

12J Spring Term 2017 Curriculum Overview

This term pupils will be studying the following topics in their KS5 curriculum.

| Subject | Topic |
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| Functional Numeracy | To continue developing students for functional maths. Concentrating on basic number, addition and subtraction. Recognising coins and notes. Finding ways of solving money problems. Shopping scenarios. Real life shopping. Living with money. What do we use money for? Second half Term: Measure and units. What do we use to measure...? |
| Functional Literacy | <u>Writing</u> Students will developing their skill at writing letters to make words and using those words to write a simple sentence. They will also have practice at speaking in sentences, or phrases, sequencing their ideas in speech, and responding to questions. |
| Enterprise | This term we will continue developing construction skills in the workshop, using recycled wooden pallets to create garden storage and planter items. We will also be doing paper weaving in different styles with a variety of coloured and textured papers. |
| Work Experience | Students in 12J are developed their leadership and teamwork skills by taking responsibility for collecting & sorting recycling throughout the school. Students follow health and safety rules and are developing their independence as they work towards completing this task with minimal adult supervision. |
| ICT | This term the group will learn about Sequences and Algorithms . They will explore this subject by programming apps and robots. They will develop and record a sequence of instructions as an algorithm and debug faulty programming. Later in the term students will also learn how to retrieve and organize digital content. |
| Music | The group will be working on a Soundtracks project. Firstly they will explore how different types of music can alter the mood of a film. Once they have decided on a genre they will make a short film and create an appropriate soundtrack to accompany it. |
| Art & Craft | This term we will be exploring Salt Dough Modelling and creating picture frames, baskets and candle holders using our own original design & decoration skills. |
| Food Tech | In the first half of this term we will study cooking traditions and make different dishes in the topic Cooking |

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| | for Celebrations. In the 2nd half term pupils will develop their knowledge of seasonal foods and continue working on their basic cooking skills through the topic Using the hob: Winter warmers. |
| PE | For their Fitness Lesson; students will be learning to line dance; starting with the Copperhead Line Dance. Pupils will be taking part in swimming/ hydro-therapy and yoga as part of their physical activities this term. |