

LEARNING JOURNEY

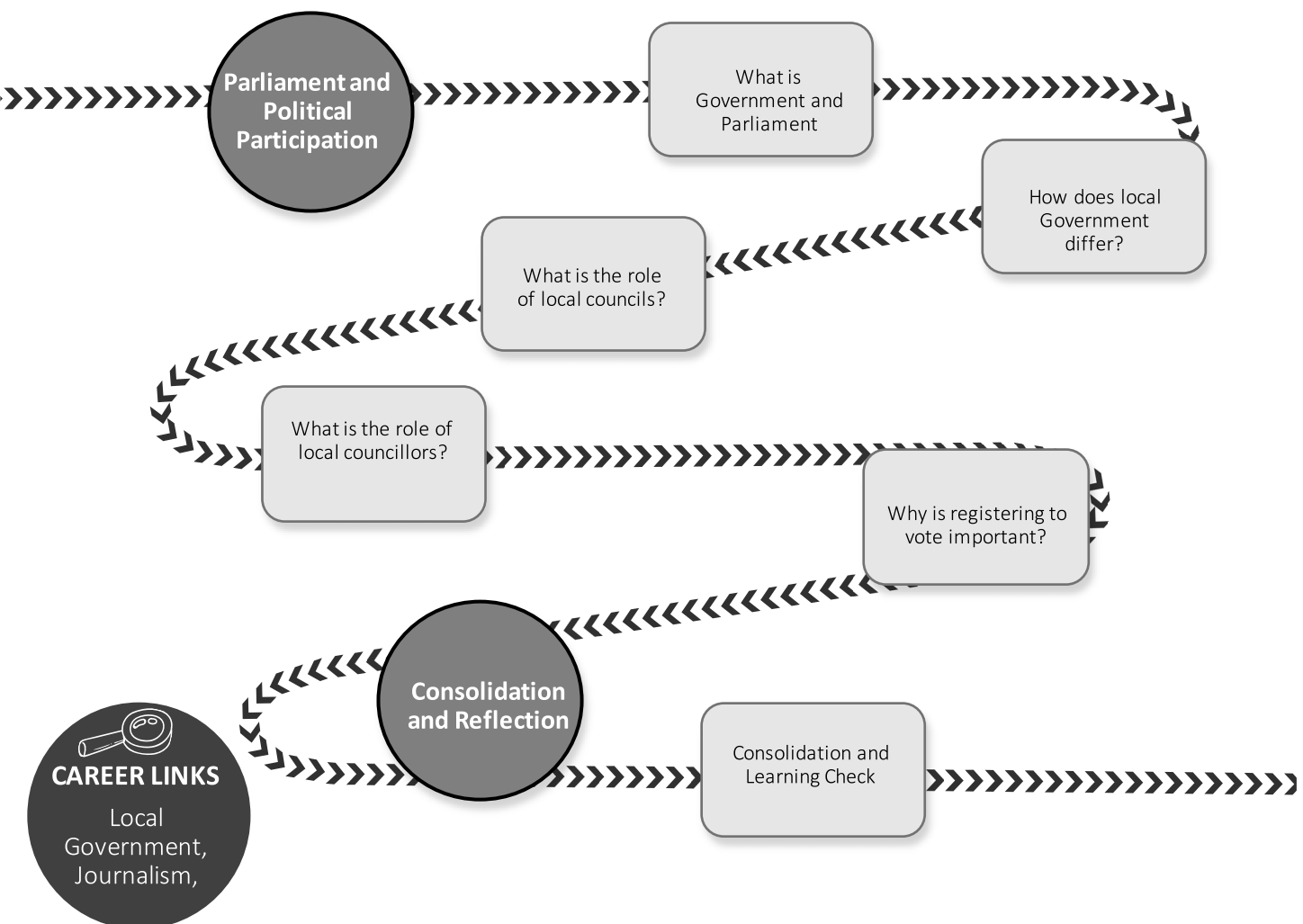
Citizenship



Local Democracy and Political Participation

Year 7 Summer Term 1

This half-term our focus will be on local government. We will consider how it differs from national government, how it works and how it impact the area where we live and go to school. We will consider the role of a local councillor and how we can get involved to try and bring positive change. Throughout this topic we will make links and connections to our Tudor habits and values. You will continue to develop key skills such as discussion skills – speaking and listening, evaluation skills - being able to weigh up information, and use it to make and justify a decision, and investigation skills.



Tudor Value - **DEMOCRACY** – To understand how we can use democracy to benefit our communities and work together to bring about change

KEY TERMINOLOGY:

Councillor, Election, Government, Majority, Manifesto

Discussion ideas :

Why is voting important?
Should I be able to vote when I am 16?

Vocabulary link – You might come across the same key vocabulary in History, RE, RSHE and English. Look out for news stories about current issues and what is happening in our community to make it a better place.