Timeline	Major theme	Minor theme	Learning Outcomes	Content Focus	Link to PTC
Sept-Oct (6)	Futures & Careers	What's out there?	KNOW a range of possible career paths and employment options AND the roles and responsibilities involved in a range of careers - List different careers in the creative sector - Describe the roles and responsibilities involved in a range of creative based careers UNDERSTAND the importance of exploring a range of careers AND why different careers are required within our society - Explain why you have/haven't previously explored these careers - Explain why creative careers are important in our society BE ABLE TO make informed decisions about what career path to pursue - Analyse the pros and cons of a career in the creative sector - Reflect on whether you would like to pursue a career in the creative sector	Creative careers - careers carousel Creative careers - The X factor generation Career talk - What is it really like? Creative careers in the future - What might change?	Services sector and nature of success in Year 7
		Work ready	KNOW the skills and attributes that employers value AND employee rights and responsibilities - Describe oracy skills - List employee rights and responsibilities UNDERSTAND why employability skills are important - Explain the purpose of oracy skills in the workplace BE ABLE TO build skills and attributes that will lead to professional success AND safely and confidently contribute to the working world - Perform basic oracy skills - Critically assess your oracy skills - Evaluate employee rights and responsibilities	Oracy skills - Intro and oracy challenges Oracy skills - Oracy in the workplace Employee rights and responsibilities - Intro and should we increase the minimum wage Employee rights and responsibilities - Whistleblowing - case study	Digital literacy and media literacy in Year 7
Oct-Dec (8)	Health & Wellbeing	Physical health	KNOW how to maintain personal hygiene to prevent illness AND the importance of diet in maintaining physical health - Describe how to maintain personal hygiene	Personal hygiene - Intro, types and routines	Diet in KS2 Physical

	 List the components of a balanced diet Describe how diet helps us maintain physical health UNDERSTAND the challenges of maintaining a balanced diet AND the invisible nature of physical health and illness Explain why personal hygiene is important to prevent illness Critically assess why most people do not maintain a balanced diet BE ABLE TO make informed choices about diet AND critically assess sources of health information Choose a diet that fits your needs Evaluate different nutritional information 	Personal hygiene - The consequences of poor hygiene Diet - Intro, specific foods and why they are important Diet - Dieting - Why does nutritional advice vary so much?	changes in Year 7
Mental health	KNOW strategies that help to maintain good mental health AND how emotions positively and negatively influence mental health - List strategies that help to maintain good mental health - Describe why positive self-esteem and body image are important UNDERSTAND the importance of maintaining positive self-esteem - Explain the relationship between self-esteem, body image and mental health - Critically assess messages about body image that influence self-esteem BE ABLE TO speak confidently about their emotions AND confidently seek help when experiencing poor mental health - Speak confidently about your self-esteem and body image - Seek help if negatively affected by body image messages	Self care - Intro, importance and strategies to maintain mental health Self care - Build your self-esteem Body Image - Social media - filters Body Image - Fitness for looks	Stress management and emotions in Year 7
Risk behaviours	KNOW the risks associated with substance abuse (drugs and tobacco) - State the laws on smoking and taking drugs - State the risks associated with smoking and taking drugs UNDERSTAND the relationship between risk behaviours, self-concept and peer pressure AND the circumstances when certain risk behaviours may become unsafe - Explain how peer pressure influences smoking and drug taking - Explain why and when smoking and drugs may become unsafe BE ABLE TO think critically about why others may participate in risk	Drugs - Intro, the law, the science and the risks Drugs - Should drugs be legalized? Smoking - Intro, the law, the science and the risks Smoking - Why do	Drugs and smoking in KS2 Alcohol in Year 7

			behaviours AND make informed and safe decisions when undertaking risk behaviours - Analyse why some people smoke and take drugs - Critically assess if/when to smoke and take drugs	some people still smoke? Smoking and drugs - Peer pressure (scenarios)	
Jan-Feb (7)	Sex & Relationships	Platonic relationships	KNOW the components of identity (gender, social, personal) - List the components of identity - Describe your identity UNDERSTAND the importance of identity in relationships - Explain why identity is important in platonic relationships - Critically assess why there is diversity in gender identity BE ABLE TO form and sustain positive platonic relationships - Speak confidently about your identity - Evaluate how your identity influences your platonic relationships	Identity - Intro, components and how they form Gender identity - Gender vs sex Identity - How identity influences relationships - positives and negatives	Gender identity in KS2 Positive platonic relationships in Year 7
		Intimate relationships	KNOW how pressure and control can impact intimate relationships AND how sexual activity can impact intimate relationships Describe how pressure can impact intimate relationships Describe how pressure links with sexual activity UNDERSTAND why people stay in negative intimate relations AND the issues surrounding pressure in intimate relationships Explain why pressure is often accepted in intimate relationships Analyse the effects of pressure in an intimate relationship BE ABLE TO make informed decisions about the positivity of intimate relationships AND confidently seek help when in a negative intimate relationship Critically assess if pressure is affecting your intimate relationship Seek help when experiencing pressure in an intimate relationship	Pressure - Intro, the law linked to consent and scenarios Pressure - Why is pressure accepted? Pressure - Seeking help	Pressure in relationships in KS2 Positive features of intimate relationships in Year 7 Risk behaviours - peer pressure
		Ready for sex	KNOW the emotions associated with sexual activity - Describe the emotions associated with sexual activity UNDERSTAND the importance of confidence and positive self-esteem	Emotions and sexual activity - Intro and how would you feel?	Sexual orientation in Year 7

