

Personal Development Long Term Plan (Year 8)

Year 8 Intent / End Point: Our personal development programme is designed to support our Y8 students in the development of their sense of community responsibility. Students will explore concepts such as teamwork, leadership and charity, in order to develop an understanding of the diversity of Britain and the British people. We will use our school community as a microcosm for the wider society, and students will consider their roles and responsibilities within it.

	HT1	HT2	HT3	HT4	HT5	HT6
Unit Title	Teams	Communities	Fundraising	Fundraising Project	START	Serving our School
Key Principles	Introduction to the VERITAS Award. Reflection on CARITAS Award - what were your successes and what would you do differently? What is leadership? Why is it important? What is teamwork? Why is it important?	Be the change you want to see' - transforming communities Team building community - appraise the skills needed in a team to transform communities Learning to serve - what does it mean to serve others?	Why is fundraising necessary? Looking at our society. Famous fundraisers and why they matter. Researching fundraising and evaluating success.	School fundraising project - how to plan a fundraising project Marketing, advertising and how to present your fundraising project Presentations	START: By following Start's structured and progressive activities, the platform caters for all students helping them to make more informed decisions about future study and career options.	Working together to improve our school community: recycling, litter picking, etc. Self-reflection: VERITAS Passport
Middle Stakes Testing	Try Now	Try Now	Try Now	Try Now - Presentation	Try Now	VERITAS Passport assessment: bronze, silver or gold
Skills Development: Skills developed in Y8 include: continuing to build resilience; working as part of a team; understanding the qualities of a servant leader; research and presentation skills; planning a project; personal reflection - recognising strengths and weaknesses; continuing to build personal confidence.						