

What is my child studying?

Year 7, Module 3



Subject	Unit title and details	Independent Learning Tasks
Art	Topic: Beatriz Milhazes Taking inspiration from the work of the Brazilian artist Beatriz Milhazes students will be introduced to the artists work. Using their own home research create a double presentation page on the artist. Students will be introduced to felting to create their own response to the work of Milhazes. Then taught how to embellish their work using hand stitches.	Compulsory Independent Learning activity will be set by your teacher Additional Independent learning activities available on Teams
Computing	Topic – Modelling Data (Spreadsheets). This unit allows students to confidently model data with a spreadsheet. The unit uses engaging activities to progress learners from using basic formulas to writing their own functions & other statements. This unit will give learners a good set of skills that they can use in computing lessons and in other subject areas, including data analysis, graphs & charts.	Extend your knowledge of Spreadsheets by completing activities introduced in lessons in your ‘Modelling Data’ Workbook, eg more flags, more Pixel Art, Spreadsheet formulae & functions practice. Use your times table grid created in the lesson in one of your maths lessons Deadline: Complete these activities by Fri 26 January . Additional Independent learning activities available on Teams
Drama	Topic – ‘An Introduction to Shakespeare’ Year 7 will be exploring the world of Shakespeare, focusing a range of extracts from different texts. Students will explore the key themes of the play and the importance of Shakespeare’s language.	Compulsory Independent Learning activity Students will need to learn short scripted extracts, ready to perform in lesson. These will be provided to students during their lessons. Additional Independent learning activities available on Teams
English	Students will be reading <i>The Water Babies</i> by Charles Kingsley. They will be learning about 19th century fiction, the conventions of a fantasy, fables and the presentation of poverty. Students will write an extended essay response before half term.	Compulsory Independent Learning Activity Will be set by your teacher Additional Independent learning activities available on Teams
Geography	Ecosystems Students will look at the world’s ecosystems and biomes. They will explore their locations, climates and the animals and plants that had adapted in order to survive their. They will also look at the human impact on ecosystems and what can be done to help them.	Compulsory Independent Learning activity: Using their knowledge from lessons and their own research, students will complete a fact file on a biome of their choice. A sheet will be provided in lessons. Additional Independent learning activities available on Teams

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History	Medieval World Students will continue their studies from the Norman conquest into the Medieval World, answering the question: Should we use 'medieval' to mean cruel, primitive and uncivilised? This will include a study of religion, medicine and kingship. Students will also learn more about the William Marshal, Earl of Pembroke, who the Academy is named after.	Compulsory Independent Learning Activity An online Forms quiz that consists of multiple choice questions as a progress check about key knowledge gained in the module. Additional Independent learning activities available on Teams
Life	Rights and Responsibilities Throughout this module, students will learn about human rights and responsibilities. We will be studying the human rights act and the contents of it and why they are important. We will also look at how our rights are protected and threatened by terrorism and by the laws introduced to protect us from terror threats.	Additional Independent learning activities available on Teams
Maths	Solving problems with addition and subtraction Solving problems with multiplication and division Fraction and percentages of amounts	Weekly compulsory Sparx Maths task can be found at: www.sparxmaths.uk Additional independent learning: complete the XP boost on Sparx Maths
Music	Ukulele Students will be learning about the ukulele. How to play music from TAB notation and learning some simple melody pieces to perform to the rest of the class. We will also be listening to music from different places in the world and starting our world music journey.	Compulsory Independent Learning Activity Additional Independent learning activities available on Teams
PE	Handball 1 OAA Orienteering 1	Additional Independent learning activities available on Teams
Reading	Reading for Meaning We are reading a range of articles and extracts/short stories to continue to develop our inference and comprehension skills, both of academic and non-fiction texts and of character and motive within fiction texts.	Compulsory Independent Learning Activity: Continue to read Bookbuzz book and, if you have read that, try a book from the Reading Rewards list in your planner Additional Independent learning activities available on Teams

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Religious Studies	This module, we will be looking at religious festivals and their importance, with case studies of Holi, Diwali and Hanukah	Additional Independent learning activities available on Teams
Science	Mid-Year Assessment, Cells and Organisation Students look at the basic particles of living things, cells. Energy in matter and then Energy changes	Additional Independent learning activities available on Teams. Compulsory Independent Learning activities will be to revise for topic tests.
Spanish	My school Students will be learning the subjects in Spanish and to express opinions about them (e.g. how to say what their favourite subjects are). What they eat during lunch time, school facilities and short description of teachers.	Compulsory Independent Learning activity: Revise vocabulary and complete the quiz for this module on forms Additional Independent learning activities available on Teams
Technology	Topic: Food: Breakfast around the world. Students will be introduced to Food and Nutrition at Pembroke by learning and practicing skills and methods of cooking. Starting with learning about healthy eating, and food hygiene.	Compulsory Independent Learning activity Students have to wash up at home at least once! Not using a dishwasher! and will have an evaluation sheet to complete at home Additional Independent learning activities available on Teams
Pembroke Pledge	Students will be introduced to the Pembroke Pledge, a whole school recognition and rewards programme. Details can be found in the Student Planner.	Read the Bronze and Silver Pledge criteria and identify at least one task you can complete in Module Three