Westfield Academy - Curriculum Information

What your child will learn in ...(ADD VERY BRIEF INTENT)

Maths

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Lessons per 2 week cycle	8
Specification/Board details/Key stage	OCR/Edexcel



Term by term

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1
Exploring Indices and Standard Form Exploring Fractions and Percentages Student Research/Problem Solving	Algebra Student Research/Problem Solving	Exploring Geometry and Measures Exploring Transformations Student Research/Problem Solving
Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Exploring Proportionality Exploring Compound Measures Student Research/Problem Solving	Exploring Geometry and Measure Exploring Compound Measures Student Research/Problem Solving	Probability and Statistics Student Research/Problem Solving
Key Skills developed		
Useful Websites	https://maths.sparx-learning.com/teacher/school-settings/subscription	
Reading/Literacy requirements /Key Words	Index Standard Form Integer	

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	Coefficient Substitute Expression Equation Formula Subject Circumference Area Arc Sector Ratio Proportion Subject of Formula Angle Parallel Polygon Bearing Locus
Homework requirements	Two times a week
Personal Development Links	https://corbettmaths.com/5-a-day/gcse/ https://sites.google.com/westfield.academy/ks3maths/home
Trips/Visits (If applicable)	Beyond the classroom, our Year 8 students engage in Money Matters. Learning financial literacy equips Year 8 students with essential life skills crucial for their future success. Understanding concepts like budgeting, saving, and investing empowers them to make informed financial decisions. It fosters responsible money management habits from a young age, promoting financial independence and security later in life. Additionally, financial literacy cultivates critical thinking and problem-solving skills as students navigate real-world financial scenarios. It instills confidence in handling finances and prepares them to tackle financial challenges effectively.