HALF TERM: _3__ NO. OF LESSONS (approx):



Deliberate retrieval of expected prior knowledge (be specific)

Retrieval should occur regularly throughout the learning journey:

- Chemical changes Y8 combustion
- Combustion exothermic reactions Chemical changes
- Chemical reactions reactants & products
- Knowledge of the presence oxygen and carbon dioxide in the atmosphere.
- Global warming, carbon dioxide causing the planet to heat up
- Renewable and non-renewable energy source
- Hinge question what percentage of the atmosphere is carbon dioxide?

Academic transformation (be specific)

Your core curriculum must do all of the following:

- Earth's atmosphere is now 80% nitrogen, 20% oxygen and small proportion of other gases including carbon dioxide, water vapour and noble gases
- How the Earth's atmosphere was formed and developed –
 intense volcanic activity that released gases that formed the
 early atmosphere and water vapour that condensed to form
 the oceans (like that of Mars)
- Carbon dioxide reduced in the atmosphere due to photosynthesis, dissolving in the oceans, formation of sedimentary rocks and fossil fuels that contain carbon.
- Describe how water vapour, carbon dioxide and methane contribute to the greenhouse effect and what it is.
- Recall human activities that increase the amounts of each of the greenhouse gases carbon dioxide and methane and the impact on climate change
- Describe the effects of climate change and examples of work being done to solve climate change
- Describe how carbon monoxide, soot (carbon particles), sulfur dioxide and oxides of nitrogen are produced by burning fuels identify materials as finite or renewable and the importance of
- Identify materials as finite or renewable and the importance of recycling/life cycle assessments.

Personal transformation (3 or 4)

Deliberately inviting students and <u>our community</u> to enrich learning by sharing their experiences, history and first hand accounts. Explicitly choose application opportunities for learners to:

 Discussions around climate change and importance of reducing use of fossil fuel

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pNeaF0ypnCQ How is life formed? Discussion around primordial soup theory and panspermia

 How is climate change covered in the media – discuss how opinions are presented, speculation and bias.

Can I Learning Questions

Can I describe the history of our atmosphere? Can I describe the effect of greenhouse gases? Can I measure energy released when fuels burn?

Can I link pollutant gases to their risks?
Can I explain the risks of climate change?
Can I compare renewable and non-renewable energy resources?

Can I evaluate the pros and cons of recycling? Can I explain how carbon is recycled naturally?

Literacy / Oracy

Key vocabulary

Atmosphere, Condensed, Photosynthesis, Deforestation, Renewable, Greenhouse effect. combustion.

Disciplinary reading

- Articles on greenhouse gases to compare the different portrayals based on opinion and bias
- https://metro.co.uk/2017/12/31/why-bags-for-life-could-actually-be-terrible-for-the-environment-6849337/.

Classroom talk

• Think-Pair-Share & structured debate/discussion: key questions

Misconceptions (5 or 6 examples)

- Atmosphere is mostly oxygen
- Carbon dioxide is very common in the atmosphere
- The greenhouse effect is a bad thing
- Acid rain causes skin burn.
- Once carbon dioxide is released into the atmosphere, it will stay there forever.