

## Year 10 Curriculum and Groupings 2019-2020

The table below has been produced as a guide, to help parents and carers understand the year 10 subject groupings. If you have further questions about specific subject areas please contact the Curriculum Leader or subject teacher at the college as shown on student's timetables.

At Torpoint Community College all students follow a two week timetable (week 1 and week 2) with 5 one hour lessons per day, giving a total of 25 lessons per week (50 over two weeks).

Table to show year 10 groupings

Subject	Number of 1 hour lessons over 2 weeks	Subject code on timetable	Explanation of subject grouping
All groups within English, Science and Maths are each taught at the same time. This means that all year 10 Science groups have their lessons at the same time, English lessons are on at the same time and Maths lessons are on at the same time. This allows students to be moved between groups as a result of their progress if required. The students will be constantly assessed throughout lessons. In English and Maths some students may be extracted periodically for additional intervention, for both support and further challenge.			
English Miss Lockett	8	E	There are groups each in English and Science and 5 groups in Maths. The groupings in English, Maths and Science are independent of one another.
Maths Mrs Seaman	8	M	
Science Mr Cameron	10 (15 for Separate Science)	Sc (B, C & P)	English, Maths and Science are placed in groups based on their prior, current and target data.  Students are sometimes extracted for extension work, challenge and/or support.
Students in year 10 study one subject from each of 4 option blocks (A, B, C and D) Students are taught in mixed ability and gender groups, when there are two of the same subjects in an option block the students are grouped based on ability. Each option is studied for 5 hours over a two week timetable. (Subject codes are given in brackets)			
<b>Option A</b> (A)Art GCSE (Dt)Textile GCSE (Fn) Food & Nutrition GCSE (Fr)French GCSE (B, C, P) Separate Science GCSE	<b>Option B</b> (Fn)Food & Nutrition GCSE (H)History GCSE (Mu)Music GCSE (Dt)Product Design GCSE (Fr) French GCSE (Dt)Textile GCSE	<b>Option C</b> (A)Art GCSE (Cp)Computing GCSE (Dr)Drama GCSE (G)Geography GCSE (Pe)PE Btec (male) (Pe)PE Btec (female)	<b>Option D</b> (B, C, P) Separate Science GCSE (G) Geography GCSE (H) History GCSE
Year 10 is split into two half year groups (population A and population B) for the remaining subjects and placed within mixed ability groupings			
IT/PSHE/Private Study Careers Mrs Bray	1	Pp	IT/PSHE/Private Study is taught in mixed ability and gender groupings. Students follow a 4 week rotation of each of these subjects. There is no examination in these subjects
PE Mr Evans	3	Pe	PE is taught in single gender mixed ability groupings

Model to show the structure of the year 10 timetable

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