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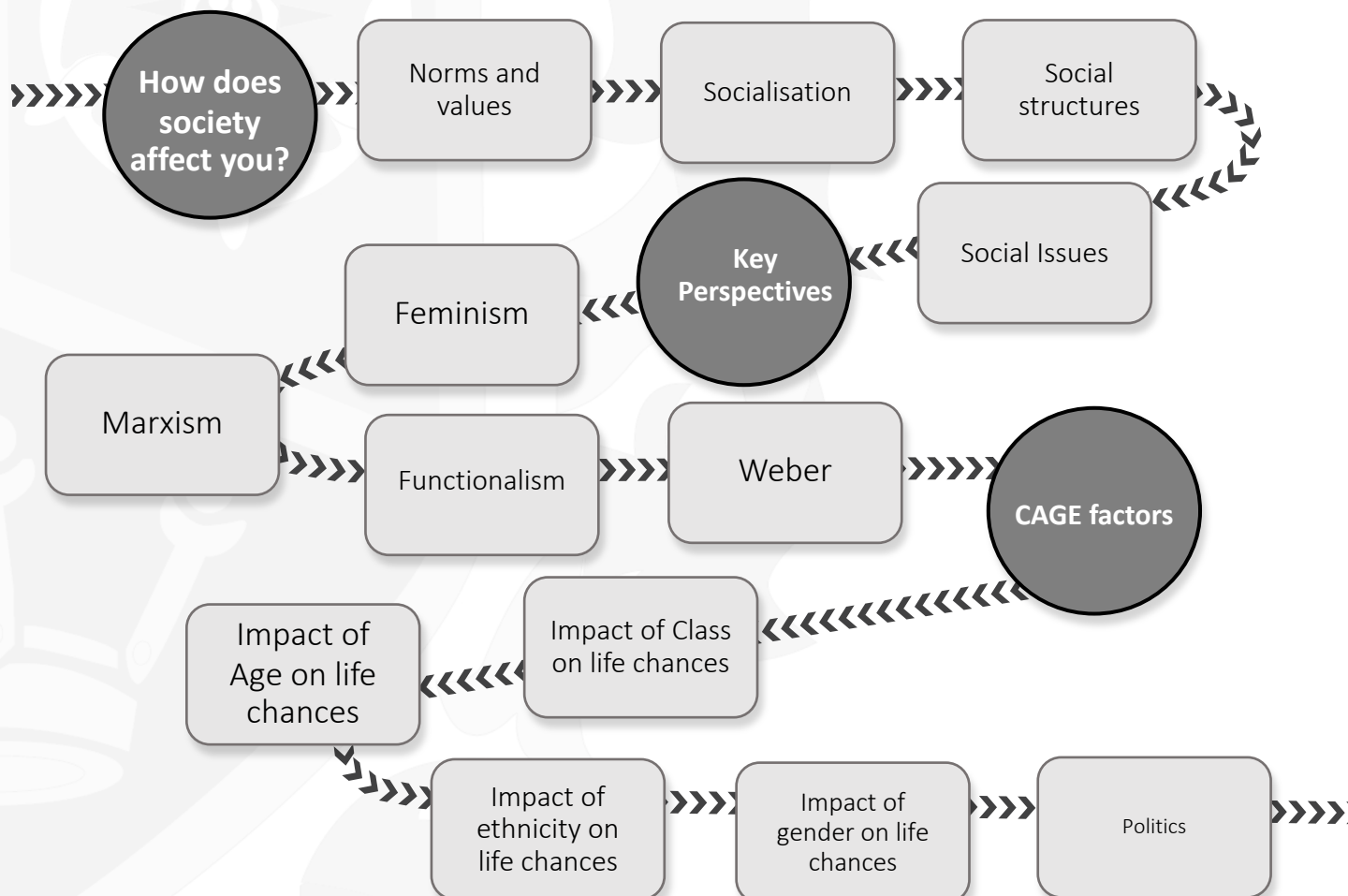
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The Sociological Approach

Year 10 Autumn Term 1

This unit will introduce key sociological concepts and perspectives and help lay the foundations for a knowledge rich learning journey over the two year course. You will look at key issues in Britain today and explore alternative viewpoints of their causes. This will develop your empathy and understanding of the world in which you are a part of. You will start to build the skills of critical analysis and debate.



TUDOR HABITS AND VALUES: You will be developing your kindness and empathy, by understanding how different factors may influence peoples life chances. Developing the skill of debate will help develop your ability to show tolerance to views that are different from your own.

VOCABULARY: Ascribed status, achieved status , consensus, conflict, norms, values, socialisation, patriarchy.

