# 9H Curriculum Leaflet Spring 2

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Tutor Time Focus: What Matters is

Motivation

Developing short- and long-term goals

Understanding that practice, effect and resilience leads to improvement

Problem solving and working as a team

Celebrating success

### English

#### We will be learning about:

#### War Horse by Michael Morpurgo

Introduction to the novel and historical context

Life during WWI

Plot and Conflict

The Role of Horses in WWI

**Setting and Characters** 

The Sale of Joey

The Battle

#### Maths

#### We will be learning about:

## Geometry – 2D 3D Shapes, Angles and Lines

#### **Number - Multiplication and Division**

- Recognising 2D and 3D shapes and understanding their properties
- Measuring angles in degrees
- Using a protractor and a ruler
- Counting by 2s 5s 10s
- Counting by 3s 4s 6s
- Counting by 7s 8s 9s 11s 12s
- Multiplying and dividing

# Humanities

#### We will be learning about:

Philosophy for Children

Answering 'The Big Questions' and

respectfully accepting others' opinions

We will be learning about:

different from our own.

We will be learning about:

**History** – Slavery and the Suffragettes

Harriet Tubman & Olaudah Equiano

**Revolts & Abolition** 

The Windrush

Women's role before World War I

The Suffragettes

Women's role during World War I

**Geography** – Rain Forests & Extreme Weather

Dangers to the Rainforest

**Protecting the Rainforests** 

Hurricanes

Tornadoes

#### Science

#### We will be learning about:

#### **Chemistry and chemical reactions**

- chemical and physical reactions –
   what is a chemical reaction?
- understanding the difference between physical & chemical changes.
- recognising the characteristics of chemical change
- to make and interpret observations
- to carry out a test for hydrogen

### Computing

#### We will be learning about:

- How to use the internet safely to find and retrieve reliable information
- Reliable sources on the internet
- What is false information?
- How to use Microsoft Word
- How to save our work safely and find it again

# Personal & Social Development

#### We are learning about:

# Relationships; Changing & Growing

- Different types of relationships
- The Law and intimate relationships
- Keeping safe in relationships
- Safe Sex contraception
- When, where and how to get help

#### PE

#### We will be learning about:

#### Health and safety in the sports hall

Wheel Chair Basketball and Hockey

Wheel chair basketball - Show some control and coordination when performing wheelchair basketball skills - recap

Dribbling, catching/passing, set shot and practical assessment

Hockey - Passing and receiving) with basic control and coordination

Dribbling, attacking, hockey tackle and practical assessment

#### Art

#### We will be learning about:

Surrealism

Introduction to Surrealism and the techniques Surrealist artists used

Developing imaginative drawings skills

Using scale and perspective in our artwork

#### FT

#### We will be learning about:

Measuring, weighing, knife skills, knife safety, preparing vegetables, handling raw meat, shaping, frying, baking.

Food hygiene and safety

Healthy Eating - Eatwell Guide

#### We will be making:

Fruit salad, Meat Kebabs/ Halloumi & Vegetable Kebabs, flapjacks, burrito, spaghetti Bolognese and cherry scones

#### Music

# We will be learning about: Playing and Improvising

Reading and playing music from notation

Using the xylophone and keyboard to find notes and play simple melodies

Play pentatonic notes on the keyboard

### **Home Learning Opportunities**

Maths - Homework every week - Mathletics and worksheets

English – reading at home with your child and Lexia

Two subject home works issued every week

Cooking at home with the family and having a daily chore to be responsible for

Please bring in Tupperware to take home cooking from FT lessons

### **PfA**

#### We will be learning about:

#### **Preparing for PCARs**

For the students to explore what a PCAR meeting looks like and understand the purpose of this meeting

For the students to understand the importance of the opportunity to express their views (using our S&LT strategies)

Exploring personal goals and next steps

### Events this half term

PCSRs for Year 9 this term

End of half term Friday 4th April