

Year 7

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Subject	Topic(s)	Length (approx)	Topic(s)	Length (approx)	Topic(s)	Length (approx)
Art and Design	Baseline Making, Knowledge & Evaluations	1 hour	The Formal Elements Making and Ideas	1 hour	The Colourful Human Being Making, Knowledge & Evaluations	90 minutes
Technology	Baseline - Food preparation and evaluation - Coleslaw	90 minutes	Designing - A4 Food Factfile	90 minutes	Making - Constructing a textiles item - keyring.	90 minutes
Computing	Baseline - computer science, IT and digital skills	1 hour	Computer networks and Media	1 hour	Data modelling and block based programming	1 hour
English	Baseline - The Fairground: Analysis	45 minutes	WW1 Poetry - Letter from the Front Line	45 minutes	Voyages of Discovery - persuasive article	45 minutes
Geography	Baseline Assessment - What is Geography?	45 minutes each	Rivers and Ecosystem Assessment	45 Minutes	End of year Assessment	45 Minutes
History	Baseline Assessment - talking about time and source inference	30 minutes	Explain why Thomas Becket was killed	40 minutes	End of year Test	50 minutes
Maths	Topic List: Addition and subtraction - column method. Short and Long multiplication and addition. Time. Money. Using a protractor to measure and draw angles. Factors, multiples, highest common factor, lowest common multiple and prime factor trees. Sequences. Perimeter and area of rectangles. Compound shapes. Area of triangles, parallelograms and trapeziums.	70 minutes	Topic List: The numberline. Addition, subtraction, multiplication and division with negative numbers. Averages - mode, median, range and the mean. Interpreting statistical diagrams. Fractions - equivalent, adding and subtracting including mixed numbers and improper fractions. Order of operations (BIDMAS), expressions, substitution, collecting like terms. Angles in triangles, quadrilaterals and within parallel lines. Constructing perpendicular and angle bisectors.	70 minutes	Topic List: Rounding numbers. Multiplying and dividing by powers of 10. Decimals - ordering decimals, addition, subtraction, multiplication and division with decimals. Estimation. Coordinates. Linear (straight line) graphs. Conversion graphs. Fractions, decimals and percentage conversions. Fractions and percentages of a quantity. Volume of cuboids. Probability - words, scales and experimental probability. Ratio - simplifying ratios, sharing in a ratio.	70 Minutes
French	Writing Assessment - write 50 words on the topic of family	30 minutes	Speaking assessment - Role Play on the topic of School	10 minutes preparation followed by 5 minutes speaking test	Writing Assessment - Write 50 words on the topic of town.	30 minutes
Spanish	Writing Assessment - write 50 words on the topic of introducing yourself	30 minutes	Speaking assessment - Role Play on the topic of Family	10 minutes preparation followed by 5 minutes speaking test	Writing Assessment - Write 50 words on the topic of school.	30 minutes
PE	Netball and Badminton Practical Assessments	100 minutes	Health Related Exercise and Basketball Practical Assessment	100 minutes	Athletics and Rounders Practical Assessments.	100 minutes
Drama	Melodrama - Pyramus and Thisbe extract from <i>A Midsummer Night's Dream</i> - In pairs but assessed individually	Students are assessed throughout the term for their 'Rehearsal and Development' assessment grade. Students have 100 minutes to prepare for their performance assessment which lasts no longer than 5 minutes.	'We all live under the shadow of the bomb' - Devised piece based on fears. In groups but assessed individually.	Students are assessed throughout the term for their 'Rehearsal and Development' assessment grade. Students rehearse and prepare for their performance throughout the term and the final performed assessment piece lasts approximately 5 minutes.	<i>Clever Else</i> - scripted performance. In groups but assessed individually.	Students are assessed throughout the term for their 'Rehearsal and Development' assessment grade. Students have 100 minutes to prepare for their performance which lasts 5-10 minutes.
Music	Graphic Score and the Elements of Music - Students are assessed on their knowledge of key words in these topics.	Students have 100 minutes to create a graphic score composition and perform it as part of their assessment which lasts about 3 minutes.	Instruments of the Orchestra and Descriptive Music	Students compose a descriptive music piece for 100 minutes and perform it for assessment which lasts approximately 5 minutes.	Keyboard skills	Students rehearse a keyboard piece: 'Ode to Joy' for 60 minutes and are assessed on their performance which lasts approximately 3 minutes.

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RS	Baseline assessment - Introduction to RE and St. Bernard's	1 hour	Creation and Covenant - What do we learn from Genesis and science about creation and what are our responsibilities? (Catholic Social Teaching)	1 hour	Jesus, the importance of scripture and creation - What names do we use for Jesus and why? How is scripture used and interpreted? (i.e in Mass/the Rosary) What we learn from Genesis about creation. Key terms for all topics.	1 hour
Science	Topic assessment: > Cells, Tissues, organs and systems > Atoms Elements and molecules > Energy	45 minutes each	Topic assessment: > Mixtures and Separations > Current and Electricity > Sexual Reproduction	45 minutes each	Topic assessment: > Acids and Alkalies > Ecosystems > Variation and Adaptation	45 minutes each