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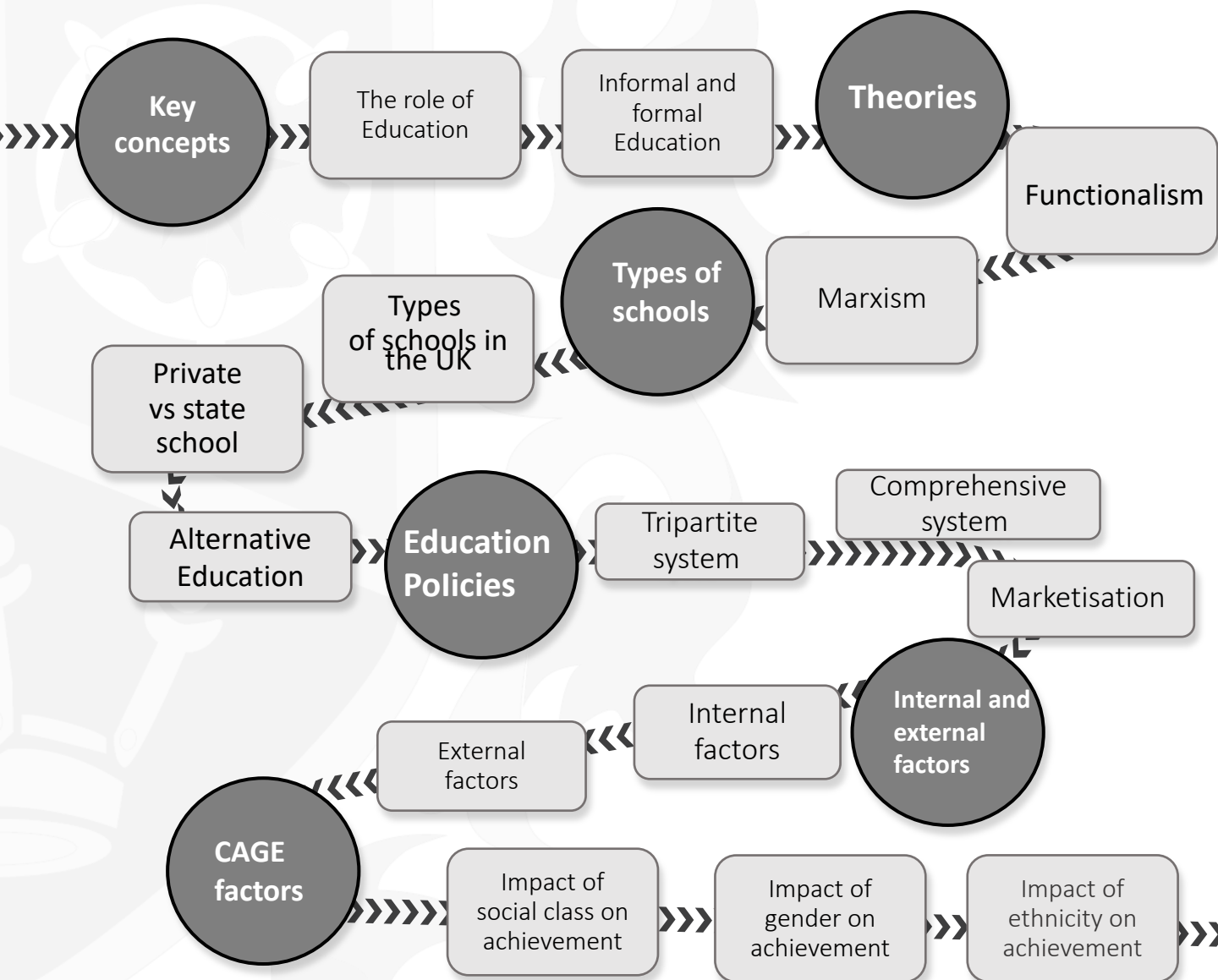
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Education

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Education will build on key concepts and theories from earlier topics of study. You will develop an understanding of the role of education and how factors within and outside the school can impact someone's experience. During this unit you will critically evaluate studies into education and apply your knowledge to both wider society and your own experiences of education.



TUDOR HABITS AND VALUES: You will be working on your empathy and kindness in this unit through understanding that different children will experience life and school in different ways.

