

RAS: Year 10 Autumn Learning Journey 3: Governing the United Kingdom

What are we learning about?

We are learning about the different levels of governance in the United Kingdom, from the Prime Minister to local councillors. We're also going to learn about how we, as citizens, elect our representatives using democratic processes.



Why are we learning about it?

We need to understand the democratic system in the United Kingdom in order to perform our role in holding the government to account. We also need to know how to vote when we are 18, and the difference between elections.



What new KNOWLEDGE will I gain?

- National Government (including a recap of Year 9 learning)
- Local and Regional Governments
- Elections



Citizenship

Keeping Safe

Core RS

Careers



How does this build on the SKILLS I already have?

You have already demonstrated self awareness in RAS and other lessons, particularly in CHIMP opportunities. This is an opportunity to take this further.

We have previously formed and sustained judgements in Year 9 RAS.



What new SKILLS will I develop?

We will focus explicitly on our self awareness, namely about how we recall prior learning from Year 9 RAS. This will be an opportunity to consider ways to develop our recall, useful for other subjects too.

We'll also focus on forming and sustaining judgements.



How does this build on the KNOWLEDGE I already have?

This unit builds directly on your Year 9 Summer Term learning about the structure of Parliament and the Houses of Commons and Lords. You'll need this understanding for the first lesson; the other two lessons then broaden your awareness of governance in the UK.