CITIZENSHIP

Curriculum intent

Citizenship prepares our students to become successful, happy and healthy adults.

They learn how to build positive relationships, live healthy and safe lifestyles, be moral citizens of modern Britain and have the confidence to be 'work and life ready'.

Overview:

- Our curriculum meets the statutory requirements of the Relationships, Health and Sex Education guidance and the National Curriculum for Citizenship. It also extends beyond this to ensure that our curriculum prioritises the context of our local community.
- The curriculum is tailored to allow us to respond to relevant local and national safeguarding priorities to ensure we meet the contemporary needs of our students.
- Our spiral curriculum allows students to revisit and develop age-appropriate knowledge of key topics in KS4 as part of our Core RE/Citizenship curriculum (2 lessons a fortnight.)

Curriculum strands:

- Health and Wellbeing
- Living in the Wider World
- Relationships

KS3 curriculum structure and content:

In **KS3**, students study both Citizenship and Computing on a rotation which strengthens our cross-curricular within digital safety. Students will study four half-termly units of Citizenship and two half-termly units of Computing.

	Topic 1	Topic 2	Topic 3	Topic 4
Year 7	My identity & Values	Health & Wellbeing	British Values	The Rule of Law
Year 8	Health & Wellbeing	Risks & the law	Rights & Respect	Digital citizenship
Year 9	Relationships & families	Healthy relationships	Risks and the law	Financial literacy

KS4 curriculum structure and content:

In **KS4**, students study Core RE/Citizenship to continue their study of religious education alongside recapping and developing core knowledge within the RSHE/Citizenship national curriculum.

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Year 10	Social Justice	End of life	What does it mean to be an adult?	The responsibilities of wealth	Religion and the media	Relationships and sex education
Year 11	Religion and the modern world	Prejudice and discrimination	Moral dilemmas	Identity and belonging	Health and wellbeing	