

Subject	Suggested strategies or resources to help accelerate achievement
English Language	<p>Make sure you are completing 30 minutes of Reading Plus every week.</p> <p>Keep up with your reading for pleasure; ask your teacher for recommendations if you are not sure what to read.</p> <p>Use BBC Bitesize KS3 English to research and revise topics you are studying or practise skills your teacher has highlighted.</p>
Maths	<p>Review your unit test scores in the front of your book and request a blank copy of the unit tests you can improve the most.</p> <p>Ask your teacher to explain any topics you do not understand.</p> <p>Copy any notes you may have missed so all the knowledge you need is in your Maths book.</p> <p>Use independent study on Sparx to revise areas you need to improve, all the codes are listed in your Feedback task.</p>
Core Science	<p>Use your knowledge organiser to review the topic you are learning. You could get someone to quiz you, which is a fun and effective way to check your learning. Use BBC bitesize to develop your understanding and make sure it's secure. Click on the following link and find the topics you've been studying in either Biology, Chemistry or Physics. There are plenty of games and activities to try as well as key information to read and review.</p> <p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/zng4d2p. Remember to ask your teacher for any help that you need.</p>
Computing	<p>Use your workbooks from your lessons and the knowledge organisers to recap on the topic.</p> <p>Use the BBC website for more information on each topic, watch related videos and do the quizzes - https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/zvc9q6f</p> <p>Use the assessment actions document you get during the feedback lesson to practice working on things you find difficult or struggle with.</p> <p>Ask your teacher to help you with anything you do not understand.</p>
Geography	<p>Follow this BBC Bitesize link to supplement (add to) your learning about Russia in lessons https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zf89cmn/articles/zcrx2v4#z2mx7yc. Complete the activities attached to the information & make sure you tell your teacher!</p>
History	<p>Follow this BBC Bitesize link to supplement (add to) your learning about Tudor England in lessons https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zwcsp4j. Complete the activities attached to the information & make sure you tell your teacher!</p>
Religious Studies	<p>Follow this BBC bitesize link- https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/zh3rkqt to learn about the Sacred Six religions in more detail. You can also find out what religious events bring these communities together and learn more about their spirituality, linking to our expressions of spirituality topic too!</p>
Art	<p>Challenge yourself to try new things, anticipate that you will make mistakes but know that this is an important part of learning. Use reference materials to help get proportion and detail right. Try to do a little bit of work often, rather than leave things until the day before. Listen to advice given by your teacher, and keep practising!</p>

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Music	Pupils who learn an instrument should be a member of one the extra-curricular music clubs (bands, choirs) and aim to take part in the showcase concerts throughout the year for valuable performing opportunities. All pupils are encouraged to get involved in clubs such as music technology, choir, school shows and attend concerts to support pupils and experience a live music event for free! For each topic in Year 7 (Keyboard skills, Rap, Ensemble Performance, Improvisation, Film Music) - there are information videos to search on YouTube, examples of the music to listen to and BBC Bitesize KS3 has lots of interesting further reading around these topics.
Design Technology	Pupils should know our four core concepts of - Evaluate - Design - Make - Technical Knowledge. these can be learnt by concentrating well during lessons and trying hard at all aspects of the subject and not just practical work. Pupils should use the knowledge organisers we hand out to help revise for end of unit tests. To help further, pupils can use Ks3 Design Technology BBC Bitesize website.
Food Studies	Pupils should be able to understand the Eat Well Guide. Pupils should be able to name the 5 sections and give food examples for each. Pupils should also know the difference between personal hygiene, kitchen safety and food hygiene and safety. Using BBC bite size and Food Fact of Life will help with pupils' understanding. Pupils should be able to be confident in the food room - cooking meals at home will help.
Textiles	Pupils should be able to understand the basic skills involved in researching, designing and making a Textile product (a product made from fabric). They should develop skills in hand and sewing machine stitching, and use a variety of equipment to decorate and stitch fabric together. Any opportunities to look or try crafts and projects with fabrics will help, or joining the Textiles after school club.
German	Use the knowledge organiser at the back of your book to review the vocabulary and structures covered this year so far. Check BBC bitesize for more activities about the topics
Spanish	Use the knowledge organiser at the back of your book to review the vocabulary and structures covered this year so far. Check BBC bitesize for more activities about the topics
PE	Attend Ludus Sports clubs to gain more experience in the sports we do in lessons. Speak to your PE teacher about which local clubs would be suitable for you to join to continue enjoying and improving in selected sports.
Personal Development	There is no expectation for pupils to do any extra work for Personal Development outside of school, other than their 3 yearly assessments. These are quick multiple choice quizzes that should take under 10 minutes and will be shared via class charts. We also encourage parents to read the newsletter that is parentmailed so they can see what their children will be studying in PD. This will also give parents a good opportunity to start conversations with their children about important issues. We also encourage pupils and parents to use the PD portal to access charities and organisations which are signposted in the lessons, and extra supportive resources linked to issues raised in their lessons. Finally, it will be useful for pupils and parents to follow the PD Faculty's Instagram account @tss_pd where we share all PD related news, events, advice and guidance. Link - Personal Development Portal - Home (sharepoint.com)