

ASDAN Curriculum Maps Key Stages 3 and 4

Short courses and Level 1 qualifications

Key Stage 3 and 4 ASDAN Short Courses

During Key Stage 3, pupils will be introduced to ASDAN short courses. The short courses will introduce them to new knowledge; however, the focus will be on skills. One short course module will be completed in every half term. The short courses can be changed from the recommended one, as long as they are not taught later in the curriculum and six credits are completed by the end of the academic year. Teachers can decide which modules they want to teach, but they will follow the skills map. The chosen module challenges will be used to teach the skill covered that half term. At the end of each half term, pupils will complete the section of their personal statement for the skill learned during that module. All pupils will attain at least three short courses by the end of Key Stage 3. Pupils in Key Stage 4 follow either a vocational or academic pathway. The pupils on the academic pathway will complete the ASDAN PSHE short course; they will cover 12 modules in their entire Key Stage 4 curriculum, so will be able to attain the needed 6 credits over the course of two years.

| Year Group | Autumn 1 | Autumn 2 | Spring 1 | Spring 2 | Summer 1 | Summer 2 |
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| Y7 Suggested Short Course: Citizenship | Ability to Learn | Teamwork | Problem Solving | IT Skills | Literacy | Numeracy |
| Y8 Suggested Short Course: Foodwise Gardening | Ability to Learn | Teamwork | Problem Solving | IT Skills | Literacy | Numeracy |
| Y9 Suggested Short Course: Geography Science | Ability to Learn Teamwork | IT Skills Numeracy | Literacy Problem Solving | Ability to Learn Teamwork | IT Skills Numeracy | Literacy Problem Solving |
| Y10 & Y11 Voc. & Ac. Core Curriculum: PSHE & Beliefs and Values | Ability to Learn Teamwork | IT Skills Numeracy | Literacy Problem Solving | Ability to Learn Problem Solving | Teamwork Literacy | IT Skills Numeracy |

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| Upper School Level 1 ASDAN Qualifications Pupils will build on the skills development they have learned in Key Stage 3, studying ASDAN short courses. All Year 9 pupils will take the Personal and Social Development Award, Level 1 (or Entry Levels, if appropriate). The ones who go onto the vocational pathway will develop this qualification into the PSD Level 1 certificate, which requires 13 modules completed. Pupils can transfer credits from their short courses to help towards this. . The Key Stage 4 vocational pupils will also study for the ASDAN COPE award (level 1). They will work towards AoPE (Award of Personal Effectiveness) in Year 10 and then do the extra modules for the CoPE (Certificate of Personal Effectiveness in Year 11). | | | | | | |
| Y9, 10V & 11V PSD Award Modules Core Curriculum: Personal and Social Development L1 Award | Healthy Eating | | Community Action | Individual Rights and Responsibilities | Environmental Awareness | Managing own Money |
| Y10 & 11V AoPE Modules Core Curriculum: Award of Personal Effectiveness Level 1 | International Links | The Environment | Health and Fitness | Beliefs and Values Science | Beliefs and Values | File Organisation and Moderation |
| AoPE Skills | Working with Others | Discussion | Research | Improving own learning Problem solving | Oral Presentation | Reflecting on learning |