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| **Year 8 Curriculum Overview** | | | | | | |
| **Subject** | **Autumn 1** | **Autumn 2** | **Spring 1** | **Spring 2** | **Summer 1** | **Summer 2** |
| **Life Skills** | Friendship, Bullying, Diversity and Protected Characteristics Part 2 | Mental Health and Emotional Wellbeing | Economic Wellbeing in the Digital World | RSE Year 8 | Substances | Careers - Going Deeper |
| **Maths** | Ratio and Scale, Multiplicative Change, Fractions | Working in the Cartesian Plane, Data, Probability | Brackets, Equations and Inequalities, Sequences, Indices | Fractions and Percentages, Standard Form, Number Sense | Angles, Area of Trapezia and Circles, Line Symmetry and Reflection | Data Handling, Measures of Location |
| **English** | Gothic fiction | Persuasive writing on the theme of conservation | Novel study: The Hunger Games | Novel study: The Hunger Games | Shakespeare: Much Ado About Nothing | Tales with a Twist |
| **Science** | Periodic Table  Chemical  reactions, Acids and Alkalis | Energy Stores and Transfer  Light and Sound Waves | Motion | Photosynthesis | Gas Exchange and Respiration | Earth and Atmosphere  Interdependence |
| **RE** | Ethics- how do we decide right from wrong? | Ethics- how do we decide right from wrong? | Discrimination- Islamophobia and the Holocaust | Discrimination- Islamophobia and the Holocaust | The Death Penalty- to kill or not to kill? | The Death Penalty- to kill or not to kill? |
| **Art** | Food | Food | Architecture | Architecture | My Voice | My Voice |
| **Computing** | Internet and HTML | Python Programming | Continuing with MicroBits | Binary and Logic | Data Representation - Images and Sound | Independent / Group Projects |
| **Music** | Guitars | Film Music  Performance | Film Music  Composition | Minimalism | Popular Music  Song writing | |
| **French** | all about my/ holidays and free time | all about my/ holidays and free time | all about my/ holidays and free time | all about my/ holidays and free time | all about my/ holidays and free time | all about my/ holidays and free time |
| **Geography** | Climate Change | Migration | | Rivers | | |
| **History** | The trans-Atlantic slave trade | The fight for civil rights in the USA | Life in the | The Industrial Revolution and life in the East End | How Parliament works and women's suffrage movement | The Holocaust |
| **PE** | Dance, Hockey | HRE, Table Tennis, Cross Country, Rugby, | Gymnastics, Basketball, Netball, Football | Volleyball, Lacrosse, Football, Gymnastics | Athletics | Rounders, Tennis, Cricket |
| **Technology** | Cooking & Nutrition: Cooking for Others | | | Cooking & Nutrition: Cooking for Others | | |
| Resistant Materials: Mood lighting | | | Resistant Materials: Mood Lighting | | |