

# ILEARN

Subject title	Year 8 ilearn
Setting arrangements	Tutor groups: Mixed ability groups
Time allowance each fortnight	1 hour per fortnight

## Assessment and coursework

### **Types of assessment**

One formal citizenship assessment that pupils complete in class. This will be marked by the teacher .

PSHE, Enterprise and Careers skills are self and peer assessed by pupils.

Once a fortnight a learning log is written by students and marked by the teacher.

### **Timings of assessments**

Self assessment will take place at the end of every module ( approx 6/8 weeks)

The formal Citizenship assessment will take place mid-year.

### **Nature of assessments**

Citizenship: crime assessment, extended writing, reflective piece

## Topics covered during the course

### Crime

- o Why do People Commit Crimes?
- o Exploring the Consequences of Crime
- o Punishment and the Courts
- o 'Knife crime' – ASSESSMENT

### Christmas Bazaar

- o Planning and prep of designing and running a stall
- o Self-evaluation of skills

### Careers

- o Skills for the world of work
- o Career planning
- o Labour market and apprenticeships
- o Stereotypes
- o Personal careers portfolios

### Healthy Living

- o Tobacco
- o Alcohol

- o Drugs
- o PSHE Assessment

#### E-SAFETY

- o Fake Profiles
- o Social Networking
- o Cyber bullying
- o Sexting

#### Money

- o What is Money?
- o Understanding Budgeting
- o Designing and budgeting a new bedroom

#### Skills developed during the course

Empathy

Critical thinking

Communication

Creativity

Social skills, Team work skills

Problem solving

Literacy and Numeracy

Research

#### Home study

##### **Expected time allocation for the subject**

No set time limit- student discretion

##### **Help for home study**

Encourage students to extend their knowledge and understanding of local, national, international and controversial issues by watching the news, research on the internet or reading a newspaper

#### Additional support for the course

You may like to use the following sources to support your learning during the course:

ilearn site on moodle

Career and resource companion- accessed through school website or moodle

### Other sources of help

The school library has lots of information on all things iearn related- the careers part of the library is well stocked with information.

The school bungalow also has information and runs events related to careers, health and well being.

### Additional information about the course

This course is not examined but is a legal and compulsory element of all school curricula. We call iearn the GCSE of life, it enables students to leave school as well-rounded individuals who can cope with all that life will throw at them. Content-wise, iearn is particularly useful for those pursuing careers in law, the public sector, emergency services, teaching, business and many more.....