Outwood Academy Redcar

The Super Curriculum

Year 7



Welcome to your Super-Curriculum!

Super curricular activities are activities which take the curriculum you study in school, even further! They take the subjects you study in the classroom beyond that which your teacher has taught you. These activities might be in the form of extra reading but they can take many other forms, like watching videos online, downloading podcasts, attending lectures, visiting museums or entering academic competitions. Engaging in super curricular activities will help you develop a love for your favourite subject or subjects.

In this booklet, there are a range of activities, suggested by your teachers. They are by no means exhaustive lists but should get you started. I would encourage you to share ideas and opportunities you come across with your teachers so that, over time, the recommended activities in this booklet can grow. In the future, employers or universities will be interested to hear about what super curricular activities you have engaged in; they will be interested in what you have learnt and impressed by your efforts.

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Year 7 English Super Curriculum



Shakespeare

Research the words that Shakespeare introduced to our modern language. Which words are your favourite?



Audiobook

Listen to an audiobook of your choice. Write a brief summary about the plot and characters. https://goldenaudiobooks.com



World News

Read an article or a newspaper extract https://www.theguardian.com/uk. Note down three things that you've learnt about what is happening in society.



Watch Emma
Watson's Gender
Inequality UN speech
https://m.youtube.co
m/watch?v=gkiW9PZ
BRfk How do you
know that she's
passionate about
Gender Equality?



Poem

Write a poem about your primary school memories and experiences.

https://www.mastercl ass.com/articles/howto-write-poetry



Visit a place of culture in your area. What did you learn? Write a letter to a friend recommending they visit and why.

	Reading Task		Writing Task
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Year 7 Maths Super Curriculum











The Best Card Trick?

Watch the video to learn the Maths based card tricks https://nrich.maths.o rg/1479

Short problems for real world **practice.** Test your skills against some tricky problems. This is great practice for the maths

challenge: https://nrich.maths.o

rg/11993

Maths themed YouTube channel https://www.youtub e.com/watch?v=6ege **UxIEQnM**

le Pi:A **Comedy of Maths Errors** by Matt **Parker**

tas to research World Migration using graphs https://teacher.desm os.com/activitybuild er/custom/5c9315d9

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mitation Game - The story of how maths helped in World War II

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Read Kensuke's Kingdom by Michael Morpurgo. How is the jellyfish sting treated? Why do you think they did this?



Design a new planet for humans to live on. What features would it need to allow us to survive?



Investigate acids and alkalis at home (with supervision) https://www.science-sparks.com/make-a-red-cabbage-indicator/





Watch this clip and then research some other weird plants. What is the strangest you could find?

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=trwzDIRvv1M&t=2s



Visit Redcar beach. Can you find evidence of animals living millions of years ago? Find out what these animals were.





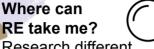
Make your own ice

cream
https://www.scienc
e-sparks.com/how-to-make-ice-crea
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Draw the particle

arrangement in the milk before and the ice-cream after.

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Year 7 Life Super Curriculum



Research different careers linked to RE. Sociology and Citizenship.

What is the most unusual career you can find?

Write a short essay

You need to answer the moral question: "There is no such thing

as right and wrong"

Listen to a short podcast

Pick a podcast and create a short summary of the main points.

https://www.bbc.co.uk/pr ogrammes/p01gvqlq/epi sodes/downloads

Visit a place of worship

You can do this physically or virtually. What are the main things you notice? Why are they there?

Watch the debate

Is Religion dying out in the UK?

Can you contribute to the debate by writing your argument for or against?

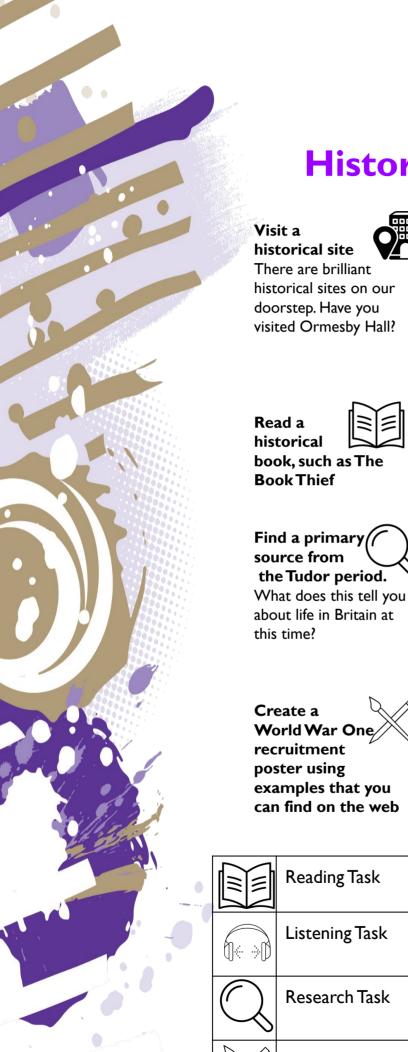
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British heritage

