Foxford Learning Plan

YEAR 8

Topic- Cricket

Summer 2

Key Vocabulary

Slip	A position taken when fielding on the offside with the aim of catching an edged ball.
Square cut	A cross-batted stroke played off the back foot to place the ball square of the wicket.
Seam bowling	A bowling technique whereby the ball is deliberately bowled on to its seam to cause a random deviation when the ball bounces.
Spin bowling	A bowling technique in which the ball is delivered slowly but with the potential to deviate sharply after bouncing.
Crease	A particular area marked with white lines that defines the area within which the batsmen and bowlers operate.
Wicket keeper	The player who stands behind the wicket at the striker's end and also the only player from the fielding side to wear gloves.



Key Skills

Over the course of the topic, I will be able to: -
Fielding- Use a variety of techniques to become an effective fielder
Batting- Perform the pull shot and square cut
Bowling- Vary bowling using line and length
Running between the wickets- communicate effectively with batting partner
Wicket keeping- Develop the skills required to keep wicket confidently and effectively



I will Understand

1. How to field effectively as an individual and as part of a team
2. The correct technique when performing a pull shot and square cut
3. How changing the line and length of bowling deliveries can help to take wickets
4. How to develop a system of calling for runs with a batting partner using effective communication skills
5. The importance of the wicket keeper and how to perform this role effectively