



P&A Curriculum – Thematic Overview

Motivation

Commitment

Care

Rule of Law

Individual Liberty

Mutual Respect

Tolerance

Democracy

Autumn 1: 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2024 – 25<sup>th</sup> October 2024 (8 weeks)

Week	Themed days/weeks to note	Literacy	Personal Development / Personal Progress	Reading for Pleasure	Assembly
1A 2 <sup>nd</sup> -6 <sup>th</sup> Sept				Y7 – ‘Once’ by Morris Gleitzman. <i>Plight of Jewish people in Nazi Germany</i> Y8 – ‘Boy 87’ by Ele Fountain. <i>Refugeeism</i> Y9 – ‘I Have No Secrets’ by Penny Joelson. <i>Disability awareness</i> Y10-Y11 - ‘Orbiting Jupiter’ by Gary D. Schmidt. <i>Teenage trauma, friendship and trust.</i>	Welcome Back / The Year Ahead  <i>Principals &amp; Head of Year</i>



<p>2B 9<sup>th</sup> - 13<sup>th</sup> Sept</p>		<p><b>Education is important</b> School minister 2015: Nick Gibb – Speech at the Education Reform Summit (meeting)</p>	<p><b>Personal Progress Session 1</b>  Achievement / Attendance</p>	<p>Y7 – ‘Once’ by Morris Gleitzman. <i>Plight of Jewish people in Nazi Germany</i> Y8 – ‘Boy 87’ by Ele Fountain. <i>Refugeeism</i> Y9 – ‘I Have No Secrets’ by Penny Joelson. <i>Disability awareness</i> Y10-Y11 - ‘Orbiting Jupiter’ by Gary D. Schmidt. <i>Teenage trauma, friendship and trust.</i></p>	<p>Expectation reminders Attendance Rewards &amp; Recognition  <i>Head of Year</i></p>
<p>3A 16<sup>th</sup> - 20<sup>th</sup> Sept</p>			<p>Online acceptable use reminders / Internet safety video  <i>Mrs Lloyd</i></p>	<p>Y7 – ‘Once’ by Morris Gleitzman. <i>Plight of Jewish people in Nazi Germany</i> Y8 – ‘Boy 87’ by Ele Fountain. <i>Refugeeism</i> Y9 – ‘I Have No Secrets’ by Penny Joelson. <i>Disability awareness</i> Y10-Y11 - ‘Orbiting Jupiter’ by Gary D. Schmidt. <i>Teenage trauma, friendship and trust.</i></p>	<p>Rewards &amp; Recognition  <i>Mr Lloyd &amp; Head of Year</i></p>



<p>4B 23<sup>rd</sup> – 27<sup>th</sup> Sept</p>	<p>European Day of Languages</p>	<p><b>Foreign Languages</b> 11 things you might not know. (<a href="https://edl.ecml.at/">https://edl.ecml.at/</a>)</p>	<p><b>Personal Progress Session 2</b>  Achievement / Attendance</p>	<p>Y7 – ‘Once’ by Morris Gleitzman. <i>Plight of Jewish people in Nazi Germany</i> Y8 – ‘Boy 87’ by Ele Fountain. <i>Refugeeism</i> Y9 – ‘I Have No Secrets’ by Penny Joelson. <i>Disability awareness</i> Y10-Y11 - ‘Orbiting Jupiter’ by Gary D. Schmidt. <i>Teenage trauma, friendship and trust.</i></p>	<p>European Day of Languages  <i>MFL Team</i>  Fire Evacuation – Year Groups separately as per assembly rota</p>
<p>5A 30<sup>th</sup> Sept – 4<sup>th</sup> Oct</p>	<p>Black History Month  National Poetry Day - ‘Forgotten Narratives’ (3<sup>rd</sup> October)</p>	<p style="background-color: #c4c48d;"></p>	<p>National Poetry Day  <i>Mrs Thompson</i></p>	<p>Y7 – ‘Once’ by Morris Gleitzman. <i>Plight of Jewish people in Nazi Germany</i> Y8 – ‘Boy 87’ by Ele Fountain. <i>Refugeeism</i> Y9 – ‘I Have No Secrets’ by Penny Joelson. <i>Disability awareness</i> Y10-Y11 - ‘Orbiting Jupiter’ by Gary D. Schmidt. <i>Teenage trauma, friendship and trust.</i></p>	<p>Black History Month  <i>Mr Palmer</i></p>



<p>6B 7<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup> Oct</p>	<p>World Mental Health Day</p>	<p><b>The Hill We Climb</b> Amanda Gorman</p>	<p><b>Personal Progress Session 3</b>  Achievement / Attendance</p>	<p>Y7 – ‘Once’ by Morris Gleitzman. <i>Plight of Jewish people in Nazi Germany</i> Y8 – ‘Boy 87’ by Ele Fountain. <i>Refugeeism</i> Y9 – ‘I Have No Secrets’ by Penny Joelson. <i>Disability awareness</i> Y10-Y11 - ‘Orbiting Jupiter’ by Gary D. Schmidt. <i>Teenage trauma, friendship and trust.</i></p>	<p>Mental Health awareness  <i>Mrs Collins</i></p>
<p>7A 14<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup> Oct</p>			<p>Skills Builder Speaking Skills &amp; Attendance  <i>Mrs Lewis</i></p>	<p>Y7 – ‘Once’ by Morris Gleitzman. <i>Plight of Jewish people in Nazi Germany</i> Y8 – ‘Boy 87’ by Ele Fountain. <i>Refugeeism</i> Y9 – ‘I Have No Secrets’ by Penny Joelson. <i>Disability awareness</i> Y10-Y11 - ‘Orbiting Jupiter’ by Gary D. Schmidt. <i>Teenage trauma, friendship and trust.</i></p>	<p>Minsthorpe’s Reading Miles  BE FAIR Everywhere  <i>Mr Ruston</i> <i>Mrs Read</i></p>



<p>8B 21<sup>st</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup> Oct</p>		<p>History of Bonfire Night English Heritage: The real story of Bonfire Night</p>	<p>Personal Progress Session 4</p>	<p>Y7 – ‘Once’ by Morris Gleitzman. <i>Plight of Jewish people in Nazi Germany</i> Y8 – ‘Boy 87’ by Ele Fountain. <i>Refugeism</i> Y9 – ‘I Have No Secrets’ by Penny Joelson. <i>Disability awareness</i> Y10-Y11 - ‘Orbiting Jupiter’ by Gary D. Schmidt. <i>Teenage trauma, friendship and trust.</i></p>	<p>Halloween / Bonfire Night Night Safety  <i>Head of Year</i></p>
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