- Listen to Benjamin Zephaniah's poem 'The British'. Either listen as you or a friend reads it out loud -

https://benjaminzephani ah.com/rhy min/the-british-serves-60 -million/ Or listen as it is performed on Youtube https://www.youtube.co m/watch?v=d **Z1yYOAwvvo**

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Year 7 **History** Super Curriculum

Visit a historical site

There are brilliant historical sites on our doorstep. Have you visited Ormesby Hall?

Write a diary entry as someone living through the Black Death

What can you see, smell, hear, taste and touch?

Read a historical book, such as The **Book Thief**

Find a primary (/

the Tudor period.

Watch **Battlefield** Britain on Youtube

Listen to oral histories from 🕪 🕪 survivors of the First & Second World Wars on Youtube

storyboard to show the key events of the Battle of **Hastings**

Create a

London

Create a

presentation to

inform people

of the Great Fire of

Watch **Andrew Marr's** documentary on life in modern **Britain on Youtube** or BBC iPlayer

Create a World War On recruitment poster using examples that you can find on the web

Read about the Civil **Rights** Movement on **BBC Bitesize**

Create a presentation to inform people about the history of Redcar

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Read the news



Download the BBC news app. What geographical events can you spot in the news?

Go on your own fieldtrip!



Take a trip to the beach.What geographical features do you notice?

Our Planet



Watch Our Planet on Youtube.What extra detail can you bring into your work?

Environmental survey



Conduct a survey of the Explore Geographic

Information Systems (GIS) on google earth! Play quizzes and games or just visit a country you would love to travel to https://earth.google.co m/web/@0,0,0a,222517 52.77375655d,35y,0h,0t ,0r/data=CgQSAggB.

Get to know GIS!



Create a tourist information guide of an attraction you would like to visit!

amount of cars and litter you see around your local area

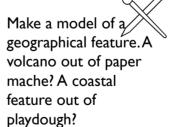
How well do you know your countries?



Complete a sporcle quiz about countries around the world

https://www.sporcle.com/

Make a model



Become a journalist!

Write an article about a geographical issue



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Which countries speak French and Spanish as a native language?

Research different countries where French and Spanish are spoken. What is the most interesting fact you

can find?



Where can MFL take me?

Research different careers linked to being able to speak more than one language.

What is the most interesting career you can find? Spanish sp countries. Can you



Which countries speak French and Spanish as a native language?

Research different food from French and Spanish speaking countries.

Can you cook or bake a recipe?



Research a French or Spanish speaking sports star, musician or celebrity and make a presentation or poster about why they are famous!





Watch these Youtube videos for a French and Spanish story.

Spanish: https://www.yo utube.com/watch?v=Uij MIgt0-hM French: https://www.you

French: https://www.you tube.com/watch?v=SWS q4xmpgGo



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Year 7 **Performing Arts** Super Curriculum





We're off to the theatre - Are you coming? https://www.darlingtonhi ppodrome.co.uk/whats-o n/Blood-Brothers



We're off to see some art at a gallery - Are you coming?

reading? ling a play is quicker and very entertaining. Ask Miss littlewood for some recommendations.

Have you signed up to art enrichment yet? Come along on Wednesdays and immerse yourself in some creative tasks

Have you listened to one of Mr Eschoe's Songs of the day at home and listened to the dynamics?

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Attend a Sporting Event

There are a range of activities on every week. Have you been to one of the many local clubs; Redcar Town, Athletic or Rugby Club or even The Riverside to watch live sport?

Watch a Major Sporting Event

Interested in skateboarding or bmx biking, why not watch the Olympics or other sporting events that might inspire you!

Read an autobiography of a Sporting Great

The All blacks:
Legacy or Sir Alex
Ferguson's book:
Leading are
fascinating to find
out about what
makes successful
athletes and
managers in sport

Listen to the High Performance Podcast

https://www.thehig hperformancepodc ast.com/

Hosted by Jake Humphrey with numerous guests in sport

Where can Sport take Me?

Research different careers linked to Sport, Health & Wellbeing

What is the most unusual career you can find?

Write a short essay

Research and chose a sport to find out about it's origins, role models and any interesting facts

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