

Year 6 Curriculum Overview

| | Autumn 1 | Autumn 2 | Spring 1 | Spring 2 | Summer 1 | Summer 2 |
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| Learning Skill | RESILIENT WORKER | TEAM PLAYER | CURIOUS QUESTIONER | PROBLEM SOLVER | CLEAR COMMUNICATOR | REFLECTIVE LEARNER |
| English Texts | Titanium (The Literacy Shed) The Man Who Walked Between the Towers – Mordicai Gerstein | Shackleton’s Journey – William Grill The Princess’ Blankets – Carol Ann Duffy | The Island – Armin Greder The Dark – Lemony Snicket | The Watertower – Gary Crew Town is by the Sea – Joanne Schwartz | The Arrival – Shaun Tan The Alchemist’s Letter (The Literacy Shed) | Macbeth – William Shakespeare Life Doesn’t frighten Me – Maya Angelou |
| Reading for Pleasure | The Nowhere Emporium – Ross Mackenzie | The Nowhere Emporium – Ross Mackenzie | Boy in the Tower – Polly Ho-Yen | Trash – Andy Mulligan | Trash – Andy Mulligan | Wonder – R.J Palacio |
| Maths Units | Number: Place Value Number: Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication & Division | Number: Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication & Division Number: Fractions Geometry: Position & Direction | Number: Decimals Number: Percentages Number: Algebra | Measurement: Converting Units Measurement: Perimeter, Area & Volume Number: Ratio Statistics | Geometry: Properties of Shape Consolidation/SATs Prep Consolidation, Investigations, prep for KS3 | Consolidation, Investigations, prep for KS3 |
| Science | Q. What would a journey through your body look like? PoS: Animals including humans | Q. How can you light up your life? PoS: Light | Q. Can you be an electrician’s apprentice? PoS: Electricity | Q. Could Spiderman really exist? PoS: Living things and their habitats | Q. Have we always looked like this? PoS: Evolution and Inheritance | |
| Computing | 6.1 Coding | 6.2 Online Safety 6.3 Spreadsheets | 6.3 Spreadsheets 6.4 Blogging | 6.5 Text Adventures | 6.6 Networks 6.7 Quizzing | 6.8 Understanding Binary 6.9 Spreadsheets (Optional) |
| History | Were the Vikings always victorious and vicious? | | Why was the Islamic Civilization (around AD900) known as “The Golden Age”? | | Who were the Suffragettes and what did they achieve? | |
| Geography | | Why has Brazil got one of the world’s fastest growing economies? | | Are we damaging our world? | | How marvellous are maps? |
| PE | Netball | Football | Tag Rugby | Gymnastics | Rounders | Athletics/Tennis |
| Art/Design | | Haas and Hahn favela painting/sculpture/murals | Islamic art – geometric pattern, vegetal pattern, calligraphy | | | Create digital maps |
| DT | Create a Viking Longship | | | Design wind turbine. | Ballot boxes & rosettes (woodwork/textiles) | |
| Music | Rhythm & ostinato | Syncopated samba | Music from other cultures | Vocal drama project | Play and perform | Song writing project |
| French | Everyday life | Where I live, where you live | Playing/enjoying sport | This is me, hobbies, fun | Café culture/restaurants | Performance time |
| RE | How do different religions celebrate marriage? | Why is Diwali celebrated by both Hindus and Sikhs? | Is it better to express your religion in arts/architecture or in charity/generosity? | What difference does it make to believe in Ahimsa? | What matters most to Christians and Humanists? | What do religions say to us when life gets hard? |
| PSHCE | Being Me in My World | Celebrating Difference | Dreams and Goals | Healthy Me | Relationships | Changing Me |