

The Market Weighton School

Year 6

Summer Activity Booklet



Name:

Form Group:



Respect Honesty Compassion Resilience Industry Courage

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Introduction:

Welcome to TMWS! In September you will be beginning your five-year journey with us. It will be a period when you will grow both academically and as a person; your teachers cannot wait to meet you and get cracking.

In the meantime, we wanted something to keep you busy in the Summer. It's a 6-week holiday and you might start getting a bit bored, so this is a great opportunity for you to prepare for starting with us in September.

Your Form Tutors and Teachers will be there to help you settle in but it will be helpful if you have done some activities that will make settling into your different subjects that bit easier.

In this booklet you will find a number of activities from subjects that you will begin studying soon. The more tasks you complete the more Epraise points you will earn. For each task completed, your teacher will give you an Epraise point and tick off the completion section at the back of the booklet. If you then bring me a completed booklet, I will give you an Epraise accolade worth at least 5 points!

Each subject has provided 3 tasks. You will READ, VISIT & WATCH. You have until the end of the second week back to bring your form tutor a completed booklet!

Good Luck from all the staff at TMWS

English

Teachers- Mr Warner, Mrs Shrimpton, Mrs O'Malley, Mrs Woodhead, Mrs Woodhead-Todd, Mrs Argo-Bennett, Mr Cattle and Miss McCrae

READ: a chapter of: Rick Riordan's "Trials of Apollo" Book 1 "The Hidden Oracle" (this is a requirement: all students will receive a gift of their own copy of the book during Transition Week).

VISIT: Rievaulx Terrace which has an Ionic Temple based on Classical Greek architecture.

WATCH: Watch this summary of the Iliad, Homer's account of the end of the Trojan War on YouTube.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=T7iVwJb0BfE>



Notes:

Maths

Teachers: Mrs Carter, Mrs Swan, Mr Kelsey, Mr Cartmail, Mrs Harko-Boothroyd & Mr McDonnell

READ: Read "What's the Point of Maths?" by DK

VISIT: Visit Jodrell Bank. They use a huge amount of maths investigating the solar system! Write a report saying what you discovered.

WATCH: Watch this on YouTube. Can you solve the riddles!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dEn1hGGKI6s>



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Science

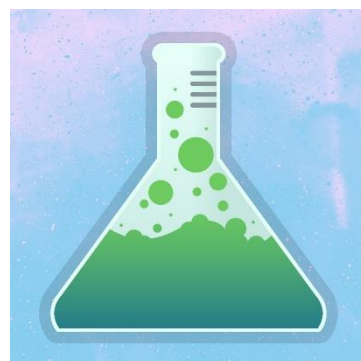
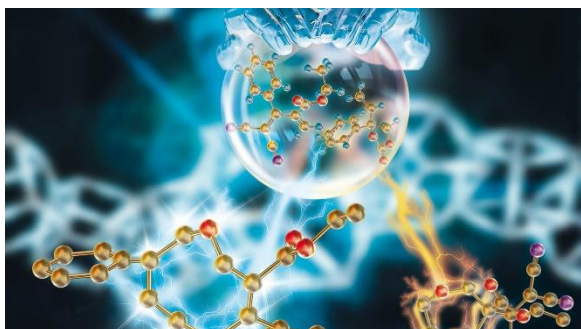
Teachers: Mrs Oliver, Mr Savage, Mrs Linwood, Mr Bellerby & Miss Grayson

READ: Read Why elephants can't jump and 113 other tantalising science questions

VISIT: Visit Magma science adventure centre, Rotherham

WATCH: Watch this on YouTube

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wstW5jy_WAU



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History

Teachers: Mr Fletcher & Mrs Jennings

READ: Read a novel set during the Middle Ages. You could try: Good Masters! Sweet Ladies! Voices from the Middle Ages, The Order of the White Boar, or any other novel of your choice

VISIT: A medieval site such as Wharram Percy or Beverley Minster. Write a report about what you found there and what it tells you about life for people in the Middle Ages.

WATCH: Go on YouTube and watch some of the following videos:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8P7cRTYNCdI>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JHmdH-PkTRI>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fuEuaSmDOe>
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Xff4Z5xMMro>

What do they tell you about life in the Middle Ages? Write a short review of the clips. Were they useful? What else do you need to find out more?



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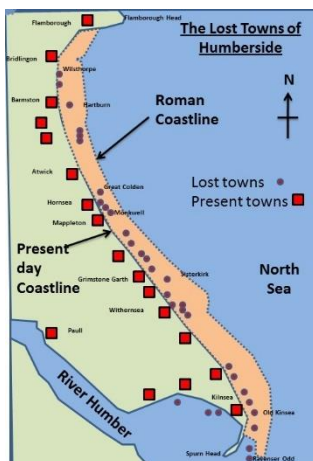
Geography

Teachers: Mr Smith & Mrs Breen

READ: You can read the Horrible Geography book "Cracking Coasts". Nick Carne has also written an excellent book about coasts around the UK, it is called "Coast: Our Island Story: A Journey of Discovery".

