



October Overview 2023

Short overview of the topics / content / theme covered in each year group. Check your subject specific Google Classroom for work. This could be work completed in lesson time and also include work set to be completed at home.

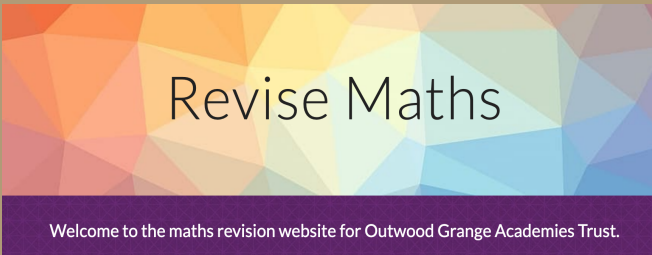
Subject	Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Year 11
English Language	Creative Writing	'My Sister Lives on the Mantelpiece'	'Of Mice and Men'	Transactional Writing - articles Component 2 Reading - craft of the writer Narrative writing	Component 1 Section A walkthrough (Megan in London) Narrative Writing Component 2 Section A walkthrough (Niagara) Transactional Writing
English Literature	Read Aloud: 'The Amazing Edie Eckhart.'	Read Aloud: 'Look Both Ways'	Read Aloud: 'Martyn Pig.'	A Christmas Carol - Dickens Immersive read Themes and characters	Romeo and Juliet - revision of key scenes Post-1789 Poetry Anthology - theme of power
Mathematics	Algebra 1 and Proportion 1	Data 3 and Proportion 5	Data 4 and Shape 4	Higher - Algebra and Surds Foundation - Factorising, Index laws, Equations	Higher - Circle Theorems, Parallel and Perpendicular Lines Foundation - Algebra, Sequences, Expressions
Science	Unit 2- Matter and Energy	Unit 6- Plants, ecology and climate change	Unit 12- Chemical patterns and materials	<u>All students do</u> Biology B2: Organisation Chemistry C2: Bonding and structure. <u>Triple students start</u> Chemistry C3: Quantitative chemistry <u>Combined students start</u> Physics P2: Electricity	Biology B6: Inheritance, Variation and Evolution Chemistry C7: Organic Chemistry Physics P5: Forces
History	How did early migration impact Britain?	Who really had the power in Stuart England?	Did WW1 cause WW2?	Elizabethan England	Weimar and Nazi Germany
Geography	Amazing World/ Ecosystems	Asia	Hazards/ Climate Change	Living World	Coasts
Life	Students will be exploring Ethics and Morals	Students are continuing their journey on Human Rights and looking at individual leaders.	Students explore dangers to their health and are being supported by Spectrum in their learning of relationships and sex education.	Students continue their journey looking at the Big Issues which are impacting on an individual, domestic and global front.	

Spanish	Describing what you and others do in their Freetime. Present tense AR verbs (Describiendo lo que tú y otros hacen en el tiempo libre)	Comparing technology and expressing complex opinions to describe the advantages and disadvantages of social media.	Asking questions in Spanish. Booking accommodation and travel tickets in a city.	Speaking about your free time in three tenses. Discussing family members.	Jobs and Careers. Healthy Lifestyle.
Art & Design	Baseline assessment and the importance of the formal elements in Art & Design	Cultural influence and how it can enrich our lives in the UK.. Animals, techniques and approaches	Portraiture, the past, present and the future. Building on formal elements with links to art history.	The Natural World and artists that use this theme in their work. The Formal Elements and line.	
Cooking & Nutrition	Health and safety and various cooking practical activities.	Health and safety and various cooking practical activities.	Health and safety and various cooking practical activities.	Temperatures and storage and practical meatball sub	Customer needs, customer rights and inclusion
Design & Tech	Health and safety and introduction to the first project RM:Coin collector, Textiles Juggling balls and bag.	Health and safety and introduction to the first project RM:Balancing toy, Textiles:Activity cube	Health and safety and introduction to the first project RM:Birdhouse, Textiles: Recycled pajamas.	Toolbox or Mini textiles practical skills. Investigating the properties and uses of paper and boards	GCSE coursework and investigating Mechanisms and mechanical devices
Performing Arts	Macbeth	The Missing	Boal	Component I, Antigone	Component ½ resit
Music	Dynamic Rhythms	Band skills	Rock band		
PE /Sports Studies	Developing key skills as an individual and as part of a team.	Refining/Recapping key skills as an individual and as part of a team.	Understanding what makes a good leader in a variety of individual and team sports.	Theory - Topic 3 - Organising and planning a sporting activity Practical - Topic 4 - Leading a sports activity session	R186 Sport and The Media Task 1 R184 Contemporary Issues in Sport - Issues influencing participation
Business / Marketing				Completing R068 Coursework. Focusing on the financial viability of the product	Completing R069 Coursework. Focusing on preparing the pitch for their product design
ICT	Digital literacy - introduction to G-Suite	Introduction to Binary	Programming - Introduction to the fundamentals of Python	Computer Science- Python Programming. WJEC - Spreadsheets Skills & Mini project	Continuation of Coursework Module.

Whole School Google Classrooms (Let us know via email @ [Freeston Enquiries](#) if you need the code)

Weekly Photo Comp	Complete the monthly photographic competition, winners will have their work published on twitter 😊
Art Wellbeing	Complete the next mindful art activity and submit your work for marking- good luck 👍
Tutor Classrooms	Your child's tutor will post quizzes and activities here, where appropriate and applicable
Careers	Parent/Guardian career guide. A range of links available to consider for next steps.
Inclusion	Complete IDL at home as per Bridge/PLC timetable or access Bridge/PLC classroom for extra resources when required.
Useful Home Learning Links (click in the image for a quick link)	   

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These emails, known as **'Guardian Summaries'**, include information about missing work, upcoming work, and class activity including announcements and questions posted in the class stream.



More information can be found here: [Classroom.freeston.outwood.com](https://classroom.freeston.outwood.com)

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