



CURRICULUM OVERVIEW		YEAR 6		2016/2017	
	Autumn 2016	Spring 2017	Summer 2017		
Maths	Place Value Addition and Subtraction Long multiplication and long division. BIDMAS Fractions, Decimal equivalence and percentages.	Decimals Measurement Shape- angles, area, perimeter, co-ordinates, translation. SATs boosters	SATs boosters. Algebra. Data handling. Ratio and proportion.		
English	Texts covered: Great Expectations, Wizard of Oz, Giant's Necklace, War Horse, Sherlock Holmes Genres covered: Poetry Informal letters Mystery Stories Play scripts Newspaper Reports Comic strip	Texts covered: Anne Frank's diary, Orion and the Dark, Genres covered: Persuasive writing Biography Diary entry Encyclopaedia entry - Animals Reports Poetry Comic strip Balanced Arguments SATs Reading and SPaG boosters	SATs Reading and SPaG boosters Writing linked to Black Country Museum visit Kensuke's Kingdom - informal letter, poetry, descriptive writing, newspaper report, playscripts Ancient Greece - writing in the style of a Greek myth		
Science	Living things & their habitat Micro-organisms. Green plants Famous scientists	Revision to include: Electricity Light Animals including humans Dissolving and separation Evolution & inheritance Variation and Classification	Working scientifically Electricity - solar power The Earth and Beyond. Evolution and inheritance Effects of forces on the Earth (topic link)		
Geography	Around Britain Map Work Tour of Britain	Around the world (history link)	Natural disasters Focusing on volcanoes, earthquakes, tsunami and tornadoes. (science and D+ T		

	<p>Mountains 3 Peak Challenge Climate and terrain</p>		<p>link) Exploring recent disasters</p>
History	<p>World War 1 Brief background linking to English work on War Horse. Tudor Exploration Exploring the discoveries of Sir Walter Raleigh and Sir Francis Drake and the effect of their discoveries on modern life. Focus on navigation methods of the time.</p>	<p>World War 2 Investigating the links between the World Wars and the effect of WW2 on the Jewish community.</p>	<p>Ancient Greece Investigating myths and legends and Gods and Goddesses</p>
D & T	<p>Food Technology Seasonal Sweets and Cakes Using a variety of techniques to add decorative detail to various Christmas products. Greeting Card design Using various techniques to create greetings cards</p>		<p>Ancient Greece - Mythical Creatures Design a create a mythical creature. Enterprise project</p>
Art & Design	<p>People in action Using different techniques to show movement in still pictures.</p>		<p>A sense of place 'Scheherzade' Islamic art</p>
Music	<p>Ongoing skills Journey into space (listening & music history) 'Battle of Britain'</p>	<p>into space (listening & music history) Songwriters Journey</p>	<p>Stars hide performance Performing together</p>
Computing	<p>Espresso coding 6a 1.2.3 Research a topic/ slideshow 5.7</p>	<p>Programming a game (scratch) 1.2.3 Espresso coding 6b 1.2.3</p>	<p>Creating a yearbook 6.7 Internet safety 4.5.6</p>

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RE	2.3a Symbols & meaning 2.2c Key features of religious festivals	2.4b Taking part 2.5b Suffering hardship & death 2.1b Sacred books	2.1a Sacred writings 2.2d People of faith
French	All about me Revision of basic greetings, short phrases and conversations. French alphabet - spelling your name.		My world Including family, pets, physical descriptions and characteristics, parts of the body and classroom environment.
PHSE	Agreeing class rules and discussing expectations in and around the school. We need to work together - resolving conflicts Keeping safe at school and e-safety	Headline news. Rules rule week - focus on rules and why we have them and law and democracy in the UK	Help, I need somebody! - who to contact in times of need. Basic First Aid Difference and sameness. Sex & relationships Save your money or spend it?
PE	Games- tennis/ badminton Swimming Games football/netball Swimming	Games Hockey Gymnastics Games tag rugby Dance	Athletics skills Outdoor & adventurous activities Games rounders/ cricket Athletics
Class Novel	Giant's Necklace War Horse Audio book - The Boy in The Dress	Anne Frank's Diary Audio Book - Demon Dentist	Wonder Kensuke's Kingdom (book and audio)
Trips/visitors	Laches Wood residential	Theatre trip - Gangsta Granny	Black Country Museum Leavers trip