VOCABULARY: academy, bedroom culture, correspondence principle, de-schooling, Education Act 1988, ethnocentric curriculum, hidden curriculum, labelling, marketization, meritocracy, private school, public school, speech codes, role allocation

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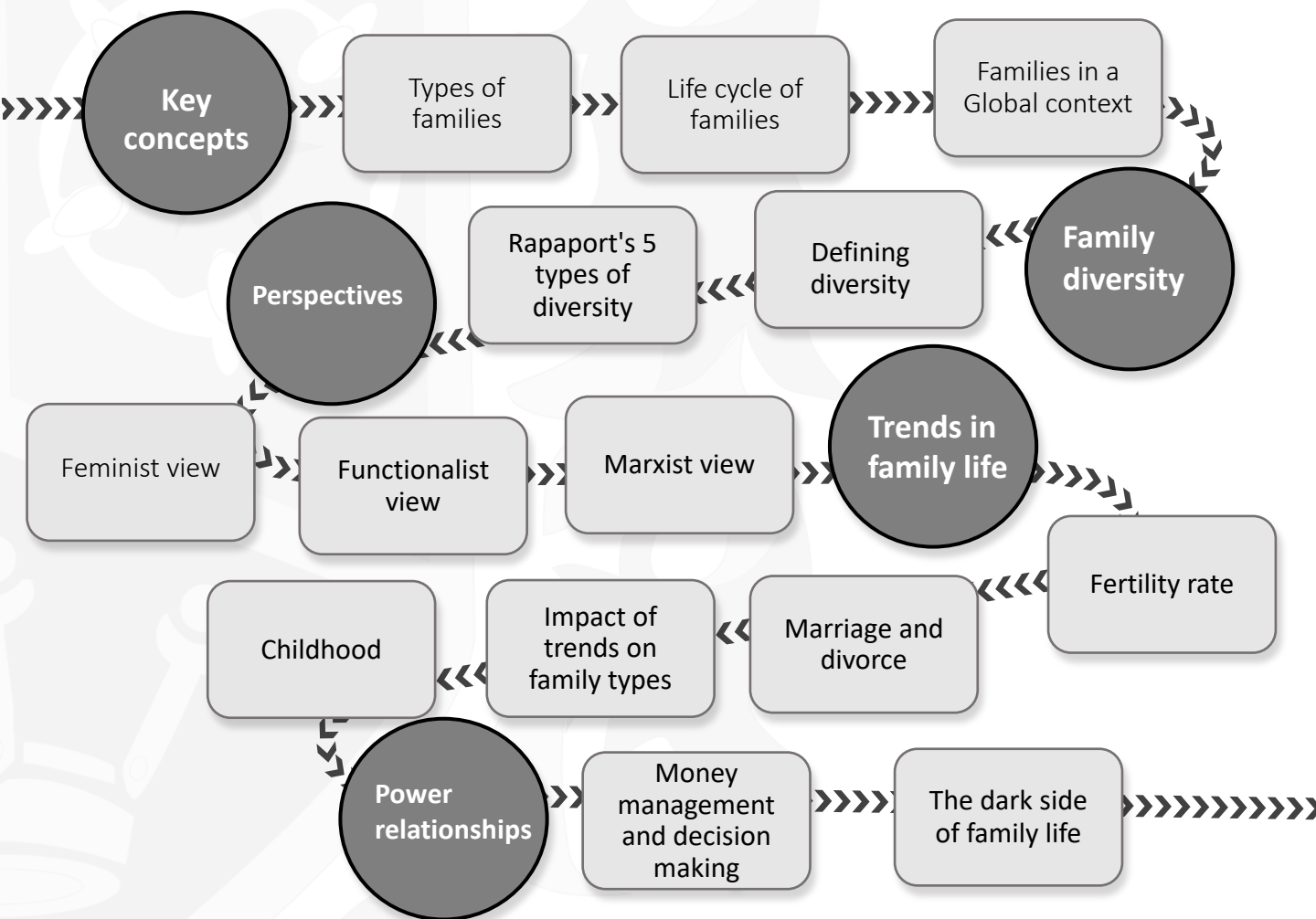
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Families

Year 10 Spring Term

Families are a mainstay in society. This helps students to have awareness of different family types and how roles are divided. Concepts such as domestic violence, poverty, oppression and social policy give students an in-depth awareness of how the family effects and is affected by society. It helps to develop social empathy while developing skills of critical analysis.



TUDOR HABITS AND VALUES: You will develop the value of tolerance to different family types and family structures. You will focus on the process of applying prior research methods learning to families. A new skill where the process is as important as the product.

