Year Group	Learning Cycle 1 – Autumn Term	Learning Cycle 2 – Spring Term	Learning Cycle 3 – Summer Term
Year 7	Independence and aspirations Developing goal setting and self- awareness: • What is Personal Development? • Starting at QE • Skills to support learning • Teamwork and organisation • Demonstrating respect in the school community • Personal identity and core values • Getting involved and working together	Choices and influences Developing agency, strategies to manage influence and decision making: • A fair and equal opportunity to be healthy • Dental health • Diet and exercise • Maintaining physical health • The sleep factor • The importance of hygiene	Autonomy and advocacy Developing empathy, compassion and communication: Making and maintaining friendships Relationship boundaries Know your rights Hurtful behaviour Being a global citizen Equality and diversity
	Autonomy and advocacy Developing empathy, compassion and communication: Skills to make and maintain new friendships Managing conflict	Independence and aspirations Developing self -confidence and self-worth: • What happens at puberty? • Menstrual well-being	Choices and influences Developing agency and decision making skills Understanding drugs Responsible decision making Personal safety





	 Communicating safely online Recognising bullying Strategies for challenging bullying Coping with peer pressure 	 Why am I feeling like this? Different types of relationships Positive relationships #NotTheOne 	 First aid and CPR Who can help? Preparing for the summer break
Year 8	Independence and aspirations Developing risk management skills, analytical skills and strategies to identify bias: • Fake news • Critical analysis of different sources of information • Managing online presence • Strategies to maintain a positive presence online • Developing self- awareness • Getting involved and working together	Choices and influences Developing agencies and strategies to manage influence and access support. • What do we need to keep healthy? • The benefits of exercise • The things that support our health • When health goes wrong • Importance of positive mental health • Managing attitudes to mental health and accessing support	Autonomy and advocacy Developing communication and negotiation skills, clarifying values and strategies to manage influence: • Healthy and unhealthy relationships • How to maintain respectful relationships • Sexual orientation • Boundaries in relationships • Consent and avoiding assumptions
	Autonomy and advocacy	Independence and aspirations Developing goal setting, motivation and self-awareness:	Choices and influences





	Developing respect for beliefs, values and opinions and advocacy skills: What is gender identity? Stereotypes Faith and values How do I feel about difference? How can we challenge prejudice? What makes a successful community?	 Identifying personal and academic strengths Aspirations for the future Career choices Identity and the world of work Career Pilot: Employment trends Managing emotions in relation to future employment and career choices 	Developing agency and strategies to manage influence and access support: • Introduction to contraception • Resisting peer influences • Not just flirting • Alcohol • Smoking and vaping • Preparing for the summer break
Year 9	Independence and aspirations Developing goal setting, analytical skills and decision making: • Advice for GCSE options and careers • Informed decisions and future goals • Career Pilot • Skills for enterprise and employability • Laws and rights relating to young people's employment	Choices and influences Developing empathy, compassion and strategies to access support:	Autonomy and advocacy Developing assertive communication, clarifying values and strategies to manage influence: • Developing self- confidence, risk management and strategies to manage influence: • What to watch • Relationships in the media





	Getting involved and working together		 Managing challenging content Serious and organised crime Gangs and violent crime FGM
	Autonomy and advocacy Developing self-confidence, risk management and strategies to manage influence: • Exploring attitudes to drugs • Drugs, the law and managing risk • Drugs and their effects • Managing influencers • Being assertive and dealing with pressure • Why are friends important?	Independence and aspirations Developing analytical skills and strategies to identify bias and manage influence: • The impact of the media on decision making • Saving, borrowing and how to manage money • Making informed financial choices • Identifying common forms of fraud and online scams • Gambling • Accessing support in relation to gambling harms and fraud	Choices and influences Developing decision making, risk management and support- seeking skills:
Year 10	Independence and aspirations	Choices and influences	Autonomy and advocacy





	Developing self-awareness, goal setting, adaptability and organisation skills: • Adaptability, resilience and strategies to manage change • Learning skills for Key Stage 4 • Managing mental health concerns	Developing agency and decision making, strategies to manage, influence and access support: • Personal safety-identifying risk and influences on decision making • Online relationships • Assessing readiness for sexual intimacy	Developing respect for diversity, risk management and support seeking skills: • Forced marriage • Diversity and discrimination • Extremism
	Autonomy and advocacy Developing empathy and compassion, strategies to manage influence and assertive communication: • Relationship expectations- recognising manipulation and coercion • How to evaluate and manage the influence of pornography • Identifying and responding to abuse and harassment	Independence and aspirations Developing goal setting, leadership and presentation skills: • Skills for employment • Applying for employment Online presence and reputation	Choices and influences Developing motivation, organisation, leadership and presentation skills: • Rights and responsibilities in the workplace • Career Pilot- online opportunities for career development Evaluating and reflecting on work experience
Year 11	Independence and aspirations	Choices and influences	Autonomy and advocacy





	Developing resilience and risk management skills: • Making informed choices about money management • The risks of gambling, fraud and cybercrime • Strategies to promote personal safety Autonomy and advocacy	Developing confidence, agency and support-seeking skills: • Making safe and healthy lifestyle choices • Health promotion and self-examination • Blood, organ and stem cell donation	Developing confidence, self-worth, adaptability and decision making skills: • Recognising and celebrating successes • Transition and new opportunities Aligning actions with goals
	Developing communication and negotiation skills, risk management and support seeking skills: • Maintaining sexual health • Sexual health services • Managing relationship challenges and endings	Developing empathy and compassion, clarifying values and support-seeking skills: • Families and parenting • Fertility, adoption and abortion • Pregnancy and miscarriage	
Year 12	Independence and aspirations Developing skills as an effective independent learner: Note-taking Research & Referencing Bloom's Taxonomy	Autonomy and advocacy Developing empathy and compassion, clarifying values and support-seeking skills: Exam technique & revision skills	Autonomy and advocacy Developing confidence, self- worth, adaptability and decision- making skills: Target setting





	Oracy & Public Speaking	Target setting	Careers advice and guidance:
	Mindfulness	Careers advice and guidance:	Work Experience
	Problem solving	Exploring apprenticeships &	Post-18 choices
	Extended writing	UCAS Exhibition	UCAS application process
	Developing a CV	British Values: The Rule of Law	Writing a personal statement
	Revision Skills	RSE: Faiths and Tolerance	
		Coping with stress	Choices & Influences
	Choices & Influences		Developing confidence, agency
	Developing confidence, agency		and support seeking skills.
	and support seeking skills.		Maintaining sexual health
	Making safe and healthy life		Sexual health services
	style choices.		Managing relationship
	The risks of drugs and alcohol		challenges: consent/sexual
	Politics Project		harassment
Year 13	Independence and aspirations	Autonomy and advocacy	Autonomy and advocacy
	Developing resilience and risk	Developing empathy and	Developing confidence, self-
	management skills:	compassion, clarifying values and	worth, adaptability and decision-
	 Making informed choices 	support-seeking skills:	making skills:
	about further study	Exam technique & revision	Preparing for the future
	 Managing finances as a 	Coping with stress	Student finance
	student	Careers advice and guidance:	Recognising and celebrating
	Developing a career plan	UCAS & Apprenticeships,	and celebrating success
		mock interviews	Transition and new
	Choices & Influences	Target setting	opportunities
	Developing confidence, agency and support seeking skills.		
		Choices and influences	





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