

## Curriculum Information 2019/2020

Year 7	Number of lessons per cycle	Year 8	Number of lessons per cycle	Year 9	Number of lessons per cycle	Year 10	Number of lessons per cycle	Year 11	Number of lessons per cycle
RE	5	RE	5	RE	5	RE	5	RE	5
English	7	English	7	English	7	English	9	English	9
Mathematics	7	Mathematics	7	Mathematics	7	Mathematics	9	Mathematics	9
Science	7	Science	7	Science	7	Science	10	Science	10
History	4	History	4	PE	4	Option 1	5	Option 1	5
Geography	4	Geography	4	Hist	6	Option 2	5	Option 2	5
MFL: French	4	MFL: Spanish	4	Geo	6	Option 3	5	Option 3	5
Performing Arts	2	Creative Carousel	6	Creative Carousel	6	PE Core	2	PE Core	2
Art	2	PE	4	Computer Science	2		50		50
Technology	2	Computer Science	2	MFL: French	6				
PE	4		50		50				
Computer Science	2								
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- All students follow a two week timetable cycle. There are five 1 hour lessons per day which adds up to 50 periods over the two weeks.
  - In Years 7 to 9 all students study computing. As part of the option subjects from Year 9 onwards students have the opportunity to study GCSE Computer Science.
  - In Year 7 students are split into 2 bands and classes in these bands are arranged on ability.
  - In Year 8 students are split in to 2 bands and classes in these bands are arranged on ability. Pupils in Year 8 follow a Creative Carousel for Art, Technology, Drama and Music. For Art and Technology they study one of these subjects six times in the cycle for a block of 8 weeks. For Music and Drama, they study 3 lessons of each subject in the cycle for a block of 8 weeks.
  - In Year 9 students are split in to 2 bands and classes in these bands are arranged on ability. Pupils in Year 9 follow a Creative Carousel for Art, Technology, Drama and Music. They study one of these subjects six times in the cycle for a block of 8 weeks. Pupils in Year 9 choose a humanities subject. They study Geography or History for six lessons per cycle.
  - In Years 10 and 11 students continue to be set for core subjects (English, Maths, Science and RE) but are usually in mixed ability groups for their option subjects. Careers Education, PHSE, SRE and citizenship are delivered either across the curriculum or via stand-alone lessons throughout the academic year.

For any further information regarding the curriculum our students follow please contact Mr M Kehoe (Assistant Head teacher)