

## CURRICULUM GUIDE FOR PARENTS & CARERS

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Spring Term 1 Year 8	In PSHE, students will learn about healthy and unhealthy relationships, the law around relationships and the impact of social media in relationships.		education, students will explore options using Unifrog.	
Subject	Curriculum Focus		Homework and useful weblinks	
Art	Students will learn about the importance of observing, accuracy and composition through the work of Patrick Caufield and James Rosenquist.		Homework uploaded to Teams  VAM Museum	
Computing	Students will learn how to use selection in Python, and how to programme condition-controlled loops in Python.		KS3 Bitesize Homework set on Satchel One	
Drama	Students will investigate acting without words, including exploring the effect of masks, mime and modern clowning.		Homework set on Satchel One	
English	Students will explore how poetry can be a form of protest, looking at protest poetry over time from the Romantic Period to modern day.		How to respond to poetry Homework set on Satchel One	
Geography	Students will look complete a continent t study of Africa.		Homework will be set on Satchel One	
History	Students will learn about the Women's Suffrage movement and investigate the Titanic disaster.		Set on Satchel 1. <u>The fight for</u> <u>female suffrage - KS3 History - BBC</u> <u>Bitesize</u>	
Maths	Students will be revisiting algebra, specifically looking at use of brackets and solving equations.		Homework set on Satchel one	
Music	Students will explore different pieces of classical music and expand their performing skills.		Homework set on class charts	
PE	Students will participate in net wall games.		N/A	
RS	Students will learn about how people make moral and ethical decisions, starting to look at ethical theories such as utilitarianism.		Homework will be available on paper and set on Satchel One.	
Science	Students will learn all about; interdependence, and pressure,		Homework will be set on Satchelone.	
Spanish	Students will discuss food – their likes, dislikes and why.		Sentence builders with activities Food - KS3 Spanish - BBC Bitesize - BBC Bitesize	
Technology (Rotation)	Students will learn about the properties of materials and will generate their own ideas. In Food, students will learn the functions of food and build on their knowledge of food safety.		Oak National Academy	

Character Education
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In form time and in lessons, the character trait students will focus on this half term is empathy.