			in sexual relationships - Explain why confidence and self-esteem are essential in sexual relationships BE ABLE TO make informed decisions about when to have sex - Critically assess whether you would feel confident to have sex	Confidence and self-esteem - Are we too self-conscious?	Mental health - Self esteem and body image
		Related issues	KNOW the law about forced marriage and FGM - State the law on forced marriage and FGM UNDERSTAND the reasons that sexual-related offences exist AND what can be done to safeguard ourselves and others from sexually-related offences - Analyse why forced marriage and FGM exists in society - Explain how we can prevent forced marriage and FGM BE ABLE TO confidently seek help if concerned about sexually-related offences AND empathise with the victims of sexually-related offences - Empathise with victims of forced marriage and FGM - Seek help if you are concerned about forced marriage and FGM	Forced marriage - Intro (history), the law, stories Forced marriage - Where is child marriage legal (America)? FGM - Intro, the law, the facts, stories FGM - Julia lalla-maharajh	FGM in KS2 Marriage in Year 7
Mar-May (9)	British Values & Character	Equality	KNOW the different forms of discrimination that exist in society - Define sexism and homophobia UNDERSTAND the cultural circumstances that have created inequality AND the negative consequences of discrimination - Discuss the cultural circumstances that have lead to sexism and homophobia - Explain the negative consequences of sexism and homophobia BE ABLE TO question stereotypes and unconscious bias AND challenge discrimination - Critically assess sexist and homophobic stereotypes - Challenge discrimination in your views and the views of others	Sexism - Intro, the law, the history Sexism - 'Sexism no longer exists' Homophobia - Intro, the law, the history Homophobia - 'That's so gay'	Equality, equity and tolerance in Year 7 Sexual harassment in Year 7 Boys don't cry in Year 7 Platonic relationships - gender identity
		Democracy	KNOW how laws are created and changed AND how democracy has/can shape society	Democracy - Why is Norway the most	UK law, liberty and

	 Describe how laws are created and changed in other countries Describe how other countries achieve democracy UNDERSTAND how law, liberty and democracy differ in different countries Explain why law and democracy differ in other countries Compare and contrast laws and democracy across countries BE ABLE TO critically assess the laws that govern society Critically assess laws and democracy in a range of countries Reflect on the importance of different laws 	democratic country? Democracy - Why is North Korea the least democratic country? Law creation and change - Intro and comparison with UK Gun laws - UK, USA and NZ Drug laws - UK, Canada and Portugal	democracy in Year 7 Risk behaviours - drugs Sex in the world - Forced marriage
Performance character	KNOW the traits that make up performance character AND the meaning of performance character traits - Define problem solving and leadership UNDERSTAND how strong performance character can lead to academic, professional and social success - Explain why problem solving and leadership are important - Analyse effective problem solvers and leaders BE ABLE TO challenge themselves in performance character building situations - Demonstrate effective problem solving and leadership - Analyse the complex nature of problem solving and leadership	Problem solving - Intro, challenges and problem solvers Leadership - Intro, challenges and leaders	Teamwork and resilience in Year 7 Work ready - oracy skills
Moral character	KNOW the traits that make up moral character AND the meaning of moral character traits - Define respect and gratitude UNDERSTAND how strong moral character can lead to positive social, emotional and civic change - Explain why respect and gratitude are important - Analyse respectful and grateful individuals BE ABLE TO challenge themselves in moral character building situations - Demonstrate respect and gratitude - Analyse the complex nature of respect and gratitude	Respect and Gratitude - Intro and how respectful and grateful are we? Project - Thank you	Honesty and courage in Year 7

May-Jul (6)	Community & Citizenship	Helping others	KNOW the individual and collective benefits of helping others - Describe how taxes are used to help others - Describe the link between taxes and public services UNDERSTAND the challenges that prevent people from helping others - Explain why some people avoid paying taxes - Explain why some public services are becoming privatised BE ABLE TO critically discuss how best to help others - Discuss how much tax different individuals should pay - Reflect on the benefits of public services	Taxes - Intro, why and history Taxes - I want to pay more tax vs tax dodgers Public services - Intro and history Public services - 'Don't privatise our NHS'	Services sector (careers) in Year 7 Lack of education in Year 7
		Protecting the environment	KNOW the impact that humans are having on the environment AND actions that can be taken to protect the environment - Describe the effect of climate change on the environment - List ways to prevent climate change UNDERSTAND why a range of environmental issues exist AND the challenges that prevent people from protecting the environment - Explain how humans are causing climate change - Analyse why more people don't use methods to reduce the impact of climate change BE ABLE TO critically discuss environmental issues AND act responsibly to minimise environmental impact - Critically discuss the issue of climate change - Act in a way that minimises climate change	Climate change - Intro and the science, biggest causes Climate change - 'What I do doesn't matter' - individuals vs companies vs countries Climate change - Extinction rebellion - too extreme?	Waste and recycling in Year 7 Courage (moral character) in Year 7 Democracy - law creation Performance character - leadership
		Building citizenship	KNOW how politics governs our society AND the main political parties and how their policies differ - Describe how British politics governs society - List a range of political parties UNDERSTAND the relationship between politics and democracy - Critically assess the positive and negative effects of British politics on democracy BE ABLE TO confidently discuss politics AND make critical and informed political decisions - Discuss the policies of a range of political parties - Reflect on the political decisions you do or don't support	British politics - Intro, the facts and different parties British politics - Do we trust politicians? Brexit - Did we make the right choice?	Democracy and politics in Year 7