



Key Stage 3 Curriculum 2016-17

The UAK curriculum is designed to support the specific needs of each student within the Academy. Upon entry to the school we offer an increased level of literacy and English, to ensure that there are no barriers to learning from the outset. We also ensure that the curriculum is well-balanced, so that each individual has access to the full breadth of learning to suit their needs and skills. As they move through the school they continue with the high levels of numeracy, literacy and science support, but they also have the opportunity to choose their own subjects and enrichment opportunities.

Year 9 have options, with the aim of introducing the skills needed to cope and succeed with the rigours of level 2 courses in key stage 4 (GCSEs, BTECS, etc.) The options are 3 out of a choice of Humanities (Citizenship and RE), Enterprise (Business and IT), Performance Studies, Engineering, Creative Studies (Art and Textiles), Music Technology, and a second Modern Foreign Language (French or Spanish).

Our Key Stage 3 Curriculum	Year 7	Year 8	Year 9
English	*	*	*
Mathematics	*	*	*
Science	*	*	*
Geography	*	*	*
History	*	*	*
RE	*	*	Opt
Citizenship	*	*	Opt
Modern Foreign Languages (Spanish or French)	*	*	*
Art	*	*	Opt
Music	*	*	Opt
Design and Technology (Design, Food Technology, Textiles)	*	*	*
Information and Communication Technology (ICT)	*	*	Opt
Physical Education	*	*	*
Business			Opt
Personal, Social, Health and Citizenship Education	*	*	*

Further information is available from the school.