

## **Year 7 Parent Planner**

Half Term 5

How you can support your child at home: Encourage them to read – anything and everything! Look at Google Classroom regularly; the expectation is that all students complete home-learning Make sure your child has the right equipment with them everyday (pen, pencil, ruler etc.)

Art:

Picasso and Portraiture: students will respond to the work of Picasso and design a Cubist style portrait

Computer Science:

Fake news: students will create a Google site and write a fake news story to add to it. They will learn how to identify fake news and why it is important to be able to do so

**Drama:** 

Evacuees - Using performance techniques to explore the story of evacuees in the Second World War

**English:** 

A Monster Calls. Students will learn about fairy tales and investigate the nature of stories.

French:

School uniform and daily routine: students will learn to use two verbs together and be able to talk about what they wear to school

Geography:

Are our lives sustainable? Students will focus on how we use resources, including energy

**History:** 

Tudor Monarchs: students will question how effectively Tudor monarchs dealt with their problems

**Maths:** 

Angles; handling data and statistical diagrams; proportion; assessment

Music:

Performing and Arranging: Students will learn how to perform as a soloist or member of an ensemble. They will also learn how to read different types of notation e.g. guitar, uke, drum tablature

Personal Development:

Healthy relationships: students will learn about the characteristics of healthy relationships, how relationships change, consent and sexting

PE:

Games: girls will play rounders and boys will play cricket.

PE: all students will take part in athletics

RE:

Christianity, Buddhism and non-religions: students will consider different beliefs about life and death and the origins and value of the universe and human life

Science:

Students will study the following: ENERGY 1: Energy Costs Energy Transfers; EARTH 1: Earth & The Universe; GENES 1: Variation, Human Reproduction

**Technology:** 

Students will rotate through one of three specialist areas: Woodwork where students will create a lap jointed box, Food where students will learn about healthy eating and basic preparation skills and in Graphics they will learn about packaging, infographics, design and make a stationery pack