

# PGS Skills Framework Launch



# What do we mean by skills?

- When you hear your teacher talk about skills you are developing, they are referring to **'the ability to do something'**
- At school, our goal is to prepare you for life and work by equipping you with the SKILLS you will need to do that.



# Examples of Skills

Here are some examples you may have thought of.....

Communication      team work      numeracy      literacy

organisation      time management      responsibility

problem solving      digital      creativity      interpersonal

adaptability      self-discipline      .....



# Our PGS Skills

As a school, we have carefully chosen to focus on **4 key skills** that we believe are among the most important for preparing you for life, learning and work.

- **Communication**



- **Organisation**



- **Creativity**



- **Adaptability**



# Our PGS Skills

Your teachers will be using these **icons** during your lessons to help remind you of the skills you are developing!



# What's the purpose?

These are some of the key skills that will help equip you for life. If you know what they mean and when you are developing them, you will be able to:

- **Do a range of things well!! Skill means 'the ability to do something'**
- **Talk confidently about the skills you have**
- **Identify which skills you need to develop**
- **Understand how transferrable your skills are across your subjects**
- **Give examples to future employers / uni / college to evidence your skills (this will make you more appointable)**





# Our PGS Skills – A closer look.....



# Organisation

The ability to stay focused on different tasks and prioritise your time effectively in order to achieve the desired outcome.

- Time Keeping
- Being Prepared
- Prioritising
- Self-management
- Concentrating





# Communication

The conveying or exchanging of information to share thoughts, intentions and ideas.

- Working with others
- Active listening
- Emotional intelligence
- Digital communication
- Conveying clear & concise ideas



# Creativity

The ability to generate or recognise ideas, alternatives, or possibilities that may be useful in many situations.

- Imagination
- Idea Generating
- Inventing
- Problem Solving
- Visualising



# Adaptability

The act or process of changing to better suit your learning needs.

- Problem Solving
- Resilience
- Curiosity
- Confidence
- Critical Thinking



# What to expect.....

You should of already noticed these skills being referenced regularly in your learning through:

- Icons displayed visually on the board / on wall displays
- Skills being talked about during your lessons
- Profiling - you will be asked to record your progress with these skills.



Keep an eye out for these skills icons in your lessons!

