

## 13K Autumn Term Curriculum Overview

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

<b>Subject</b>	<b>Topic</b>
Enterprise	We will be making cards and Christmas related products from recycled materials to sell at markets and in school.
Music	This term's theme will be drumming and creating patterns. Pupils will develop communication skills through collaborative instrument play, group singing, learning the importance of giving mutual praise, support and encouragement, and drumming workshops.
Citizenship	Pupils will be working towards the WJEC Entry Pathways accreditation this year. This term they will be researching local history events of local importance and interest in relation to black history. This research will lead to a presentation.
Literacy	WJEC English Pathways- Exploring Narratives Reading Five Hundred Miles and completing assessment criteria for 3 texts.
SoCo	This term the students will be learning about 'Giving and Following instructions' with the theme of directions. They will be working on their own, in pairs and in group situations. Throughout this topic students will be supported to engage in positive social interactions with their peers.
PSHE	This term Pupils will be developing their knowledge about Right and Responsibilities. Students will be getting familiar with concept of rights and responsibilities and the concept of equality. The discussion will involve legal ages, appropriateness of the legal ages in the UK and other countries, legal and moral laws. Class will consider own, personal rules as well as consider Highshore School rules and redraft as required. Class will be getting familiar with the role of the United Nations and Universal Declaration of Human Rights.
Art	Students will be exploring images by artists who have designed bright, bold posters of endangered arctic animals. Students are encouraged to share their ideas about how to create an imaginative poster to highlight the dangers of climate change, pollution, hunting and loss of habitat. We will be looking at patterns and lettering styles to add information to the posters and recording ideas in their individual art sketch books. We will be experimenting with art materials using fine line drawing, colour mixing, brush work, textures and mixed media.
Numeracy	<u>Functional skills Maths. Real life situations.</u> Baseline assessment. Revise number bonds to 20. Estimate and count to 10, 20, 50, 100 and beyond. Learn inverse of add and minus. To be able to use multiplication and division.

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	Understand measure and mass. Read scales. Calculate area. Understand the unit of length and capacity.
Drama	Pupils will build on current and develop new drama skills including teamwork, devising, improvisation and performance. The pupils will also build on their current drama skills with role play and characterisation work using the Shakespeare's play - Macbeth as a basis for securing knowledge, skills and new learning
Computing	The majority of the term will be spent practicing exam papers in order to prepare for a <b>Pearson EDEXCEL Functional Skills Exam</b> . This exam will test the student's abilities to send and receive emails, edit Word and Excel documents and to follow instructions. In addition, Students will also use Scratch to create more sophisticated computer programmes including games and animations.
PE	Pupils will visit local leisure facilities for a variety physical activities.
Fitness	This term in fitness the students will be building on the previous work that was done on the sports leaders program. The students will be expected to create a fitness program which they will work on together. The aim will be to use the video for other students in the school to encourage participation as well as building the confidence and ability of the sports leaders to plan and deliver sessions.
Work Skills	Pupils will learn about necessary work skills to prepare them for the world of work. These skill will complement pupils' practical skills gained in the work experience programme they currently this term. There will be a focus on key skills i.e. communication and social interaction as well as ICT skills that are so relevant in every work environment.
Employability	Pupils will develop their learning of the practical aspects of employment, link to Work Skills, through tasks that involve social interaction with others (using social communication skills they have previously learnt), problem solving and working, not only as an individual but as part of a team.
Work Experience	This term students will be developing their work skills with placements onsite throughout the year. They will also be working towards independent external work placements where possible with our various work experience partners. Placements include: Retail, Admin, Catering, Logistics and sports.