

YEAR 6 CURRICULUM OVERVIEW 2024 - 2025

Year 6	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Curriculum Books	<p>The Final Year – Matt Goodfellow</p> <p>The Explorer – Katherine Rundell</p> <p>Great People Who Reach for the Stars- Kat Williams</p> <p>Poetry – Pie Corbett’s Poetry Spine</p>	<p>The Arrival Shaun Tan</p> <p>Atlas of Imagined Islands – Hugh Lewis –Jones</p> <p>Skellig – David Almond</p> <p>The Explorer</p> <p>Poetry – Pie Corbett’s Poetry Spine</p>	<p>What Mr Darwin saw On the origin of the species</p> <p>What Mr Darwin Say by Mick Manning</p> <p>Kensuke's Kingdom- Michael Morpurgo</p> <p>Poetry – Pie Corbett’s Poetry Spine</p>	<p>Rose Blanche</p> <p>The Hobbit</p> <p>Poetry – Pie Corbett’s Poetry Spine</p>	<p>The Hobbit</p> <p>Poetry – Pie Corbett’s Poetry Spine</p>	<p>Poetry – Pie Corbett’s Poetry Spine</p>
Curriculum	<p>English Writing to entertain - Narrative Writing to inform - Survival guide non-chronological report</p>	<p>English Diary entry Poetry and performance Short story</p>	<p>English Biography Explanation</p>	<p>English Setting descriptions Narrative</p>	<p>English Balanced Argument Persuasive Letter Narrative</p>	<p>English Poetry and performance Speech writing</p>
	<p>Maths Place Value Addition, subtraction, multiplication and division</p>	<p>Maths Addition, subtraction, multiplication and division Fractions Converting units</p>	<p>Maths Ratio Algebra Decimals</p>	<p>Maths Fractions, decimals and percentages Area, perimeter and volume Statistics</p>	<p>Maths Shape Position and direction Revision</p>	<p>Maths Themed projects, consolidation and problem solving</p>
	<p>Science Animals including humans Circulatory system</p>	<p>Science Animals including humans Continuation Investigation Circulatory system</p>	<p>Science Evolution and Inheritance Understand how offspring vary and are not identical to their parents; Animal</p>	<p>Science Electricity Describe parts of a circuit; Explore voltage; Correct problems in a circuit; Investigate what affects the output of a circuit; Build a</p>	<p>Science Living things and their habitats Classify living organisms; Understand kingdoms of life; Use the Linnaem system; Identify the</p>	<p>Science Light Explore how light travels; Explore reflection; Explain how reflection helps us see; Investigate how</p>

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			adaptations; Plant adaptations; Explore what we can learn from fossils; Explore the theory of evolution; Explore human evolution	set of traffic lessons; Apple knowledge of conductors and insulators	characteristics of different types of microorganisms; Investigate asexual reproduction through spore dispersal	shadows can change; Investigate how we see objects
	History A non-European society that provides contrasts with British history: Mayan civilization c900AD. Maya Civilization Maya worship and belief		History Local history study: Newbury and surrounding areas in World War II. Appeasement Evacuation Links to Newbury (Greenham)		History Thematic: Beyond Face Value	
		Geography Trade and Economics Biomes, land use Understand how food production is influenced by climate and biomes			Geography Local area and region (including fieldwork)	
	RE Islam Beliefs & Practices What is the best way for a Muslim to show commitment to God?	RE Christianity Christmas – Incarnation How significant is it that Mary was Jesus’ mother?	RE Christianity Beliefs & Meaning – Salvation Is anything ever eternal?	RE Christianity Easter – Gospel Is Christianity still a strong religion 2000 years after Jesus was on Earth?	RE Islam Beliefs & Moral Values Does belief in Akhirah (life after death) help Muslims lead good lives?	

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		Art Printing Demonstrate experience in a range of printmaking techniques. Describe the techniques and processes they use. Be confident in printing onto a range of different materials. Collect and record visual information from different sources as well as planning and collecting source materials	Art Drawing skills through: Art as Activism Explore how artists use their skills to speak on behalf of communities. Make art about things you care about		Art Working in Three dimensions Brave Colour Exploring the work of installation artists who use light, form and colour to create immersive environments. Creating 2D or 3D models to share our vision of imagined installations with others.	
	PE Multiskills Sports leaders: Football netball and rugby	PE Hockey Sports leaders: Football netball and rugby	PE Fitness Sports leaders: Tennis, Cricket, Dodgeball, Badminton	PE Gymnastics Sports leader: Tennis, Cricket, Dodgeball, Badminton	PE Cricket Sports Leaders: Volleyball, Tag Rugby, Athletics	PE Athletics Dance: End of Year Production
		DT Pulleys and gears: Lifting system		DT Complex switches: Steady Hand Game		DT Food: Celebrating culture and seasonality
	PHSE Families and friendships Attraction to others; romantic relationships; civil partnership and marriage Distractions and attractions Safe relationships Recognising and managing pressure; consent in different situations Anna from Norway Respecting ourselves and others Expressing opinions and respecting other points of view, including discussing topical issues Intercultural understanding		PHSE Belonging to a community Valuing diversity; challenging discrimination and stereotypes Representation matters Media literacy and digital resilience Evaluating media sources; sharing things online Social media for positive change Stay safe online Money and work Influences and attitudes to money; money and financial risks		PHSE Physical health and mental wellbeing What affects mental health and ways to take care of it; managing change, loss and bereavement; managing time online Loss, bereavement and change Wellbeing and loneliness Growing and changing Human reproduction and birth; increasing independence; managing transition Transition sequence Keeping safe Keeping personal information safe; regulations and choices; drug use and the law; drug use and the media	

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		Music Charanga – Classroom Jazz 2	Music Charanga – A New Year Carol	Music Charanga – Musical Styles Connect Us How Does Music Teach Us About Our Community?	Music Ukulele Project – Learning an instrument. Reading Music	Music Ukulele Project – Learning an instrument. Reading Music
		Computing Digital Literacy E-SAFETY <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Online reputation - Bullying capturing content - Phishing and scams 	Computing Programming Creating a scratch game	Computing Video creation Green Screens	Computing Networks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Network explorer - Understanding the internet - Search engines - HTML 	Computing 3D animation
			French Phonics Presenting Myself	French My Family	French The Date	French Do you have a pet? Colours