School Farms as Sites for Learning
ELBS/Animal Care
History

World War Two
The Dig For Victory Garden

Yr9 students researched and planned a DFV garden using vegetables that would have been around in 1940’s. Students planted it up at lunch time and we put hens and one of our piglets in ready for the grand opening.
Science

Why do we selectively breed our livestock?
Offer farm tours during lessons to show examples of selective breeding in action and explain why it is carried out.
Science

Make full use of all the farm facilities
Maths
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• Work out the killing out percentage for your turkeys
• Calculate the total profit made during an enterprise
• Work out how much milk powder is needed to feed the calf.
• Add a competitive element
Art/Photography
Creative writing
Business Studies
Vet Skills
Soft Skills

- Team work
- Adaptability
- Communication
- Critical Observation
- Conflict Resolution
- Problem solving
Community work
Chicks For Children
Farm Visits
Work Experience

• Students using our farm
• Our contacts allowing students to access other farms
Any Questions?