

Year 6 Curriculum Overview 2023-24

	Autumn		Sp	Spring		Summer		
	The Americas		WW2: The Holocaust and Britain		WW2: The Pacific Sustainability			
English- Key Texts	Holes – Louis Sachar WW1 Poets		Once – Morris Gleitzman The Diary of Anne Frank		Goodnight Mister Tom – Michelle Magorian			
Maths	The order of maths units for Year 6 will be determined by class teachers according to the needs of the children.							
Science	Inheritance and Evolution		The Circulatory System		Diet and drugs (RSHE link) Light			
Computing	Programming and debugging		Systems and networks		Creating media including digital 3D graphics Databases			
			Online and d	Online and digital safety				
History	The Discovery of the Americas		The Holocaust The War in Britain		The War in the Pacific			
Geography	The Americas – location, biomes, population and natural disasters		WW2 Expansion – Europe		Renewable Energy and Sustainability; Carbon Footprint			
DT	Architecture and designing to a design brief, aesthetics and finishing. Products involving pulleys and gears		Cooking linked to rationing		Greenpower Engineering project – design and make bodywork			
Art	Great artists, architects and designers US architecture - sculpture		Bob Barker -artist study - Working with colour / drawing & mark- making		Textile and fabric design - recycling fabrics – WW2 link			
Music	Performance - Play a melody following staff notation within an octave range		Composition – ternary form		Appraising – Comparing the impact of composers			
			Whole class guitar		T			
PE			Badminton Carnival Netball Health-related exercise		Rounders Athletics Cricket			
RE	Creation – Science and Christianity, conflicting or complementary?	Why do some people believe in God and some not?	How can following God bring freedom and justice?	What difference does the Resurrection make to Christians?	What kind of King is Jesus?	What does it mean for Muslims to follow God?		



French	Chez Moi (My house)	A l'ecole (At school)	Le weekend (The weekend)	Les planets (The planets)	Manger et bouger (food and drink)	Moi dans le monde (Me in the world)
RSHE	Living in the wider world – digital media Economic wellbeing		Mental Health Relationships		Healthy lifestyle – Science link Puberty – growing and changing	