



**Year 9**

**Homework booklet**

**Half Term One**

## Year 9 Homework Options Half Term 1

Please hand your completed homework to your subject Teacher between the dates shown for each subject.  
If you have completed the Above and Beyond Tasks get your teacher to sign in the subject boxes.

### October 7<sup>th</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup> - Maths, Art, Music, RE and Computer Science

Maths	Art	Music	RE	Computer Sci
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#### Maths

- 90% + compulsory completion in Maths Sparx.

**Above and beyond** 100% compulsory completion and the XP boosts in Maths Sparx.

#### Art

- Create a collage inspired by Del Zou.

**Above and Beyond** Take your own photograph of a person and stitch a geometric pattern into it, like Maurizio Anzeri OR Take your own photograph, cut it up and collage it like Del Zou.

#### Music

- Research a famous Band and explain their career and specialist skills. Present this through a poster/magazine article/ vlog.

**Above and Beyond** Attend a concert or gig\watch on YouTube and write a review of this.

#### RE

- Create a comic strip/storyboard about someone with an ethical dilemma, include their situation, what decision they had to make, the result of the decision and the affect it had.

**Above and Beyond** Formulate a conversation between you and a friend/family member or guardian, discussing this question "All human life is special" try to have two opposing point of view.

#### Computer Studies

- On paper or on the computer, write and comment a small Python program that adds 3 numbers together and outputs their total.

**Above and Beyond** Write a small report on a language other than Python. What does the code look like? What is the language used for?

## October 14th to 18th - Science, History, Technology, PE and PSHE

Science	History	Technology	PE	PSHE
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### Science: Evolution

- Make your own wordsearch for chemical energy. Use your knowledge organiser to help identify key words for this topic.

**Above and Beyond** Research the work of Darwin, Lamarck and Wallace. - What were their different ideas? - What are the similarities? - What are the differences? - What is the evidence to support their theories?

### History

- Describe in over 100 words how Stalin became a dictator.

**Above and Beyond** Write a diary entry from inside a Russian Gulag. Ensure you write why you are imprisoned and what life is like.

### Technology: Food

- Research a famous chef and the importance of their work. Present this through a poster/magazine article/vlog.

**Above and Beyond** Safely prepare and cook a meal for others at home. This meal should be nutritious and contain a minimum of 3 of your recommended '5-a-day'. Take a picture of the meal and people enjoying it as proof.

### PE

- Attend an after-school club beyond enrichment every day this week.

**Above and Beyond:** Write a match report for a sport of your choice.

### PSHE

- Create a drugs education leaflet, using what you have learned in class.

**Above and Beyond-** Pick a country that has the same first letter as your name. Research that country's drug laws and find out what (if anything) they are doing to help fight the global war on drugs. You must present your findings as a display poster.

## October 21<sup>st</sup> to 25th- English, Geography, French and Drama

English	Geography	French	Drama
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### English: Romeo and Juliet

- Create a map or model of the setting to the play. Make sure to include all of the different areas the play is set.

**Above and Beyond** Design a costume for one of the characters. Explain why you have chosen particular colours/ materials, or included certain ideas.

### Geography

- Map the spread of a disease of your choice – The Black Death, Ebola, Malaria.

**Above and Beyond** Design your own plan on how you would manage an infectious disease.

### French

- Log onto Languagenut and complete the tasks which have been set for you

**Above and Beyond** Prepare a presentation in French about yourself and how you use technology in every day life.

### Drama

- Research a famous classical theatre performer and explain their career and specialist skills. Present this through a poster/magazine article/vlog.

**Above and Beyond** Attend a play or performance or watch one on YouTube and write a review of it.