

Assemblies and am mentoring Autumn 2018 830-8.45am					
Week beginning	Monday SLT assembly <i>Theme for the week introduced under the half term focus.</i> • Key vocab introduced including story from our cultural heritage (Greek myth. Aesop's fable fairytale and its use/ reference in everyday life)	Tuesday Amphitheatre Performing Arts <i>showcase student work. Other departments share with focus on Cultural c=Capital every half term.</i>	Wednesday Family assembly <i>International focus: comparison of rights in UK to children across the world.</i>	Thursday Butterfly Broadcast: <i>Class discussions based on Butterfly and assemblies</i>	Friday Year group assemblies <i>Reinforcing messages. Recognising success, taking pride in it. Preparation for upcoming events:</i>
5 <sup>th</sup> September 2017	New Beginnings and Good Choices				
			<b>Headteacher assembly for whole school: Making the most of a fresh start.</b> School expectations RESPECT behaviour policy Choices Hardwork and Cultural Capital		<b>New beginnings:</b> School Expectations Rewards Consequences Hard work
10 <sup>th</sup> September	Problem Solving				
	<b>What does it really mean to be an independent learner?</b>  <b>The Trojan Horse</b>  (Ref getting stuck and problem solving cycle)	Perf Arts	<b>We Are Park – Welcome to our Family.</b> An introduction to PCS and Family life rewards et. Announcement of future Family events and selection of mentor group representatives. Our role in the wider community. Munch, Community provision, Leading Parent Partnership Award  <i>Article 29 (goals of education)                      Education must develop every child's personality, talents and abilities to the full. It must encourage the child's respect for human rights, as well as respect for their parents, their own and other cultures, and the environment.</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>International, National and local news followed by</li> <li>Clip from troy re Trojan Horse</li> <li>Key question for discussion.</li> </ul>	What does it mean to be an independent learner? Reminders including key dates Celebrations Hard work

Courageous					
17 <sup>th</sup> September	<p><b>What does it mean to be courageous?</b></p> <p><b>Hercules</b></p>	Perf Arts	<p><b>We Are Park – The role of Student Voice and the mentor group representatives.</b> Selection of mentor group representatives</p> <p><b>International Day of Democracy</b></p> <p><i>Article 12 – Children have the right to say what they think should happen, when adults are making decisions that affect them, and to have their opinions taken into account.</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• International, National and local news followed by</li> <li>• Clip from Hercules re Herculean task</li> <li>• Key question for discussion</li> </ul>	<p>What does it mean to be an independent learner? Reminders including key dates Celebrations Hard work</p>
Fail to prepare, prepare to fail					
24 <sup>th</sup> September	<p><b>Fail to prepare, prepare to fail</b></p> <p><b>Perseus and Medusa</b></p> <p><b>Link to Exam week beginning 1<sup>st</sup> October.</b></p>	Perf Arts	<p><b>We Are Park – The benefits and increased travel and career opportunities opened up by learning a language. Taking MFL seriously.</b></p> <p><b>European Day of Languages</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• International, National and local news followed by</li> <li>• Clip from myth</li> <li>• Key question for discussion</li> </ul>	<p>What does it mean to be an independent learner?  Testing and Exam week preparation and timetables shared Celebrations Hard work</p>
1 <sup>st</sup> October	<b>Mock Exam and Testing week- no assemblies</b>	Exams	<b>World Teacher day</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• International, National and local news followed by</li> <li>• Key question for discussion</li> </ul>	Exams
Know your weaknesses					
8 <sup>th</sup> October	<p><b>Knowing your weaknesses. What do you do about them?</b></p> <p><b>Achilles</b></p>	Perf Arts	<p><b>We Are Park - Student Catch up – Teaching as a career. Video of recent ex PCS students who have become teachers.</b></p> <p><b>World Teacher’s day (last week!)</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• International, National and local news followed by</li> <li>• Clip from myth</li> <li>• Key question for discussion</li> </ul>	<p>What does it mean to be an independent learner?  Celebrations Hard work</p>

Real beauty is skin deep					
15 <sup>th</sup> October	<p><b>Real beauty is skin deep Narcissus (link to Greek gods/ bust too)</b></p> <p><b>(tie in with World Food day and Food bank- will be covered in family assembly also)</b></p>	Perf Arts	<p><b>We Are Park</b> – Dealing with personal, physical and mental issues: you are not alone. Support at park and where to find it.</p> <p><i>Article 23; If you are disabled, either mentally or physically, you have the right to special care and education to help you lead a full life.</i></p> <p><b>Mental Health Awareness Day</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• International, National and local news followed by</li> <li>• Clip from myth</li> <li>• Key question for discussion</li> </ul>	<p>What does it mean to be an independent learner?</p> <p>Challenge Day preparations shared Celebrations Hard work</p>
Tenacity					
22 <sup>nd</sup> October	<p><b>Tenacity Pegasus</b></p>	Perf Arts	<p><b>We Are Park</b> – Charity Challenge Beacon Foodbank Appeal. Looking at poverty in our area and how we can help in the run up to Christmas</p> <p><i>Article 27; You have the right to a good enough standard of living. This means you should have food, clothes and a place to live.</i></p> <p><b>International Day of eradication of poverty 15/10 World Food Day 16/10</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• International, National and local news followed by</li> <li>• Clip from myth</li> <li>• Key question for discussion</li> </ul>	<p>What does it mean to be an independent learner?</p> <p>Food bank update Celebrations Hard work</p>