VISIT: Visit the Holderness Coast. An excellent place to visit is Flamborough Head, as this includes a heritage site and a protected wildlife sanctuary. You can walk along the spectacular cliffs or go rock pooling at low tide on the wave cut platform.

WATCH: Watch any of the excellent Coast programmes on BBC iPlayer.



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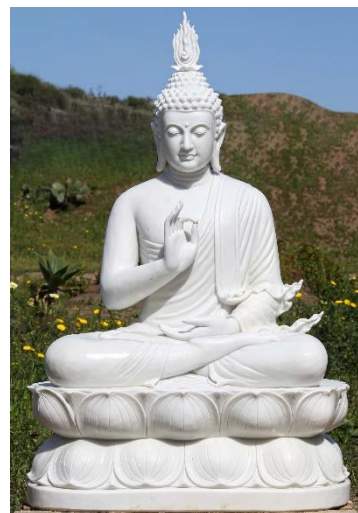
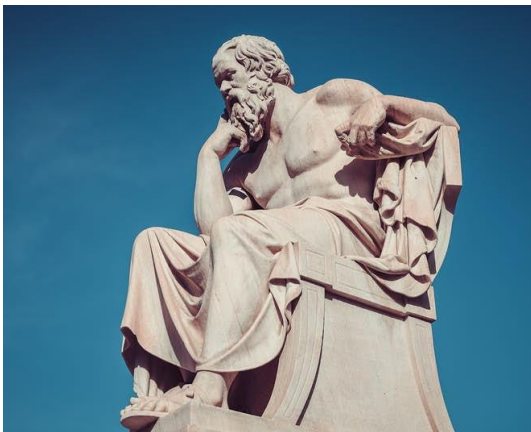
Society & Ethics

Teachers: Mr Morris, Mr Fletcher, Mr Ollett & Mrs Breen

READ: Read any book appropriate for your age to do with Philosophy. Our first topic in Year 7 is 'Ultimate Questions' so you might find it useful to begin thinking about some of these. There are some fantastic books available through Amazon including 'Children's Book of Philosophy' and 'Big Ideas for Curious Minds'.

VISIT: Our third topic in Year 7 is called 'Places & Pilgrimage'. You could visit a holy building over the summer, preferably something different to a church, and consider what its key features are. In the local area there are a number of Buddhist centres, Mosques and Synagogues (especially towards Hull). You may need to contact them first as they may only be open at certain times or have events on such as weddings.

WATCH: There is a series on YouTube called Crash Course Philosophy that is really useful for Society & Ethics



Notes:

Drama

Teachers: Mrs O'Malley & Mrs Woodhead-Todd

READ: In our third term of drama in year 7 we look at fairy tales. Have a go at reading a fairy-tale play of your own. Here is an example of one you could read:

<https://proplay.ws/scripts/beanstalk.pdf>

VISIT: Sewerby Hall have lots of different outdoor activities to take part in including a live theatre performance of The Tempest by Rusticus Woodland Creature Theatre. These events take place on several dates during August. Just check out their website for details: https://www.sewerbyhall.co.uk/whats-on/?date_mode=All

WATCH: In the Autumn term we get to watch a pantomime on our school stage. If you have never seen a pantomime before check out this pantomime on YouTube:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=usoGRi8mz4s&t=1318s>



Notes:

French

Teachers: Mrs Guilbert & Miss Gherardelli

READ: Read the lyrics of some French song and why not sing along. https://lyricstraining.com/play/ichon/la-vie/HfqYNA9NYf?fbclid=IwAR2IZHgbopgku1PckwKPs_bVMzRP5MbQxBXCrTZm8IQhrWVzbv7DuAn8-Cqk#k6!rchakrouni01

VISIT: Go to <https://www.youvisit.com/tour/paris> and learn about some famous attractions in Paris.

