## Year 8 SOL – Autumn Term – Unit 1: Responsibility



The Autumn term consists of 14 weeks which allows for 28 focused tutor lessons. This will then be followed by a theme of the week assembly each Wednesday by myself.

During these lessons' students will focus on aspects of our RESPECT agenda. I want student to explore the importance of responsibility and the many forms and shapes these come in. Please see core skills below. Students will develop of an awareness of a responsibly over 26 lessons which will link to a weekly themed assembly reviewing their work in tutor.

<u>Definition</u>. Responsibility – The ability to recognise that you and we have a duty to deal with something and be accountable for our actions. That we have a responsibility that mat have control over someone or somebody's feelings, behaviour.

These are the core skills. The main skill/skills targeted by the tutor sessions and HOY assembly are highlighted below.

Diversity	Equality	Respect	Causation and	Interpretations	Significance
			consequence		
Recognising that different people had different experiences of past societies.  Recognising that people had different experiences in a school environment.  Comparing and contrasting the nature an extent of these differences.	how far things changed or stayed the same. Explore the community of the school. At the highest levels this should cross- over with diversity.	Working alongside the schools respect agenda and rewards scheme – as well as celebrating national events linked to the theme of responsibility.	Explaining why things happened. This will involve weighing up the importance of different factors in an event when looking at responsibility's.	Investigating the different ways in which the past has been presented by contemporaries and historians. Exploring the reasons why the past has been presented in a specific way. Comparing and contrasting these different visions of the past.	Coming up with criteria to judge how important or influential an event or person has been. Looking at individual actions and our own. Assessing the significance of an event both at the time and over time. Comparing events to one another in terms of significance. Explaining why different
					people interpret significance differently.

<u>Topic</u>	<u>Lessons</u>	<u> Assembly - Wednesday</u>
6 <sup>th</sup> Sep Week 1 – Responsibility of Fresh starts	Lesson 1 - Uniform policy and behaviour policy launch.  Lesson 2 - Being part of the Myton Community Part 1  [How we conduct ourselves]	Theme of the week – Welcome to Year 8 HOY Vision
13 <sup>th</sup> Sep Week 2 - Responsibility as part of a community	Lesson 1 – Being part of the Myton Community Part 2 [How we interact with others]  Lesson 2 - NATIONAL EVENT - Disability Awareness Day 12th September.	Theme of the week – Welcome to Year 8 HOY Vision /How can we ensure that we work as a community and remain responsible for our actions and that of the year group? L. Reece
20th Sept Week 3 - Responsibility of our environment	Lesson 1 – NATIONAL EVENT – The Great British Beach Clean 2021/Recycle Week 2021  Lesson 2 – What responsibilty do we have to improve the natural environment around us?	Responsibility of Nature
27 <sup>th</sup> Sept Week 4 – Responsibilty for respect for language	Lesson 1 – Do we communicate effectively?  Lesson 2 – Why is language so powerful in history and society.	<u>Theme of the week</u> – International Day of Language D  Broe [HoD Languages]
4 <sup>th</sup> Oct Week 5 – Responsibility for respecting others	NATIONAL EVENT – ADHD awareness 2021  Lesson 1 – What are special educational learning needs?  Lesson 2 – Showing value and respect in others.	Theme of the week – Assembly from A. Hawkes SENCO – responsibilty to school community and inclusion

11th October Week 6 -	NATIONAL EVENT - BLACK HISTORY MONTH	Theme of the week - Black History Month - L. Reece
Responsibility for equality	Lesson 1 – Respecting our past – recognising the significant contributions that people of African/Caribbean heritage have made to the UK.  Lesson 2 – Black Life's matter – "Proud to be"	
18 <sup>th</sup> October Week 7 –  Responsibility for stopping Bullying	NATIONAL EVENT – National Bullying Prevention Month  Lesson 1 – What is the History behind the national campaign that promotes kindness, acceptance and inclusion?	Theme of the week – Anti Bullying campaign Year 8 &  Rewards assembly – Unity day Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> October  [Wear orange] – L. Reece
	Lesson 2 – Bullying in schools and why it needs to stop!	
	HALF TERM	
1st November Week 8 -	Lesson 1 – The value of money	Theme of the week – Cupcake challenge Launch – Lead
Responsibility of Money and Business	Lesson 2 – Fraud and scammers	by E. Foster Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> November
	Lesson 3 – The real cost of anti-social behaviour	
8 <sup>th</sup> November Week 9  - Responsibility to remember	NATIONAL EVENT – Remembrance 2021  Lesson 1 – How do we cope with sad events in our lives?	Theme of the week – Remembrance - History department L. Reece/N. Woodward
	Lesson 2 – Why do we have a responsibilty to remember	

15 <sup>th</sup> November Week  10 - Responsibility to promote positive behaviour	NATIONAL EVENT – Anti Bullying Week 2021  Lesson 1 – How do create a safe environment and culture in school for all students?  Lesson 2 – Why must we raise awareness for anti - bullying?	Theme of the week – Anti – Bullying Campaign L. Reece
22 <sup>nd</sup> November Week  11  Responsibility to be kind	NATIONAL EVENT – World Kindness Day 2021  Lesson 1 – What can we learn from kindness?  Lesson 2 – Why is being kind so important?	Theme of the week – L. Reece Launch the Christmas shoe box appeal Christmas Shoebox Appeal - Drop Inn
29 <sup>th</sup> November Week 12	Christmas Shoebox Appeal  Lesson 1 – What is It all about?  Lesson 2 – How will our contribution change someone's  Christmas?	Theme of the week – External speaker for Charity UK
6 <sup>th</sup> December Week 13  - Responsibilty for people's rights	NATIONAL EVENT – Human Rights Day 2021  Lesson 1 – What are our human rights? What has 2020- 2021 taught us about their importance?  Lesson 2 – What do we do as a school to ensure everyone's rights are heard?	Theme of the week – Human Rights Day 2021 – Why is Christmas 2021 a reflection of human rights and recovery? L. Reece

13th December Week 14	Lesson 1 – What social responsibilty do we have at	Theme of the week – Christmas Shoebox Appeal
Responsibilty to	Christmas?	results - Rewards HOY L. Reece
others at Christmas	Lesson 2 – Why is Christmas so important?	

Looking ahead Spring Term: Unit 2 – Reflection

February – LQBT month

March - National Day of reflection