VOCABULARY: Life cycle, divorce, cohabitation, conjugal roles, symmetrical family, nuclear family, extended family, birth rate, fertility rate, child centred, toxic childhood, dark side, patriarchy, stratified diffusion, pooling, social issue

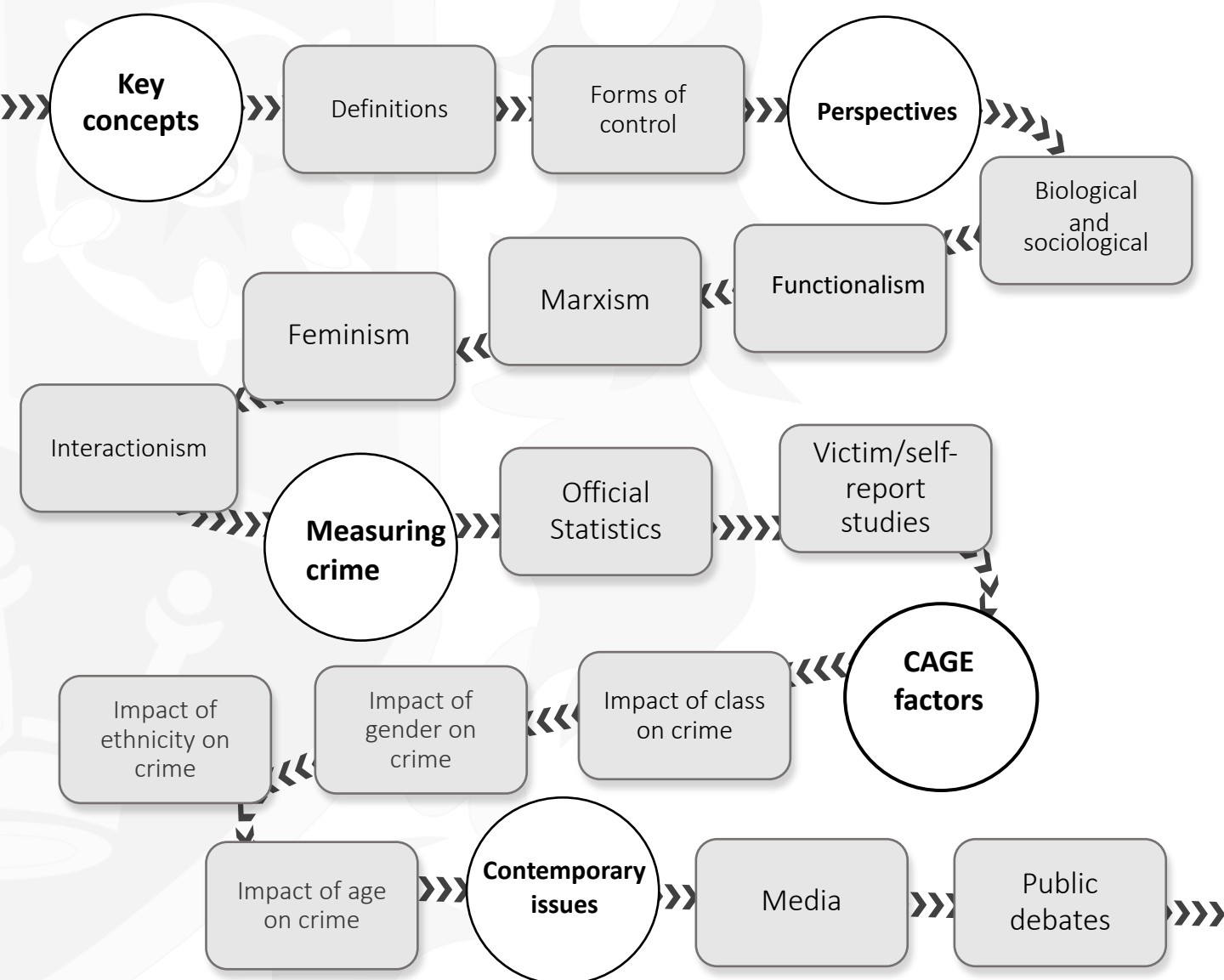
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Crime

Year 10 Spring and Summer

You will develop an understanding of how crime impacts both society and individuals. This will increase your understanding of key aspects of wider society and develop your evaluation skills through application to social issues.



TUDOR HABITS AND VALUES: You will develop your integrity in this topic. By looking at complex moral issues and the role you can play in making the right choices and the impact peer pressure and bias can have on life choices.

