

What's on this term...

Oak Class



MATHS & ENGLISH: Students are studying Functional Skills at different levels, so please see the Maths and English sheets for more info about what your young person is learning this term.

WHOLE CLASS READING: In response to student interest, we are reading '*The boy in the striped pyjamas*.' It is a poignant novel by John Boyne that explores themes of innocence, friendship, and the horrors of the Holocaust through the eyes of a young boy named Bruno.

PSHE: Our focus this term is on financial literacy. Students will be developing their money management skills by learning about spending decisions, budgeting, bank accounts and taxable income. We will also look at fraud and cybercrime.

COMPUTING BTEC: This term we will focus on the unit of work called 'Developing Digital Information Using IT.' The aim is for students to design and present information for a specific audience using IT. They will explore design elements and use different types of software to produce engaging information. Students will learn different ways of producing and presenting high-quality information that is engaging and creative. They will use different page designs, including layout and formatting, and embed materials such as video, graphics and images to present information in a dynamic and interesting way.

FOOD TECH BTEC - Year 10 & 11: The students are being introduced to Level 1 and Level 2 Home Cooking Skills this term. All students are preparing different kinds of breakfasts that require eggs used in different ways, from poaching to scrambling, as well as using eggs in recipes such as pancakes.

SCIENCE BTEC: students must complete a Personal Progression Plan. To achieve this, first they need to know what paths are available to them at Post-16, then decide on their chosen pathway. This includes exploring the skills and behaviours needed to meet their personal progression goals and producing a clear plan of action, showing the steps they will take in order to achieve their goals.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: In RE we will be exploring some big questions, such as: Why do people believe in God? What worldviews do people have in the UK and how is this changing? How do people make moral decisions and how can we use ethics to help us?