

Barnsley Academy – Year 10 Citizenship Curriculum Overview 2024-25

Autumn Term		Spring Term			Summer Term
Class Focus		Class Focus		Class Focus	
Week 1	Theme A: Living Together in the UK <i>Introduction and Belonging to a Community</i>	Week 1	Theme A: Living Together in the UK <i>How Local Government Works</i>	Week 1	Theme C: How the Law Works <i>How the Law Works and Laws Across the UK</i>
Week 2	Theme A: Living Together in the UK <i>Changing Cultural and Religious Diversity in the UK</i>	Week 2	Theme A: Living Together in the UK <i>Local Government Services and Funding</i>	Week 2	Theme C: How the Law Works <i>Criminal and Civil Law and the Justice System</i>
Week 3	Theme A: Living Together in the UK <i>Changes in the UK Population</i>	Week 3	Theme A: Living Together in the UK <i>Revision and Mid -Year Assessment 3</i>	Week 3	Theme C: How the Law Works <i>Courts, Tribunals and Ombudsmen</i>
Week 4	Theme A: Living Together in the UK <i>Migration: Pros and Cons with Extended Question</i>	Week 4	Theme A: Living Together in the UK <i>Closing the Gap</i>	Week 4	Theme C: How the Law Works <i>Sentencing Offenders and Assessment 5</i>
Week 5	Theme A: Living Together in the UK <i>Identity and Mutual Respect</i>	Week 5	Theme B: Democracy at Work in the UK <i>How the UK Electoral System Works and the Main Political Parties</i>	Week 5	Theme C: How the Law Works <i>Young People and the Justice System</i>
Week 6	Theme A: Living Together in the UK <i>Barriers and Discrimination</i>	Week 6	Theme B: Democracy at Work in the UK <i>Voting Systems and Alternatives</i>	Week 6	Theme C: How the Law Works <i>Crime Rates and Prevention</i>
Week 7	Theme A: Living Together in the UK <i>Discrimination and the Law</i>	Week 7	Theme B: Democracy at Work in the UK <i>The Post-Election Period and Forming a Government</i>	Week 7	Theme C: How the Law Works <i>The Law: A Citizen’s Responsibilities and Rights and Revision</i>
Week 8	Theme A: Living Together in the UK <i>Developing Mutual Understanding and Assessment 1</i>	Week 8	Theme B: Democracy at Work in the UK <i>Making Laws and the British Constitution</i> <i>Monday 3rd March 9.15-10: Learn with the Lords Online</i>	Week 8	Theme C: How the Law Works <i>End of Year Assessment 6 and Closing the Gap</i>
Week 9	Theme A: Living Together in the UK <i>Closing the Gap and Introduction to Human Rights</i>	Week 9	Theme B: Democracy at Work in the UK <i>Balancing the Budget</i>	Week 9	Theme E: Taking Citizenship Action <i>Primary and Secondary Research</i>
Week 10	Theme A: Living Together in the UK <i>The Development of Human Rights in the UK</i>	Week 10	Theme B: Democracy at Work in the UK <i>Devolution and Independence</i>	Week 10	Theme E: Taking Citizenship Action <i>Developing Your Skills: Advocacy, Using the Media</i>
Week 11	Theme A: Living Together in the UK <i>Political and Legal Rights</i>	Week 11	Theme B: Democracy at Work in the UK <i>Revision and Assessment 4</i>	Week 11	Theme E: Taking Citizenship Action <i>Participation in Action</i>
Week 12	Theme A: Living Together in the UK <i>Consumer and Employment Rights</i>	Week 12	Theme B: Democracy at Work in the UK <i>Closing the Gap and Citizenship Action</i> <i>(Planning Your Action)</i>	Week 12	Theme E: Taking Citizenship Action <i>The Impact of your Action and Log Books</i>
Week 13	Theme A: Living Together in the UK <i>Rights and Responsibilitie</i>				
Week 14	Theme A: Living Together in the UK <i>Balancing Rights</i>				
Week 15	Theme A: Living Together in the UK <i>Assessment 2, Closing the Gap and Citizenship Action</i> <i>(Choosing Your Action and Team Roles)</i>				
Assessment/Homework	Students to complete weekly homework task. Students to sit a mock assessment at the end of each module. This will be marked in line with Edexcel GCSE assessment guidelines.				