

Year 7 VIP Curriculum Overview

Year 7	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
Skills						
Knowledge	What is bullying & how to report. Staying safe online	Healthy diet, exercise, sleep.	Risks of alcohol & smoking. Puberty & periods	Mental health, anger management, loss & bereavement	Equality Act 2010, gender & sexuality, neurodiversity	Human Rights & refugees
Alive and British Values	Understand each of our ALIVE values, mutual respect	Ourselves, review, organised	Ourselves, question	Resilient, interdependent	Interdependent, justice & respect	Interdependent, justice & respect, communicate, tolerance
Assessment	Baseline assessments & AfL in students' workbooks	Baseline assessments & AfL in students' workbooks	Online quiz	Baseline assessments & AfL in students' workbooks	Baseline assessments & AfL in students' workbooks	Online quiz
Careers						

How this builds on learning (knowledge and skills) from Key Stage Two:

Healthy body
Anti-bullying
Changing body (puberty)

Year 8 VIP Curriculum Overview

Year 8	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
Skills						
Knowledge	Skills for employment, what an entrepreneur is, the national minimum wage & happiest jobs	Bank accounts & bank statements, fraud, budgeting, money & mental health	Attitudes to mental health, promoting emotional wellbeing, digital resilience	Healthy & unhealthy coping strategies	Drugs including caffeine, tobacco, nitrous oxide & cannabis, alcohol	Consent, sexting, STIs
Alive and British Values	Ourselves, diversity & choice	Organised, resilient, justice & respect	Resilience, interdependent, ourselves	Review, communication, ourselves	Interdependent, ourselves	Interdependent, ourselves, justice & respect
Assessment	Baseline assessments & AfL in students' workbooks	Baseline assessments & AfL in students' workbooks	Online quiz	Baseline assessments & AfL in students' workbooks	Baseline assessments & AfL in students' workbooks	Online quiz
Careers	What do I value in a job/ career?					

Year 9 VIP Curriculum Overview

Year 9	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
Skills						
Knowledge	Crimes & punishments, British court system, restorative justice	Cyber-crime, British political parties, the role of parliament & government	Choosing GCSE option subjects, labour market information, apprenticeships	Hate crime, online hate speech, ableism	Healthy relationships, consent, risks of viewing pornography, online safety	Drugs: managing influence, the law, alcohol & cannabis
Alive and British Values	Rule of law, justice & respect	Democracy, ourselves, diversity & choice	Democracy, ourselves, diversity & choice	Rule of law, mutual respect, tolerance, justice & respect, ourselves	Communication, ourselves, rule of law	Rule of law, ourselves, interdependent
Assessment	Baseline assessments & AfL in students' workbooks	Baseline assessments & AfL in students' workbooks	Online quiz	Baseline assessments & AfL in students' workbooks	Baseline assessments & AfL in students' workbooks	Online quiz
Careers		The role of an MP	Apprenticeships, qualifications needed for different jobs			

How will studying this subject in Key Stage Three help students to make their unique contribution to the world?:

Know how to vote, stay safe, healthy & happy in relationships, stay safe online, pick suitable GCSE option subjects in which to flourish