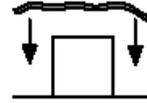


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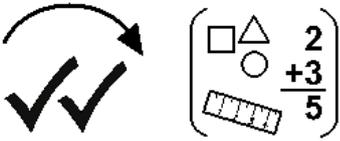
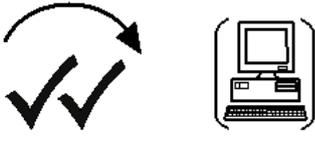


Curriculum



Coverage

In the Autumn terms, U2 will be working on the following topics and themes for sessions.

 <p>Functional English</p>	<p>Our topic is 'Me'. We will be looking at things we like and dislike, what we want to improve on and what we have got better at over last year. We will ma</p> <p>Reading, writing and speaking/listening skills will be worked on across the week in all lessons. We will work on life skills such as writing a shopping list, reading a list and buying the items in a shop.</p>
 <p>Functional Maths</p>	<p>We are going to embed maths through all lessons across the week working on a range of practical life skills. We will bake looking at measure, shape & time. We will have a math's café where students will take it in turns to be the shop keeper. They will have to pay for snack and work out change. We will go to the shops near school and use money in real life situations.</p>
 <p>Functional Computing</p>	<p>We are going to make a power point about ourselves to present back to the class. We will add in pictures, text, effects such as sound and animation. We will work as independently as we can on a laptop and an iPad, work on photocopying and printing our own work.</p>
 <p>PSD</p>	<p>This years OCR unit is 'Engaging in a creative art project'. We will work in pairs or as a whole group to learn about different artists and produce some work together.</p> <p>We will also cover skills such as safety (road, computer, kitchen etc.) and how to keep safe out in the community.</p>
 <p>Science</p>	<p>In science we will be looking at inheritance and evolution. We will learn about cells and study onion cells under a microscope. We will look at baby photos of ourselves and talk about how we have changed. We will look at how we are similar to our families and friends and make a family tree. We will learn about cave people and see how we have evolved.</p>
 <p>Community</p>	<p>We will be looking at what a community means and what groups we belong to. We will hopefully go to local shops to buy snacks and our dinner. We will organise events within school for families and other classes to take part in.</p>

 <p>Vocational</p>	<p>We will look at the rights respecting schools charter and make our own charter for class with rights we think are important. We will look at rights in the workplace and what skills students need to develop their aspirations.</p> <p>After half term we will begin to make things for the upper Christmas fair. We will have a stall and sell our items to make money for our department.</p>
 <p>Sport</p>	<p>In sport we will be using the outdoor gym, take part in circuit training and do a variety of exercise such as aerobics, yoga and dance. We will continue to have weekly swimming lessons on a Friday afternoon.</p> <p>We will have a 10 week block of Tai chi lessons with a qualified instructor.</p>
 <p>Independent Life Skills</p>	<p>The OCR unit for ILS is 'Participating in carrying out household tasks'. Students will undertake a variety of household jobs such as washing, cleaning and cooking and use a variety of appliances safely.</p>

If you have any questions please feel free to contact myself at school.

Many thanks

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