KS3 Curriculum Overview: Rugby							
Term / Length of Unit	Outline	Assessment	Resources	Knowledge/Skills End Points	Assessment End Point	Reading and Literacy	
Year 7 (6 lessons)	Outwitting an opponent: Pupils will develop the ability to outwit opponents and teams using strategies and tactics. Developing Physical and Mental Capacity Physical warm ups aid as a useful fitness tool in developing a pupils physical capacity. Developing Skills/Performance Pupils will learn to use basic principles of play when selecting and applying tactics for defending and attacking Making and Applying Decisions Pupils will learn to identify and recognise similarities in principles of attack and defence.	Assessment will be carried out at end of the activity block. Students will be graded in line with GCSE assessment criteria. Scores to be inputted into tracker at the end of each activity block. Maximum score of 15* in year 7. *Exceptional students may exceed this mark after consultation with other department members.	 Rugby balls (size 4) balls 4) bibs or bands markers, cones and goals grid areas minipitches 	1. Developing Physical Literacy. (Running, Jumping, Coordination & Body Control) 2. Execution of core skills (Passing, Receiving & Tackling) 3. Outwitting Opponents in a competitive game situation 4. Develop knowledge of the game rules.	Able to demonstrate the core skills of passing, receiving the ball and tackling. Start to develop the knowledge of rules of the game and apply skills to a competitive situation.	Subject Specific Words: -pass /catch -tackle - defence - ring of steal -attack - man to man - ruck presentation Academic vocabulary: -teamwork -communication -leadership -core skills -technique	





	Making Informed Choices About Healthy, Active Lifestyle Suggest any rugby clubs within the school timetable and promote community links. Evaluating and Improving To understand the concept of games activities and make effective evaluations of strengths and weaknesses in performance						
Year 8 (6 lessons)	Outwitting an opponent: Pupils will further develop the ability to outwit opponents and teams using strategies for attack. Developing Physical & Mental Capacity Develop ability to complete physical warm ups based around rugby to help develop pupil's physical capacity.	Assessment will be carried out at end of the activity block. Students will be graded in line with GCSE assessment criteria. Scores to be inputted into tracker at the end of each activity block. Maximum score of 20* in year 8. *Exceptional students may exceed this mark after consultation with other department members.	>	Rugby balls (size 4) Bibs or bands Markers, cones and goals Grid areas Mini- pitches	1.Replication of core skills (Passing, receiving, tackling & kicking) 2. Outwitting Opponents in attacking phases of play 3.Understanding of rules & importance of teamwork & cooperation 4.Development of decision making/problem solving capacity	Developing attacking and defending strategies, replicating techniques required in competitive games. Development of the ability to perform and influence a game or pressurised situation. to outwit the opposition including set running moves and defensive formation, Kicking.	Academic vocabulary: Rules and regulation (laws) Outwitting organisation decision making Subject Specific Words: Gain line sidestep Draw and pass Guards Grubber Punt





Development &			Rules - offside more	
Replication of Skills			detail.	
Pupils will further				
develop the				
fundamental principles				
of play when replicating				
core skills and				
movement needed.				
Problem Solving,				
Challenges & Making				
Decisions				
Pupils will be				
encouraged to devise				
new strategies to beat				
and outwit opponents				
Making Informed				
Choices About Healthy,				
Active Lifestyle				
Pupils will learn to				
prepare for and recover				
from exercise safely and				
effectively and to know				
the principles used.				
Evaluating and				
Improving				
To develop observation				
skills on peer				
performances, skills and				
techniques as well as				
observing the use of				
tactics				





Year 9 (6 lessons)	Outwitting an opponent: Pupils will further develop the ability to outwit opponents and teams using strategies and tactics. Developing Physical and Mental Capacity Discuss rules and differences between rugby league & union Making and Applying Decisions Opportunities to referee/coach pupils or small groups will develop communication and decision making skills. Developing Skills/Performance Pupils will further develop the fundamental principles of play when selecting and applying tactics for defending and attacking. Developing Physical and Mental Capacity	Assessment will be carried out at end of the activity block. Students will be graded in line with GCSE assessment criteria. Scores to be inputted into tracker at the end of each activity block. Maximum score of 25* in year 9. *Exceptional students may exceed this mark after consultation with other department members.	 Rugby balls (size 4) Bibs or bands Markers, cones and goals Grid areas Minipitches 	 Possession and attack development Replication of advanced skills (Passing variations, Tackling and Rucking) Understanding of ways to create scoring opportunities and implementation of rules. Developing Reflective learners/Creative thinkers/Self managers 		Academic vocabulary: Strategy Problem solving Subject Specific Words: Overload Miss pass Scissor Loop snipe Guard/body guard
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and weaknes	ses of			
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