KS3 Overview Year 9:

Subject	Term 2			
	Topics covered	**Useful website links to support**	**Places families could visit to support/ books that might be interesting- extra curricular**	**This terms assessment info**
English	'A View From The Bridge' by Arthur Miller	BBC: A View From The Bridge Cliff Notes: A View From The Bridge		Write analytical paragraphd to analyse a character from the play.
Maths	• Using Percentages • Mathematics and Money • Algebraic Representation	https://sparxmaths.com Corbettmaths – Videos, worksheets, 5-a-day and much more Maths Teaching Resources | Dr Austin Maths Maths Genie • Learn GCSE Maths for Free	Mathematics: The Winton Gallery MathsWorld – London's new Mathematics Discovery Centre	Term 2 Assessment 1 (non-calc) Term 2 Assessment 2 (calc)
Science	• Adaptation and inheritance • Ecosystem processes	• https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/z4882hv [Inheritance and genetics section] • https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/z4882hv [Ecosystems and habitats section]	• Science Museum • Natural History Museum	• Y7&8 review questions (ahead of Y9 exams, to aid revision) • End of unit assessments
Geography	Global hazards	Hazards - KS3 Geography - BBC Bitesize	Create a simple family emergency plan. Consider: • What would you do during a flood? • What items would you take in an emergency bag? • Who would you contact? • Where would you meet? This helps students understand the importance of preparedness in reducing disaster impacts.	End of unit assessment
German	Technology: use of phones, internet, social media	Quizlet set in Quizlet class; BBC Bitesize; Goethe Institut website.	German speaking countries	Vocab test KB test
Spanish	School & life at school; looking for work; future plans	https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zkh73qt	Spanish speaking countries	Vocabulary tests Mid-term tests End of term tests
Music	What is Jazz?	https://teachinggadget.com/ *Log in details will be shared in lesson times* The origins of the blues and the jazz movement - Blues and jazz - Eduqas - GCSE Music Revision - Eduqas - BBC Bitesize	Any live music, in any style, will help students develop their understanding of how patterns of rhythm work	Perform a piece of Jazz Music; Listening Test

DT	Food Technology LED Light Mechanisms Textiles (Taught in 19 week rotations throughout Year 8 & 9).	The Secret Life of Our Favourite Dishes - BBC Teach Design and technology - Control – electronic control systems - BBC Bitesize Design and communication – formal drawing and computer aided design (CAD) - BBC Bitesize Design and technology - Control - mechanical control systems - BBC Bitesize Product analysis - BBC Bitesize The 1960s fashion revolution - Fashion and textiles: Video playlist - BBC Bitesize	A restaurant Tate Modern The Design Museum The Victoria & Albert Museum	End of unit tests in each rotation area, including practical and theory assessments.
PE	• Handball • Volleyball • Leadership • Fitness • Effects of Exercise	Students can access Carousel Learning to support them with their revision. The links for each class can be found on the Year 9 TEAM in the PE Channel. Students can access the knowledge bank and Learning Profiles via the Year 9 TEAM in the PE Channel.	Find a local sports club: https://www.medway.gov.uk/directory/30/find_a_sport	Students will continue to secure their knowledge and physical ability in Handball. Students will sit a theory assessment for Volleyball, focusing on rules, skills and tactics, as well as the effects of exercise. Students will also need to recall the components of fitness from year 7 and the safety and injury prevention in sport content from year 8. Students will also be assessed practically on what they can do in Handball and Volleyball.
Drama	**Theatre design** - Set & props - Stage types - Costume, hair & make-up - Lighting & sound	https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/zdb6xyc	1. Watching live plays/musicals at the theatre, whether professional or amateur 2. Join local theatre groups to develop drama skills	NONE
PSHE	Managing Disappointments and Setbacks Unhealthy Coping Strategies Healthy Coping Strategies			