



A more formal curriculum is implemented for the KS3students in Moon. All students learn through subject-specific teaching in maths and English, working through an adapted national curriculum based on their individual development whilst ensuring a well sequenced curriculum that prepares students to sit functional skills in year 10/11. We believe that our students benefit from a broad curriculum that improves engagement by developing knowledge and skills that can be personalised to interests and academic levels. Science and foundation subjects are delivered through immersive topic based learning, generated by both 'big questions' and the termly class reading book which supports the English area of study. All students experience learning outside of the classroom in forest school and horticulture lessons, where students complete work as part of ASDAN Independence. Cooking, physical education, outdoor education and enrichment experiences provide an enhanced curriculum to further develop students personal development and to prepare students for adulthood. All students are encouraged to read daily, both individually and in a group.

As part of SMSC/British values, community and volunteering enrichment activities are a particular focus this academic year for all our students. Our students visit the theatre, attend weekly tennis lessons at a local tennis club, participate in weekly horse riding lessons. They have taken an active part in fundraising activities as council members of our school's PRIDE force. Planned activities for this academic year include visits to local National Trust places of interest and a visit to Stratford upon Avon to visit Shakespeare's birthplace.