

Functional Skills English

This half term students will be working towards sitting their exam papers by completing practice papers and mock exams.

We will look at any misconceptions and revise those areas of study.

Students will be expected to:

- Identify and extract the main information and detail from statements and explanations
- Clearly express straightforward information and communicate feelings and opinions on a range of straightforward topics
- Understand the main points in texts
- Read and understand sentences with more than one clause
- Use illustrations, images and captions to locate information
- Use a range of punctuation correctly
- Sequence words in alphabetical order
- Complete a form asking for personal information
- Use adjectives and simple linking words in the appropriate way
- Spell correctly words designated for the entry level they are studying at. These can be found at:
https://qualifications.pearson.com/content/dam/pdf/Functional-skills/reform/E1-E3_word_lists_PearsonLogo.pdf

Home Learning

Students can access their BKSB accounts to practice their Functional Skills English, Maths and ICT. This will track their progress at the correct level. Please message me if you require a username and password.

<https://northridgesch.bksblive2.co.uk>

The Bridge Summer 1

Points to Note

- A bus pass is required every Tuesday please for Travel Training.
- Please use Seesaw to communicate any information such as appointments.
- Refreshments are available in class for students and we ask for a 50p weekly contribution please.

Functional Skills ICT

- Recognise and use interface features
- Enter and edit single items of information
- Use editing and formatting techniques
- Store information
- Use software applications to meet needs and solve given problems
- Process numbers to meet need

RSE/Wellbeing

This half term we are looking at the topic of respectful relationships, including friendships. We will learn how to recognise problems in relationships and how to get help and understand what 'bullying' is and how it affects people.

DofE / Outdoor Learning

Please ensure suitable footwear and clothing is worn every Friday. Students will be working on their expedition training and map reading skills.

Functional Skills Maths

Students will be looking at time and money

Entry 1:

- Recognise coins and notes and write them in numbers with the correct symbols (£ & p).
- Read 12 hour digital and analogue clocks in hours and half hours.
- Know the number of days in a week, months, and seasons in a year. Be able to name and sequence.

Entry 2:

- Know the number of hours in a day and weeks in a year. Be able to name and sequence.
- Calculate money with pence up to one pound and in whole pounds of multiple items and write with the correct symbols (£ or p).
- Read and record time in common date formats, and read time displayed on analogue clocks in hours, half hours and quarter hours, and understand hours from a 24-hour digital clock.

Entry 3:

- Calculate with money using decimal notation and express money correctly in writing in pounds and pence. Round amounts of money to the nearest £1 or 10p.
- Read, measure and record time using am and pm.
- Read time from analogue and 24-hour digital clocks in hours and minutes.

Preparing for Adulthood

- Students will continue with their work experience placements, trying different roles and using a variety of work-based skills.
- Plan and complete a journey using public transport and be able to identify personal targets for improvement.
- Enhance teamwork skills by arranging and organising a Jubilee garden party.