VOCABULARY: Informal control, formal control, social order, strain, gender deal, class deal, labelling, master status, self-fulfilling prophecy, subculture, deviance, crime, prison, rehabilitation, institutional racism, recidivism, criminal justice system, McPherson Report

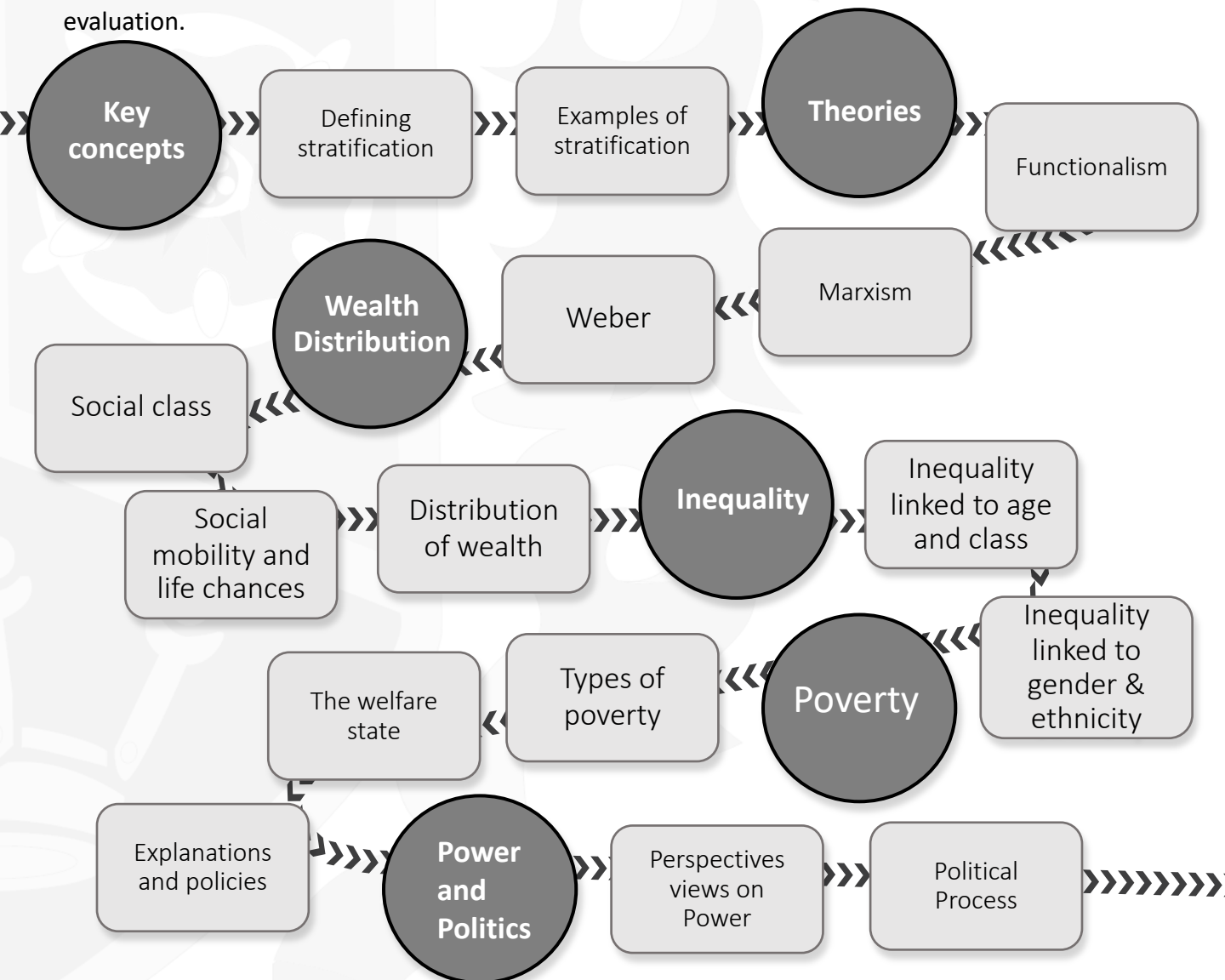
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Social Stratification

Year 11 Autumn Term

This topic will develop awareness of different strata's in society and how multiple factors can impact someone's life chances. This unit is synoptic and builds on theoretical and conceptual knowledge from earlier units allowing you to develop your sociological understanding to greater depth. You will learn to navigate complex societal and moral debates using critical analysis and evaluation.



TUDOR HABITS AND VALUES: This topic will develop your integrity. Looking at debates on inequality in society will help you to stand up for what is right and navigate factors such as peer pressure and apathy.

VOCABULARY: Social stratification , feudalism, power, status, authority, absolute poverty, relative poverty, agism, racism, pluralism, pressure groups, democracy, first past post, social mobility, income, deprivation index, welfare state, inequality.