Medina Colle	ge Year 9 Parent Planner 6
your child a	Encourage em to read – nything and everything! 2 Look at Google Classroom regularly; the expectation is that all students complete home-learning 3 Make sure your child has the right equipment with them everyday (pen, pencil and ruler)
Art:	Students will complete a range of tasks, exploring the key elements of Art and Design. They will have the opportunity to work in response to a range of artists such as Peter Blake, Dan Baldwin and Vanitas, Lichtenstein
Computer Science:	Comic Strip: Students will plan, write, draw and create a comic strip on a topical subject
Drama:	Key Life Skills: Students will learn a range of skills in preparation for life after education. This will include interview technique, conflict resolution and promoting a positive image
English:	Strange and Interesting: Students will cover a range of short stories from the detective genre and read the play version of The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time
French:	Students will explore French history and culture: they will understand why the population of France is so diverse and complete a final assessment on the healthy/unhealthy living modules that have been covered this year across all four skill areas
Geography:	Climate Change - UK to Local: Students will look at how climate change will impact upon our lives in the UK as well as more locally on the Isle of Wight
History:	Anglo-Saxon and Viking Britain: Students will learn about Britain as a divided nation before the Norman conquest
Maths:	Using Number: Students will learn about non-calculator methods, types of number and sequences and indices and roots.
Music:	Musical Futures 6: Students will build on practical instrumental skills and be able to perform as a soloist or a member of an ensemble
Personal Development:	Mental Health: Students will learn about stigma, trauma and strategies for managing emotional changes
PE:	Games - activities include: tennis, cricket, softball, rounders, frisbee, volleyball and lacrosse
RE:	Students will explore different types of religion, secularisation and how religion has changed and why
Science:	Students will learn about: forces and pressure, speed and motion. They will also study electrolysis, chemical analysis, reproduction and ecology. There will be an end of term test in all disciplines
Spanish:	Dragons Den: Students will learn to read, listen to and write about devising a new product or app to make learning a language easier
Technology:	Students will rotate through the four areas in Technology: Design Technology: students will learn to design and make a product for charity using a wide range of wood joints. Fashion: Students will create printed accessories based on the work of famous artists. Food and Nutrition: Students will look at the physical and chemical properties of ingredients. Graphics: Students will use