

Topics Map – Year 7

Boxes highlighted in yellow are designated 'Disciplinary Links'

Subject	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
English	Cirque du Freak	Cirque du Freak	The Hound of the Baskervilles	The Hound of the Baskervilles	Romeo and Juliet	Romeo and Juliet
Cross Curricular Links					Links with history – Tudors prior knowledge	
Co-Curricular Opportunities						In-school broadcast of Romeo and Juliet production
Maths	Algebraic thinking	Place value and proportion	Applications of number	Directed number and fractional thinking	Lines and angles	Reasoning with number
Cross Curricular Links		Link with science – nutrition and diet		Link with science – the rock cycle	Link with science – water waves	
Co-Curricular Opportunities						
Science: Bio	Organs, cells and microscopes	Nutrition and diet	Gas exchange	Skeletal Muscular System	Plant reproduction	Transport Systems
Cross Curricular Links			Link with PE – physical fitness			
Co-Curricular Opportunities					Planting plants in TASB	
Science: Chem	States of Matter	The periodic table	Chemical reactions	Acids and alkalis	The rock cycle	Chemical reactions part 2
Cross Curricular Links					Links with geography – moved to this term to be in line with haz. enviro.	
Co-Curricular Opportunities					Visit White Scar Caves	

Science: Phys	Forces	Forces and their effects	Gravity	Earth's magnetic field and seasons	Observed Waves	Sound
Cross Curricular Links						
Co-Curricular Opportunities						
History	Anglo-Saxons	Normans	Normans	Role of the Church by 1547	The Tudors	English Civil War
Cross Curricular Links		Link with RS – Christianity and importance of Church	Link with RS – Christianity and importance of Church	Link with RS – Christianity and importance of Church		
Co-Curricular Opportunities					Visit to local Tudor buildings (e.g. Holdsworth House and/or Shibden Hall)	
Geography	Map skills	Geology and Glaciation	Ecosystems	Development: French West Africa	Hazardous environments	Local Area Study - Microclimates
Cross Curricular Links	Link with PE – orienteering (shared maps)	Links to science and the rock cycle.	Links to science and food webs/ chains and biomes	Links to French. Awareness of French speaking countries.	Links to science and the structure of the Earth.	
Co-Curricular Opportunities			Walk to Ogden Water? (Link to Science?)			Microclimate study – local trip to top of hill and bottom hill?
French	Describing yourself	Describing yourself and family	School	Food and drink	My town	Future plans
Cross Curricular Links						
Co-Curricular Opportunities						
RS	Christianity	Christianity	Islam	Islam	Christian and Islamic Practices	Christian and Islamic Practices
Cross Curricular Links						

Co-Curricular Opportunities						
Drama	Improvisation	Pantomime	Character/melodrama	Soap Opera	Shakespeare: Twelfth Night	Shakespeare: Twelfth Night
Cross Curricular Links	All planned to compliment the English curriculum.					
Co-Curricular Opportunities		Inschool broadcast of a traditional Pantomime				
Music	Listening skills - What is music?	African Drumming - Rhythm	Keyboards skills - notation	Minimalism	Band Skills – Part 1	Band Skills - Song Writing
Cross Curricular Links						
Co-Curricular Opportunities	Go and see a live performance	Visiting tutor				
Art	Observational drawing	Colour theory and painting	3D construction	Polyprinting	3D clay	Drawing project – collaborative art
Cross Curricular Links	Link with science – drawings from microscopic obs					
Co-Curricular Opportunities		Christmas card competition – winner to have card printed				
Technology	Food: health and safety and basics	Food: ethics & buying choices	RM: Healthy & safety; sweet dispenser project	RM: Sweet dispenser project	Tex: under the microscope & hand embroidery	Food: breakfast theory
Cross Curricular Links						
Co-Curricular Opportunities						
Computer Science	ESafety	Networking	Scratch	Modelling	Scratch 2	Media to gain support

Cross Curricular Links								
Co-Curricular Opportunities								Visit to Bradford University – Media centre
WW	Settling into secondary school & keeping a healthy mind	Positive friendships & bullying	Local community	Keeping your changing body healthy	Healthy diet and lifestyle			Aspirations & finance
Cross Curricular Links								
Co-Curricular Opportunities			Group walks around the community					
PE (topics not in line with terms)	Football	Rugby	Handball	Fitness & OAA	Table Tennis	Gymnastics	Leadership	Athletics and Cricket
	Netball	Gymnastics	Dance	Fitness & OAA	Leadership	Football	Badminton	Athletics and Rounders
Cross Curricular Links								
Co-Curricular Opportunities								