Year 8

	Assessment Point 1	Assessment Point 2	Assessment Point 3
	Oct/Nov 2025	Feb 2026	June 2026
Maths	Number, Area and Volume, Expressions	Fractions, Decimals and Percentages, Probability, Equations Plus work covered up to Autumn assessment	Shapes and Angles, Ratio, Pythagoras and Trigonometry, Graphs, Sequences Plus work covered up to the Spring assessment
English	Non-Fiction Writing: 'It's a man's World' Write an article arguing your opinion on the statement provided.	Literature: 'Julius Caesar' An extended piece of writing on the play.	Non-Fiction Reading: 'Hope in a Ballet Shoe' Analysis of an extract from the book.
Science	Cellular respiration Energy changes and systems	Human organs and Health Atoms and the Periodic Table Photosynthesis	Energy and reactions Forces and Pressure Light Waves
Art	Practical activity. Shape & Form (3d ceramics)	Practical activity. Layering & Blending (coloured pencil)	Practical activity. Fruit & Veg (Mixed media)
Computing /	Intermediate Computer Systems - Short answer questions covering Binary, logic gates, data representation, sorting algorithms and topologies.	Cyber Security – written exam questions	GameMaker - practical Assessment creating a maze style game using GameMaker.
Design Technology	Isometric Sketching 1 Isometric Sketching 2 Rendering & Shading	Timbers Polymers Papers & Boards CAD/CAM	Health & Safety Tools & Machinery Smart Materials
Food	<ul><li>Nutrition</li><li>Food Safety</li><li>Food Hygiene</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Food Science</li> <li>Commodities</li> <li>Function of Ingredients</li> <li>Cookery Methods</li> <li>Preparation Methods</li> <li>Provenance &amp; Sustainability</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Pastry</li><li>Sustainability</li><li>Food Science</li><li>Cooking Methods</li></ul>
French	Sports and hobbies	Food Health	Media Technology

Geography	Geological World - Formal assessment / separated into knowledge recall/knowledge application based upon volcanoes.	Climate Change - Formal assessment / separated into knowledge recall/knowledge application based upon the causes, effects and management of climate change	Rivers – features and management of a river
History	Topic: The English Civil War	Topic: Abolition of Slave Trade	Topic: Industry/ Dying for vote
	1)Multiple choice questions (5) 2) Key concepts and definitions (5) 3) knowledge recall (6) 4) Describe one feature of x2 (4) 5) What caused/ Explain why (12)	1) Multiple choice questions (5) 2) Key concepts and definitions (5) 3) knowledge recall (6) 4) consequence of (4) 5) Inference (4) 6)How useful is source A for (8)	1) Key concepts (4) 2) Recall knowledge (10) 3) Chronology (4) 4) What is the difference/ why are interpretations different (4) 5) 'Statement from interpretation' How far do you agree? Use both viewpoints in your answer. (12)
Music	Blues improvisation (keyboard performance)	Music through time piece (keyboard performance)	Loops and samples EDM piece (Ignite composition)
P.E	Students will be assessed against the following core PE criteria: Physical, Social, Cognitive and Fitness. Students will have demonstrated their ability in the following activities:	Students will be assessed against the following core PE criteria: Physical, Social, Cognitive and Fitness. Students will have demonstrated their ability in the following activities:	Students will be assessed against the following core PE criteria: Physical, Social, Cognitive and Fitness. Students will have demonstrated their ability in the following activities:
	Invasion Games Athletics OAA	Invasion Games OAA Badminton	Invasion Games Athletics Cricket
		Badmintoff	Rounders
Religious Studies	Extremism and prejudice	Muslim beliefs	Do Religions bring Conflict or Harmony?