

# UG Homework Ideas

## **English**

This term, we will be working on our Functional Skills assessments. We will continue to work hard on reading and understanding information to answer simple questions. Our main focus will be thinking of our own ideas for writing and writing accurate sentences, using full stops and capital letters and extending our sentences with conjunctions. In addition, we will carry on developing our speaking and listening skills, ensuring we can confidently make contributions to discussions and respond appropriately to others. We will also be developing our spellings skills, developing knowledge of sight words and using dictionaries to support our work.

## **Maths**

This term, we will also be working towards our Functional Skills in maths. We will be working on number skills and using them in real life situations (using money, reading the time etc). Any opportunities for students to use maths in a functional way, by weighing out ingredients, measuring, reading timetables and TV guides, helping with shopping and handling money, will all help to support their learning.

## **SMSC/ Careers**

This term we will be looking into possible jobs and college courses for the future. We are also visited by the Michelle from Ideas4Careers who will be looking at the future, including application forms and CV writing. We will be looking at where our skills are and what possible jobs would be suitable for our skills and interests. In SMSC we will be looking at different relationships, how friendships can change and how to stay safe online.

## **ASDAN PSD (Personal and Social Development)**

This is a new accreditation this year to Post 16. We will complete a variety of subject areas that will develop our communication, team working and independence skills. The challenges will also prepare the students for adult life.

The first 2 topics we will cover are Healthy Living and Community Action. The community action unit fits well with our volunteering work at Thoresby and events we plan in school, such as Macmillan coffee morning. We will investigate community groups within our local area and the impact they have in the community. In Healthy Living we will look at our own lifestyles and recognise ways in which we can be healthier. This incorporates our PE sessions in Post 16 as we have to take part in a fitness programme for at least three weeks as part of the accreditation.

Thank you for your continued support.

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