Year 7		Curriculum Checkpoints: What do students know and what can they do?		
E2L	Developing	Securing	Flourishing	Excelling
Knowing about and understanding effective communication.	Identify key features of oracy and explain some ways in which it will help with effective communication .	Identify key features of oracy and explain well the impact of effective communication.	Identify key features of oracy and explain the impact of effective communication, demonstrating this consistently in activities.	Identify key features of oracy and explain the impact of effective communication, embodying this at all times through careful consideration of how to communicate in a range of scenarios.
Expressing and communicating ideas, opinions and beliefs.	Can express Ideas, opinions and beliefs clearly, using some appropriate vocabulary.	Can express Ideas, opinions and beliefs clearly, logically and using appropriate vocabulary consistently.	Can express Ideas, opinions and beliefs clearly, logically and using appropriate well selected vocabulary.	Can express Ideas, opinions and beliefs clearly, logically and using appropriate well selected vocabulary, considering and responding to the views of others.
Knowing about and understanding the impact of reading.	Can use a range of reading strategies to support engaging with texts.	Can use a range of reading strategies and understand the links between reading and learning.	Can use a range of well selected and appropriate reading strategies and understand the links between reading and learning.	Can use a range of well selected and appropriate reading strategies, selecting and engaging in texts to extend learning seeing its value.
Knowing about and understanding how to work in a team effectively.	Identify key features and explain how team work and collaboration can be achieved effectively.	Identify key features and explain how team work and collaboration can be achieved effectively by exploring specific roles within a team.	Identify key features and explain how team work and collaboration can be achieved effectively, taking on specific roles within a team and communicating in a supportive and positive way.	Identify key features and explain how team work and collaboration can be achieved effectively, taking on specific roles within a team and communicating in a supportive and positive way. Can be an effective leader, as well as group member.
Knowing about and understanding key world religions	Identify and retell key religious beliefs and practices. Describe the importance of religion and belief. Can give a simple evaluation of one side of the argument.	Identify key features and recognise impact on people's lives. Describe in some detail the importance of some aspects of belief and its impact. Can give a developed evaluation of one side of the argument.	Identify key features and explain impact on people's lives. Describe in good detail the importance of some aspects of religion and belief and their impact. Can give a simple evaluation of one side of the argument and a developed evaluation of both sides of the argument with clear links to religion.	Describe and explain key features and explain the impact they have on people's lives. Can explain the significance of aspects of belief and their impact/ influence. Can give a developed evaluation for both sides of the argument with explained links to religious beliefs.
Knowing about and understanding Careers.	Explore a range of careers and engage with people from industry.	Explore a range of careers and can identify the key knowledge and skills required for that job and engage with people from industry though asking questions.	Explore a range of careers and can identify the key knowledge and skills required for that job. Engaging with how to goal set to successfully attain that career. Engage positively with people from industry.	Explore a range of careers and can identify the key knowledge and skills required for that job. Engaging with how to plan to successfully attain that career through short, medium and long term goal setting. Engage with people from industry. Engage actively with people from industry.
Can effectively goal set using GROW in order to strategise how to become a more effective learner.	Can goal set using GROW, considering short term aims.	Can goal set using GROW, considering short and medium term aims. Is beginning to use strategies to implement change.	Can goal set using GROW, considering short, medium and long term aims. Is effectively using strategy to implement change.	Can goal set using GROW, considering short, medium and long term aims. Is effectively using strategy to implement change as well as continually reflecting in order to refine and develop objectives.
Knowing about and understanding the importance of Personal Development.	Can engage in Personal Development, considering the impact of that topic on themselves.	Can engage in Personal Development, considering the impact of that topic on themselves and others.	Can engage in Personal Development, considering the impact of that topic on themselves and others. Can demonstrate empathy and understanding of the situations of others.	Can engage in Personal Development, considering the impact of that topic on themselves and others. Can demonstrate empathy and understanding of the situations of others. Can understand the impact of words and actions on others and considers this carefully before acting.