



Curriculum Summary Resource Base - Unit 2

	Year	We are learning about	A question to ask
Topic	7	<p>We will be learning about The Normans and the types of castles they built and its features. We will look at the Bayeux Tapestry and explore sewing techniques before designing and making our own sewn decoration. We will look at the Tudors and significant Tudor figures and what life was like for Tudor people.</p> <p>We will look at Trees and the different parts and their function as well as seed dispersal, photosynthesis and respiration.</p>	<p>What is a Norman castle called? What features does it have? Name 2 different stitches for sewing. How many wives did Henry VIII have and what happened to them? What do plants need to grow? Name 2 parts of a plant and what their function is. What do plants take in for photosynthesis?</p>
	9	<p>We will be learning about Space: the planets, the life cycles of stars, the cycles of the Moon. Historically, we will study the moon landing of 1969 and some astronomers' theories of how the universe was made up.</p> <p>We will be constructing models of the planets.</p> <p>We will study the Suffragette movement and the Civil Rights movement in America. We will also study other important 20th Century figures such as Alan Turing.</p>	<p>Which is the hottest planet in the Solar System? Which country won the race to land first on the Moon? What is the difference between rotation and revolution in regard to the Earth and the Sun? Who was the leader of the Suffragette movement in Britain? Who organised the Montgomery Bus Boycott?</p>
Life Skills	10	<p>Animal Care. We are learning about basic care for animals and how to keep them healthy. We will be completing some simple hands-on animal care.</p> <p>Planning a journey. We will be planning a simple journey to a destination in the community, which will involve learning how to read a bus timetable.</p>	<p>What three things does an animal need to survive? What do breeders need to consider when breeding animals? What are three possible signs of illness in an animal What format are times in on a bus timetable after 12.00pm?</p>
	11	<p>Personal Rights and Responsibilities. We will look at basic human rights. We will be encouraged to reflect on personal responsibilities as citizens.</p> <p>Personal and social relationships. We look at what makes a good friend and</p>	<p>List two basic human rights. List three qualities of a good friend. How could you resolve an argument with a friend?</p>

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		also how to resolve disputes through discussion.	
	Post 16	One of the things that we will be learning is how to use cleaning equipment and products safely and appropriately in the home in order to develop our independence skills.	Which type of cleaning products and pieces of equipment would you use for particular jobs.
Maths	7	Statistics and Geometry	Questions that involve counting objects. Then for geometry, questions around shapes and how many sides different shapes have.
	9	Addition and Subtraction	Questions such as what is 59+12? (choose values that cross ten)
	10	Calendar and Time	Questions around the date and time, reading analogue and digital clocks. What will the time be 1 hour from now, what was the date 4 days ago?
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	Post 16	Money	What coin is this / How much money is there here / How much change will we get from this note?
English	7	We will be re-telling historical events (Norman Conquest). We will be looking at the features of a newspaper report and writing a newspaper report around an historical event.	What information do we need in a news report? How can we grab a listener's attention?
	9	As part of the topic on Space we will be looking at discussion texts and their features before writing our own.	What features are in a discussion text? What is a biography?

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		We will then move on to looking at biographies of famous people and then write our own autobiographies.	What is an autobiography?
	10	This term we will be focusing on Imaginative and Informative writing. We will be looking at the different types of writing and its features before we plan and write our own.	What features are in imaginative writing? What is a simile? What is a metaphor? What features are used in informative writing?
	11	We will be looking at descriptive writing and recount writing in the form of diaries. We will look at the features in each before planning and writing our own versions.	What features are in descriptive writing? What is a simile? What is a metaphor? What features are used in a diary entry?
	Post 16	Functional writing	Can you tell me 4 different types of punctuation?
Science	10	Energy, Forces, & Structure of Matter	What energy store does a car have?
	11	Energy stores and energy transfers	What energy is stored in a moving object?
	Post 16	Electrical safety	Name 5 potential dangers in the home or workplace
IT	10	Spreadsheets	How can formulas help us to perform calculations?
	11	Online Basics	What information do you need to be able to send an email?
	Post 16	Obtaining information from an online source	How can you check that information you find online is suitable?
Art Technology	10	Objects - Drawing and painting Wayne Thiebaud cakes	What can you tell me about the artist you are learning about?
	11	Controlled assessment - exam project based on chosen question from exam paper	What are you doing for your controlled assignment piece?

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Geography	11	We will learn about Megacities. We will learn about geographical events such as earthquakes, volcanoes and flooding - what causes them and the impacts that they have on communities.	What are two advantages and two disadvantages of living in a megacity? What is the area which contains the majority of the world's volcanoes and earthquake zones called? What are three causes of flooding?
History	10	Vikings and how they settled in Britain.	Can you describe the ships that Vikings used?

PE	7	Basketball, Boccia, Climbing Wall, Table Top Cricket	What part of the hand do we use to dribble a basketball? Why is Boccia a good sport to play for the Resource Base? How do you score in Table Top Cricket? What colour hold is the easiest on the climbing wall?
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Music	7	Rhythms from around the world	How do we work as an ensemble? What different styles of drumming are we using? How does drumming work in certain contexts?
	9	Introduction to Music Technology	What sounds complement each other? How many layers can we have in a song? What roles do certain layers play?
	10	Songwriting	How to create different moods in a song How do we write lyrics? What different elements make up a song?

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	Post 16	Composition using Ableton	What makes an effective melody? What layers do we have in a song? How do we use effects to improve a sound?

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