

Tutor Group 11W Subject & Teacher	Subject Overview	How you can help at home	Subject specific key words to practise with your child
English Mrs Webb	This term we are completing a step up to English unit of work on Leisure. Pupils will be completing reading and comprehension activities, writing and lots of spoken language activities. We will be focusing on sentence writing and the proper use of capital letters, full stops, exclamation marks and question marks. Pupils will also have a weekly phonics and spelling lesson. Plus, an accelerated reader lesson, where they can take their reading quizzes.	To help at home, please support your child to complete the weekly spellings practice sheets and their daily reading.	Leisure Health Relaxation Enjoyment Fitness
Maths Mrs Webb	This term we are continuing with the AQA Entry Level accreditations. We will be working on properties of number component 1 this includes, ordering numbers, place value, odd and even numbers, estimating and rounding. Pupils will complete coursework and practice papers during their maths lessons which will soon become a routine part of the lessons. We will be also be completing work on component 2 of the accreditation which is all about addition, subtraction and multiplication.	Log on to Studyladder for further practise of subjects covered in class. www.studyladder.co.uk Look at numbers in the environment, on road signs and buses. Are they odd or even? Talk about the cost of shopping items.	Greater than Less than Odd Even Multiplication
Science Mrs Webb	This term we will be completing our unit of work on chemistry: elements, mixtures and compounds. We will be investigating the properties of materials and how this affects their use. We will be looking at mixtures and methods of separation. We will be investigating states of matter – solids, liquids and gases, and look at the periodic table. There will be lots of opportunities for practical activities to reinforce pupils understanding.	Look at BBC bitesize science: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zryycdm There are films and quizzes to complete.	Material Element Solid Liquid Gas
Computing Mrs Webb	This term pupils will be completing their unit of work on ICT for business. We will then move on to a unit	Ensure that pupil maintain a good posture when using IT at home.	Screen break Posture

	<p>focused on the safe working practices. We will look at how to set up hardware safely and to ensure we can maintain good posture while working on a computer. We will look at the importance of pin and password protection.</p>	<p>Talk at home about pin numbers and passwords.</p>	<p>Pin Password Secure</p>
<p>PSD Mrs Webb and Mr Smith</p>	<p>In PSD with Mrs Webb this term pupils will be completing an ASDAN unit called making the most of leisure time. Pupils will be developing an understanding of 'leisure time' and recognising leisure facilities in their local area. Pupils will take part in a number of different leisure activities and talk about what they did and didn't like about the activity and what health benefits it brings.</p> <p>Pupils will be completing two units of work with Mr Smith on individual rights and responsibilities and community action. The group are starting with Individual Rights and Responsibilities (IRRE2) where they will focus on recognising that they have both rights and responsibilities as consumers, in school, in their family and in the wider society. Once they are clear about individual rights and responsibilities, plus the difference between the two, they will explore who might be able to help if they have problems with either.</p>	<p>Discuss leisure activities and what your child likes or doesn't like about them. Discuss the health benefits of the activities that they do with you at home.</p> <p>Please try to explore any responsibilities they might have at home and discuss rights that you may have with regard to work or another appropriate life example.</p>	<p>Leisure Relaxation Challenge Wellbeing Mental health</p> <p>Rights Responsibilities Consumer rights Regulations</p>
<p>PE & Games Mr Altman</p>	<p>During this term the pupils are focusing on trampolining and basketball. Firstly, we will cover the basic basketball skills such as dribbling, passing, and shooting and then move on to more tactical based skills such as attacking and defending. Pupils will learn the rules and then transfer their knowledge into a game-based practice.</p> <p>In the trampolining lessons, pupils are working towards creating their own 6-10 bounce routines. As part of this the pupils will learn several skills, like a seat drop, twists and shapes. Some pupils that have shown more confidence on the trampoline may progress to more complex skills like front drops and back drops to add into their routine.</p>	<p>Speak to the pupils about the different types of passing in basketball, as well as the acronym BEEF (Balance, Eye on target, Elbow High, Follow through)</p> <p>This will support them when shooting in basketball.</p> <p>In trampolining I would like you to discuss the routine they have made.</p>	<p>Space Double Dribble Travelling Contact Focus point</p>
<p>RE Mrs Webb</p>	<p>This term students will be completing an AQA unit award on the life of Moses. We will be looking at the film Prince of Egypt to look at the key events in his life.</p>	<p>Watch the film the 'Prince of Egypt' at home. Talk about the story.</p>	<p>Israelite Pharaoh Slaves</p>

	We will read stories together, answer questions and take part on group discussions.		Escape Plagues
Art Miss Price	This term, as part of their Asdan Expressive Arts short course, pupils will learn about Pop Art and famous Pop Art artists such as Andy Warhol and Roy Lichtenstein. They will then create their own pieces of art inspired by Pop Art. Pupils will create a Ben Day dot inspired picture, a self-portrait inspired by Andy Warhol's portrait work, and they will also create a picture and paper 3-D net of a can, based on Andy Warhol's Campbells soup can art work.	Look at examples of Pop Art with your child and discuss what they like or dislike, and why.	Pop Art Ben day dots Primary colours Pattern Repetition
Food Mrs Webb	This term will be continuing with their AQA unit award learning about hygiene and safe use of equipment such as knives and hobs. We will be designing and making a pizza, preparing a variety of snacks and drinks including smoothies, flapjacks, bread rolls, cheese scones, spiced tree biscuits and Christmas stars. We will be using gluten free and dairy free ingredients for those students who require these.	Provide opportunities at home to help prepare food and meals such as cutting up fruit for a fresh fruit salad or vegetables for a meal, washing and drying up and/or loading or unloading a dishwasher.	Kneading Chopping Proving Mixing Tasting
DT Mrs Webb	This term we will be completing an AQA unit award designing and making our own board games. Students will be playing three board games in school, which they then will evaluate before deciding what kind of board game they would like to create. They will all have something wonderful to bring home for Christmas.	Play board games at home and discuss with pupils what they do and don't like about the games.	Board Rules Pieces Aim Fair
Drama Miss Price	This term in drama, as part of their Asdan Expressive Arts short course, pupils will be acting out different poems, scenarios and short plays based on the theme of nature. They will continue to learn and develop their key drama skills such as character work, movement, miming, freeze frames, soundscapes, and they will use props and costumes while rehearsing and creating short performances. They will also learn about a local theatre and discover more about props/costumes/lighting etc used in a theatre show.	Please photograph pupils if they attend a theatre production, and send in their ticket, so that these can be used as extra evidence for their portfolio. Encourage pupils to explain why they like a certain actor, director, designer, TV programme, film or play.	Rehearse Perform Characterisation Prop Miming
Music Mrs Lea	This term in Music we will be playing a variety of drums and learning about the different elements that go into making a piece of music. Pupils will learn about different cultures and their music as well as learning to play a variety of rhythmic pieces. They will then have	Listen a to a variety of music at home. Have conversations in your family about which genres of music/artists everyone likes and why.	Rhythm Texture Pulse Djembe Call and response

	the opportunity to build these skills into a final piece. After half term, we will be playing the Boomwhackers and handbells, learning about some composers and exploring a variety of musical genres.		
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