jobs-in-sport.htm | Careers in Construction, Hosp & Cat and creative industries. Health & Safety, risk assessment. | Researching social issues | Strategies to promote emotional well being | Coding/Programming | |
| Going the extra mile | Read  | The Tao of Pooh and the Te of Piglet Benjamin Hoff . https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qyuf2KvCCYU Watch- A day in the life of a Personal Trainer https://www.nfpt.com/the-role-of-a-personal-trainer | Dali and the path of dreams. | https://www.backstage.com/magazine/article/the-definitive-guide-to-the-stanislavsky-acting-technique-65716/ | https://blog.landr.com/free-songwriting-tools-online/ | Inside the Machine by John Stokes | |
| | Visit  | https://www.britishmuseum.org/ British museum – history of culture London | A live sporting event | Cadbury world. Kelham Island to see graffiti. | The theatre | A gig/ concert | Magna Centre – Coding Area Xplorer Sheffield |
| | Research  | Who was Plato? What did Aristotle say? What did Socrates say about life? | How the heart works | Modular housing design. | Actors who use Stanislavski's system | https://www.masterclass.com/articles/songwriting-tips-techniques-for-writing-memorable-songs | https://www.python.org/doc/essays/blurb/ |
| | Watch  | https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4TfwF-Torc Philosophy cat | https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CWFyxn0qDEU https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jBt5jZSWhMI | Heston Blumenthal – Crazy delicious. Grand designs Amazing spaces. | https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ai_ooqtsil | https://www.masterclass.com/articles/songwriting-tips-techniques-for-writing-memorable-songs | https://www.python.org/doc/essays/blurb/ |
| Extra-curricular | Careers club Tues after school in the library | Badminton Football Dance Netball | Tuesday 3-4pm ADT Club, DT8 | Drama club | Singing club. Band | Gaming Club Minecraft Club | |