WATCH: Your favourite series or a film on Netflix and put the language or the subtitles in French. Watch the film: The Little Prince



Notes:

Spanish

Teacher: Miss Gherardelli, Miss Garcia & Mrs Guilbert

READ: Read one of these books:

City of Beasts

Kingdom of the Golden Dragon

Forest of Pygmies

VISIT: Virtual tour of the iconic Park Guell in Barcelona:

<https://parkguell.barcelona/visitavirtual/>

WATCH: Watch the film: Encanto



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Computer Science

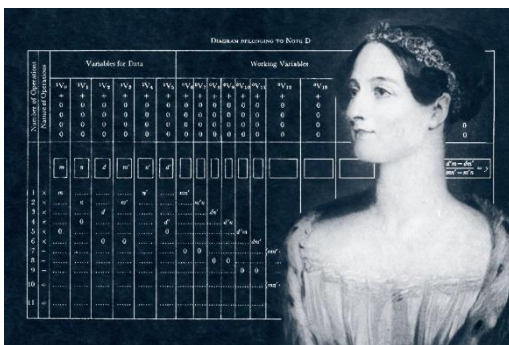
Teacher: Mr Mattock

READ: Read about Ada Lovelace and Hedy Lemar, what did they do and why were they so important to computing and what you use every day?

VISIT: The virtual tour of the National Museum of Computing <https://www.tnmoc.org/3d-virtual-tour>

WATCH:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wLIL46pYcg4> 15 Emerging Technologies that Will Change the World



Notes:

Music

Teacher: Miss Higgs

READ: Read this information about Ludwig van Beethoven:
<https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/articles/2TQ7jtflNVsy1c1DTCTOpBw/symphony-no-5-1st-movement-by-ludwig-van-beethoven>, and complete some of your own research. Why was he such an influential figure in the history of music? What barriers stood in his way? You can also compare his work to another composer on the BBC 10 Pieces website.

VISIT: Visit a concert venue or live event and think about the performances chosen for it. If you can't do this, find a concert hall online and do a virtual tour. Some examples are: Hull New Theatre, Bridgewater Hall, York Minster

WATCH: Check out one of the BBC Proms:
<https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/articles/5LWXYGqfNgF1HVvnm sdPVpN/proms-2022-whats-on-tv>. Particularly good ones would be Music for Royal Occasions (24 July), or the Earth Prom (29 August).



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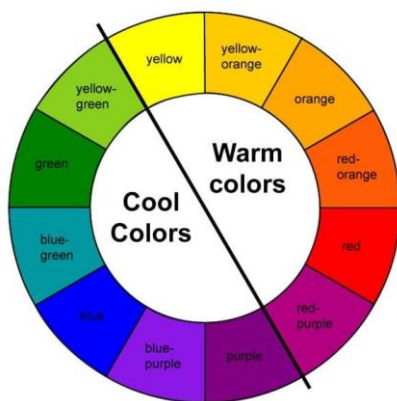
Art

Teacher: Mrs Staff

READ: Research what a colour wheel is on the internet. Read the information and try and replicate this at home. Use whatever materials you have available. Use your imagination and creativity.

VISIT: Visit the Ferens Art Gallery in Hull.

WATCH: Watch a You Tube video demonstrating how to draw a cartoon character, animal, vehicle, something of your choice. Try and use the video to sketch your own piece of art work.



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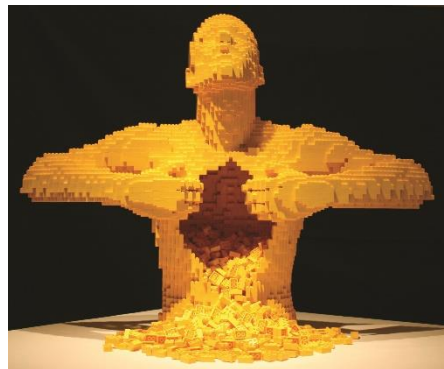
Design & Technology

Teacher: Mrs Oldfield

READ: Read about a designer of your choice. For example, Alessi, Phillippe Stark, Marcel Breuer.

VISIT: www.bbc.co.uk/technology and find out about new and emerging technologies.

WATCH: Watch a YouTube video demonstrating how to draw simple shapes in 3D. Use this video to draw your own 3D shapes. Shade the shapes using pencil or pencil crayon.



Notes:

Food

Teacher: Mrs Barnes, Mrs Thirlwell and Mrs Hall

READ: Read recipe, follow the method and prepare and/or cook the dish. (With adult permission and supervision).

VISIT: Visit a local restaurant. Look at how the food has been presented on the plate.

WATCH: Watch an episode of Master Chef.



Notes:

PE

Teachers: Mrs Townend, Mr Ollett, Mr Yeadon, Miss Dawson, Miss Powell

READ: An article on a current sporting issue. You could use The Athletic, BBC Sport, The Guardian or The Independent websites.

VISIT: Go to your local leisure centre and use the facilities, Try and take part in one of the summer activities programmes.

WATCH: Pick a sport you have never played and watch a game on YouTube.



Checklist:

1 Epraise point per complete task.
See Miss Sutton if completed all.

Subject:	READ	VISIT	WATCH
English			

Maths			
Science			
History			
Geography			
Society & Ethics			
Drama			
French			
Spanish			
Art			
Design & Tech			
Food			
PE			

We are looking forward to seeing you in September!