



English

During this term, students are learning, rehearsing and performing a play called "Eddie the Penguin Saves the World" dealing with topical issue of global warming and how we can contribute towards a more sustainable planet.



Humanities

In this term, the students will continue building the timeline of Britain by learning about the Anglo-Saxons and how life was in Anglo-Saxon Britain.



Food Technology

In Term 4 of Year 8 Food Technology, students will focus on the topic of Food Choice. They will develop their understanding of aspects such as food preferences, cultural influences, traditions, and the economic dimensions of food price and costs. Students will refine their ability to analyse and make decisions about their diet and the diet of other people.



Computing

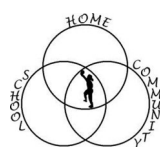
Students will be focussing on Text Formatting and Keyboard recognition.



Maths

Measurement – Students will be continuing their work on measurement, moving from length and perimeter to measuring mass and capacity. Students will use a range of practical tools and equipment to measure in both formal and informal units.

Fractions – After measurement, students will move on to fractions. Students will learn how to make and read fractions using tangible items. Students will continue to develop their ability by adding fractions together to make a whole or a new fraction.



In Year 8 this Term students are studying...



PSHE

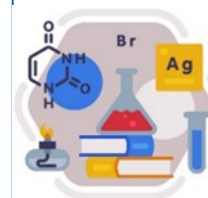
Students are doing economic wellbeing which will cover topics such as, sources of income, how to budget and how money makes us feel.



PE

Cricket and Rounders

- To learn how to hit and catch the ball
- To learn the bowling techniques (underarm and overarm)
- To learn how to stop/receive the ball using the long barrier technique
- To learn how to throw the ball over long distance
- To learn the rules of cricket and rounders



Science

During this term, the Year 8's will learn about the human life cycle. They will be identifying the key stages, and the key characteristics of each. The year 8's will also be learning about gestation periods of different animals, and what life expectancy means for a range of mammals in the animal kingdom.



Art & Textiles

Students will be making puppets this term. They will be working in 3D to create a person using modroc and wire. They will then paint them into a character of their choice.



Life Skills

This term in Life Skills we are looking at food preparation and be required to hone new skills with adult assistance. They are selecting the snacks they want to make and the ingredients. They will select beverages from a limited menu and possess the knowledge to prepare a hot beverage. Students are encouraged to begin to clean up after themselves.