

In Spring term 2018, Year 7/8 will be learning about....

Subject:	Unit & Content Overview:
English	Where shall we go? Author Study: C.S. Lewis, Poetry Journey: 'The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe', David Livingstone's Journal, travel brochures We will explore what people experience on journeys to help us understand more about life and the world.
Maths	Number, multiplication, division, fractions, ratio and proportion, length, properties of shapes, statistics, addition and subtraction, money, weight and capacity, position and direction and also improving our number fluency.
Science	Rocks & Fossils: Habitats:
Computing	Coding, Spreadsheets & Databases:
PE	Dance: Exploring movement to different music showing body control and expression. Football: Developing key football skills & the application of skills in a game, key football rules and building teamwork skills.
DT	Textiles: Draw String Bag or Cushion Project
MFL - French	Portraits: Students will learn the names for the main parts of the body and learn to say colours in French. They will learn to understand descriptions of body parts and ask and answer questions about physical appearance.
Music	Animal Dance & Rhythms; Chinese New Year celebrations. Exploring the traditional Chinese Lion dance, creating four different drum rhythms and finish with a performance of the Lion dance.
RE	Belonging: Students will explore what it means to belong; in their own lives and for people of different faiths. They will learn about religious symbols, texts and special places, with a focus on Christianity and Sikhism.
Art	Urban & Rural Landscapes This unit introduces students to the contrasting subject of Urban and rural landscapes with a focus upon man-made and natural forms and colours.
PHSE	Personal Wellbeing - Students will explore the relationships they have with a range of others. They will consider healthy relationships, bullying and behaviour. SRE - Students will consider body changes during puberty and the names of different body parts.
Humanities	Hot & Cold Climates (2) - Students will continue to explore hot and cold countries in the world using maps and globes. The Development of Church, State & Society in Britain 1509-1745 Life in Tudor & Stuart times including the Gun Powder Plot, English Civil War' and the Monarchy and their links to religion